

CONGRATULATIONS FROM PRESIDENT TO CHAS. CURTIS

Acceptance Talk Held of Great Campaign Value; Hoover Visits His Birthplace.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 21.—President Coolidge today telegraphed congratulations to Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas upon the latter's speech of acceptance of the republican vice-presidential nomination.

"Please accept my congratulations on the excellence of your address of acceptance," Coolidge said. "It will be a document of great value during the campaign. Your wide experience in public life has enabled you to present public problems in an exceedingly clear and practical way."

Curtis Explains.—CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Senator Curtis, republican vice-presidential nominee, said here today in a talk with newspapermen that in his proposal for appointment of a joint congressional committee to consider the agricultural problem, he had in mind only the legislative side of the situation.

"I think it would be better," he said, "that a joint congressional committee be appointed to consider whatever recommendations are made to congress by the president or anyone else than to go ahead with two large committees, one in the senate and one in the house, considering the problem separately. I merely suggested this plan as an easier one in legislative action."

The question was brought up when one of the reporters suggested that the vice-presidential nominee and Herbert Hoover, republican standard bearer, were working at cross purposes.

"Not at all," Curtis declared emphatically. "I want congress to be ready to take up whatever Mr. Hoover works out."

Hoover at Birthplace.—WEST BRANCH, Iowa, Aug. 21.—Herbert Hoover is back today in this cross-roads village of his birth, cares of the presidential campaign forgotten as he renews old friendships and revisits scenes of his childhood.

Senator Smith W. Brookhart called to greet the candidate to whom he has pledged support. A number of Iowa congressmen as well as party leaders also were on hand.

Beneath a specially erected mammoth tent, Mr. Hoover will tonight deliver the second prepared address of the campaign in which he will elaborate upon his farm relief views.

AUTO WRECK FATAL TO 3-YEAR-OLD CHILD

(Associated Press Leased Wire) LA GRANDE, Ore., Aug. 21.—Wilberta, three year old daughter of Mrs. W. P. Dickerson, was killed instantly, and Mrs. Dickerson seriously hurt in an auto wreck east of Palmer Junction late yesterday. The mother in a hospital with skull fractured was unconscious until this morning. Her condition was grave.

Another child, Billie, nine months old, escaped with slight bruises. Mrs. Dickerson had been camping and was returning to Grande Ronde valley where her husband is employed on a farm. Her sister, Gladys Anderson, and a third child of Mrs. Dickerson were in another car. Defect in the steering gear in Mrs. Dickerson's car was believed to have been the cause. The Dickersons formerly lived in Walla Walla. His parents, from Richland, Wash., arrived early this morning.

COUNTERFEIT DOLLARS DISCOVERED IN SALEM

(Associated Press Leased Wire) SALEM, Ore., Aug. 21.—An Oregon school teacher, innocently it is believed, passed a counterfeit dollar on the state educational department in payment of the fee on a teacher's certificate. The dollar was detected at a local bank where a teller who didn't like the looks of it seized the coin and broke it in two. The pieces were returned to the state school superintendent's office today. The educational department had sent the money to the bank for deposit. A counterfeit dollar was passed a few days ago on Sam Foster, who runs the refreshment stand at the state house.

LOMSKI KNOCKS OUT SMITH IN THEIR SECOND BATTLE

(Associated Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Back in the form that made him a terror among the light heavyweights a few months ago, Leo Lomski of Aberdeen, Wash., knocked out George Smith of Newark, N. J., in the fourth round of a 16-round match at Dexter park last night. Lomski weighed 170 2/3 pounds; Smith 164.

The Pacific coast slugger went after Smith at the bell and bat.

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REEDSPORT FISHERMEN MISSING; BOAT FOUND

(Associated Press Leased Wire) REEDSPORT, Ore., Aug. 21.—Coast Guardsmen today failed to find trace of Peter Olson and Carl Miller, Reedsporth fishermen, whose craft, the "Crackerbox," was found ashore near the mouth of Tenmile creek Monday, with the bottom stove in. The fishermen had left Umpqua river on a trolling expedition.

tered the New Jerseyite from pillar to post until the final blow—a hard left to the chin—after 50 seconds of fighting in the fourth round. Lomski floored Smith for a count of nine and the Newark boy could offer but little defense when the next, and as it turned out, the final round began. Several weeks ago Lomski had great difficulty scoring a decision victory over the man who gave him no trouble at all last night.

SKELETONS, GUNS REVEAL TRAGEDY OF OLD FUR DAYS

(Associated Press Leased Wire) SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Aug. 21.—A long forgotten tragedy of the fur trading days was believed today to have been uncovered. A prospector reported that he had found two skeletons and a number of rusted old fashioned muskets in a cave north of Bruce Mines.

The skeletons were lying by the side of a small, well hidden lake, and until he found them, A. B. Fraser, the prospector, believed he was the discoverer of the lake. Fraser said he was positive no one had visited the lake since the men met their death. The muskets were of a type which has not been used in the north for 50 years.

NEWS BRIEFS

(Associated Press Leased Wire) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Eugene Davis, 66, said by state narcotic agents to be the head of an international ring of drug smugglers, was held in answer to the superior court here yesterday on a charge of violating the state poison act.

WEAVERVILLE.—John Dinkle, a rancher of the Deer Springs district, was held in the county jail here pending charges which may result from a coroner's jury verdict holding that Dinkle shot A. A. Cooper to death after a quarrel.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Airplanes are now carrying 15 per cent of all cross country mail, said W. G. Horton, vice president of the Pacific Air Transport, in announcing yesterday that 25 new planes had been ordered for the San Francisco-Chicago service.

SAN OUENTIN.—Convicts in prison road camps may be used to fight forest fires throughout the state hereafter. The prison board has granted the state forestry department permission to requisition the road workers.

RED BLUFF.—Search was continued for Hugh Akers, 14-year-old student at the Del Monte military academy summer camp near Mineral, who has been missing since August 12. It is feared that he has been lost in the mountains.

REDWOOD CITY.—Excusing himself from his family just before dinner Eric Thompson, former head of the American Legion here, went to the garage in his home last night and committed suicide by hanging himself.

Visitor From Elkton.—H. C. Edwards, resident of Elkton, was in this city yesterday visiting with friends and attending to business affairs.

Mrs. Wm. Tallman and Mrs. Guy Wade, her sister, of Hollywood are here for ten days visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Earl B. Bureh. Later they will motor north and also will visit in Pendleton, where other relatives reside.

Miss Clara Anderson, formerly of Douglas county, is here for a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Carl Lundson. The past winter Miss Anderson taught in Ashland and the vacation season she has been spending at her summer cottage at Cutler City, near Taft, Oregon.

SKELETON FOUND NEAR OUTLET OF STILTCOOS LAKE

A telephone message was received at the sheriff's office this morning stating that a skeleton had been found near the outlet of Stiltcoos lake. The skeleton was found by one of the Slonaker brothers who telephoned to Deputy Sheriff Dodson at Reedsport. They were unable to determine whether the skeleton was that of a man or a woman, and did not know how long it had been in that location or what had been the cause of death. It was thought probable, however, that the skeleton had been washed up during a storm. Coroner Ritter and Deputy Sheriff Grubbe are leaving tomorrow to make an investigation.

LOCAL NEWS

Visitors Today.—Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Rummell of Drain were in Roseburg today visiting and attending to business affairs.

At Beach.—Mrs. Louis Kohlhagen and daughters, Veronia, Bertha and Eliza, are visiting at Bandon Beach this week.

Visiting Sister.—H. W. Lloyd of Gardiner, Montana, is spending a few days visiting with his sister, Mrs. Fred Renner, at Winston.

New Sign Installed.—An attractive new sign has just been installed by the Roseburg Cafeteria. The sign was built and placed by Roy Hufham, local sign painter.

Spent Day Here.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Bass of Melrose and their granddaughter, Miss Miriam Patton, who is a visitor from Portland, were here Monday visiting.

Mrs. Jones Home.—Mrs. Joseph E. Jones, who has been spending the past several weeks at Westwood, California, with her sister, Mrs. Walter Markee, has returned home.

Collecting Tax Data.—W. H. Dreesen from the Oregon State Agricultural College extension service arrived here yesterday afternoon to spend a few days. Mr. Dreesen is collecting tax data.

Returned From Coast Trip.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller and daughter, Lila, have returned from a four-day visit to Bandon and the country around Myrtle Point, where they formerly made their home.

Visiting in Dunsmuir.—Mrs. A. N. Jefferson and children of this city left yesterday afternoon for Dunsmuir, California, where they intend to spend the next week or so visiting with friends.

Frank Brazil Enroute South.—Accompanying the Portland ball club south, Frank Brazil, well known third baseman, passed through here yesterday afternoon. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Fred Reed of this city.

Club Meeting Postponed.—The meeting of the Home Economics Club of the South Deer Creek grange has been postponed until Thursday afternoon, August 30. Mrs. C. H. Bailey will entertain the members at this time.

On Vacation.—O. R. Amstein, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company employee at Camas Valley, is taking his annual vacation and during his absence Bert Shigley of the Grants Pass plant is in charge of that district.

Home From North.—Miss Agnes Pitchford and mother, Mrs. V. M. Pitchford, returned home Sunday following a vacation trip by motor. They visited Newport and other northern beaches and drove as far north as Long Beach, Washington.

Seattle Party Here.—E. L. Holmes and family, of Seattle, Wash., were in Roseburg overnight enroute to Crater lake to spend a few days. Mr. Holmes is head machinist of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, and while here paid a visit to the mechanical department of the News-Review.

Miss Willis Returns South.—Miss Ruth Willis, formerly of this city, has returned to San Francisco following a ten day visit here with her mother, Mrs. Sallie McClung. Miss Willis was for some time nurse at Mercy hospital and is now at the Pivola hospital in the bay city.

Left for North.—Mrs. J. J. Sharp left yesterday afternoon for the north, being accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. G. W. Sharp and son, Gene, who will visit in the metropolis until Wednesday. Mrs. J. J. Sharp will go on to Pasco, Washington, where she will visit her son, A. R. Sharp, from there going east for the next several months.

Spent Day Visiting.—Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Davis and daughters of Myrtle Point and Mr. and Mrs. Potter of Marshfield have returned home after spending a day here visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and family were guests of Mrs. Davis' mother and sister, Mrs. Lahey and Miss Blanche Lahey. Mr. Davis is manager of the Shell company at Myrtle Point.

Train Carries Fraternity Men.—A second section to Shasta 11, carrying a large number of Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity men from all parts of the east, passed through Roseburg yesterday afternoon.

The delegates and members are enroute to San Francisco to attend the national convention. Also on the train were two ball clubs, the Portland and Sacramento teams, which were enroute to California points.

Traffic Chief Visits.—T. A. Raffety, chief of the state motor vehicle department, accompanied by Mrs. Raffety, visited in Roseburg for a few hours yesterday. They are on an auto tour of the state, securing information on road conditions. Mr. Raffety has just completed a trip over the Roosevelt highway along the coast, making the full distance over the route of the highway, although he found some of it particularly hard going. He is now returning to his home at Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Raffety formerly resided in this city.

Spent Afternoon.—Mrs. H. Booth and children were here from Astoria Monday afternoon visiting with friends and shopping.

Glide Visitor.—W. Walton, resident of Glide, was in this city Monday afternoon attending to business affairs and visiting friends.

Business Visitor.—L. Ingles, resident of Peel, was in town Monday for a few hours visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Home From Ashland.—Mrs. D. Y. Allison returned to this city yesterday afternoon after spending a few days visiting with friends in Ashland.

Enroute Home.—Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Inakeen of Medford visited here last night on their way home following a vacation trip to points north.

Visitors Monday.—Mrs. George Jantzer and family of Astoria were here Monday for several hours shopping and attending to business matters.

Visiting Southern Oregon.—Mrs. O. D. Allison and sister, Donna Mae Hamilton, are spending a few days visiting with friends in Medford and Ashland.

Former Resident Visitor.—Mrs. Leona McDonald, a former resident of this city, is here from Coos Bay visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Bemis.

Medford Men Here.—A. A. Hayden, manager of the southern Oregon district of the Foster-Kleiser company, and C. H. McDonald of Medford offices were here today on business.

Asst Superintendent Here.—L. C. Grant, Southern Pacific assistant superintendent from Eugene terminal, was in this city over Monday on a business visit. He formerly resided in Roseburg.

Visiting in South.—Mrs. Lora Foree of Riddle was here the first of the week and left for Los Angeles, where she will spend the next month or six weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Former Residents in City.—Chauncey E. Markee, formerly of this city, was a visitor here today from Eugene. Mr. Markee now has charge of this territory for the Colyear Motor Sales company, taking it over recently.

Visiting Stanley Kidder.—P. B. Miller of Boston is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kidder in this city. He and Mr. Kidder are making a trip up the North Umpqua river to spend a few days fishing.

Grange Hall to Have New Roof.—All of the members of the South Deer Creek grange are planning to meet at the grange hall next Friday morning and the men will re-shingle the roof of the hall. The ladies of the grange will serve a dinner at noon.

Miss Barnes Visited.—Miss Leta Barnes, formerly of this city, spent the week-end here visiting with friends. She returned to Eugene this morning being accompanied by Mrs. Roy Rose. The latter drove on to Albany and will be there for a day or so.

Camping at Elkton.—The Misses Ruby and Evelyn Cloake and Miss Violet Blomquist of this city are spending the week camping at Elkton. Their aunt, Mrs. Max Meyers, preceded them to the camp and is vacationing with the girls.

Ex-Residents Visit City.—Residents of Roseburg 11 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant, now of San Gabriel, California, returned here and visited the city yesterday. They have been on a trip over the Redwood highway and are now going into Canada on a tour.

Attends Funeral.—E. D. Eiselslein of Wallace, Idaho, is visiting in Roseburg for a few days, having been called to this city by the death of his uncle, Charles H. Eiselslein, Spanish-American War veteran who died last week at the Soldiers' Home and whose funeral was held yesterday.

Taking Trip Abroad.—After stopping here for a day to visit H. Wollenberg and Mrs. Arthur Baum, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hill of San Francisco left yesterday for the east. They will sail August 29 from New York City for Europe and plan to visit on the continent for three months. Mrs. Hill is a daughter of Mr. Wollenberg and sister of Mrs. Baum.

Ex-Residents Going North.—Mrs. S. C. Bartrum and daughter, Miss Dorothy Bartrum, former residents of this city, passed through here yesterday afternoon on their way home to Portland following a visit in Medford. Mrs. Bartrum's son, Kenneth, who is employed here by the Douglas County Fire Patrol, visited them at the train.

Car Turns Over.—Four Long Beach, California, women, traveling in a sedan and on their way north, were uninjured when one of the tires of their machine blew out, causing the car to turn over on its side on the Pacific highway south of Roseburg near the old aviation field yesterday afternoon. All of the glass was broken out of the car but slight damage was done and they were able to drive on north.

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Willets at Coast.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Willett are spending this week enjoying a vacation at Reedsport. They will return Saturday or Sunday.

Gene to The Dalles.—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Delaney went this week to The Dalles where they will enjoy a visit with friends and a vacation. Mr. Delaney is employed by the Douglas County creamery.

Home From Motor Trip.—Following a motor trip to the coast, Crescent City and Crater Lake and other southern Oregon scenic points, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stark and daughter, Betty, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kraus and Mrs. Laura Applegate of Yoncalla and Miss Emma Applegate and Miss Susie Applegate of Portland were visitors here today. The Portland visitors have been guests at their mother's, Mrs. Applegate's, home at Yoncalla and will take a trip to Bandon before their return to Portland.

Mrs. Mattie Strange Fisher, former resident of Roseburg who has not been here for 35 years, is visiting at the home of her nephew, Dale Strange. Her home is in Victoria, B. C.

Fred Hill and son, Leo Hill, of San Francisco and Lester Jacoby, cousin of the former, of Jasper, Oregon, visited here with Frank Hill, a nephew of Fred Hill. The party was enroute to San Francisco.

EUGENE FUGITIVE NABBED VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 20.—Jack Prevera, who escaped from the Lane county jail at Eugene, Ore., some time ago, was under arrest here today. He had been living in Vancouver for the past two months under the name of Jack McLaren. Mrs. Prevera died here on July 27.

DATE FOR GLIDE FAIR CHANGED TO SUNDAY, SEPT. 19 The date of the community fair at Glide has been changed from September 25 to September 19, according to word received here today. It was thought that the new date would permit a much larger attendance and would give a greater interest. The Glide people are making a very great effort to make this fair the largest and best ever held at that place. The district includes everything east of Roseburg, taking in the South and North Deer creek sections.

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