

TWIN OFFICERS' RECORDS ALIKE

First Lieutenants in U. S. Army Could Almost Swap Histories

WASHINGTON, Apr. 15 (AP)—The army has two pairs of twins who have twin service records, all first lieutenants. They are Herbert E. and Herschel D. Baker of the field artillery and Claude T. and Clem O. Gunn of the coast artillery.

Similarity in their service records is more pronounced in the case of the Baker brothers than of the Gunn brothers, although the latter seldom have been far apart in any important point. Lieutenant Herbert E. Baker is now with the Fourteenth Field Artillery at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and his brother with the Second Field Artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C., while the Gunn brothers are at Manila, Cienfuegos with the Fifty-ninth Coast Artillery and Claude with the Sixtieth.

Born at Watonsville, Ill., November 21, 1896, the sons of Colonel David Baker of the Medical Corps, the Baker brothers attended Marxist college, Atlanta, Ga., from January, 1909, until November, 1913. They enlisted in the regular army February 3, 1917, and were assigned as privates to Troop C, Second Cavalry, afterwards rising to the grade of privates, first class, in that troop and subsequently serving in Headquarters Troop, Fourth Division, and the One Hundred and Forty-seventh Field Artillery until they entered the Third Officers' Training School at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., January 5, 1918.

They were commissioned second lieutenants with emergency rating and served in the American Expeditionary Force together from April, 1918, until August, 1919, being wounded on the same day, October 26, 1918, in the Mouse Argonne engagement. Permanent rating as second lieutenants was given them a year later, and promotion followed in July, 1921. Both took the basic course in the Field Artillery School, 1921-1922, but after that parted company to take separate assignments.

Each is married and has one child. Herschel D. has the army serial number 6-11321, while Herbert E. has 6-11322, and their promotion numbers are 7144 and 7145 respectively.

We hope to live long, if only to see whether posterity ever erects a bronze statue of a man in tea-hound pants.

Sunday Theater Proposal Killed By City Council

EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 15—Proposal to open theaters and public lecture halls on Sundays was definitely killed by action of the city council, when by a vote of four to three the councilmen refused to place the matter before the voters at the coming special election.

The Rev. E. V. Stives, pastor of the First Christian church, was the chief opponent. He told members of the council that if they placed the proposal on the ballot they would be subject to criticism, as there were no petitions presented to the city by interested persons.

Harry Hutton, co-manager of the Eugene hotel, spoke on behalf of Sunday motion picture shows and lectures, saying that Eugene was the laughing stock of the entire Pacific northwest.

The council was split on the question, three of them, Ramsey Huth, Arthur Henderson and George Monroe voting for it on roll call. Councilmen Carl G. Washburne, A. A. Reid, F. E. Lamb and R. A. McCully voted against the proposal.

IMBLER PERSONALS

IMBLER (Special)—A large crowd attended the dance Saturday evening at the country club. The Pythian Sisters will give another dance April 23.

The Gleaner Girls of the L. D. S. church, of La Grande, put on a program here Monday evening. C. Bruce Holman, of Wolf Creek, visited friends here the first of the week. He returned home Tuesday. Mr. Holman is interested in the Laurel camp grounds at Wolf Creek.

Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. John Lloyd were shopping in La Grande Monday. Marvin Squire and John Lloyd made a business trip to Baker Monday.

Ed Dennison and John Lloyd were in La Grande Tuesday. The community church held a party for Nelson Knight Tuesday evening.

L. W. Hornbeck, of La Grande, was here on business Monday. The regular meeting of the boy scout troop was held here Monday evening. Lamar Westenskow is scout master.

Misses Gladys and Leona Waldorf and Mrs. Rev. of La Grande, called on Mrs. Ella M. Walker here Tuesday evening.

GETS HER MAN WITHOUT BULLETS



A girl of 21, with a revolver slung to her slim waist, represents the majesty of the federal law in Oklahoma. She is Miss Pauline Fanning, of Muskogee, one of the youngest women deputy marshals in the United States. Miss Fanning is quick on the trigger, but never has fired at anybody.—NEA, Kansas City Bureau

"Spiritual Wives" Weep For Dead Leader of English Sect

BRIDGEWATER, England, Apr. 15 (AP)—The death of John Hugh Smyth-Piggott has left many "spiritual wives" in tears at his "Abode of Love" and for the second time has deprived the Agapemones of a Messiah.

Smyth-Piggott, whose position was similar to that of "King" Benjamin Funnell of Benton Harbor, Mich., was well educated and served as a curate, sailor and Salvation Army officer before he entered the Agapemones sect.

The Agapemones were organized by Brother Prince, who first proclaimed himself John the Baptist, and eventually the Messiah. When he died in 1899 the colony began to disintegrate.

Smyth-Piggott was then only a preacher in the sect, but he conducted a campaign and in 1902 announced that Brother Prince had merely gone on high to pave the way for Smyth-Piggott's elevation to the Messiahship. The new leader then took up his

residence at Prince's magnificent home at Spaxton. Miss Ruth Preece, who was known as Sister Ruth, became his first "spiritual wife."

Although Smyth-Piggott asserted the members of the colony at the "Abode of Love" all lived in "spiritual love" together, the birth of a son to Sister Ruth aroused the people and later the registrar of births was called to the colony to record the birth of two other children to Sister Ruth.

"Spiritual brides" multiplied at the "Abode of Love," where the inmates lived in luxury. At one time Sister Ruth deserted the place and was succeeded by another woman known as Sister Grace. But Sister Ruth returned before Smyth-Piggott's death and was with him when influenza caused his death recently.

He was expelled from the Church of England in 1902. The indignation against him became so acute that a crowd of men went to the "Abode of Love" and tarred and feathered a man they thought was the leader. But it later became known that they had wreaked vengeance on Smyth-Piggott's secretary. Smyth-Piggott founded a branch of the sect in Norway and several Norwegian "spiritual brides" found their way to Spaxton.

When Smyth-Piggott joined the colony in 1899 he was about forty years old. Few outsiders ever saw him, as the colony lived in almost complete seclusion, but shortly before his death he appeared in his garden and neighbors said he was a tottering old man.

Kennewick Plans Big Berry Crop

KENNEWICK, Apr. 15—This district, which shipped 15,000 crates of strawberries last season, is looking forward this summer to a 25,000 crate crop, if the weather continues favorable.

Shipments in small lots are expected to begin about May 25, but probably not more than ten to fifteen carloads will be shipped in carload lots.

DOG POISONER TAKES TOLL OF ASTORIA DOGS

ASTORIA, Apr. 15—An epidemic of dog-poisoning which has taken a large number of dogs over a period of several months has aroused the people of West Astoria and the feeling has been brought to a head within the past few days as a result of the death of several more dogs.

Persons who have investigated the matter say that 18 dogs have been poisoned in West Astoria since last fall, and deaths during the past week totalling four or five. Those familiar with the action of poisons say that strychnine has undoubtedly been used, the dogs dying very quickly and with symptoms strongly indicating the use of this drug.

Police have examined the poison registers of all druggists in the city, but there have been no sales of poison which could have been employed for this purpose.

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