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THE WEATHER

PORTLAND (AP)—Oregon Unsettled, probably rain tonight and Thursday.

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LA GRANDE MUSIC WEEK SET MAY 3-9

Monday Musical Club and Other Organizations Back Movement

7 DAYS PROGRAMS WILL BE GIVEN

Neighborhood Club and Monday Musical to Present Artists in Joint Recital During Week.

Largely because of the efforts of the Monday Musical club, the Neighborhood club and others, La Grande will have its first "Music Week" May 3-9, inclusive.

"Music Week" and springtime are an irresistible combination, and La Grande is fortunate in having the Monday Musical that will lead in this celebration from the third to the ninth of May.

To Belle, Idaho, is due credit for the first observance of Music Week in May, 1919.

The response in La Grande has been instantaneous and very gratifying to the Monday Musical club.

All the lodges and civic organizations are to cooperate with special music during the week.

The chamber of commerce yesterday announced a committee endorsing Music Week and will also participate in a public concert.

At an especially enthusiastic meeting of the Monday Musical the final arrangements were made for the week. Official programs were distributed and can be obtained at the chamber of commerce.

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BALL GAME IS CALLED OFF

Rain washed out other things besides crops. The almost continuous downpour of water has washed out any prospect of a scheduled game between Coxe and La Grande, which was to have been played here Thursday afternoon, according to word this morning by Harry Ermb, manager of the local club.

Plans are going forward for giving the Buckaroos a warm reception when they arrive here from Pendleton Sunday to play the 17-liners on the old home lot for the league opener on this side of the mountains.

LEGION PLAY IS POSTPONED

Due to unavoidable circumstances that have arisen the benefit play which was to have been staged here Friday evening, April 24, under the auspices of the American Legion, has been postponed indefinitely. "A Show Off" may be presented sometime in the future, but no date has been selected.

Truck in Two Accidents; Two Men Hurt in First

One truck figured in two accidents yesterday between 4:20 and 5 o'clock and emerged without much damage to either car or driver. Two men were hurt in the first wreck.

Protest To Be Sent To Commission

Chamber of Commerce to Forward Resolution to State Highway Board Tonight.

A night letter protesting the proposed expenditure for the reconstruction of roads already completed in western Oregon by the state highway commission is to be sent to Portland by the Union County Chamber of Commerce this evening.

GOLFERS WILL MEET TONIGHT

Tucker, architect and builder, of New York City, will address a meeting of interested golf players this evening at 7:30 at the office of Chas. Reynolds.

Mr. Tucker has had years of experience and at the present time is building seven golf courses in the United States and Canada, besides acting as advisor on scores of others.

La Grande Man to Be Sent to Insane Asylum

Arie Sample, 42, adjudged insane has been confined in the county jail since the first of the week pending the arrival of the deputy from the state institution at Pendleton. Sample will be taken to Pendleton this evening.

River Rats Defeat Prairie Dogs, 16 to 12

The River Rats bested the Prairie Dogs, 15 to 12 in the best-of-five league game played at the Green-Dog diamond yesterday afternoon. The battery, Braden to Cochran, proved the most successful combination for the victors although Snodgrass replaced Braden in the eighth inning and pitched good ball for the remainder of the game.

HARVARD MONTHLY BARRED

BOSTON (AP)—All copies of the current issue of the Harvard Lampoon, humorous monthly magazine of Harvard college, were seized Tuesday night by the postal authorities, on the ground that the publication contained indecent and obscene illustrations.

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Their wounds attended to. The Chevrolet was damaged to some extent.

RECALL MAY BE STARTED BY O.S.A.

Sportsmen's Association Rooled by Governor's Appointment

DORRIS REMOVAL CENTER OF STORM

President of Game Body Threatens Drastic Action Unless the Chief Changes Pace.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—The failure of Governor Walter M. Pierce to reappoint Ben Dorris, Oregon, 19 the state game commission, will result in recall proceedings against the executive, according to E. J. Kirkwood, president of the Oregon Sportsmen's association.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING HELD

The Agricultural and Health Committees of the chamber of commerce met at Hot Lake last evening as guests of Dr. W. T. Phyl, chairman of both committees.

An outline of the work accomplished by the committees last year and assignments and plans for the current season were given.

Sunset Orchestra Here Is Reorganized

The reorganized Sunset orchestra under the direction of Eugene Hixson opened an engagement at the Zuber hall Saturday night. The orchestra is composed of musicians prominent in band work and other local activities.

\$10,000 DAMAGE SOUGHT

THE PALLES, Ore.—Damages of \$10,000 are asked from four city police officers, Commissioner Kurtz and Patrolmen Danmeyer, Skelly and Mohr, in a suit in the circuit court here by Mrs. Steve Hindson. Mrs. Hindson alleges that she was arrested without warrant, held in jail for 26 hours without a hearing and then released.

Florida Grapefruit Find Good Market in Germany

HAMBURG (AP)—The grapefruit will soon be as popular in Germany as the orange, if the American department of agriculture and the Florida Citrus Exchange have their say. They are encouraging in putting the grapefruit over in Germany, and already the leading fruit dealers of Hamburg, Berlin, Dresden, Munich and other cities carry this Florida product regularly.

Men Beat Women in Needlework

LONDON (AP)—The exhibits of two men were adjudged the best in a sphere of work previously longed to women at the annual Royal Amateur Arts exhibition. An embroidered panel by V. Hovring and a wool rug, the work of Major Davenport, were regarded better than any of the exhibits worked by women.

HENRY FORD LIBEL SUIT DEFENDANT

Aaron Sapiro Files Papers in Action Against Auto Builder

MAGAZINE STORY BASIS OF CASE

Sapiro Alleges Dearborn Independent Published Articles Defamatory to His Character.

DETROIT. (By the Associated Press)—Henry Ford and the Dearborn Publishing company, owned by Mr. Ford, were named defendants in a million-dollar libel suit which was filed here today by Aaron Sapiro, originator of a cooperative marketing plan for farmers.

SNOWSTORM IN SOUTH OREGON

KLAMATH FALLS (By the Associated Press)—A driving snowstorm, far more severe than others which have descended upon Klamath Falls recently, blew in from the northwest early today and is still raging late this morning.

VOTE IS GIVEN NEW MINISTRY

PARIS (By the Associated Press)—The chamber of deputies Tuesday night gave Premier Paul Painleve and his government a vote of confidence, 304 to 218. The vote came after nine hours of bitter personal debate in which Joseph Caillaux, the new finance minister, was the central point of attack.

Mickey Walker, Greb To Fight on June 19

NEW YORK (By the Associated Press)—Mickey Walker, world welterweight champion, and Harry Greb, middleweight champion, today signed for a 15-round bout at the Polo Grounds the night of June 19th. Greb's title will be at stake.

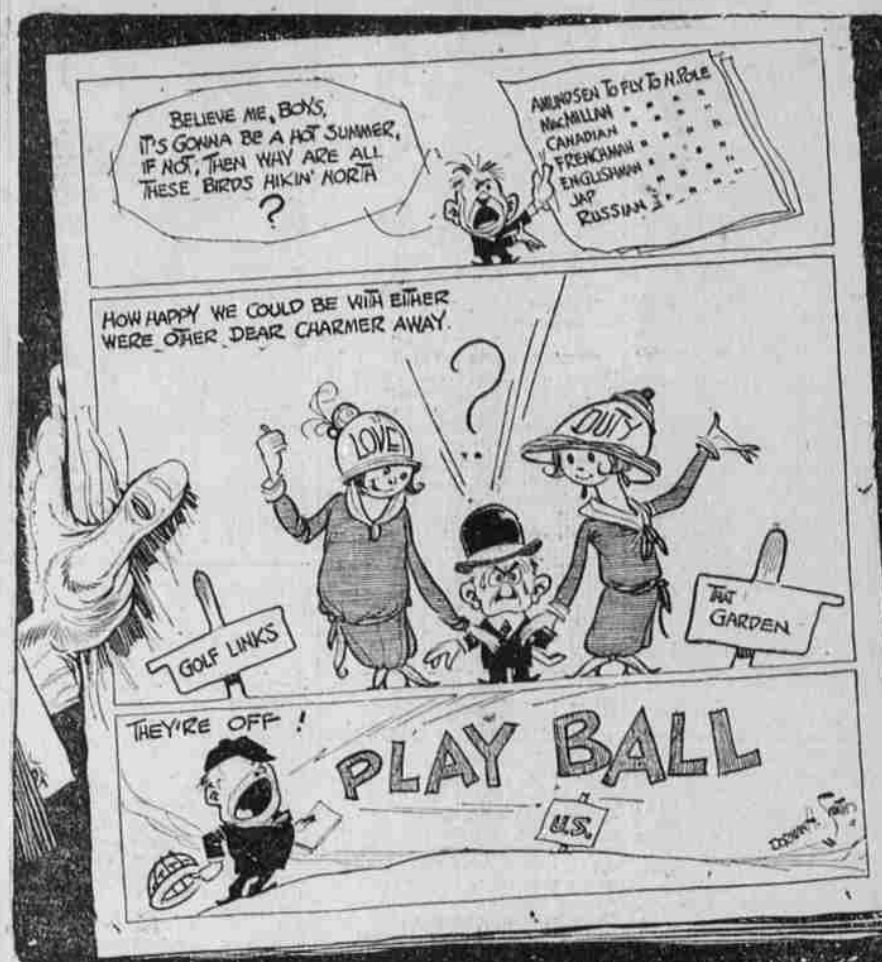
Spring Brings Re-Business To Retailers of Hull

HULL, Eng. (AP)—Headed by John Riley of this town, a party of business men are planning an expedition this month into Alaska on a search for hidden treasures.

He Takes Time

The business man who has a successful business and is devoting every effort toward making it more successful is never too busy to give all the time that may be required to his advertising.

The Busy Man's Newspaper



FIREMEN HURT IN S. F. BLAZE

SAN FRANCISCO (By the Associated Press)—Battalion Chief Kearney was severely injured and six other firemen slightly injured in a fire here today which destroyed two lodging houses and an automobile supply store, causing an estimated loss of \$20,000 to \$40,000.

CHIVALROUS MAN FRACTURES ARM; WOMAN DRIVES ON

LOS ANGELES (By the Associated Press)—The night of a woman motorist struggling helplessly with a car that would not start aroused the chivalrous soul of Clifford Whitlow, and he offered to crank the car.

FRANK NOYES HONORED

NEW YORK (AP)—In recognition of his 25 years' service as president of the Associated Press of since the organization was founded in its present form, Frank B. Noyes of the Washington Star was honored signally at the annual meeting and luncheon Tuesday.

U.S. Troops In Honduras Withdraw

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press)—A landing detachment of 165 men from the cruiser Denver was withdrawn from Culebra, Honduras, yesterday upon the arrival of Honduran troops to reinforce units at the port.

24,000 ALIENS LAND MONTHLY

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press)—In the first eight months' operation of the new immigration act 183,691 aliens, representing more than 4,000 a month, New York state got 43,483 of the immigrants, California 14,519; Illinois 12,889; Massachusetts 29,459; Michigan 18,112; New Jersey 7,779; Ohio 5,922; Pennsylvania 19,837; Texas 10,425; and Washington state 7,193.

XTRA HERRIOT NAMED

PARIS (AP).—Former Premier Herriot was elected president of the chamber of deputies today. Fist fights featured the session balloting. Deputy Balanat charged that "ten deputies voted twice."

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The body of an unidentified woman, about 35 years of age, was found today near two ranchhouses at Culver City, near here. An examination revealed that the woman had been killed with a club after being criminally assaulted. Her skull was crushed and her body partly clad. A blood-stained club was found near.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK

MILES CITY, Mont. (AP)—Running at a high speed, the Columbia, crack Milwaukee passenger train, ran into a burned out bridge near Miles City, today, and was overturned, killing the engineer and fireman according to word received here.

FIND TRACE OF MAN

ROSELAND, Ore. (AP)—Leo Duncan, alias R. G. Harper, who escaped from the county jail yesterday after slugging the deputy sheriff, stole an overcoat and some food at Fred Fisher's Roberts creek ranch last night, according to word received today by Sheriff Starnes. Mrs. A. L. Johnson, who resides at the ranch, telephone the sheriff that an army overcoat had been stolen off the porch and that a half gallon of milk and several pounds of dried prunes had also been taken. Duncan was hatless and confess when he escaped.

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GRAND JURY WILL PROBE TOT'S DEATH

Officers Believe Due to Beating Given by Grandmother

MRS. M. C. PATON IS HELD IN JAIL

Woman Admits Beating Girl But Claims She Didn't Realize She Was Striking Hard.

TILLAMOOK, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—The death yesterday of Sylvia Louise Descamps, aged four years, at the farm of her grandmother, Mrs. M. C. Paton, 35 miles south of here, following a beating which the grandmother admitted to officers she had given the child, will be investigated by the grand jury, it was announced today. Mrs. Paton is in jail.

The girl's body was taken in charge late yesterday by officers who investigated reports that the child died after being beaten with a strap.

WILBUR URGED TO STOP FLIGHT

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press)—Secretary Wilbur was urged today by Frederick J. Libby, of the National Council for the Prevention of War, to abandon or curtail the Diet's program for a visit to Australia.

The letter from Libby said the psychological effects of the cruise are all on the side of a misunderstanding in Australia, America and Japan.

WARNING SOUNDED

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press)—A warning against "certain religious bodies" which have condemned national defense plans, was sounded here today by Acting Secretary of War Davis, addressing a council of chaplains, here to study the department plans for religion in the army.

ALARM FRIGHTENS YEGGS

PENDELTON, Ore.—The attempt of yeggs to rob the First National bank of Athena early today was frustrated when an electric burglar alarm sounded and frightened the men away, according to the belief expressed by Sheriff Cooledge. Two automatic pistols (taken from under the counters of the bank where all the loot obtained).

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