

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

June 8, 9, 10—Union Livestock show at Union, Ore.
July 21, 22, 23—State American Legion convention in La Grande.

October (definite date not decided on) Oregon Parent-Teacher association convention here.

From Kaula—

Mrs. E. Frank was in La Grande today in connection with the funeral of her son, Kaula, yesterday.

Medical Springs—

H. G. Avery, county agricultural agent, is at Medical Springs today on business.

Union Today—

Dr. W. E. Thibault was in Union today. He was accompanied by Dr. H. W. Riley.

From Pendleton—

Mrs. Adelaide Packard, district deputy of the Woman's Benefit association, of Pendleton, is in La Grande today in the interest of her work.

Mr. Gignoux Here—

C. C. Gignoux, assistant superintendent of the Union Pacific system, is in the city today in the interest of the dairy demonstration train, which will be here April 28.

Out Again—

Norman Ayars, small son of Oscar Ayars, is able to be out again after being confined to his home for the past four weeks because of a broken leg.

On Vacation—

Mrs. Mabel Gray, bookkeeper at the Blue Mountain resort, is away on a vacation. She left here Saturday night and plans to visit Portland, Seattle and Tacoma. She expects to be away three weeks.

No Riding on Walks—

Police Chief Clint Haynes today announced that all persons found riding bicycles on sidewalks within the city limits will be arrested. The practice has grown until it is becoming a nuisance and also a menace to pedestrians, he reports.

Left This Morning—

Bishop W. P. Remington, of the Eastern Oregon diocese of the Episcopal church, left here this morning for Baker, where he will speak in the Episcopal church this evening. He talked at St. Peter's Episcopal church here last night and at Cove Tuesday. From Baker he will return to Pendleton, where he makes his home.

Stopped Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson and son left here yesterday for Winchester, Idaho, where they intend to make their home, after visiting for a day with Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Nellie Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson formerly lived at Enterprise. They came down from there Tuesday night. He has accepted a position with the Craig Lumber company at Winchester.

PLANE STAYS UP 51 HOURS; SETS RECORD

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and a plane that responded graciously to every move from controls left only the fuel supply as the remaining obstacle to completion of the fifty hour goal barring unforeseen difficulty. The aviators in notes dropped to the ground said they were confident the gasoline would hold out until the 50-hour period had been reached.

TREMOR SHAKES SANTIAGO, CHILE

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age was caused. The quake was felt at Valparaiso, about 40 miles northwest of Santiago, but only meager reports of damage there have been received.

BUENOS AIRES, Apr. 14 (AP)—Ten persons are reported to have been killed in this morning's earthquake at Mendoza, Argentina, in the foothills of the Andes and more than 100 miles northeast of Santiago, Chile. About 50 were injured and considerable damage occurred.

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EARL CARROLL IS NOT CONSCIOUS

In Coma at Greenville, S. C., More Than a Day—Cause Unknown

GREENVILLE, S. C., Apr. 14. (AP)—Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, who collapsed yesterday on the train bearing him to the Atlanta federal penitentiary where he is to serve a year and a day for perjury, showed slight signs of improvement although he had entered the 24th hour of coma at 11 o'clock today.

Dr. C. O. Bates said Carroll's condition is considered serious.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Apr. 14. (AP)—Earl Carroll, New York theatrical producer, had not regained consciousness at 8:30 o'clock this morning, 15½ hours after he was removed from a prison en route to the Atlanta penitentiary.

Carroll, sentenced to a year and a day for perjury in an investigation growing out of his "hush" party collapsed yesterday and was removed from the train by federal officials.

Hospital authorities said early today that despite continued unconsciousness Carroll's condition was improved.

Shows Improvement

Dr. C. O. Bates, a railway physician and Dr. Henry McGhee, a specialist summoned from Atlanta, both expressed belief that it would not be long before Carroll would regain consciousness, stating that he rapidly was regaining muscular control and becoming restless.

Dr. Bates said the coma had not been caused by any disease of the type usually producing unconsciousness and that the exact cause of the illness had not been ascertained. He added that it might have been brought on by nervous exhaustion.

James Carroll, who was accompanying his brother on the trip, remained at the bedside during the night, while Mrs. Carroll and the producer's sister have advised Marshall Hecht, who has Carroll in his custody, that they are on their way to Greenville.

Carroll fell into a coma as the train which was carrying him to the federal prison entered Western South Carolina, and when removed to a hospital virtually was unable to move a muscle. From the first, however, his heart action has remained good and this encouraged his physicians, who, nevertheless, at one time yesterday regarded his condition as serious.

Fire Damage In West Virginia Town \$2,000,000

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Apr. 14. (AP)—An entire business block here was wiped out by fire early today, causing damage variously estimated at between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000. A theater, jewelry store, hardware store, music store and other buildings were razed.

For a time the blaze imperiled the whole business district of this college town, home of West Virginia university.

Sixty families occupying apartments above the stores, were made homeless by the fire. Two firemen were seriously burned while fighting the big fire from atop the city hall.

Many Lives Lost Off Spanish Coast

PARIS, Apr. 14. (AP)—An undetermined number of lives have been lost and at least four vessels wrecked along the coasts of Spain and Morocco in consequence of the great storm which started Tuesday over the Mediterranean.

Hundreds of fishing smacks are missing and it is believed many fisher folk have been drowned. Dispatches through Spain this afternoon estimated the material damage at \$10,000,000.

Several buildings were swept off the Gibraltar coast and the piers and village there are inundated. The population was forced to flee.

POCATELLO, Ida., Apr. 14. (AP)—Jack W. Wagner, unit athletic director for the Oregon Short Line, announced today that Provo, Utah had been selected by the Union Pacific athletic league as the place of the next system meet, which will be held Sept. 5 and 6. About 2000 athletes from all divisions of the system usually participate.

Good Scout



Elwood Verner of Minneapolis, the world's champion boy scout, is shown here with the 74 merit badges he has earned. There are only two more badges he can win, and he's after those now.

She's New Kind Of 'Schoolmarm'



Mrs. Vida Blake of Santa Monica, Calif., has a strange occupation for a woman—she teaches flying at the field of the American Aircraft Corporation. She is busy turning out classes of "air women." She is pictured here in her flying suit.

Holland Exhibit At Library for Boys and Girls

Grownups as well as the youngsters are becoming interested in the Holland exhibit which is now on display at the public library. The dolls, who have made their appearance upon other important occasions such as Thanksgiving and Christmas, are wearing their bright Holland costumes. The big blue windmill has been doing good work for the tulips are blooming gayly in the yard. The ducks in the pond seem to be enjoying the fine spring weather and Hans and his little brother are going to market with Bruno who is drawing the green cart.

All the girls and boys are invited to come to the library to see this exhibit and bring something which they have made to represent Holland for the Holland contest which is being conducted in connection with the exhibit. The library will give three prizes for the best article made. One prize for the best article made by a boy or girl in grades one and two; another prize for grades three and four and also one for grades five and six. Three articles have already been brought in and many more are expected. The contest closes on April 24.

Dr. Dobbs' Trial Lures Big Crowd

SEATTLE, Apr. 14. (AP)—Presentation of state evidence against Dr. C. C. Dobbs, Kirkland dentist accused of the murder of Letitia Whitehall, a school girl patient, began in superior court here today. Ralph Dulin and Harry Erickson, Kirkland duck hunters, who found the body of the girl, were the first witnesses today. Maps of the swamp where the body was found of roads in the vicinity and of the whole region were introduced late yesterday after Prosecutor Edwin D. Colvin had sketched briefly the outline of the state's evidence against the dentist.

The defense lost its first skirmish when Judge Charles P. Moriarty denied a motion for suppression of evidence.

Crowds of the curious again stormed the court room, and three officers were detailed to guard the door.

The next time your friends propose a question just ask them why a wolf bull never reaches the green on the first shot and always goes over on the second.

Obituary

MRS. C. L. PETERMAN
Mrs. C. L. Peterman, who has lived at Cove for the past 27 years, died this morning at 9 o'clock following a long illness. The body is at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman chapel and the funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal church at Cove.

Mrs. Peterman was 67 years of age at time of her demise. She is survived by the following children: Dan and Burle, of Cove; J. J. Peterman, of Payette, Ida.; and Mrs. W. D. Nelson, of Centralia, Wash.

MRS. FRANCES SELAK
COVE (Special)—After a long illness Mrs. Frances Selak passed away at the Grande Ronde hospital in La Grande Thursday, April 7. Frances Demshar was born in Leobin Seerabin, Austria, April 2, 1866. She was married to Joseph Selak, Oct. 9, 1901.

They came to America in 1904 and lived at Rock Springs, Wyo., for 14 years. One child, Stephen, was born to them before they left Austria. Two other children were born at Rock Springs, but passed away and were buried there. They also had one adopted daughter.

In February, 1915 they came to Cove, where they have since resided. Surviving her are her husband, her son, Stephen, of Lewiston, Ida., and her daughter, Mrs. Annie Coons. Funeral services were held at the Roman Catholic church in La Grande and interment was made there.

50 COPS HELD AT BAY BY AMAZON

Young Woman Gun Robber and Partners Finally Surrender

CHICAGO, Apr. 14 (AP)—Half a hundred policemen, heavily armed, were held at bay nearly two hours last night before they captured a young woman gun robber, an Amazonian grandmother and three men, and recovered \$7,000 in jewelry taken in a store holdup a short time before.

Firemen finally had to be called to bring the girl from the house, robbing with the fumes of tear gas bombs, and they, wearing masks, found her nearly unconscious slumped into a basement hole to which she had staggered for air.

At a hospital where she was taken suffering from the effects of the fumes, the young woman said she was Mrs. Mary Walters, 22 years old. The men arrested with her were Carl Ness, 25, and Clarence Swanson, 18, of Chicago, and Joseph Mashinski, 37, of Los Angeles. Ness' mother, Mrs. Anna Ness, 50 years old, also was arrested.

Woman Leader

The Walters woman—who police believe really is Helen Conklin, alias Helen Hush, alias Helen Santea—led the men in the jewelry store robbery, guarding the proprietor with a small automatic while her companions looted the trays.

"If you move, I will kill you," the jewelryman quoted the woman as saying.

She covered the retreat of the robbers and then backed out of the store, but left her handbag containing her address on the counter. Thus the police arrived at the house shortly after the robbery.

Turns Dog on Police

An officer rapped on the front door, which was opened by Mrs. Walters. When she saw the policeman she called a dog, which flew at the officer's throat. The policeman shot the animal. From an inner door behind which the girl had disappeared a revolver fire started and the patrolman retreated. Officers were called and 50 policemen formed a cordon around the house, from which intermittent came.

Locks were thrown through the windows, followed by tear bombs, and the men and Mrs. Ness finally staggered out. Mrs. Ness, despite her age, attempted to wrest a shotgun from the hands of one of the reserves.

Sapiro Begins His 13th Day on Stand

DETROIT, Mich., Apr. 14 (AP)—Cross-examination of Aaron Sapiro today for the thirteenth day in his \$1,000,000 libel suit against Henry Ford was directed towards an attempt to show that the board of directors of the Kentucky Kure Tobacco Growers' Cooperative association was made up of warehouse men rather than growers, but Sapiro said only a few of them were not tobacco planters.

COMMISSION PETITIONED BY SWIMMERS

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at some future election, probably June 28.

A. J. Stange suggested that a larger swimming hole and skating rink could be built by placing a dam in the Grande Ronde river. The commission referred the matter to the city manager and city engineer, authorizing them to find out approximate costs and other facts and report at the next meeting.

Strong Protest

Last night was the time for the hearing on sidewalk improvement districts No. 182 and 183. When 162 was brought up, Mr. Stange presented both a written and verbal remonstrance on behalf of the Mr. Emily Lumber company and some 25 property owners of the north side. This district would provide for the building of a sidewalk over a ditch belonging to the La Grande Irrigation company, assessing extra costs against property owners.

Mr. Stange contended that such a step would be confiscatory as it would cost more than the ditch owners could pay. He also pointed out that if it was done in this district, it would be the starting point of similar projects which would eventually cost ditch owners tens of thousands of dollars.

Mr. Stange declared that the ditch was built before that part was taken into the city limits and based much of his protest on the ditch company's priority rights. This ditch furnishes the lumber company and private property owners with water for domestic and industrial purposes.

After some discussion, the matter was laid before City Attorney Colon Eberhard and he reported that, in looking back over similar cases, he found that in two cases courts had ruled that in such improvements, the city would have to stand the cost of covering the ditch.

Another Protest

When district 185 was presented, another protest, representing six lots, was presented verbally and this hearing, also, was continued for a week. This district provides

for building sidewalks on Oak, Walnut, Palmer, Grandy, Jefferson and Adams.

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Robbers Discard Empty Money Bags

SALEM, Ore., Apr. 14. (AP)—First authentic clues on the trail of the safe robbers who took nearly \$20,000 from a safe in Odes, Workman and King department store in Portland last Sunday night, were found near Monmouth this morning. Olds, Workman and King pay envelopes and store money bags, emptied, were found hidden in the brush off the west side Pacific highway, near the intersection of the side road to Silver and the main highway.

John Hurteff and his 17-year-old son, Roy, who were cutting wood in the brush made the discovery, and turned their findings over to Sheriff Hooker.

IT WAS AN AWFUL SACRIFICE— But He Did It!

Paul Craver, leader of the Crayex musicians, had his mustache taken off today. Paul says nothing is going to interfere with the dance music he will furnish for the MoCo Eldorado on

April 20, 21, 22, 23

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