FRANK SMITH LAID TO REST

COVE. (Special)—The funeral services of the late Frank Smith, whose death occured at the Grande Ronde hospital recently, were held here at the Methodist church Saturday morning. Interment was made in the Rose Ridge cemetery. He leaves four daughters and two sons, besides a host of friends to mourn his loss.

The meeting held in La Grande Thursday, conducted by Frederick D. Hopkins, of New York City, and Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, State Executive secretary of the Health Association, on "How to Sell Christmas Seals" was attended by three women from Cove. They were Mrs. J. B. Weimer, Mrs. A. G. Conklin and Mrs. L. M. Laird.

Cove Chautauqua Festival will be held October 10-15 inclusive. The program is especially good this year. The first evening will be an evening of magic, with James Kater, magician and entertainer; second, a concert by the Baughman-Perfetti artists; third, Leakes Orchestral concert; fourth, Dr. Robert Parker Miles will deliver an address on "Fallen Idols," and the fifth evening will be another one of music.

Mrs. L. N. Conley was made very seriously ill Wednesday evening by an overdose of medicine. At last reports she was recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conley attended the ball game at Pendleton Friday.

Royal Allen of Cody, Wyoming, is in Cove renewing acquaintances. Mr. Allen was a Cove boy and later principal of the Cove school for several years. Cove is always glad when he visits his home town.

Cove high school put on an interclass football game Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Barker, who are teaching school at Perry spent the week-end at their home here.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coons Friday, Sept. 26.

Wool Plentiful in Australia

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—With a clip estimated at 2,150,000 bales of wool, a record figure due to an excellent season, the Australian Woolgrowers' Council and the National Council of Wool selling Brokers of Australia have devised means for disposing of the product. With sales held in Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Perth, to be attended by purchasers from all over the world, it is expected that 2,000,000 bales will be offered by Christmas time.

Sisters Hold Swim Records

Omaha claims two sister swim champions in Corrine Condon (left) and Helen Condon (right). Helen holds every mid-western A. A. U. record from the 25-yard to the 220-yard free-style swims, save the 50-yard free style, which is held by Sister Corrine. The two girls are said to be the best sister swimming combination in the world.

Gypsies Dance to Sad Strains of the Violin

DRAGALEVTSI, Bulgaria, (AP)—The old monastery in this village on the slope of Mount Vitosha, near Sofia, was the gathering place the other day of many thousands of gypsies. They arrived on horseback, on donkeyback or on foot. During the night their bivouac fires twinkled all over the mountain side.

From many towns and villages in the Sofia district they arrived to celebrate the feast day of St. Mary the Virgin, which the gypsies observe more ardently than the Christians, despite the fact that the day marks an event in a religion they do not profess.

By nightfall the enclosure of the old monastery began to fill with men and women of dark complexion and great vivacity. The women were picturesque in their baggy trousers of bright-colored calico. Having cooked their stews, they seated themselves around the steaming pots, each person dipping up the food with a wooden spoon.

Many a bloodhead, it is suspected, was raised while gypsies took the short cuts of fatal vendetta. The feasting and talking went on all night, till the fires began to be blotted out and the dawn appeared over the Sofia plain.

It was then that the main event of the gathering took place. The gypsies started the dance as the sun was peeping over the eastern mountains, and without taking breath and dropping in their tracks while the fiddles played maddest music of all, they danced on and on.

The gypsy musicians had to be with them. The patriarch of the tribe held a stick, and before him was a table, the gypsy "King Lear" and his court.

"Dance, dance, my children, for this may be the last time you will do so in peace, for you will not be able to do so much longer," was the patriarch's admonition.

Indian Leader Pleads For Old Tribal Rites

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP)—[illegible] Minneapolis Indian Mission, the Canadian Dominion, protested the efforts of the United States to suppress old tribal customs which he contended serve the Indian whose performances further the investigation here.

Blackfoot has been made to the government that the tribal dances are detrimental to the Indians' morals and that they interfere with the educational work among the younger members of the tribes.

Still Day is a tall, handsome, Chippewa full-blood. He did not wear the garb of the tribal healer but appeared in the attire of the white man. Speaking through an interpreter he told the committee that he was not the chief nor the great speaker but protested against "the white man's efforts to take away my religion."

To the statement that the pagan Indians' corn and potatoes "were the worst in ten years because there have been too many tribal dances," Still Day replied that the Indians were "not responsible for the cold weather and the too much rains."

The pagan band lives in a place isolated from the rest of the Red Lake Indians and its members still indulge in the ancient tribal dances which frequently last two and three days.

Japanese Navy to Hold Mimic War on Big Scale

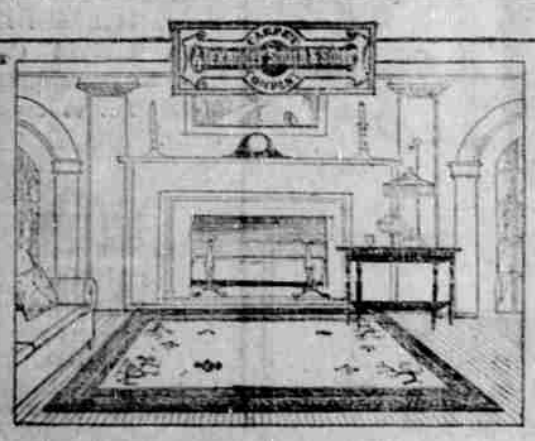
TOKIO, (AP)—For three weeks in October Japan will undergo "invasion" from the Pacific ocean. The empire, from the Kuriles in the north to Formosa in the south, will be threatened by an "enemy" fleet from the east. It will be the first major maneuvers to be held by the Japanese since the Washington armament conference.

One hundred and eighty-eight vessels of war will take part in the mimic naval conflict, which is designed to test the defensability of Japan against attack from the east. The cost of the maneuvers will be 5,000,000 yen, and of this 3,500,000 yen will be spent for fuel alone.

All the Japanese navy's air forces will take part in the operations, including about 100 airplanes and the new Asiya dirigible of the Kasumigaura corps. This will be the first time that aircraft have taken part in Japanese naval maneuvers.

Will Preside

Mrs. Margaret N. McCuer of Kansas City, Mo., will preside at the national convention of American War Mothers to be held in Milwaukee on October 7, 8 and 9.



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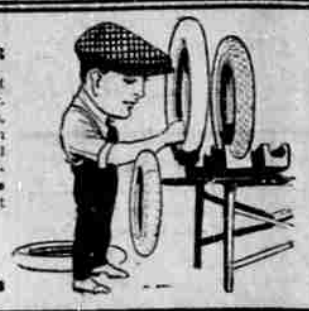

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Elgin	9:20	1:20	4:20	1.00
Minam	10:00	2:00	5:00	1.75
Wallowa	10:45	2:40	5:40	2.25
Lostine	11:00	2:55	6:00	2.50
Enterprise	11:20	3:20	6:20	2.60
Joseph	11:50	3:50	6:50	3.25

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Enterprise	7:50	10:55	2:50	$ .25
Lostine	8:15	11:15	3:15	.65
Wallowa	8:25	11:25	3:25	1.00
Minam	9:15	12:15	4:15	1.50
Elgin	10:00	1:00	5:00	2.25
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