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Normal precipitation11.91
Last year to date8.25



NAZI RADIO BLARES PEACE BID

Opposition Faces Democrats

ANTI-WALLACE KNOCKS HEARD INSIDE RANKS

Presidential Campaign in Different Style Looms As F.R. Tied Down

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—This year, the campaign is going to be "different." Wendell L. Willkie, the republican presidential nominee, may follow the traditional routine and stump the country. But Franklin D. Roosevelt, on the basis of present plans, will divide most of his time this summer and fall between Washington and his Hyde Park, N. Y., home.

Few Speeches
And what the chief executive has to say to the voters will be transmitted, according to existing schedules, more through the press and radio than from the rear platform of a campaign train or in public auditions.

Much as Mr. Roosevelt likes to travel, he told the democratic convention in his speech accepting a third term nomination that "the president in these days must remain close to the seat of government."

Third Term Critics
As to the chief executive's acceptance, Vice President Garner maintained resolute silence. From other quarters, however, there came continued third term criticism today, predictions of democratic bolts to Willkie, and also assertions that the third term issue would be unimportant.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 20 (AP)—The Harrisburg Patriot, of which Vance C. McCormick, former democratic national

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Nightmare Causes Father to Kill Girl As 'Mad Dog'
MUNFORD, Tenn., July 20 (AP)—A bereaved father told today of a nightmare that made him leap from bed and kill his little daughter under the delusion she was a mad dog.

Magistrate C. L. McCain said Reuben Flynn's strange story had been investigated and no charges were being filed in the death of three-year-old Helen Marie Flynn at their tenant farm home Thursday night.

The family was awakened by the child's screams, found her against the walls of a bedroom where she had been sleeping with her parents. Awakened, Flynn told dazedly of his dream that a dog was attacking Helen Marie. The baby's skull was crushed and she died in a few hours.

The Rev. C. B. Betts, a neighbor quickly summoned, said of the tragedy:

"As soon as they got Mr. Flynn awake he hugged the dying baby in his arms and would hardly turn her loose. He is a poor but kind and gentle man."

Mississippi Train To Visit Monday
Klamath people were urged Saturday to turn out to see the unique Mississippi train, which will arrive at the Southern Pacific depot at 10:45 a. m. Monday. Robert Thompson will be master of ceremonies for the Klamath chamber of commerce at this event.

On the train will be 191 Mississippi people headed by Lieutenant Governor Dennis Murphree. Klamath people will be invited to inspect the train and learn all about Mississippi.

Willkie Eyes Farm Notes For Campaign

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 20 (AP)—Wendell L. Willkie talked over the farm section of his forthcoming address accepting the republican presidential nomination at a luncheon today with George N. Peek, former new deal farm official.

Peek came here from California at Willkie's invitation. Willkie told his press conference he had understood Peek had many ideas on the farm problem.

The republican nominee said he would talk Monday with Representative Charles Halleck (R-Ind.) who is making arrangements for the acceptance talk at Elwood, Ind.

Asked for comment regarding the statements of several democrats that he would support him, Willkie said he was gratified and added that "My phone hasn't stopped ringing since the democratic convention because of the important democrats over the country saying they will come out for me."

Meantime Willkie settled back declaring in a brief address at (Continued on Page Three)

POLITICAL CRIMES HARMING SHANGHAI

Municipal Council Sends Protest to Japanese on Terrorism

SHANGHAI, July 20 (AP)—The Shanghai municipal council asked the foreign consular body today for aid to check "the present terrible wave of political crime which is destroying all confidence here and ruining Shanghai's reputation throughout the world."

One possible course of action by the consuls, who form the highest authority in the international settlement, would be a declaration of a state of emergency, under which foreign troops—especially American marines and English soldiers—would be called out to help the municipal police patrol the city.

The consuls are expected to meet next week to act on the appeal, signed by W. J. Kewick, British chairman of the council, who listed recent terrorists' attacks on Chinese and American newspaper writers and proprietors.

Quick Action Needed By City To Get Traffic Signal Money

City officials Saturday were faced with the necessity of taking quick action on raising funds for the city's share in the \$15,000 signal light project, if erection of new traffic lights for the streets of Klamath Falls is to be made possible before 1942.

Returning Friday from a meeting in Portland of the state highway commission, Mayor Clifton Richmond brought with him a report that the commission cannot advance the full \$15,000 to the city. The mayor had requested the full amount inasmuch as the one-mill tax levy recently voted by the citizens of Klamath Falls, while based on this year's assessed valuation, is not collectable until 1941.

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HUGE DEFENSE BILL SIGNED; NAVY PUSHED

Most Powerful Fleet in World Proposed Under \$4,000,000,000 Plan

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—President Roosevelt has signed into law a bill authorizing \$4,000,000,000 expansion of the navy designed to give the United States a "two ocean" fleet capable of meeting any possible hostile combination.

The White House announced the signing today, while Mr. Roosevelt was cruising on the Potomac river.

Most Powerful
The chief executive already had asked congress to provide \$83,000,000 to start work on the new program which, when completed in 1946 or 1947, would give the nation a total of 701 fighting craft built around the world's most powerful single aggregation of capital ships—35 dreadnoughts.

In addition to about 200 new surface ships and submarines to cost \$4,010,000,000 with the additional facilities they will require, the new law authorized the navy to acquire for \$600,000,000 a total of 15,000 airplanes, fifty per cent more than (Continued on Page Three)

President Signs Extension of Hatch Limitations

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—President Roosevelt has signed legislation extending to many thousands of state and local government employees existing restrictions on political activity by federal workers and limiting the size of campaign contributions.

The White House made its announcement today. The new law, which will affect officials and employees working on projects financed in any part by federal funds, becomes effective at once. Its author is Senator Hatch (D-NM.), who also wrote the original Hatch act restricting political activities of federal employees.

Persons covered by the act would be forbidden to use their position to influence the result of an election or to take an active part in political campaigns. They would also be prohibited from coercing other employees for political purposes.

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money to any city or county for similar projects. Under an agreement for construction of the signal system, however, the commission will advance half the necessary money if the city can produce the other \$7500. This amount, Mayor Richmond pointed out, must be obtained immediately, inasmuch as the state highway commission will let bids for the project August 22 and must have assurance three weeks before that time that city funds are available. This leaves city officials only until the first of August to obtain the funds.

City Attorney D. E. Van Vactor is to make a report immediately on the legality of borrowing the money either from a city fund against the one-mill levy or from a local bank. He is expected to make known his findings in the very near future.

Latest type traffic signal lights will be erected on seven of the city's most congested intersections under the project.

Suicide Note Brings Arrest Of Portlander

PORTLAND, July 20 (AP)—Detective William Browne signed a warrant today accusing Edgar Zehrung, 42, dismissed secretary-treasurer of the Portland Postal Employees Credit Union, of larceny by embezzlement.

SEATTLE, July 20 (AP)—Dr. M. Madison Campbell, Seattle mental disease specialist, today surrendered a man identified as Edgar Zehrung, missing secretary-treasurer of the Portland Postal Employees Credit Union, to detectives after Zehrung's automobile and a suicide note had been found on a Seattle-bound Bremerton ferry.

Three hours after the automobile had been found, and Portland authorities notified an unidentified man telephoned police here and said:

"I left my car on the Bremerton ferry this morning. Do you know where it is and how I can get it?"

The note read: "I am going overboard. Goodbye. Edgar. Notify 7105 S. E. Schiller street, Portland, Ore., Sunset 2740."

INVITATIONS OUT FOR ROAD OPENING

Governor Sprague to Be Host for Celebration at Salt Creek

Today's Photo Magazine page features the beautiful Willamette highway. A cartograph by Art Bremer, an official map showing this road as a part of the coast route, and pictures by Ralph Gifford of the state highway department, make this an unusually interesting page.

Hundreds of invitations to the Willamette highway opening, to be held at 3 p. m. July 30 at the east portal of the Salt creek tunnel, were being mailed out at the chamber of commerce Saturday.

Governor Charles A. Sprague consented to be official host for the celebration, and the invitation (Continued on Page Three)

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