

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

July 21, 22, 23—State American Legion convention in La Grande.

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

In Union—

Tom Hissel, of this city, spent Sunday at Union on business.

Here From Walla Walla—

A. E. Ware and wife, of Walla Walla, are registered at the Foley hotel for a few days.

Paceltello People Here—

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Leonard and children are spending a few days in this city.

At Ontario—

J. G. Miller, of this city, spent the week end at Ontario transacting business.

Visiting Here—

Warren Rambo, of Boise, is visiting at the Orville Doss, home for a few days.

Improving—

Mrs. J. D. Meyers who has been ill for the past week or so is somewhat improved.

Here From Wallawa—

Mrs. Ralph Davis, of Wallawa, is visiting for a few days in La Grande. She is registered at the Foley.

To Pendleton—

Mrs. J. G. Miller and her sister, Louise Burnett, of Boise, and Warren Rambo, of Boise, drove to Pendleton yesterday for the day.

Here From Cove—

Mrs. M. R. Grace and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, of Cove, are visitors in La Grande for a short time. They arrived here yesterday, stopping at the Sumner hotel.

Here From Minnesota—

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fitzpatrick and children are stopping for a short time in La Grande. They are guests at the Foley.

Much Improved—

Mr. H. Carbine, who has been seriously ill for several weeks is now much improved, and able to be about home. Mr. Carbine's home is in Pruitville.

To Portland—

Among the La Grande people who will attend the rose festival are Mrs. Millie Williamson and Mrs. Brooks Campbell who left this morning for Portland. They will remain there about two weeks.

Guests at Putnam Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Putnam have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff, of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff drove to Ontario today, and will return after a brief stay there.

On Fishing Trip—

Mr. A. Stevens and A. McCallister, both O.W. dispatchers, are fishing today in Monahan creek. They plan to return late this evening.

Here For Summer—

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cook will have as their guest this summer, Mrs. Cook's sister, Mrs. Clara Stewart. Mrs. Stewart is home now at the Chi Omega sorority home at Corvallis. She is expected to arrive in La Grande this evening.

Leave For Reno—

The Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Parker left today by car for Reno, Nev. where they will visit for about three weeks with their son, H. W. Parker, Jr., and his family. Their home is just out of Reno, N. Sparks.

Returns Home—

Ernest Hamilton left this morning for his home at Arlington after visiting for three days with his brother, Emmett Hamilton, at this city. Ernest is a teacher at the Arlington high school.

On Fishing Trip—

W. N. Palmer and son, Otto Palmer, spent Sunday fishing in lakes in the Medical Springs country. They report that the lakes and surrounding country are still in the throes of winter and that to fish it was necessary to cut down through the ice for many feet.

SMITH SMART Oxfords AT CLINT'S In newest styles in tan and black. They are beauties! \$9.85 The Pair Clint's Clothery The Store With a Conscience

Accepts Position—

Merlin Moxter has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Paris.

Leaves For Spokane—

Mrs. Jeanette Hughes will leave this evening for a several weeks' visit in Spokane.

In Burns—

L. H. Irwin is spending a few days in Burns where he is transacting business.

Home From Oregon—

Francis Robinson has returned home from Eugene where he spent the past year attending school.

Home From Pendleton—

Hill Beckie has returned home from Pendleton where he spent several days visiting with his brother.

Drove to Spokane—

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carr drove to Spokane over the past week end. Mr. Carr transacted business during the trip.

Here From Union—

Superintendent Roy Conklin and daughters were visiting in La Grande during the day. Mr. Conklin transacted business during the stay.

Home From Hospital—

Mrs. Omer Barnwell and little daughter, Wilma Jean, were taken to their home yesterday from the Grande Ronde hospital. The baby was born Wednesday, June 8. She weighed six pounds.

Baby Girl Born—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spivey are the parents of a seven and a half pound baby daughter born to them yesterday from the maternity home. Both the mother and baby are doing nicely.

Leave For Portland—

Mrs. T. D. Johnson and children Grace, Tommy, and Harold, left this morning for Portland where they will spend about four days visiting with friends and attending the Portland rose festival.

Left on Vacation Trip—

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Zimmerman and son, Doyle, and Mrs. Frank Kelly and her sister, Mrs. Ruth Harmon, left yesterday, by auto, for Portland, Astoria and Seaside on a two-weeks vacation trip.

To Attend Commencement—

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Keer left today for Portland, where they will attend the commencement program of the Portland school of Commerce. Their son, Howard Keer, is a member of the graduating class.

Mother Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loboy have as their guest, Mrs. Louisa's mother, Mrs. Mary Jachanke, of Portland. Mrs. Jachanke has been visiting in the east and stopped here this morning on her way home. She will remain several days before returning to Portland.

Will Make Home Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson and family, formerly of this city who have made their home in Oklahoma for some time, have returned to La Grande and plan to make this city their home. They declared that Oklahoma was all right, but that Oregon was better.

Transferred to Portland—

Miss Wilma Arnold and Miss Jean Chandler, nurses in the Grande Ronde hospital here for the past two years, have been transferred to the Emanuel hospital in Portland. They will leave here sometime after the first of July.

Stopped Here Yesterday—

Miss Dorothy Waldron of Milton-Freewater visited yesterday at the A. W. Nelson home. She left during the afternoon for Cove where she will attend the Cove Assession school. Miss Waldron who is a cousin of Mrs. Nelson is a sophomore in high school.

Home From Eugene—

Mr. and Mrs. William Condit have returned to their home here from Eugene, where they met their daughter, Miss Marjorie Condit, who is a freshman at the University of Oregon. Miss Condit is home for the summer vacation. They visited in Portland on route home.

Return Home—

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eldridge and family and Mrs. Kate Phillipps of Kahlottus, Wash., who have been spending about ten days as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver at their home in Washington. Mr. Eldridge is Mrs. Oliver's brother while Mrs. Phillipps is an old friend of the Oliver family.

Leaves For Portland—

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Carbine and daughter, Evelyn, left today for Portland where they will spend several days visiting and attending the rose festival. They will be joined at Hood River by Mrs. E. C. Waldron and children of Ogden, Utah, who have been visiting at La Grande for the past two weeks. Mrs. Waldron and her children left Monday for Hood River.

Be Home Today—

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Holm and daughter, Genevieve, Miriam and Cora, will be home today from Walla Walla, Wash. Miss Genevieve Holm graduated from Whitman college yesterday. Her parents drove to the Washington city Sunday morning to be there for the commencement services and the commencement program.

On Way to Funeral—

A number of Catholic bishops and priests passed through La Grande and Washington on their way to Boise where they will attend the funeral of Bishop Gorman. Among the party were Archbishop Howard of Portland, Bishop White, Bishop of Spokane, Bishop O'Say, of Seattle and Monsignor Ryan, of Seattle.

S. P. Will Build Rail Line From Lakeview, Ore.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14 (AP)—The Southern Pacific company announced last night that construction of a standard gauge line to replace the narrow gauge railroad track of the Nevada-California-Oregon line, between Wendell, Cal., and Lakeview, Ore., would begin immediately.

The announcement said work would be carried on actively until the job was completed. The narrow gauge line connects with the Southern Pacific's Fernley branch at Wendell and extends westerly through Burns, Ore., to Lakeview. The Southern Pacific took over control of the line by stock ownership last November.

LEGION PRINCESS CHOSEN YESTERDAY

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of the committee. Miss Branswell will have the honor of competing for Miss Oregon queen of the legion convention, with princesses from other parts of the state. So far entries in the contest indicate that this will be a big part of the convention, 12 entries having already been made and at least that many more expected before the middle of July.

One of the outstanding entries entered by Miss Louise Martin from Chief Post of the American Legion at Mission, Emmitt's Indian reservation. Miss Martin's native name is "Silver Star." She will represent the only Indian legion post in the United States.

BYRD TO ATTEMPT ROUND TRIP HOP TO PARIS NEXT

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but today it was said that weather was the only thing that could now delay the take-off tomorrow night or early Thursday morning. At the Bell hangar at Roosevelt field, mechanics pressed, insurance and other plans for a round trip flight but there seemed to be a feeling of excitement and secrecy about the hangar which suggested that something unusual was in the air.

The bi-motored Pottker American which will be manned by Byrd and Bert Acosta, who with Thompson holds the world record for endurance flying, was said to be in readiness for a hop off whenever it should be decided to leave.

James Kimball of the weather bureau at New York, questioned by telephone concerning atmospheric conditions said that as he had been given to understand that Byrd would not leave before the end of the week, he had taken no steps to complete weather charts. He had no data, he said, concerning probable conditions for the other side of the ocean, but on this side there was strong weather which would not be favorable for flying.

119 MILES OF RAIL SOUGHT BY 3 STATES

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opposition. They said that while the new line would eliminate grades, it would be more than 100 miles longer than the present line, and the cost of heavy construction work in the Snake river canyon would offset advantages to be gained from the water grade.

Hampton Leads In Golf Championship

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With more than half the field represented for the first 18 holes of the national open golf championship here late today, Harry Hampton of Memphis, Tenn., went into the lead when he turned in a card of 73. Hampton shot par golf, ending out, and came home one under par.

His card: 44 24 25—27 In 44 24 25—26-72 A few minutes after Hampton finished, Harrison E. (Jimmy) Johnston, Minneapolis, Minn., former Western amateur champion, turned in a card of 73 to tie the leader. Johnston had a hole for a hole 72 on the home green, but the ball hit the back of the cup and bounced off.

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Home From Baker—

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brokaw, former La Grande people now of Baker, were in La Grande today. Mr. Brokaw is being here in the interests of the E. O. L. & P. company of which he is chief engineer.

Mr. Brokaw conferred with local company officials in regard to the new office building which is being constructed next to the old Y. M. C. A. building.

Home From School—

Bernard Hampton arrived home last night from Eugene where he has been attending the university for the past year. He will spend the summer months visiting with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hammett, Hammett has completed two year's work at the university.

Home From Business School—

Miss Corinne Hughes arrived home yesterday from Portland where for the past year she has attended the Whitman-Walker business college. Miss Hughes will spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Mary Baker. She will be employed in the office of the telephone company.

DISTINGUISHED RATING

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—Oregon Agricultural college was among 24 higher educational institutions rated as distinguished colleges for 1927 by the war department yesterday after its annual inspection of schools maintaining efficient military training courses.

CHAMBER IS ADDRESSED BY C. CHAPMAN

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building or expansion because of the present and discouragement that they feel is given them in tax methods and tax regulation.

Urges Caution

The president of one of the biggest banks in Chicago, Mr. Chapman said, was quoted in him directly as urging caution on the part of any investor who is considering Oregon as a possible place to put new capital, advising against the state because of unsettled tax conditions. He said that this is a general feeling throughout the east, that Oregon is bankrupt, an unattractive place for industrial development.

This attitude on the part of manufacturers and investors in new enterprises is due, Mr. Chapman pointed out, to the experience with state income taxes in Wisconsin and also in Oregon when the tax was briefly in force. In the former state years of experience have shown, he says, that the income tax does not become a property tax relief and doesn't reduce property taxes. Property taxes continue to grow, and the income tax becomes merely an added tax burden that hinders industry and retards growth.

In this state the speaker said, there were increases in the tax burden of manufacturers amounting to from 25 per cent to as high as 100 per cent and even up to 500 per cent.

The inventor industry is not loath to give his community proper support and does not wish to avoid his just share of taxes. Mr. Chapman says that here in Union and also in Oregon, industrial have lent aid and constant support to local programs, to school and civic betterment, that they are glad to add with additional millage taxes when required—but that they oppose a tax that will penalize them when they happen to have one prosperous year among many when they suffer large losses.

In closing his address Mr. Chapman made a plea for consideration of the state income tax measure, for a vote from everyone according to his or her conviction. Finally he said that a vote of opposition to the income tax was a vote in favor of Oregon's going ahead.

COL. LINDBERGH VISITS FRIENDS ON FLYING FIELD

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hundred of less than a month ago, and then returned to his apartment. The trip to the aviation grounds occupied about three hours of Colonel Lindbergh's time. The program for the remainder of the day, in view of the cancellation of the central park celebration was indefinite, but it was expected that he and his mother might take a short automobile ride in the afternoon, after luncheon at the newspaper club, returning to their temporary home in time to prepare for the dinner which is to be given the colonel by the city of New York at the Commodore tonight.

WASHINGTON, June 14 (AP)—

How the imagination of youth has been gripped by the glamor of trans-Atlantic flying is reflected in application for service with the army air corps.

During the past few weeks, conditions for flying honors have more than doubled the usual quota at recruiting stations and inquiries about the service have swamped information officers at the war department.

A remarkable puzzle to us has always been why a motorist who isn't going any place has to drive 20 miles an hour to get there.

2 Women Burned; Others In Panic

SEATTLE, June 14 (AP)—Two young women were severely burned and a dozen women and children were thrown into panic when fire destroyed the interior of the wooden cannery motorship Donna Lane at Point Wells, 20 miles north of here this morning.

By heroic action members of the crew were able to rescue the women and children, the children being dragged to safety through the post-holes. Anna Rasmussen and Esther Astrid, both of Seattle, were severely burned when they became caught in port holes. They were saved by crew members who chopped holes in the deck as flames were burning the women's clothing. Both are in the Edmonds, Wash. hospital. The women were members of the saltery crew.

The vessel stopped at Point Wells to take on gasoline and oil. While taking on oil a crew member dropped a hose in the forward hold of the craft. It struck an electric light globe. Waste oil was ignited instantly, the flames soon spreading to gasoline.

Will Hold Twins In Portland Jail

COURT HOUSE, Jacksonville, Ore., June 14 (AP)—Ray and Roy De Autremont, held in Ohio for alleged complicity with their brother Hugh, now on trial for murder growing out of the same crime, will, in all probability be held in the Multnomah county jail at Portland, according to Special Prosecutor George M. Newton and District Attorney Newton C. Chaney. The twins are expected to start for Oregon the latter part of this week from Columbus, O., in custody of Sheriff Ralph Jennings.

The reason given for the detention of the pair in Multnomah county is inadequate facilities at Jacksonville.

No date has been set for the arraignment of the De Autremont twins, and the tentative date for the trial has been fixed for some time in August.

No arrangements as yet have been made by their parents for providing counsel for them.

American Indians Start on Long Run

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San Francisco, June 14 (AP)—Eleven American Indians, pick of the tribes and outstanding physical specimens in living bronze, started from here today on the first of a 4,800 mile run from San Francisco to Grants Pass, Ore.—the longest marathon on record.

At Jennings, former outlaw and present mayor of Crescent City, Cal., sent the first entrant had been handed a message of greeting from Mayor James J. Ralph Jr., of San Francisco, to Mayor George J. Fox of Grants Pass.

Eight Karonds representing the Oregon Cavemen, a Grants Pass organization, entered the race, while three Zuni from New Mexico, represented Marfa and Hainbold counties and the city of Williams.

The prize total about \$2,000, with \$1,000 as first prize.

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WICKER PARK IS DEDICATED BY COOLIDGE

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been instrumental in the nation's advancement, the president continued. That these ideals might continue to dominate the course of humanity America entered the world war, he said, and helped to perpetuate them through her victorious conclusion.

"When America has drawn the sword it has always been the people who have won," he declared.

"While a very large emphasis is entitled to be placed on our imperfection, after all, it is the progress we have made which is of chief significance," he said. "The conclusion that our institutions are sound, that our social system is correct, has been demonstrated in the question of experience. . . . It is always very easy to promise everything. It is something else to deliver anything. In our political and economic life there will always be those who are lavish with unwarranted criticism and well supplied with false hope. It is always well to remember that American institutions have stood the test of experience. . . ."

"The estimation which we, as a nation set upon the patriotic efforts of those who have served in time of war is revealed not only in the untold treasure which we have lavished upon them and their dependents, but also in the highest possible honors which have constantly been conferred upon them by their fellow citizens. As a people, we stand in respectful reverence before the things that are unseen. It is but a passing glance that we bestow upon wealth which we pour out upon courage, patriotism and character. We dedicate no monuments to merely financial and economic success, while our country is filled with memorials to those who have done some service for their fellow men. . . ."

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"HAIL GANG" COMEDY "HAIL ROACH" COMEDY "TIRE BUSINESS MEN"

Starting Thursday—CLARA BOW in "ROUGH-HOUSE ROSIE"

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