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EARLY IN THE MORN

By Charles V. Stanton

The editor of *The Oregon Statesman*, published at Salem, apparently doesn't know how the other half lives. He ought to try coming to Roseburg.

In an editorial entitled, "They've Been Working on the RR," the *Statesman* says:

Ye Olde Southern Pacific has been working on its railroad—and not just to pass the time away, either. The object of SP's energetic renovating and modernizing is—you guessed it—the lucrative Portland-to-San Francisco and vice versa trade.

First came the Shasta Daylight streamliner which leaves Portland in the morning, hustles at some pretty frantic rates of speed through some of the most breathtaking scenery in the West all the living day, and arrives in Oakland that night. Salem residents who've made the journey usually return in a sentimental mood about the Shasta's soft seats, pastel colors schemes, cozy tavern car and high-class (and high-priced) meals.

But if you think the Shasta's something, wait till the new Cascade comes 2-dieseling around the bend when it goes into service August 15.

This super-speedy streamliner will have eight sleeping cars—for it travels at night—and no day coaches. Everybody will have regular beds—no more upper berths—and a private washroom with all modern conveniences. Not only that, there are individual air conditioning and big picture windows in case you want to stare out into the night—at your own reflection, we suppose.

The Cascade boasts a three-car "Cascade Club" for dining and lounging. And the fares remain "standard."

This newest of trains will make it possible for a San Francisco businessman to leave the bay city after office hours in the afternoon and arrive in Portland in time for work next morning. If he wants, he can go on into Seattle for lunch that afternoon.

Thus the railroad is finally retiring the wheezy old night-rattlers and offering the public transportation which will certainly give competition to the airlines.

Oh yeah?

Has the editor of the *Statesman* seen the "famed" Southern Oregon Nightcrawler, recently?

Retiring "wheezy old night-rattlers?"

No, no, a thousand times no!

More wheezy than ever, the Nightcrawler still puffs and chugs along its bumpy milk route and anyone forced to use it must "rise up early in the morn."

Winston

By MRS. GEORGE BACHER

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mason have left on an extended vacation in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wilson have resumed management of their place of business, Wilson's Fruit and Vegetable market, in Winston after a year's absence. During that time the concern was leased to Mrs. Verona Mason. Mrs. Wilson will take charge of the market, while her husband devotes his time to their ranch in the Winston section.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fox and children, Gary, Carolyn and Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Shigley and children, Donna, Carol and Bobby Lew, were entertained with a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cluster and small daughter, Kathleen. After the noon-time picnic swimming was enjoyed at the river followed by a wicker roast in the evening.

A "good turnout" was reported at the Winston Chamber of Commerce meeting held at the Winston Electric building the evening of June 28. This recently organized booster club is composed of business and professional people of the community. All those who have not joined are urged to do so at the next meeting, Wednesday evening, July 12 at the Winston Electric.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sothman spent the Fourth of July holiday visiting with Mr. Sothman's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith, at Rogue River.

A major reconducing job is underway on the building on the Al Dotson property next to the Benetta theatre. Both the interior and the exterior are being redecorated. Dotson purchased the site from Mrs. Archie Wilson several months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wilson, who left for California on Tuesday of last week, returned home Friday, bringing with them a load of fresh produce for their market in Winston. In addition to their buying trip to Sacramento they also visited Mrs. Wilson's relatives in Modesto.

Over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brosi and son, George, visited coastal points. Returning Sunday they brought with them reports of cool ocean breezes which necessitated heavy coats along the beaches in the daytime and fires during the evenings.

Sunday evening dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sothman were Mrs. Hill Young and sons, Gregg and Jerry. Mr. Young, employed with the State highway department, has been transferred to Baker. He left for that city three weeks ago and his family remained in Roseburg to dispose of their property. They will then join him there.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wilson received a telephone call Sunday afternoon from their son, Travis, who is taking "boot training" in San Diego. Travis recently enlisted for four years. He has been assigned to the postal department. During their conversation he told his parents that he had been selected to man one of the boats in the forthcoming naval motor boat races, an annual event in San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Gastorf and son, Tommy, were surprised last

CITY COURT CASES

Dorothy Parlee Sullivan, 23, Roseburg, arrested last night by city police, pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk on a public street, upon arraignment in municipal court today, reported Judge Ira B. Riddle. She was committed to the county jail for 10 days in lieu of a \$20 fine.

Harriette Elizabeth Dennett, also of Roseburg, pleaded guilty to a disorderly conduct charge, said Judge Riddle. She was fined \$20, and assessed additional fines of \$2 each on charges of failure to stop at a stop street, and driving without her car headlights burning.

William Sargent, Coos Bay, vagrancy, pleaded guilty and was charged with drunkenness and fined a total of \$40, reported Judge Riddle. He was committed to the city jail for 20 days in lieu of payment.

week, when Mrs. Gastorf's father, A. Prechale, of Peoria, Ill., arrived unexpectedly for a visit with them at their home in Winston. He made the trip by automobile and expects to return by train July 15.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fullerton daughter, Mollie, and Fullerton's mother, Mrs. J. B. Fullerton, have returned home after spending a vacation at the Fullerton cabin on Susan creek. They were joined there on the Fourth of July by the Adrian Fisher and Clyde Fullerton families. An all-day outing and picnic were enjoyed by the group.

Over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Houghton visited relatives in Bend.

Howard Lengele of Howard's hardware in Winston has returned from a visit in eastern Oregon. Guests in the Otto Jones home last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones of Portland, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

The Winston Chamber of Commerce will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday July 12, at the Winston Electric building. All business people of the community are urged to be present.

Heading south for the Fourth of July holiday week-end were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holte, who visited relatives in Chico, Calif. Accompanying them were Mrs. Harry Williams and son, cousins of Mrs. Holte, who have been visiting here from Chico for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bacher entertained Wednesday evening in honor of the third birthday of their son, Bryce. Badminton was in play by the grown-ups during the early evening, after which gifts were presented to Bryce and refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerr by Masters, grandparents of the guest of honor, Mr. and Mrs. William Lassiter of Roseburg, Mr. and Mrs. Alton B. Owens and daughter, Karen, of Dillard and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Bacher and Bryce.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brower and daughter, Ellen, enjoyed a trip to Crescent City over the weekend. The Browsers are associated with and Mrs. Frank Dunlap, son, Al, proprietors of the Coos Junction cafe.

Over the holiday week-end Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunlap, son, Al, and daughter, Bertha, visited with relatives in Ashland.

Right Out Of Hitler's Book



Remembering the quick move made to pacify a long, slithering barracuda before removing the hook, I had no trouble believing the fish-story heard in Tillamook a while ago. I don't like barracuda, not even the three-foot ones out of Catalina channel. They're too long for their thickness; too much like an eel, and are they mean, vicious brutes!

Unlike most incredible fish stories the teller of this one backed it up with the fish. It seems a Mr. E. G. Brown was peacefully poking around in ankle-deep water, hunting lost sinkers, when a wave brought in a big fish that made straight for Mr. Brown's bare ankles. The amazed fisherman beat it off with his stick, but the next wave brought it in again—this time more determined to have a bite off Mr. Brown.

Newsman say it's "news when the man bites the dog"; this was a case of the fish being the aggressor. So Mr. Brown whacked at the long gray fish with his stick, broke its jaw—and its lethal intention—and dragged it up on the beach. It was five feet long, eleven inches through its thickest part, and weighed sixty pounds. I guess Mr. Brown could be glad he was wading, with a stick, instead of swimming.

Well, I guess I'll never be able to brag about the salmon I caught—or even the one that got away from me. But E. J. hasn't given up. He spent a whole day, recently, in a small launch with three friends, chasing around the Pacific outside Coos Bay—no luck. They finally settled for bass caught off the reef, so our locker contains some nice packages of fish which he will eat, even if he thinks he "doesn't like fish"—because he brought them home!

I didn't go. Still recovering from a bad case of sunburn after ten hours on Lake Tahkenitch. When I try the delicious little parfish I wonder if they're that good? And guess they are! The sunburn goes, but the happy memory stays. We missed a delightful picnic, too, on the Umpqua out at Winston on July Fourth. Well, we still have the memory of the one the year before.

Guess I've had enough fishing for this year unless, of course, that dream comes true of sitting on a bank in the shade, just watching a red and green bobber bob, floating in a still deep pool.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Sickle and children and Mrs. Mary C. Walsh of San Leandro, Calif., were visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Susan Garner of Austin, Texas, and Robert Garner of Yale, Okla., visited at the Elbert Smith and B. B. Smith homes last week. Robert Garner is Mrs. Elbert Smith's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith have returned from a trip up the coast to Taft and over to Oregon City. They also visited the Joe Wilson family near Estacada.

A grass fire burned about a half acre on the Hahn and Howard places Wednesday afternoon. Some men from the Tenmile store helped put it out. It was started by a fire cracker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gladwill and daughters, Charlene and Donna of Redmond visited Mr. Gladwill's relatives in Roseburg and with Mrs. Gladwill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats of Tenmile over the Fourth of July holidays. The Gladwill families had a family reunion at Umpqua park Monday with a picnic dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Gladwill have returned to their home but Charlene and Donna stayed for an extended visit with their grandparents at Tenmile.

Mrs. Minnie Wells of Medford was a guest of Mrs. Della Howard last week.

Edward and Walter Petersen of Brockway, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Breitenbacher and Irwin Breitenbacher went to Sunset beach on the Fourth for a picnic.

Harold and Tom Siegel took a trip to points south of here in Oregon and into California over the Fourth of July weekend. They saw the hilly fields at Brookings, and the redwood trees in California.

Quakes Leave 40,000 Homeless; 270 Killed

BOGOTA, Columbia, July 12—Columbia sped relief today to the rich coffee-growing section 230 miles northeast of here where 270 persons were killed and 40,000 left homeless in devastating earthquakes Sunday.

Cold and heavy rains hampered relief work.

Electric power failed and people groped through darkness searching for loved ones or just wandered aimlessly.

Images of saints were set up in shattered squares and grief-ridden persons knelt before them for hours.

Hundreds of victims were living in parks and tents.

Troops buried the dead in makeshift graves to avoid an epidemic. They stood guard to prevent looting of the shattered towns where destruction was heaviest.

Coon Hollow

By HELEN WOOD

Francis Johns of Umpqua was a weekend guest of his brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Ken Estes. The three left recently for Seattle to visit their father, Bill Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schaeffer and sons of Idleyd Park were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapman and son.

Steven Brown of Glendale visited at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stevens last week.

Mrs. Doris Cohen and daughter returned home to Klamath Falls Sunday, after visiting a week with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward.

Recent visitors at the Frank Chapman home were Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Burt of Dillard.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Coos Bay were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wright Friday. Also visiting was Elmer Boyer of Tenmile.

Ernest Siever, of Tiller is visiting with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Woodcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal McCloud and son, Bruce, of Myrtle Creek called on Mr. and Mrs. Ken Estes recently.

Enjoying a card party last week at the home of Mrs. Ken Estes were Mrs. Mary Stevens, Mrs. Norma Woodcock, Mrs. Betty Chapman, Mrs. Rosemary Wight, Mrs. Isabelle Hathaway, Mrs. Helen Ward and Mrs. Doris Cohen.

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The census takers for the four Roseburg precincts are: Edwin Thornton, Umpqua; Mrs. Edna Cannon, Deer Creek; Mrs. B. Bailey, West Roseburg; James part of Civil Beat. These takers, will begin active work on April 15, and have thirty days in which to complete their enumeration.

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Does anyone remember the census figures for the year 1910? We'll bet the increase of population in the ten years previous wasn't as high as the 67% registered between 1940 and 1950. And increased population goes hand in hand with increased real estate values, increased buying power, increased need for insurance protection for everything you own. See us for fire, theft and burglary insurance to avoid losses on your property.

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