

Rains Relieve Drought In Northeast, But Too Late To Avert Huge Crop Losses

By The Associated Press
Rains in a slow easy fall—just the type the fields needed—refreshed the parched northeastern states today, and in some sections brought an end to a 59-day dry spell.

The forecasters promised more relief today, with a prediction of showers again tonight and possibly tomorrow.

However, agricultural authorities believed that the rainfall came too late to avert multi-million dollar crop losses.

Many sections of New England were refreshed by a rainfall that may reach half an inch in the southern section.

The district forecaster at Boston said the rain would end this afternoon. A University of Massachusetts professor said the rain was two days too late, and that crop losses in New England could approximate \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000.

In the New York area, the weather bureau chief said New Yorkers no longer can discuss the long drought in the present tense. He said eight-tenths of an inch had fallen in the 24 hours ended at 7 a. m. (EST) today and the area now is returning to its normal pattern of rain in one out of every three days.

The Philadelphia area reported nearly two inches of rain in 24 hours, the heaviest rain in more than 180 months. It broke the drought in that section and occasional showers were forecast for today.

Newark, N. J., reported 1.7 of an inch of rain yesterday, with more precipitation for both northern and southern sections of the state expected tonight.

Nearly a quarter of an inch of rain fell in metropolitan Pittsburgh yesterday. Showers were expected there later today.

The gulf states and parts of California and Arizona had the country's hottest weather. Temperatures again climbed to about 100 yesterday in Texas, including 105 at Presidio; 104 at Fort Worth; 102 at Abilene and 101 at Laredo.

The nation's top reading was 108 at Yuma, Ariz., four degrees above the maximum at Phoenix, and five degrees higher than the top at Fresno, Calif. Temperatures throughout most of the country were around normal, with readings generally in the 80's.

"The Night has a Thousand Eyes," and they are all reading classified—is your ad there?



UNDER COVER NOTE—This Parisian bather's umbrella has more material than her matching two-piece swim suit. A scrap of bright fabric here and there is enough for a suit, but without that umbrella she says she "just wouldn't feel dressed." (Photo by NEA-Acme Staff Correspondent Rene Henry).

Single Entry Asks Paper At Richland

RICHLAND, July 13 (AP)—A Seattle man, R. M. Frayn, submitted the only bid for publication of a newspaper in Richland at the opening of bids here yesterday. The bid was in the name of the Record Publishing company.

The proposal will receive careful consideration and action on it will be announced at the earliest possible date. R. J. Pederson, superintendent of the General Electric commercial facilities division, said.

The Desert Press, to be operated by R. M. Frayn and N. J. Frayn, both of Seattle, had previously been awarded a contract for construction and operation of a printing plant here. Frayn operates the Frayn Printing company, at Seattle.

In line with other terms of the bid call of last May 23, the Scott Publishing company, publishing the Tri-City Herald, Kennewick, has notified General Electric it desires to construct an office building here for newsgathering, advertising and circulation purposes, Pederson said. A weekly non-profit newspaper, the Richland Villager, is the only paper now published in Richland.



DIES IN CRASH—Vincent Mahoney, editorial writer for the San Francisco Chronicle, was one of 45 persons killed, 13 of them American newspaper and radio representatives, when a Dutch airliner crashed near Bombay, India.

Orange hard sauce is delicious served with Apple Betty. Make the sauce by creaming a quarter cup of butter or margarine with a cup of sifted firmly packed confectioners' sugar; then add the grated rind of an orange and a tablespoon or two of strained orange juice.

Nature Society To Meet July 14

The Nature Society of the Klamath region will meet Thursday evening July 14 in the chamber of commerce room 323 Main street at 8:00 p. m.

The Nature Society is a non-technical organization created to help people of the Klamath basin who are interested in the study of the natural history of the region.

The society conducts a monthly survey of the species of birds to be seen in the Klamath basin. The meetings of the society are open to the public.

PASSES
DUBLIN, Ireland, July 13 (AP)—Dr. Douglas Hyde, 88, first president of Eire, died last night.

A scholar and a poet, Hyde was chosen president by acclamation and took the oath of office June 25, 1938. A Protestant, he headed a predominantly Catholic nation.

His health forced him to announce his retirement as his seven-year term drew to a close. He was succeeded by Sean O'Kelly after the presidential election of June, 1945.

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Dollar Issue In Britain World Thorn

LONDON, July 13 (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee linked Britain's dollar crisis today with the whole problem of world stability and peace.

He opened a meeting of finance ministers of Britain and the commonwealth nations. The financial experts are seeking a solution to the sterling area's failure to earn as many dollars as it spends.

Attlee said he hoped the ministers could find a way to solve the immediate problem of halting the dollar drain and also lay foundation for working out long term salvation.

Attlee spoke to the ministers in the cabinet room of 10 Downing street.

The commonwealth conference is the latest move in the hunt for a way out of Britain's and the sterling area's dollar troubles.

The sterling area, embracing a quarter of the world's people, is down to its last \$1,624,000,000 in gold and dollars. Its reserves have dropped by \$564,000,000 since Marshall aid began.

Bobby-Sox Brides Prove Downfall For Kentuckian

DETROIT, July 13 (AP)—A fondness for bobby-sox brides has 42-year-old Earl Conners, in trouble.

After four marriages—all to 14-year-old girls—the balding Kentuckian is in Wayne county jail.

But this doesn't mean a thing to his latest wife, Patima, still 14.

She stood right up in court Monday and said:

"I love my Earle and I won't say a thing against him. So there, I'll just wait until I'm 16 and we can be man and wife and happy again."

Conners pleaded guilty to contributing to a minor's delinquency. Then, as he left the courtroom, he was arrested again on a charge of being \$2210 behind in his alimony to wife No. 2.

He admitted taking Patima Hassan to Liberty, Ky., and marrying her on her 14th birthday last November 15. At first, he was charged with enticing a minor into marriage.

But when plaintiff Patima refused to testify against him, the charge was reduced.

Conners, a resident of Somerset, Ky., told Detective Lt. James Shan-

ahan that one of his girl-brides died and two divorced him.

Lt. Shanahan is seeking the divorce decree of Anna Lee Calhoun, bride No. 3, and the death certificate of Edith McKim, wife No. 1. Wife No. 2 was Flora Conners.

Patima's father, Komar Hassan, 56, a plaintiff, was present in court.

"Give him what's coming," Hassan shouted, shaking his fist at his son-in-law.

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