

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
 Aug. 5—Kanasa, Oklahoma, Missouri Association picnic at Riverside Park.
 Sept. 25-26—Union County Fair at Elgin.

Have Returned—
 Mrs. Colon Elberhard and children, who have been in Joseph for some time, have returned home.

On Business Visit—
 Jarvis Engh was a business visit in Bako yesterday, returning to his home last evening.

Getting Along Nicely—
 Mrs. William Pollman and Mrs. W. H. Ellis, are at the Hot Lake Sanatorium. They are reported to be getting along nicely.

Pioneer Sons and Daughters Meet—
 A meeting of the sons and daughters of Pioneers will be held Saturday afternoon, August 4, at 3:00 o'clock, at Judge Crawford's office.

Red Cross Report—
 The Red Cross Report for the past month shows that 25 post-war and 46 civilian families were given relief, 114 visits were made by Mrs. Cadlin, 227 telephone calls at the office, 13 telegrams sent out, 113 visits at the office, and 147 outgoing letters. In this work \$238.14 was spent.

Peach Harvest Is Near.
 HOOD RIVER, Ore., Aug. 3.—S. G. Osborn, owner of the valley's only commercial acreage of peach trees, says he will harvest a record crop of 500 to 600 boxes this year. Mr. Osborn has paid special attention to his thinning and irrigation, and his early crop of white peaches, which will be ready for delivery next week will be of unusually large size.
 Mr. Osborn is now clearing land for extending his peach tract next year. He also anticipates an acreage of apricots. These will be graded on prune roots and peach trunks, he says, in order to prevent winter kill.

LaFollett Boon Started.
 SALTSM, Ore., Aug. 3.—Following the election of Magnus Johnson as United States senator from Minnesota, to friends of Alex. LaFollett, veteran state senator from Marion county, have urged him to enter the contest for United States senator from Oregon at the republican primary election next May. Mr. LaFollett has not yet given any intimation as to whether or he will comply with the request of his friends, but he was said to be considering the suggestion.

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DENTISTS TO BE MORE EFFICIENT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 3.—Great changes are taking place in dental education owing to recent discoveries of the intimate connection between the teeth and general health, according to a statement given out today by the Dental Educational Council of America through its secretary, Dr. Albert L. Mudge.
 "It has been clearly shown," the statement declares, "that decayed and abscessed teeth many times cause heart disease, rheumatism, neuritis, eczema, mental disorders and other serious diseases. So important has the relation become that it is necessary now to raise educational standards in order to prepare dental students properly to meet the public needs and to maintain the position of worldwide supremacy that American dentistry has always held."

A prescribed standard for dental schools has been fixed by the council as the result of a recent survey, and in accordance therewith it has classified a large number of existing institutions in the country. Its aim is to bring the requirements of all dental schools to a higher standard of excellence.

Would Ban War Heroes.

(By I. N. S.)
 COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 3.—"History now is nothing more than an injection of a rising consciousness in the minds of our boys and girls for future wars," said Dr. David V. East, addressing a local audience. "Just as long as they continue to teach history as they have been teaching it in the public schools, so long will there be war."
 Dr. East declared that "such men as Burbank, Edison and others who have really done something for humanity" should be considered as the heroes of history, "instead of putting warriors and war heroes on pedestals."

Fascist Organize in Roumania.
 BUCHAREST, July 14.—(By Mail.) A Fascist party, after the model of the Italian Fascist, has been organized in Roumania. Its motto is "Justice to the just, death to the evil; Fascism never forgets."
 In its program the new party declares that Roumania needs, first of all, a dictatorship for the restoration of order, security, and honest dealing. It calls also for the restriction of foreigners, whose presence to the extent of 2,000,000 persons gravely complicates the housing problem.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



BULLETTINS

Flags at Half Mast.
 PORTLAND, Aug. 3.—Governor Pierce issued proclamation urging flags on public buildings and schools at half mast until after funeral. Stated Harding's death national calamity.

Funeral Observed.
 OLYMPIA, Aug. 3.—Governor Hart will declare holiday for funeral. Asked flags half mast for thirty days.

Day of Mourning.
 LONGBEACH, Calif., Aug. 3.—Governor Richardson proclaimed today day of mourning. Asked all places of business closed.

Funeral on Saturday.
 SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Funeral train leaving seven tonight, reach Washington 1 p. m. August eighth. Body to be taken immediately to east room of White House. Next day the body will lie in state in capitol rotunda until five o'clock. Then after funeral services will be taken to Marion. Funeral at Marion Saturday, August eleventh.

LONDON HEARS REFORM TALKS

By DAVID M. CHURCH
 International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—England is beginning to wonder whether American political battles are to be fought on English soil.

First, Dudley Field Malone chose a London platform to announce that he will probably be a "surprise candidate for President" in the next campaign. London took the announcement with great interest.

Now comes George Jean Nathan with an announcement that he and H. L. Mencken will be candidates for the Vice-Presidential nomination in the next Republican convention. Again London is listening, drinking in the talk of George Jean and viewing him with considerable awe as a potential Vice-President of the United States.

Now comes George Jean Nathan the solemnity that may be expected from such an earnest young crusader, that his candidacy is "not a practical joke, but has the serious object of attacking by ridicule things which he regards as 'detrimental positivities and absurdities.'"

The platform of the two young reformers is attracting widespread attention in England. The serious-minded English can't quite make up their minds whether American politics is ridiculous or whether George Jean is well informed.

Nathan has announced that the platform upon which he and Mencken will run will be extremely liberal.

The dignified Evening News publishes the following and the reading public of London devours it:

"Mr. Nathan and Mr. Mencken have sound proposers and seconders for the convention meeting, and the planks of their very lively platform are to be placarded all over the United States."

"One of them is: 'We will take the Statue of Liberty outside the three-mile limit and dump it in the sea!'"

"Other items from their program are:

"Believing that the City of New York at the present time is a distinct entity and utterly dissociated spiritually, mentally and culturally from the rest of the country."

"We agree, if elected, to permit it to secede from the Union and to maintain itself if it so chooses as a kind of Carthage or Monte Carlo."

"We shall make no speeches."

"Mr. Nathan agrees, if elected, never to accept an invitation to visit the place of his birth in Indiana to meet and speak with the residents. He also agrees to this if not elected."

"Mr. Mencken agrees, if elected, never to chew tobacco on a public occasion."

"They agree to limit the number of English lecturers touring the United States to 5,000 a year and to levy on each a poll-tax of \$25."

The United States has learned not to take George Jean seriously, but he is practically unknown in England and the English take everyone and everything seriously, except "Punch."

Hat Weather Disease.
 Disorders of the bowels are extremely dangerous, particularly during the hot weather of the summer months, and in order to protect yourself and family against a sudden attack get a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. It can be depended upon. Many have testified to its excellence—adv.

WOMAN SLAIN FOR WITCH'S POWDER

(By I. N. S.)

JOHANNESBURG, Aug. 3.—A story that resembled a page from fiction was told at the Johannesburg Assize Court here just before two native witch doctors—a man and a woman—were sentenced to death for murdering an old native woman in order to make muti, or witch-powder, from her body.

The victim was Louisa Shongwe, and the testimony showed that she had culled at the kraal of the witch-doctor Nginisa. The latter, it appeared, had told his female partner that he needed parts of a body with which to make his medicines, and that he was going to kill Louisa. His partner agreed to help him, and the old woman was given beer and drugged to death.

At night, according to Nginisa, they removed certain organs from the old woman was given beer and heart, and these were ground up and mixed with meal. The right elbow and humerus was removed, and parts of the body were set aside to dry for medicine. The non-magical parts of the body were tied up in a sack and thrown into a crocodile pool.

Gruesome samples of the doctor's witch-broth were exhibited in court, where it was revealed that the trial came about only because the male doctor turned King's evidence.

Correct this sentence: "Don't worry about our vacation money," said the wife; "I have saved enough out of my household allowance."

Why don't the miners rule that no man can be a union official unless ordinary people can pronounce his name?

Just before school begins, August will soon be over, and back the youngsters come to the combination fun and work at school.

Why not begin picking up the many little needs of your children before September when the busy days are come? You will find a nice line of school supplies of every description, and a good line of school books will be in stock by September 1st. Silvertown-Wright's family Drug Store. 8-3-11p.

NEW TODAY
 WANTED—Work on ranch by man and wife. 2610 N. Birch. 8-3-11p.

LOST—Man's black purse in Star Theatre containing check for \$12.34. Leave at Observer. 8-3-11p.

FOR SALE—A room, house, furnished or unfurnished. Possession can be had at once. Inquire 1310 Penn. 8-3-11p.

LOST—Package of ladies clothing and bedding, July 20 between Parker and Union. Finder write W. C. A. Fair, Weiser, Idaho. 8-3-11p.

LOST—Brown leather grip between La Grande and Union Thursday night about 5 p. m. Papers contain name of N. C. Sears. Leave at Observer office. \$5.00 Reward. 8-3-11p.

REAL SILK HOSIERY.
 Guaranteed chiffon hosiery \$1.50, 35 colors. Agency Mrs. Seldor, Pop corn wagon. 8-3-11p.

FOR RENT—One 3-room and two 2-room new apartments. Phone 255 J. 8-3-11p.

KARESS Vanities
 Beautifully decorated, polished, single and double styles. Powder and rouge pots are fine in texture—correct in color—rich in appearance. \$1.50—\$2.25. Refills in all sizes. 25c and 50c.

GLASS DRUGS

FARM FUTURE CONTINUES TO BE CRITICAL

Babson Sees Danger Ahead if Conditions Do Not Change.

NEXT FEW WEEKS TO DECIDE FATE OF YEAR

Statistical Wizard Calls to Mind Effect of Crop Conditions on General Business.

WELLESLEY HILLS, Mass., Aug. 3.—(Special)—Roger W. Babson issued the following statement today regarding the crop situation. Mr. Babson is not as bearish regarding the immediate condition of the farmer as are many of his contemporaries, but he does feel that the farm situation will reach a crisis this fall.

"Twenty years ago the great news item affecting industries, commerce, and business in general was the monthly report of the crop situation. For days before these crop reports were issued, bankers, manufacturers, and merchants would speculate on their probable figure. For days after these crop reports were issued, newspapers would have editorials and comments thereon. I well remember when the telegraph lines and the ticket service would be held up pending the issue of the monthly crop report in Washington. Such an interest, however, no longer exists. Crop reports are now issued without much comment. There is little or no suspense and speculation. Whether we have become hardened to the situation or whether more important things have come into our lives, only the future can tell.

Crops Still Important.
 "Crops, however, are still a very important factor for they are the basis of American prosperity. Unless the farmer is prosperous, the nation cannot be prosperous. Nearly a third of our population is dependent upon the crops for its income, especially on such crops as wheat and corn. If these farmers cannot make money, they cannot buy goods. The farmers supply the greatest buying power of the country. When the farmer loses money, the buying power of the country is seriously curtailed. This is one of the great reasons for the bearish attitude taken today by financiers. The farming centers are depressed. It is possible, of course, that conditions during the next few months may entirely change the situation for the better. The only point I desire to make is that the farmer has reached a very critical period and the next few months will determine whether a year of effort will give him a profit or a loss. A bushel of grain must bring in exchange—that is, in other words, as much as it brought in pre-war times before this country can have real prosperity.

Europe Raising Grain.
 "At the close of the war America was raising the grain for itself and a large part of Europe. Since the war Europe has seeded down large areas and has correspondingly increased production of grain. Other countries, such as Canada, the Argentine, and Australia, owing to

cheaper labor costs, are competing keenly with American farmers, and are under-selling American grain in Liverpool, the wheat market of the world. As a result, the carrying over about one hundred million bushels from last year's crop. As it is very difficult to increase the consumption of wheat through advertising or other propaganda, this puts our American farmers in a very critical situation. Hence, during the next few months the crop reports, not only of this country but the other great countries, should be studied very carefully. The American farmer should not yet give up hope. As stated, something may happen, in this or some other country, which may entirely change the situation one way or the other. One thing, however, we all should keep in mind, namely, that unless the farmer is prosperous the rest of us cannot be prosperous. Hence, it is up to all of us to hold the farming situation in every practical way.

Drop Below Normal
 "This agricultural situation is largely responsible for the drop in the Babsonchart from its high point of 11 per cent above normal in March to 4 per cent below normal where it stands at the present time. The truth is that the farmers are greatly curtailing their buying and this is being reflected throughout all industries. When the farmer stops buying from the retailer, the retailer stops buying from the jobber, the jobber stops buying from the manufacturer, and the manufacturer shuts down his plant. It is easy to tell them that they must suffer with the rest, but the fact is that the farmers are suffering more than the rest. Moreover, the action of the stock markets and commodity markets today is largely due to this suffering of the farmers."

Shops by Airplane.
 (By I. N. S.)
 AKRON, Aug. 3.—Shopping in Akron by airplane was the experience of Lieutenant Arthur Johnson, McCook Field, Dayton. He came here to make a purchase at the Goodyear factory and landed at the Stow aviation field. Johnson made the 170 miles from Dayton to Akron in 1 hour and 35 minutes.

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FORMER SOLDIER FAILS TO COLLECT

By Alice Langelle.
 International News Service Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—All dressed up and no place to go—except the police station—was the sad fate of a tall, fine-looking negro from Senegal who walked into one of the large Paris shops last week and decked himself in borrowed plumes.

He first found his way to the tailoring department and selected a light gray suit, which he put on at once. Passing to the other department he provided himself with a tall silk hat, silk socks, patent-leather shoes, bright yellow gloves and a gaudy necktie.

In the jewelry section he put on a gold watch and chain, a scarf pin, cuff buttons and a fine fountain pen. When finally arrayed to eclipse Siki himself, he was invited to the clerk to pay the bill of 2,895 francs.

"Wrap up my old clothes," he urged, "and I'll pay the bill afterwards."

Pressed further, he admitted that he had no money and an inspector hurried him off to the police. "I fought hard during the war," he whimpered in his cell, "and France owes me something. I am sick and want to go back home in clean clothes."

On being promised a good meal he consented to take off his fine feathers.

The wonder is not that man learned to talk, but that his developed the stamina to endure so much of it.

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