

LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

Big Street Parade

Wrestling Match

Big Free Supper

LABOR DAY ORATION

By STANTON C. LAPHAM, of Portland and other able speakers

BOXING MATCH

BRITTON vs. SHARKEY
of Indianapolis of Denver

BAND CONCERTS

By La Grande's Municipal Band
A Big Time For Everybody

LA GRANDE, OREGON, SEPT. 1

BASEBALL

Pendleton vs. La Grande

Jazz and Old Time DANCING

See hand bills for details of the program

MORE LAND TO BE RECLAIMED

Idaho Projects to 300,000 Additional Acres, Says Late Reports.

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, (AP)—Between 250,000 and 300,000 acres of arid land will be reclaimed and water rights for a large area of cultivated land will be augmented as a result of approval of congress during its last session of appropriations for the American Falls reservoir and Fort Hall and Dubois projects in Idaho, Representative Addison T. Smith, chairman of the house committee on reclamation, told members of the Kiwanis club

at their regular meeting here Monday. Mr. Smith expressed gratification over the part it had been given him to play in obtaining these appropriations and thus contributing to Idaho's development. Funds for construction of roads in Idaho's national monument, the craters of the Moon, probably will be set aside outside of the current appropriation for building of roads in national parks and monuments, Mr. Smith advised, suggesting that the Kiwanis club might facilitate the undertaking by adoption of appropriate resolutions. Mr. Smith expressed the opinion that between \$10,000 and \$15,000 might be made available for this purpose. This sum, he thought, would be sufficient to build roads to all of some 56 craters within the area, because of availability of material for road building. Reviews Project History. He reviewed briefly the history of the American Falls project, launched 10 years ago, and stated that sale of the American Falls reservoir district's \$2,600,000 bond issue

set for September 12, next, would assure the success of the undertaking. This project, he said, together with railroad construction now in progress between Rosamond, Idaho, and Wells, Nevada, would restore the Twin Falls country to its "old time stride."

Mr. Smith pledged his assistance in obtaining funds from the appropriation for roads in national forests to complete and improve the road from Rock Creek to Shoshone basin.

Interest in Bible Conference Stimulated by Criticism

WINONA LAKE, Ind. (AP)—Attacks made upon the efficiency of theological education in the United States are expected to stimulate unusual interest in the thirteenth annual Bible conference to be held here August 22 to 25. The conference has had an enlarged attendance each year for several years, but its leaders predict that as a result of the recent criticism of religious educational work, notably by the Institute for Social and Religious Research, there will be an extraordinary attendance this season. The conference program will deal with such subjects as Bible interpretation, expository preaching, pulpit and parish problems and missionary work. Noted speakers have been engaged.

HIGHWAY TWO-FIFTHS BUILT

CALDWELL, Ida.—More than two-fifths of the Idaho North and South highway from Weiser to Port Hill has been completed and of the remainder half is graded, according to a statement issued by the bureau of highways of the department of public works of Idaho. Progress of construction on the highway, which is 512.62 miles in length, was reported to be as follows: Unimproved, 65.2 miles; partly improved, 74.67 miles; graded only, 122.29 miles; surfaced, 217.46 miles; through incorporated towns, 17.20 miles.

A total of \$5,750,256.58 has been expended in the construction. The largest amount for one year was in 1921, when early \$1,500,000 was spent. Money spent each year follows: Prior to 1919, \$548,422.39; 1919, \$386,249.21; 1920, \$1,222,730.94; 1921, \$1,462,187.35; 1922, \$975,164.14; 1923, \$927,799.21; year of 1924 to June 30, \$240,761.95.

The state has paid approximately one-third of the cost. The remainder has been paid by the united bureau of public roads, the United States forestry service, state, county and highway districts.

Hawaiian Research Institute Gets Old Estate for Home

HONOLULU (AP)—The nucleus as for a permanent home of a Pan-Pacific scientific research institute, where scientists from the Pacific area may gather to carry on experiments or for other purposes has been offered the Hawaiian Islands here by the Trustees of the Mary Castle trust in the shape of the ancestral Gault home. It is one of the largest in Honolulu, with four acres of surrounding land. The chief work of the proposed institute will be along lines of research of the food resources of Pacific lands and waters. Alexander Hume Ford, director of the Pan-Pacific Union, said that the institute had been proposed financial support from mainland scientific interests. The Mary Castle trust was founded by descendants of the first missionaries who came to Hawaii.

Elk Rules Buffalo Herd In San Francisco Park

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—A lordly bull elk rules a herd of buffalo in a paddock at Golden Gate park here. And the elk is not required to use force to execute his orders, but merely indicates what he wants done and it's done, says E. E. Shattory, for 31 years a custodian of animals in the park. There usually are from 15 to 20 elk in the enclosure where the elk resides. Combat in the paddock evidently is distasteful to him, for he frequently separates two belligerent buffalo bulls, shooing them aside in different directions. Furthermore, he watches over the habits of the buffaloes. When he deems that they have lolled in recumbent postures too long and should be up and grazing, he goes in among them, tussling them lightly with his antlers until they rise and shuffle away. Shattory declares he never has seen the elk's authority disputed.

DOUBT RISES AT FUNERAL

MAINEFIELD, Ore.—Funeral ceremonies for Mrs. Estelle Colvin of Gold Beach were held according to schedule, but burial was postponed upon the plea of relatives, who refused to permit interment because they were not certain Mrs. Colvin was dead. Rigger mortis had not set in 26 hours after her supposed death by blood poisoning. The family physician was out of town and the body was held until he passed final judgment as to whether Mrs. Colvin was dead. Dr. Wheeler found an sign of animation and the burial was made.

Beach Policemen in Turkey Struggle With Difficult Task

CONSTANTINOPLE, (AP)—Turkish women must not bathe in the ocean, according to a recent edict of the local authorities, and the police have been given strict orders to see that the decree is given effect. But this is what troubles the police, how can they determine her nationality when a woman has donned a bathing suit? Non-Turkish women may bathe as before. Turkish women are more and more assuming western European habits and dress and bathing suits when worn by Turkish women look no different than when worn by a non-Turk. Is the bathers a Turk, liable to arrest, in the opinion of the policeman, or a non-Turk to whom he will have to apologize for mistaking her nationality?

THEVES SHOOT UP TOWN

OREGON CITY, Ore.—During the hours several young men were engaged in theft at Willamette around the entire town by shooting at the deputy night watchman when caught in the act. A number of stray bullets entered homes of Willamette residents. Among those having a narrow escape was Mrs. George Balford. A bullet pierced the side of the house, entered the dining room and passed through that room into the bedroom where she was sleeping. The shot was later found lying on the floor about 19 feet from her bed. Another shot entered the home of Melvin Young, striking the floor. The Willamette fire hall was pierced by a bullet, as was also the Peters garage. Soon after the shots were heard by the residents of Willamette the streets were thronged but the would-be robbers escaped.

EUGENE ROMES PLANNED

EUGENE, Ore.—A court of 12 burgledowns will be built on a plot of ground bordering on the mill-race by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kellera. It was announced here. The Kellera traded an interest in the barnyard building in which the local chamber of commerce rooms are located, to Dr. G. S. Boursley for the plot, which is known as "Lucky Lane."

Pageant Peach

Winsome beauty of the southern type won for Miss Margaret Swin the title of "Miss Lakeland" and the honor of representing that Florida city in the national beauty tournament at Atlantic City in September.



Take No Chances

BUY YOUR

COAL

NOW!

No One Can Tell the Future Price of Coal

Call Us

AND GET THE BEST COAL AT LOWEST PRICES

Stiles & Co.

PHONE MAIN 714

Always on the Job—With the BEST COAL!

FALL TERM BEGINS

Tuesday, September 2

ONE MONTH FREE! ONE MONTH FREE!

To all students enrolling at the college, or by mail before September 15, 1924, paying for a term in advance. We will mail you an enrollment blank on request.

Tuition Rates

(Any Course taught in the college)

12 mos.—45 weeks (52 weeks if paid before Sept. 15)	\$125.00
9 mos.—35 weeks (40 weeks if paid before Sept. 15)	\$100.00
6 mos.—24 weeks (28 weeks if paid before Sept. 15)	\$ 80.00
Regular rate by the month	\$ 15.00

Write for information about our Home Study Course. Write or call and see us. DO IT TODAY.

Baker Business College

W. P. KINON, President. Phone 131.

Emblems for Progressives

La Follette Wheeler medallions or campaign emblems will be distributed among loyal independent boosters to raise funds for the campaign "war chest." Guston Borglum, famous sculptor, shown here with the model, turned from his labors of cutting heroic figures of Confederate leaders, of Stone Mountain to make the design.

MANY DESERT SCHOOLS

SALEM, Ore.—Less than 25 per cent of the boys and less than 50 per cent of the girls who enter the first grade complete their four-year high school courses, according to a report prepared here by Mrs. Mary Fulkerson, county superintendent of schools. Starting with the first grade and on through the fifth grade the number of boys in school is greater than the number of girls. After the fifth grade and through the eighth grade the number of boys and girls is about even.

Shortweight German Bakers Seek Release from Sentences

BERLIN, (AP)—There are a lot of bakers of Germany in jail for decreasing the size of their loaves of bread last year and increasing the selling price. This fact causes