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## LATEST LINDBERGH PICTURES RUSHED TO THE OBSERVER



## PERRY PERSONALS

PERRY (Special)—Miss Pearl Murray went to Union Tuesday evening to attend the three days of the stock show. While there she will visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray. Miss Murray plans to return Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Robertson is visiting at Medical Springs this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. G. Murray and her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. T. Robertson.

Miss Iola Robertson, of Perry, and the Misses Edgardine and Sylvia Malone, of La Grande, returned last week from a ten-day visit at the home of Miss Helena Moore, at Medical Springs. Miss Moore attended La Grande high school this year and moved to the new mid city at the close of school.

Mrs. G. H. Ballantyne and Mrs. W. W. Gray were visitors to La Grande this week.

A picnic supper was given at the Riverside park by the people of Perry Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Larson who are moving away.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strong and Mrs. W. W. Gray are moving to Medical Springs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Murray and Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson and son, Morris, were week end visitors from Medical Springs.

Holger Larsen returned Monday from a trip to Portland.

Miss Jessie Murray and Robert Stockand drove to Walla Walla Sunday. Mr. Stockand is in charge of the railway from Walla Walla to La Grande.

Mrs. John Starr, who recently underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital, is reported to be much improved.

Miss Bernice Graham returned last Monday from Boise, Ida., where she attended high school at St. Margaret's hall. Miss Graham graduated this year with high honors.

Thomas Murray, who was thrown from a horse at Medical Springs two weeks ago, is able to be out now.

Among those who attended the dance at Medical Springs last week were: Levi Murray, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stephenson, C. A. Stephenson, Misses Jessie and Pearl Murray, Robert Stockand, Mr. and Mrs. Holger Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hagen, Mrs. C. Johnson and daughter, Clara, Mildred, Carl and Iola Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Strong and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster.

Carl Robertson is going to Doc, Ore., to spend the summer. While there he will work in the box factory for the Oregon Lumber company.

G. H. Ballantyne went to Walla Walla yesterday on business. He will return Saturday.

Miss Edgardine Malone visited at the home of Iola Robertson this week. Both girls will be seniors in the La Grande high school next fall.

These latest NEMA service telephotos illustrate graphically the bonus thrust upon Capt. Charles Lindbergh, intrepid American flyer, for his feat accomplishing the transatlantic air flight, alone and unaided. The pictures were rushed from Paris to New York by fastest steamer, and then telephoned to San Francisco for rapid service to The Observer. Above is Lindbergh, Ambassador Herrick and President Domergue of France, just after the French executive pinned on Lindbergh the medal of the French Legion of Honor. Below is Lindbergh with Herrick, who welcomed the flyer after his marvelous flight.



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Rain and the Union stock show seem to go together but it is impossible for any normal amount of moisture to dampen the enthusiasm of Union people. They'd have a show, a real one, if they had to provide it in a blizzard.

Lindbergh is coming home tomorrow and in spite of the fact that he has been the object of more newspaper publicity than any other private citizen within the memory of man his arrival will attract the eyes and ears of the whole nation. Which serves to indicate that this bashful young man for all the honor and fame he has won, is worthy of it and capable of possessing it in a way that is most creditable to his homeland.

Speaking of air pioneering, let it not be overlooked that four planes of the British royal air force have just completed a notable flight of 11,000 miles, from Cairo to Cape-town and back. The flight is described as a success in every respect. The flyers carried out their program without a hitch. The engines ran perfectly, and returned in such good condition that it is believed they could duplicate the voyage without overhauling. Obviously this generation is breeding good airmen and making good motors.

The proposed road across the mountains to Weston and Walla Walla from Elgin-Summerville would be of as great benefit to Walla Walla county as to Union county. Summer vacationists would be attracted into the Walla Walla mountains in droves. The lake would be almost as near to Walla Walla as it now is to La Grande, from the motorist's standpoint. The new highway would serve as a valuable outlet for Walla Walla county products, would help prosper that area. Walla Walla and Union county interests are identical, after all. Any improvement or development there is much to be desired by La Grande and the Grande Ronde valley.

### AN ANTI-DEBT CAMPAIGN

Admitting that we have had all sorts of anti organizations, anti-cigarette, anti-saloon, anti-suffrage and anti almost everything else, some of them useful and many of them futile, Roger Babson would still like to have one more variety of anti-league. He wants somebody to start an anti-debt league and get everybody to join it. Whether you are a bull or a bear, he says, "you can well afford to reduce your indebtedness and get those who owe you to reduce theirs."

This sounds easy and sensible. When one puts the working details of the idea to practical test, however, it proves harder than anticipated.

While making a special effort to get the car paid for, the grocery bill is allowed to lag a bit. When one's attention is called in no uncertain terms to the grocery bill, the month's current money is gone and savings have to be dipped into.

However, by the steady self-control of buying less of everything than the budget calls for, and paying steadily a tiny bit more, the debts can be reduced.

There can be no question of the fact that credit is a little too easy. It ought to bear a sounder relation to salesmanship. The high pressure which drives people into things they cannot quite afford, is bound, in time, to react upon all salesmanship. Taking every pains to lay before a prospective purchaser the advantages of one's own product is legitimate. But driving him over the edge of his reasonable buying power is selling him into slavery.

On the selling side the salesman should find out whether his prospect can be expected to be able to pay his installments without unduly cramping his living. There is no economic advantage for anyone in debts that are difficult or impossible to pay. A survey of forty families in Chicago a year or so ago showed the incomes of seven so pledged for installment payments that nothing at all remained for food or rent. That kind of indebtedness is all wrong and any campaign to get debts paid should work also against the original contracting of that particular variety in too great abundance.

## Much Championship Timber Awaiting Opening of National Golf Tourney

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—The roll of championship possibilities in this year's open golf tournament contains the names of three well known veterans whose shadows have, frequently fallen across the title gateway during the last five or six campaigns. They are Bobby Chickelbank, the West Coast star, who won the title in 1925, and Bill Mehlhorn, the husky Chicagoan.

Other stars have equalled their performances in sheer stroke, but with a better fate. Bobby Jones, always near the top, has twice been a victor. Walter Hagen, another long-continued contender, also has reached the crest on two occasions, while Gene Sarazen mounted the peak in 1922. But, despite the high caliber of their play, for seasons after seasons Chickelbank, Mehlhorn and Sarazen always have remained just outside the championship fold.

Chickelbank approached nearest to America's premier crown when he finished in a tie with Jones four years ago, only to lose the playoff to the Atlanta. The following year he was fourth, six strokes back of Cyril Walker.

Mehlhorn Strong Mehlhorn only once in the last five years has failed to place among the first ten. Last year he was third after being fifteenth in 1925. He was fourth in 1922, but his card was only two strokes higher than that of the champion. Sarazen. He was eighth in 1923 and third in 1924.

Diaget noted the a scunner in 1925 losing out in the final round to Ted Ray of England by a single

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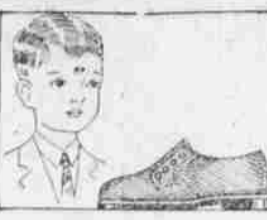
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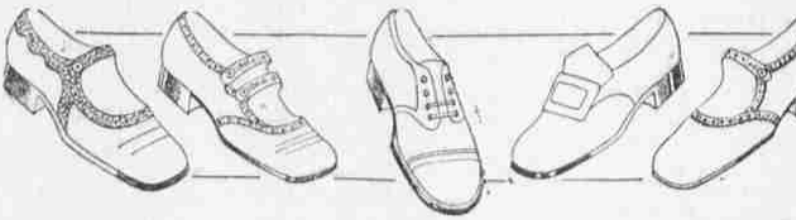
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### MORE HONORS HEAPED UPON U. S. AVIATORS

BERLIN, June 10 (AP)—Through streets lined with cheering noonday crowds, Clarence Chamberlin and Charles Levine accompanied by American Ambassador Schurman to receive further honors in recognition of their sensational non-stop flight from New York to Germany.

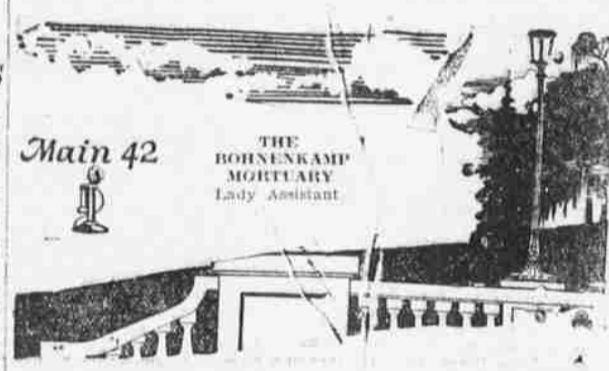
Mounting the imposingly high staircase, they were greeted by Lord Mayor Bross, who was surrounded by uniformed ushers bearing wands surmounted by the coat of arms of the Berlin municipality.

After being presented to the borough sinners, the president of the board of aldermen and other dignitaries, the flyers and the ambassador signed the city's "golden book."

Then they were escorted into the banquet hall to be greeted with a magnificent rendition of the "Star Spangled Banner" by Berlin's famous symphony orchestra.

At the conclusion of the luncheon, the lord mayor announced that the thoroughfare leading to Tomelhafer air field would henceforth be known as Columbia Strasse after the trans-Atlantic plane.

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