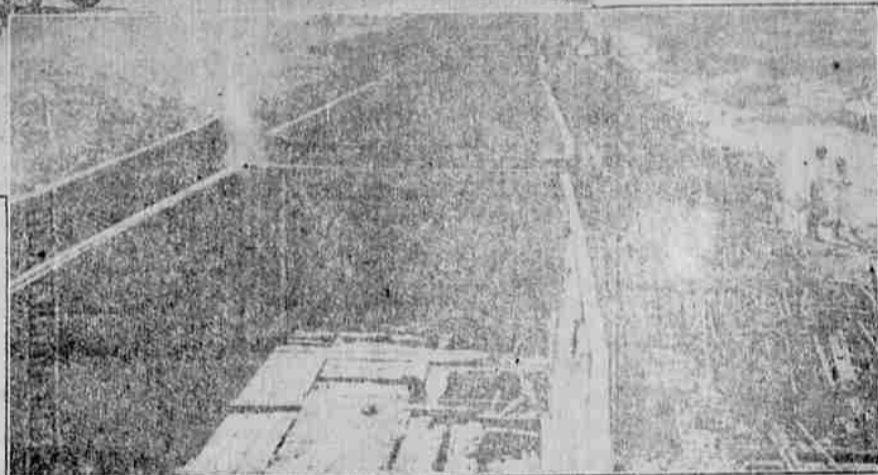


The Herrin Massacre in Pictures

Upper picture shows 18 bodies of dead strikebreakers lying in the temporary morgue in Herrin, Ill. Crowds visited the building throughout the day attempting to identify the bodies as those of their friends and relatives who were missing. Middle picture shows ruins of miners' temporary homes. They lived in caves that had been provided for them by the mining company when brought to Herrin in an effort to break the strike. At the left of this picture burning cars of coal that caught fire during the battle can be seen. Lower photo shows a scene on one of the dumps of the Southern Illinois coal company near where the pitched battle raged. The attackers were in the thickets at the right and the defenders fired from the top of the ridge at the left. This scene is near the pole where the flag of truce was raised.



ACTIVITY IN BUILDING IS LARGE HERE

That there are just 41 dwelling houses actually under construction in La Grande today is the report made today. This does not include several that have already been finished this year nor many others that are to be started at an early date. It indicates, however, that while the number of new homes this year may not reach the 100 mark as was expected this spring, the amount of building that is going on in La Grande today is much greater than it has been in the past five years.

Among those recently started on which construction is being rushed is the Dr. Bouvier home on Fourth street, the framework for which is now up and which will cost \$6,500. Ben Decious is building a \$4500 house on Spring street between Cedar and Oak and Walter Palmer is building a \$5,000 house on Second between Jefferson and Grand. A building permit has been issued to W. R. Jones for altering and repairing his home on Fourth between H and I, the cost being \$2,500.

While no large buildings have been started a number of improvements in the non-residence class of buildings are also under way. The Standard Oil company is erecting a new service station at the corner of Adam and Fourth on the corner known as the Lydia Grandy property. The company has leased this corner from Mrs. Grandy and is spending a large amount of money on the station, the building and equipment costing \$15,000. This will be the first down town retail station operated by the company in La Grande.

THREE CREWS AT WORK IN MINES

W. H. Bohenkamp who recently returned from Mormon Basin in Malheur county, where he is interested in the Wonder and the Independence gold mines, will return to Mormon Basin the first of next week and will spend some time there. "I'll be there until I am needed here and when I'm not needed here I'll be there," he states. On his last trip he spent about ten days in the basin and is pleased with the prospects.

Three crews are working on the two mines, and the Rainbow mine which is adjacent to the mines Mr. Bohenkamp is connected with, is now running about 25 men. The shaft is being sunk deeper in the Wonder mine and new tunnels are being driven in the Independence. The mining business is doing much better this year than last season.

"The weather is much hotter in La Grande than at the mines," he remarked. "One of the mines is 5000 feet above sea level and the other is 2500 feet higher up which necessarily makes the climate much cooler in the summer."

MCREDIE ON NEW JOB
(By Associated Press)
SEATTLE, June 28.—Walter McCredie has been removed as manager of the Seattle baseball club and Jack Adams, catcher, has been made manager. McCredie is to be scout for the club.

ULTIMATUM IS SENT TO ROADS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, June 28.—A strike of the 400,000 railroad shopmen of the country will be called for July 1, unless the railroads agree to stay the \$80,000,000 wage cut for the shop workers on that date and to restore certain working conditions formerly in effect. It was made known Tuesday night through a telegram from E. M. Jewell, head of the shop crafts, to the Association of Railway Executives.

Decision to call a strike came late Tuesday after lengthy discussion by the executive committee of the six shop crafts unions, based on the strike vote of the men thus far received.

Leave One Loophole
The committee left but one loophole to avoid the strike. If the rail heads answer an immediate conference, agreeing meanwhile to continue present wages, restore working rules modified by the railroad labor board and discontinue farming out railroad work, a walkout can be averted, the telegram said. Otherwise "a sanction of withdrawal from employment on July 1, 1922, as voted by the employees, will be unavoidable."

PHONE RATES MAY AGAIN BE LOWERED

Public Service Commission to Take Action, is Expectation.

MULTNOMAH CASE IS BEING CONSIDERED
New Commissioners Making Effort to Undo Rate Increases of Pacific T. and T. Company.

PORTLAND, June 28.—Public service commissioners McCoy and Kerrigan, recently elected when two former commissioners were recalled as the result of agitation over telephone rates, indicated that they planned to act today on a resolution prepared by Kerrigan which would restore the rates of the Panuwer filed by the former company in effect before the increase and also enable patrons to recover the difference in the amount paid between the old and new rates.

Kerrigan's resolution provides that the commission withdraw the answer filed by the former commission to the suit pending in the Multnomah county circuit court seeking to have the order of the former commission increasing telephone rates set aside.

PIONEER LIVED IN VALLEY A HALF CENTURY

J. W. Kennedy, for 59 years a resident of the Grande Ronde valley, died at his home in Union yesterday, at the age of 72 years. Mr. Kennedy lived in La Grande for 16 years and was a member of the city council for a number of years while residing here.

Deceased was born in Illinois February 16, 1846, and came to Oregon across the plains with his parents when a lad of eight. They settled in the Willamette valley and there he was married to Martha J. Shelton. When he was 25 years of age he and his wife and their first child came to the Grande Ronde valley and they have been living in the valley ever since. Four other children were born to this union.

First they settled in the Cove section and later removed to Union, living in La Grande 16 years at one time. While in Union Mr. Kennedy took an active interest in public affairs and was a county commissioner at one time and at another he was mayor of Union.

The surviving children are Mrs. Marjahl Hoffman of Union, Mrs. B. R. Wilson of Union, Mrs. R. A. Wilkerson of La Grande and Wm. Kennedy of Portland. His widow also survives him. One girl, Elsie, died six years ago.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock in the Presbyterian church of Union. The Masonic lodge will have charge of the services. The remains will be laid to rest in the Union cemetery.

VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR PASSES AWAY

At the age of eighty-six years James M. Keaton passed away yesterday at the Grande Ronde hospital in this city after an illness which his mature years could not conquer.

He deceased was a veteran of the Civil war having served during that memorable conflict in Company M, Fourth Missouri Cavalry.

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at the Snodgrass & Zimmerman undertaking parlors and this evening the body will be shipped to Seattle for burial.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. R. A. Maguire, wife of J. W. Maguire, who for thirty years has been with the O. W. R. & N. railroad and for the last six years has resided in La Grande as a locomotive engineer.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Maguire will accompany the remains to Seattle.

ALLEGED BANDIT CAPTURED HERE THIS MORNING

Man Said to be Wanted for Express Train Robbery in Iowa 2 Years Ago Found Here.

Dick Carr, an alleged express robber, is testing in jail here today awaiting the arrival of a special agent that has been seeking the robber for some time past. His capture was effected when a clerk of the postoffice here noticed the likeness between a photograph and a man he had seen and found that they were the same person. The agent has been on his trail for some time and traced him as far as La Grande but there lost his trail.

A wire was sent to the special agent and he will arrive in La Grande tomorrow morning from Pocatello to take charge of the prisoner. The robbery occurred in Watertown, Iowa, about two years ago.

EZRA MEEKER TO SPEAK IN CITY

Famous Pioneer Arrived This Morning and Will Give an Address Tomorrow Evening.

Ezra Meeker, the Oregon pioneer who has done so much to mark the Old Oregon Trail and who will take part in the Baker Pageant on the Fourth of July, arrived in La Grande last evening on No. 18 and will spend a couple of days in La Grande before going on to Baker. He will speak at the Gardens on the subject "The Winners of the Farthest West," beginning at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening, his lecture ending at 8:15.

The history of Mr. Meeker is one of much interest. In 1832 he accompanied by his wife and six weeks old baby boy, left Indianapolis and crossed the plains in an ox team. They arrived in Portland on October 1 of the same year. After crossing the Columbia river he built a cabin where the town of Kalama is now located and lived there until after Congress made Washington a territory, which occurred on March 2, 1853. He has the distinction of being the only one of the early settlers of the Old Oregon who was living at the time the territory of Washington was created that still survives.

In May, 1853, he crossed over to Puget Sound and settled near where Tacoma was afterwards built, where he has lived ever since as a farmer on a farm of 160 acres.

He has made two trips over the Oregon Trail with an ox team erecting monuments to mark the trail, and with the co-operation of the states of Wyoming, Nebraska and Idaho, there are now 100 granite monuments and markers on or near the Old Oregon Trail. A bill is now pending in congress providing for the survey of the Oregon Trail as a military highway which will go from La Grande in as direct a line as possible to Wallula, on the Northwest branch of the Oregon Trail. Mr. Meeker, who is going to New York by easy stages will appear before the committee in December to secure action on this bill which was introduced by Senator Wesley L. Jones of Washington. Mr. Meeker has a further object in making this trip, inasmuch as he expects to secure considerable data on the Oregon Trail and comparison of the old and present times. This data will be used for material for a social moving picture covering the entire length of the trail from St. Louis to the tidewater of the Pacific Ocean, which will be entitled "The Winners of the Farthest West."

Mr. Meeker will deliver an address at the Baker pageant to be held on the Fourth of July and will drive a side-lar headed in the parade but not barefooted.

I. W. W. JOIN IRREGULARS IN IRELAND

Fierce Battle Raging Since Dawn for Possession of Four Courts.

ARMORED CARS AND MORTARS ARE USED

Irregular Faction of Irish Republican Army Under Leadership of Rory O'Connor.

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, June 28.—A fierce battle has been raging since dawn between regular Irish Republican troops and irregulars under Rory O'Connor for the possession of Four Courts, recently seized by the latter.

Armored cars, trench mortars and machine guns are being used. The provisional government's attack upon Four Courts was made after a demand for surrender was ignored by the irregulars.

Premises in North Great Georges street, occupied by the communist party and the I. W. W. as headquarters, were fortified after the government attack on Four Courts began and the government troops were fired upon from the newly fortified building.

Fowler Hall on Parnell Square, occupied by irregulars, was also attacked by the Irish government troops. A rumor that Rory O'Connor had been wounded has been circulated but has not been confirmed.

TWO DECISIONS ARE REVERSED

(By Associated Press)
SALISBURY, June 28.—The following Union county decisions were handed down by the supreme court Tuesday: Edythe Beem, appellant, vs. Innahanna Beem; appeal from Union county; suit for divorce. Opinion by Justice Harris. Judge J. W. Knowles reversed and case remanded.

A. M. Runnells vs. W. E. Leffel, appellant, and C. B. Mays, defendant; appeal from Union county; appeal from decree wherein plaintiffs recovered judgment for \$2950. Opinion by Justice Brown. Judge J. W. Knowles reversed.

FRANK M'KENNON IN AN ACCIDENT

While working in the Ray Norval field last Monday Frank McKennon sustained painful injuries. Mr. McKennon was driving a buck rake and towing another behind. Suddenly the horses became frightened at some moving object in the field, causing him to lose his balance and fall between the two rakes.

Mr. McKennon was injured about the head, causing him to be in a stunned condition for some time. Mr. McKennon was able to get back in the field the next morning but not to work.

BIG ENGINE IS IN TOWN AGAIN

The big Union Pacific mountain type locomotive again appeared in La Grande and, moreover, a large number of people were at the station to witness the monster engine. It arrived thirty minute later, pulling 13 cars of Train No. 24, on its way from Portland to Pocatello.

The engine has earned two new names. An engineer on the Oregon Short Line calls it "40 years senior" and a local employee of the O. W. W. terms it "An automatic wage reducer." At any rate, it is a triumph in the building of locomotives.

JURY IS SWORN.

(By Associated Press)
OREGON CITY, June 28.—A jury was sworn late yesterday to try Russell Hecker and taken today to points along the road near Clackamas where the state contends that Hecker killed Frank Bowker on the night of April 16. On return the jury was shown the automobile in which the fatal ride was said to have been taken.

Weather
Tonight and tomorrow, for...
for in the east portion of the area.

DRUG STORE IS TO OPEN AGAIN

The Newell Drug Co. will open its doors for business Friday morning although the official opening will not be held until the owner, Adolph Newell, takes charge of the establishment. Joe Whittby, formerly of Enterprise is temporary manager of the concern.

The addition of the offices that L. W. Weeber acquired gives the drug store a much larger floor space than formerly and allows much more efficiency. The stock has been ordered anew and no old stock is on hand. The entire building has been repaired and arranged for business during the week and will present a very nice appearance on Friday morning.

HEARING TO BE HELD MONDAY

SALISBURY, June 28.—The hearing of the demurrer controversy between the O. W. R. & N. company and the Co. P. & N. lumber company, in which the latter seeks cancellation of its franchise, has been set for Monday July 3 instead of July 7.

Effort to Take Baby From Father Failed

Despite the fact that he had to defend himself before leaving town, S. W. Weeber of Portland left this morning in company with his four-year-old daughter, who had run away from him and had been staying with Mr. Weeber's wife, who has been living in La Grande recently.

The fight occurred this morning at about eight thirty o'clock at Elm and Adams, when George Faucett, employee of the O. W., following Weeber to town after Weeber had taken his little daughter from the Faucett home where she and her mother had been staying. Faucett, according to Weeber's story and to the account of several bystanders, stopped Weeber and following an argument a fight started, in which Weeber escaped scathless but managed to land two telling blows on his opponent. Faucett ceased fighting and Weeber and the little girl went on to the depot and left on No. 17 for Portland.

Weeber's story is as follows: Some time ago he and his wife became estranged and she came to La Grande and took up her residence at the Faucett home. Mr. Weeber kept the two little girls, one four years old named Irene May, and the other two years older. A short time ago the younger girl came to La Grande and was taken in by her mother. Mr. Weeber came in from Portland one evening and after a while he saw his wife, who had been with the younger girl, and she took little Irene and

COVE PEOPLE SAW METEOR

According to Guy E. Barker of Cove, there are many people in that section who believe that the meteor that passed over La Grande at about 9:30 p. m. on June 22, struck the earth somewhere in the vicinity of Cove. Barker says that the meteor was observed about a mile and a half north of Cove, lighting up the whole district and making a sharp hissing noise which was plainly audible until a third was produced as it is believed the meteor struck the earth.

It is believed by Barker and others in that section that it struck the earth just below the timber line. Efforts to find it have failed, however. The country where it is believed to have fallen is covered with brush and rocks and a search for it almost impossible.

Market News

PORTLAND, June 28.—Cattle and hogs were steady today. Sheep were 25 cents higher, spring lambs being \$4.50 to \$9.25. Eggs were unaltered and butter was strong. Wheat was \$1.99 to \$1.17.