

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
 September 1—Labor day celebration here.
 Sept. 8.—La Grande schools open 1924-25 term.
 Oct. 11—Armistice Day celebration here.

Recovery Certain
 Mr. and Mrs. Chester McArthur and their child who were injured when the automobile in which they were riding went off a bank near Perry yesterday are out of danger according to reports from the hospital this morning. Her brother, Tom Johnson, an attorney of Caldwell, Idaho, arrived last evening to be with the patients until they are ready to return home. Mr. McArthur is a druggist and was formerly associated with George Glass of this city in the drug business.

Personal Mention
 Miss Kathleen Campbell spent the day in Baker on business.
 W. E. Salisbury of Huntington is registered at the Foley hotel.
 S. W. Tully of Wallowa, is registered at the Foley.
 S. L. Brooks of Imbler, was in La Grande yesterday transacting business.
 L. S. Jacobson of Caldwell, Ida. is now registered at the Sommer hotel.
 Mrs. C. T. Lindsay and Mrs. Lloyd Dickford drove to Baker today.

Property Changes Hands
 A. T. Hill has purchased a lot on 1st street from S. B. Atkins. H. Patton sold his improved acre tract in Cove to Claude Charlton who will establish a silver fox ranch on the place.

Abandoning Old Stripping Ground
 Hill Parks, formerly a farmer near Elgin but now in the hardware business on the east side in Portland, was in La Grande last evening consorting with friends. This morning Mr. Parks was scheduled to go to Elgin. He is in east Oregon on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Small Fire
 The fire truck was called out yesterday at 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon to the corner of Third and 1st streets where a grass fire had broken beyond control. No damage was done to property. In the meantime the hose cart was taken to the fire mill to put out a small pile which had been smoldering for several days.

Improve Theater
 E. P. Heaster took out a building permit this morning to make some alterations on the Star theater building. The repairs are to cost \$200. George Hartwigson will build a house on Spruce street between 7th avenue and the city limits at a cost of \$1100. The Saw-Holmes company is to put in a weighing scale, which will cost \$100.

For Complete Relief From Hay Fever
 The new Hay Fever drops in 24 hours with new relief of 24 hours which quickly relieves itching, sneezing, and eyes. Every medicine guaranteed to give full relief in 24 hours—no matter how long you have had it. For complete relief of Hay Fever use the new Hay Fever drops. Retail price 50c per bottle. 10c per box.

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Lapps Turned Backs on Royal Photographer

THE HAGUE (AP).—Queen Wilhelmina, her consort, Prince Henry, and the young Juliana, have selected a holiday resort which is somewhat out of the usual where royalty is concerned. They are spending a month in Northern Lapland, well above the Arctic Circle, where they are living the simple life, making excursions on foot, visiting the Lapp reindeer camps and sleeping in tourist huts like ordinary folk.

The queen has a passion for photography, but a violent dislike to being snaphotted herself. According to letters received here, the queen found her dislike shared in an unexpected manner by the picturesque Lapp nomads whose objection to being snapped is based on religious grounds. Every time the queen leveled her camera at them they at once turned their backs and fled.

The royal party will return to Holland by way of the Norwegian fjords.

C. E. CRANDALL ELECTED SALEM, Ore.—C. E. Crandall of this city was elected president of the Marion County Jersey Breeders' association at its annual meeting and picnic at the farm of Stanley Miller near Woodburn. N. G. Gunderson of Silverton was elected vice president, and Stanley Riches of Turner, secretary. John Fleck of Woodburn and Warren Gray of Turner were elected directors.

Forty-eight boys and girls participated in the stock judging contests. The winners were Veronica Lamb and Eugene Wilson who had for first place with scores of 40 points. C. P. Bates, retiring president, spoke on the oleomargarine bill, while W. H. Bailie, district club agent for Marion county, discussed the interest taken by the boys and girls in Jersey breeding.

Jacksonville Paving In Medford, Ore.—California street, Jacksonville, the main thoroughfare of the county seat, is now a full-width paved artery of business, opened to traffic as a link in the Medford-tuach paved highway. This highway has been finished between Medford and the county seat town and the work of paving the tuach section between Jacksonville and Ruch will be begun next Thursday.

PONZI'S TERM IN PEN ENDED
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 der for what it is and deal with it accordingly.

CALLOUSNESS AND CRIME
 (Eugene Register)
 In young Nathan Leopold's confession, read into the court in Chicago day before yesterday, appears this passage: "There is no God. I do not believe in a future life. When I die, I die all over."

Finally the authorities stepped in and closed up the business. Ponzi was convicted in the federal court on charges of using the mails in a scheme to defraud, the testimony indicating that the postal coupon scheme had not been operated as represented. Ponzi's company went into the hands of receivers, his palatial home in Lexington was sold for the benefit of creditors, and he was sentenced to jail for five years. With the usual remittance for good behavior, this term expired Wednesday.

WORLD SHOULD HIDE THEM
 (Corvallis Gazette-Times)
 Another reason for Frank's killing has been discovered by the alienists. They say that the angel boys who did the killing were suffering from folie a deux. The sooner the world says adieu to this kind of folly the better.

DOPE UPSET; ANGLO-RUSS PACT MADE
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 It had been a race against time because the imperial government was eager to reach a settlement of the controversy before parliament adjourned for the summer recess.

The undersecretary also explained the somewhat unorthodox method that had been used during the conference inasmuch as the negotiations had been largely in the nature of conversations between himself and M. Rokovaky, the chief Russian representative. He considered this method justified, however, if it advanced matters better than a formal conference.

Mr. Ponsomby said the commercial treaty followed the usual form of such treaties. "We receive unconditionally the most favored nation treatment and in return we admit the soviet union into our export credit scheme," he added. This is the method under which the British government finances foreign trade to a certain legalized extent.

General Treaty Outlined.
 "The general treaty," Mr. Ponsomby continued after reciting which of the former treaties had lapsed and the few which had been renewed, made provisions for the definition of the territorial waters. This question, however, he said, must await international agreement.

With regard to miscellaneous clauses, Mr. Ponsomby said an agreement had been arrived at under which the claims are to be investigated and a lump sum de-

WORK TO BE COMPLETED THIS FALL

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 his grounds that the present type of pavement going to here is not sufficient to stand for many years and citing Island avenue and Oak streets as examples. He also protested against expenses to the property owners.

Following this the gentleman was notified that the bid surfacing is to be 52 feet in width and property owners are to pay for only 44 feet.

As there was only the one re-quest, and 55 per cent is required to block a district, the commission went ahead with the advancement of the work. If bids are let August 29, which is probable, contracts will be drawn up immediately and the work will probably start a few days afterwards. Plans call for the completion of the project this year.

Two Contracts Let.
 Two contracts were awarded last evening to Warren Construction company, for paving districts 145 and 147. The latter is the Spring street district. Ordinances were passed providing for the signing of contracts for the work.

Bidding was brisk on district 145, both the Warren and Triangle Construction companies entering bids. Warren's bid was \$9,123.16 and the Triangle's bid was \$9,426.05. Only Warren Construction company bid on district 147, the amount being \$14,315, about \$200 below the specifications called for.

Street Vacated.
 A petition from T. H. Moore, asking for the vacation of North Maple between Cove avenue and the branch line railroad tracks, was favorably acted upon by the commission.

Monthly Reports.
 Monthly reports of the fire department, the police department, the recorder and the treasurer were read and approved. The fire report showed that eight fires had occurred during July causing \$55.58 damage. Forty-four arrests were made by the police with 25 convictions resulting. This number, as well as unpaid fines, amounted to \$875.

The salary list was read and approved and ordered paid by warrants before adjournment.

Exchange Views on Robert Franks Case
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FOREST FIRES CONTROLLED IN THE WEST

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 ceived of the situation late Wednesday but the fire along the Sixes river and connecting Pistol river was said to be burning fiercely. In eastern Oregon conditions were declared dangerous because of high humidity prevailing.

Fire Controlled.
 BAKER, Ore. (Special)—At two o'clock this morning forest fire fighters believed the fire in the Pine Creek section of the Whitman national forest is under control, although a wind early this morning may revive the flames.

The fire is complete out south of Pine Creek. It is within about one mile of the lower workings of the Halsey-Birkhorn mines. Part of the crew returned about midnight and were called back, it was reported.

The fire started on the Robert George place on the south side of Pine Creek and jumped the creek spreading south and west on both sides of the stream. It is about 14 miles west and north of Baker.

"LABOR DAY" HEADS NAMED
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YOUR LUNCH HOUR can be converted into a period of real satisfactory pleasure if you meet your friends here, because we offer ideal dining environment plus excellent menus, a new, exciting plan and lower prices. Self service means no delays, more time to talk and a lunch that you will like. Cafeteria Service 11:30 to 1:30

THE BLACK CAT

TODAY / FRIDAY / SATURDAY

ARCADE

FELIX THE CAT AND FOX NEWS

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WITH MICKY BENNETT, TOM MOORE, RAYMOND HATTON and EDITH ROBERTS

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A combination of "The Miracle Man" and "Humoresque" with more action than Nick Carter. A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

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3 More Days OF CLINT'S BIG Stock Reducing and Money Raising SALE

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NEW TODAY

NOTICE.
 Due to difficulty experienced in collecting charges for advertising that is listed under classified advertising and under the "new today" heading, the Evening Observer will hereafter take no classified advertising or advertising to be run as "new today" unless the advertising is accompanied by cash.

FOR SALE—Electric washer in excellent condition. Phone 458-J 8-7-21

FOR SALE—Soldby built trailer. See it at Highway Service Station. 8-7-21P

FOR SALE—One 5-room bungalow. Everything you want built in, full basement, fireplace, laundry trays, on paved street, close in, east front. If you want a home look this up. Phone 385-R 8-7-11P

FOR SALE—Player piano. \$850 piano at reduced price of \$350 cash. Must sell on account of leaving city. May see piano by calling at 791 B Ave. 8-7-21P

FOR RENT—Six room modern house. Call at 1408 T Ave. 8-7-4P

WANTED—Jersey huffers and heater calves. Apply Rex Griggs, Union Oregon. 8-7-6P

FOR SALE—One 6-room and one 2-room house cheap. to be moved off lot. Phone 164 M. 1507 Jefferson Ave. 8-7-21P

FOR RENT—Five room strictly modern house. 2315 Pine, corner E. Inquire 1801 Jackson. No children. 8-7-4P

LOST—Spectacles. San Diego inside case. Howard. Observer. 8-7-21P

LOST—Grey coat, Norkort pattern lunch, on highway close to Union. Please leave name at 1505 4th, La Grande and receive liberal reward. Red stone. 8-7-21P