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Tourist Travel Is Increasing Rapidly

Eastern tourist travel is increasing in the Pacific northwest, according to reports from many sources. The Pacific Northwest Tourist Association has been conducting a campaign of publicity through the nation for several years and its labors are believed partly responsible for the increase.

The association recently had a double page advertisement in the rotogravure section of the New York Tribune, picturing many beauty spots of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, which jointly maintain the bureau. Among the pictures was a small panorama of Baker, the only eastern Oregon showing.



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Summer Play Clothes



Aprons of black satin or bright cretonnes may be worn over a dress or instead of one. Bloomer dresses are of colored chambray, gingham, black satin or lighter materials—diaphy, Swiss or organdy.

When Mercury Sizzles



Called has come back into favor for dresses to wear when the mercury hits 90. Pleated, buttoned, gingham and dotted Swiss also will be worn.

Sleeved or Sleeveless?



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GRANGE HOLDS BIG MEETING

(Special to The Observer) GRANGE HALL, June 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eaton of Umatilla visited a few days this week with Mrs. Eaton's sister, Mrs. George Gekeler, and Mrs. George Hughes of Grange Hall district and Mrs. Bert Spencer of La Grande. Blue Mountain grange held a special meeting Thursday evening at the hall in order to entertain State Master C. E. Spencer, who had intended to be here on official business, but on account of unforeseen circumstances happened in Portland, he was unable to get here. Nevertheless, the grangers went on with the meeting and banquet and had a jolly social time anyway. Walter Pierce made a speech on the millage tax and taxation in general. W. H. Gekeler made a report on grange conditions and C. D. Hoffman made interesting remarks.

Fred Hoffman, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gekeler and two children, returned Thursday evening from Wallowa county where they went on official business pertaining to the grange. They report a fine time, plenty of ice cream and cake and that the grangers are making good gains in membership. Friday afternoon Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Gekeler, accompanied by Walter Pierce, will drive to Medical Springs where they will visit the grange and Saturday afternoon they will attend Wolf Creek grange where Pomona will be held. Saturday evening the trio will be present at the Keating meeting.

Renee McAllister returned Tuesday evening from Minam, where he has been looking after horses.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anson motored to Union, where they spent the day with the Gito Taylor family.

One June 11, a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bond. The families of Bert Great and Ray Leads dined on Whiskey creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Huff are down from their ranch in Baker county. Mrs. Huff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gus Spitzer while Mr. Huff is attending to some summer following he is having done on the McCoy place.

Charley Anson, who has been quite ill with diphtheria, is improving.

Beryl Taylor spent a few days visiting with Claude Anson of Island City.

Vallette Harer of La Grande visited her friend Louise Salisbury a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leads of Elgin are visiting at the Bert Groat home.

After visiting a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hughes and two daughters, Bessie and Grace, left Sunday morning for their home in Weiser, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes came over from the Idaho town in order to spend Pioneer Day with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gekeler returned a week Thursday from their

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daughter, Mrs. Violet Rasmussen, stating they arrived in Portland Tuesday evening. The Rasmussens are moving to Newberg with the hope that the climate will be beneficial to Mrs. Rasmussen's health. The many friends of the family are hoping that the milder climate during the winter and the lower altitude of the Willamette valley will help to gain the most precious of gifts—good health.

DAMAGE HEAVY IN WALLOWA

ENTERPRISE, June 22.—In spite of the concerted efforts of many farmers, around squirrels seem more abundant than ever this season. To begin with, the winter was favorable to the pest. There was not a chinook or a thaw from the first cold weather to the last and so the squirrels escaped one of their worst enemies, the premature breaking up of their long sleep, to freeze or starve. Then the animals reproduced wonderfully and myriads of small squirrels swarmed out several weeks ago. Nearly every field of grain out of the irrigated valley shows the destruction wrought by the pests, with a strip of devastation around the edge. Some fields look almost as if a swath had been cut out by a mower along the fence. Where fields ran to a point, as one does in Wade gulch, the squirrels have come in from both sides and about taken the crop.

In the spring, L. N. Gabrielson of the United States biological survey in charge of rodent control, thought squirrels nearly wiped out in the county. However the warfare on them was continued with unabated energy, the county helping by supporting Homer H. Fleming in charge of this part of the county agent's work. Mr. Fleming has been mixing and distributing poison grain all spring and has put out more than 5000 pounds. There is no telling how many thousands of squirrels have been killed, but still they hold their own.

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