

Local News

Home From Vacation—

County Agent and Mrs. J. C. Leedy, who have been enjoying a brief vacation at Tugard, Lebanon and Portland, returned home yesterday.

To Live Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee and family have arrived here from California and expect to make their home here. Mr. Lee is the father of Mrs. Arthur Puckett.

Here for Visit—

Kenneth Radabaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Radabaugh, of Eugene, formerly of this city, is here today to visit relatives. He will go on to Medford to spend Sunday.

Visiting Son—

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Webb, accompanied by Claude and Miss Mildred Patterson, left this morning for Klamath Falls, where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Percy B. Webb.

Here Yesterday—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers of North Bend were visitors here yesterday stopping overnight at the home of Mr. Rogers is with the post office department at the coast city.

Portland Lady Visits—

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilder and family motored over the Crescent City loop over Labor day. They have as their house guest Mrs. Wilder's mother, Mrs. Alice M. Kenyon of Portland.

Major Eckerson Visits—

Major Eckerson, Springfield, Oregon, was a visitor in Roseburg yesterday. Major Eckerson and a friend flew to Roseburg from Eugene and spent a couple of hours attending to business.

Returns From Visit—

Mrs. W. E. Ott has recently returned from a week's visit with her mother at Turner, and with other relatives in Eugene. Mrs. Ott's niece, Miss Margaret McKay, of Turner, accompanied her on her return here.

Goes to Myrtle Point—

Miss Violet Incho who has been attending summer school at the Southern Oregon Normal school has been visiting here during the week and left for Myrtle Point where she will teach this year.

Going to Portland—

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fallerton are leaving Sunday for Portland and other points north on their vacation. While in Portland they plan to see Ethel Barrymore, who will be playing in Portland next week.

From Dixonville—

Mrs. Mary Lane visited here yesterday from her home at Dixonville. Mrs. Lane is clerk of the board of school directors of district 63, conferred with the county school superintendent here on business.

New Hudsons Arrive—

The Roy Caching Motor company reports the arrival of a carload of new Hudson motor cars. The new shipment shows the new color scheme adopted for the Hudson and will prove attractive to local buyers and car owners according to the dealer.

Here on Vacation—

Roy B. Houser of Albany is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Houser, of this city. Mr. Houser is employed with the Western Auto Supply Co. in Albany and was formerly with the company here. He will enjoy a two weeks' vacation in this city.

Frank Moore Flies Here—

Frank Moore, aerial mapping pilot employed by the Fairfield company, arrived in Roseburg this morning. Flying his Challenger airplane, Mr. Moore and Miss Fern Reynolds of this city are to be married tomorrow and will take their honeymoon by plane. They will reside in San Francisco.

Brings Peaches—

S. D. Evans presented a plate of peaches measuring ten inches in circumference to the chamber of commerce this morning. The fruit is perfect in color and form and onlookers gaze longingly at the peaches wondering if the flavor is as wonderful as the looks of the fruit would indicate.

Return From Centralia—

Mrs. W. A. Stephenson and her daughter, Claribel, have returned from a two weeks' visit in Tacoma and Centralia. While in Centralia Mrs. Stephenson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Powell, former Roseburg residents. The Stephensons have moved from their former residence on South Pine street to 461 South Main.

Reports Good Hunting—

L. L. Johns of Astoria was a visitor here today. Mr. Johns reports that all indications are that hunting will be unusually good on Cow Creek and near Astoria. He is a guide and packer for hunting parties and stated that several parties are scheduled to go into the woods when the season is declared open.

NOTICE

Buy Used Cars from the
Used Car Exchange
and save money.

Sold on money back guarantee.
We pay cash for used cars.

Used Car Exchange

Phone 468.
Next to Deer Creek Bridge.

Here Today—

C. D. Byrne and William Teutsch of Corvallis are here today and are holding classes for rural newspaper correspondents at the city hall today.

SAMMY MANDELL WHIPS VICENTINI

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Two children, Luis Vicentini and Stanislaus Louza, put up two very different types of boxing exhibitions in rights that formed Paddy Harmon's stadium card last night. Both were willing, but Vicentini had the misfortune to be matched with the world's champion lightweight and left jabber, Sammy Mandell. Consequently he took a decisive whipping.

Louza fought Joey Medill of Chicago, and it was ten vigorous rounds to a well earned draw.

Louza was no more eager than his countryman, but Medill was not the competition Mandell was.

Fighting at 132½ pounds, the champion was his old self.

After the first five rounds, the fight was all Mandell. He was fast, accurate and willing. Often Vicentini grained his own lungs and drove nothing but atmosphere.

The fight was not a championshipship affair, both men coming in over the 135-pound limit.

CLUB MAY FORGIVE EXCESS
SPEECH OF WILL ROGERS

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.—The Examiner says that at the invitation of Herbert Schmidt, president of the Bohemian club, Will Rogers, screen and stage actor, had repaid for associate membership in the exclusive organization here. Several months ago a membership application in behalf of Rogers was withdrawn.

When news of the withdrawal leaked out several months ago it was said that the cause had been Rogers' inclination to dominate the spotlight at a Bohemian grove performance where he was one of the "guest artists" and that when the actor held the stage longer than his allotted time, prominent members of the audience, instead of laughing, failed to see the joke.

JACK DEMPSEY PLANS TO
STAGE TITULAR BATTLE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Jack Dempsey has made definite overtures for promotion next year of a world championship fight and the title he hopes to put on the block in that of Jackie Fields, welterweight king.

Gig Rooney, manager of Fields, today was considering an offer from Dempsey of \$45,000 for Fields to defend his title in Chicago next year at an arena not yet erected and signing an agreement to be named by Dempsey not later than April 15. Dempsey said he planned to build an arena to seat 50,000 persons.

3 MILES OF BAS RELIEF
DISCOVERED ON ISLAND

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 6.—Dr. John C. Hill, director of the department of religion, archeology and anthropology at the University of Southern California, said today upon his return here from a summer's study in the South Seas he had discovered on the island Bora near Java "the temple of Boro Boedoor on which there is three miles of life sized bas relief as interesting as any book ever written."

The temple, Dr. Hill said, was buried 1200 years ago. It covers nine acres of ground, has five levels, or stories, so far uncovered, and was the seat of an ancient native religion.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau Office,

Roseburg, Oregon. Data reported

by E. H. Fletcher, Meteorologist in

charge.

Barometric pressure (reduced

to sea level) 5 a. m. 29.91

Relative humidity 5 p. m. yesterday (per cent) 17

Highest temperature yesterday 82

Lowest temperature last night 42

Average temperature for the day 62

Normal temperature for this date 65

Precip. in inches and hundredths

Precipitation for 24 hours, 0

Total precip. since 1st month ending 5 a. m. 0

Normal precip. for this month 1.27

Total precip. from Sept. 1, 1929, to date 0

Normal precip. from Sept. 1 to date26

Total deficiency since Sept. 1, 192926

Normal seasonal precip. Sept. to May, inclusive 31.18

Forecast for interior southwest Oregon: Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler Sunday.

Elite Pleaters

SPECIAL RATES

School Skirts \$1.25

Circular Skirts \$1.75

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ANOTHER BIG

DANCE

AT TENMILE

Saturday, September 7

Music by

Rice's Dance Players

Antlers Shows 100 Per Cent Talking Love Comedy Sunday



Alan Birmingham and Leila Hyams in "Masquerade," a Fox movie-toned all-talking feature, which opens at the Antlers theatre.

HOLLYWOOD KEEPS HALF-GAME GRASP ON LEAGUE LEAD

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Hollywood was its old self again today after defeating the Oakland Oaks to retain its half game lead in the Pacific Coast league pennant race, but the hostilities between the two teams were not over.

The fourth game of the week's series at Emeryville across the bay from San Francisco was a snappy exhibition, which the Stars barged 2 to 1.

"Like" Boone's prolific bat work raised the stock of the Missions at Sacramento, where the Senators met defeat 6 to 2 before a very small crowd. While Boone's homers came when the bases were empty, they would have brought victory anyway, inasmuch as Merion Nelson allowed the home team 6-5 a pair of markers, although the boys did get a dozen clouts.

Released by the Stars a few weeks ago, Johnny Waters, now of the Ducks, pitched against his former team mates at Recreation park at San Francisco yesterday and defeated them with ease by a score of 8 to 2. Waters held the San Francisco team to but eight hits, and was rarely in any danger. Bates of the Ducks swung himself a hit out at joint when he took a vicious lunge at the ball while at bat, and was forced to leave the game because of a wrenched shoulder.

Los Angeles scored its fourth victory this week over the luckless Seattle Indians by defeating them 8 to 3 in the California city.

DEFENDANTS ALLEGED TO
HAVE ADMITTED KILLING

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 7.—Alleged confessions of two defendants, admitted over the protest of defense attorneys in the trial of 16 textile union leaders and mill strikers charged with slaying Police Chief O. P. Adorholt of Gastonia, formed the basis of the state's case today. Additional witnesses were called in an effort to substantiate the purported statement of the men as the true description of the killing.

Sherriff L. M. Allen of Cleveland county testified that Louis McLaughlin and George Carter, two of the defendants, confessed to him the night of the shooting, after they had been brought to the jail in Shelby for safekeeping. The sheriff insisted there were no inducements or maltreatment.

NOTICE OF BOARD OF
EQUALIZATION

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Notice is hereby given that on the second Monday in September, being September 9th, the Board of Equalization will attend in the Assessor's office in the courthouse in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, for the purpose of examining the assessment rolls and correct all errors in valuations, description and quality of land, lots and other property assessed by the assessor, and it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at that time and place appointed.

FRANK L. CALKINS,

And now we'll have the new

havana song, "Hanging Out With the Bunch."

Today and Saturday

KEN MAYNARD

"The Royal Rider"

ALSO A GOOD COMEDY
LATEST NEWS

Admission
10c and 25c

Matinee Saturday
2:15

LIBERTY

HOOVER ON TRAIL OF ALLEGED FOE OF DISARMAMENT

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—President Hoover announced today he had ordered Attorney-General Mitchell to investigate the activities of W. B. Schearer in connection with his efforts to discourage naval disarmament while in the secret employ of corporations interested in naval contracts.

The president said he could hardly believe that the officials of these shipbuilding companies here were personally concerned in Schearer's activities, but he added that a statement from them at this time was greatly to be desired to clear up any misunderstanding.

Mr. Hoover said it was necessary that the government take means to free the American people "from such influences."

The three companies Schearer named as his employers, in a suit filed recently in the New York supreme court, were the American Brown Boveri company, the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company and the Bethlehem Steel corporation, which has a shipbuilding plant at Quincy, Mass.

The president said every citizen had a right to express his own views publicly but that to secretly carry on propaganda to defeat the aims of the government and to employ that purpose is "not a fitting thing."

Schearer was referred to by Mr. Hoover as this "particular propagandist," who has severely criticized the Washington government's effort to get reduction of naval armaments not only at Geneva, but also "any movement initiated a few months ago."

SIMPSON MILL AT EMPIRE
GOES INTO RECEIVERSHIP

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Sept. 7.—A petition for the appointment of a receiver for the L. J. Simpson mill in Empire, brought by Reberg and Davis of North Bend yesterday, resulted in the appointment of C. McC. Johnson as receiver.

A check on the assets of the mill showed \$400,000 as against liabilities of \$35,000. The mill will continue active operation and a new method of re-financing will follow, it was announced.

7 OCCUPANTS DEAD,
REPORT TO COMPANY

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Into the mountain as it had burned up."

Magoo said they accepted the report as correct and announced the five passengers and three crew members were dead.

WINSLOW, Ariz., Sept. 7.—By land and air, seventy airplanes and several hundred men have struck out into the most desolate wilderness of continental United States and resumed a desperate search for the missing transcontinental air transport, City of San Francisco.

Ninety-six hours ago it flew out of Albuquerque, N. M., enroute here and dropped from sight. The greatest aerial hunt in aviation history has been organized to solve its mysterious disappearance and the fate of its crew of three, and five passengers, one of whom was a woman.

Fleet of the army and navy's finest fliers in speedy scouting ships were taking the air among a fleet of tri-motored transports and smaller, single-motored private ships.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who mapped the route of T. A. T. between here and Albuquerque, was streaking westward from St. Louis in a racing monoplane to aid his company in the frantic hunt. His wife accompanied him.

Dear Mrs. Heilmann: Wish to say any one wanting to learn music will be delighted with the "Melody Way."

It is much easier and more simplified than many other methods.

Respectfully,
J. F. Hayward.

July 15, 1929.

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(Editor's Note: Although the matter contained in the following has been covered in regular news in previous issues of this newspaper, we are publishing the following report of Mayor Hoover, in detail, at his request.)

To the Common Council for the City of Roseburg, Oregon:

Gentlemen: I have returned warrant No. 1215 drawn on the treasurer in the sum of \$2134.40 in favor of the Austin-Western Machinery Company to the City Treasurer with my signature. Said sum was in full payment for a road roller recently shipped to this city to be used upon the city streets.

My reason for not signing warrant No. 1215 is as follows:

Within 24 hours after the entire personnel of the City Council, excepting myself, ordered this roller, I sent to one Austin-Western Machinery Company at their branch office in Portland, Oregon, a night telegram which reads as follows:

Date April 19, 1929.

The Austin-Western Road Machinery Co.

Contract signed by City Council for road roller is hereby countermanded and order for five-ton roller, signed by E. V. Hoover, Mayor, Roseburg, Ore.

I also sent the following telegram and received the following answers:

Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., 354 Belmont St., Portland, Ore.

I withdrew my April 19th countermanding order for five-ton roller. Have received no reply. No ordinance has been passed authorizing the purchase of roller. There is a question as to whether the city council has the right to purchase without first passing an ordinance where that amount of money is to be spent.

Order for roller is hereby cancelled. Answer by letter requested.

Signed: E. V. Hoover, Mayor city of Roseburg.

Portland, Oregon, April 25, 1929.

City of Roseburg, Oregon.

Dear Sir: We have your wire of April 25th in regard to the roller for your city. We also received your wire of April 19th, but instructions had already gone to our Chicago office for shipment of a machine. Furthermore, the order was not taken subject to cancellation and we have never been advised by any of the members of the city council who signed this order that shipment was to be cancelled.

We, therefore, presume that the members of the council signing the order still deem the shipment of this roller and we will expect to live up to our part of the agreement.

Yours very truly,

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Mr. J. B. McElroy, Branch Manager, 354 Belmont St., Portland, Ore.

Sir: I have your letter dated April 25th in answer to my night telegram of April 19th, regarding the roller to be purchased by the City of Roseburg. The City Council of Roseburg, Oregon, order being dated April 19, 1929.

I refused to sign this order when presented to me by your local agent for the reason that I desired more time in which to investigate the matter, and did not wish to order that there was any necessity for the City of Roseburg to purchase a roller at that time, also questioned the right of the City Council to use the credit of the city without the matter first being presented to the City Council at a regular meeting and going through the regular course of business and without passing a resolution or ordinance authorizing such a purchase.

My first telegram countermanding the order was in your hands in plenty of time to stop shipment and if your company makes delivery of the roller, after having received the notice of cancellation of the order which it has received, from the Mayor of Roseburg, you do so at your own risk and the city will not be liable for payment for same.

You are not to be held liable to make delivery until this matter is settled by the City of Roseburg.

Yours faithfully,

E. V. HOOVER,

Mayor of the City of Roseburg, Oregon.

Another reason for not signing was that you gentlemen of the City Council had an offer from a local dealer to purchase a roller at a considerable reduction, upwards of \$400.00 and a heavier outfit by one operated by gas and a four-cylinder engine and a self starter while the one you have attempted to unload upon the city has only two cylinders and has the old cranking system of starting. The local representative of the Austin Co. made the statement in an open council meeting that the reason of reducing the price on his roller was from \$2200 to the price quoted was that his company was going to discontinue the manufacture of that particular roller.

I believe the City of Roseburg has, if the City Council be successful, wasted several hundred dollars and has on its hands a much inferior outfit, another reason why I did not sign the order. I am not of buying a road roller for the city.

I do not believe that you were justified in buying a road roller at the time that you did, and it is my idea that it would have been better to have rented one for what little use the city has for a roller.

Respectfully submitted,

E. V. HOOVER, Mayor.

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