

### AUGUST IS BEST FOR STAR GAZING

#### Meteors to Put on Their Annual Display—Some May Reach Earth

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UHANNA, Ill. (AP)—August is the best time to look for shooting stars. During this month the Perseids...



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of August meteors put on their annual display. It will not be a brilliant spectacle, but if the sky is watched attentively for a few minutes on a clear evening when the moon is not too bright, one or several Perseids will probably appear.

Ordinarily they are invisible but whenever a swarm encounters the earth the meteors plunge downward through our atmosphere, are heated intensely by friction with it and are consumed by their own fury before they can reach the ground.

Perseids as we are by the atmosphere, we do not often think of them as actually radiating from a point. Actually they move in parallel paths.

Perseus rises in the northeast at 8 1/2 p. m. on August 1 at 10 o'clock on the 15th and at 9 near the end of the month. This constellation appears in the Milky Way as a great arrow of stars pointing upward to Cassiopeia's Chair.

Some meteor swarms are so compact that, although we cross their paths annually, they produce showers at longer intervals. Of this kind is the Leonid swarm,

showers of 1833 and 1866. Occasionally the earth encounters a meteor so much larger than usual that it is only partly consumed in its flight through the air and falls to the ground.

Long 131pse The path of the August meteors is a long ellipse which stretches from the earth's orbit far out beyond the planet Neptune. The members of the swarm are well scattered around the orbit.

### ALICEL PERSONALS

ALICEL (Special)—Mrs. Archie Keown is recovering from her recent operation but will have to stay in the hospital a few days yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Speckhart attended the funeral of Miss Harrison which was held Sunday afternoon with burial in the Island City cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leonic, of Muddy creek, spent Sunday at the Ledbetter home.

Mrs. George Conklin called on Grandma Gaskill one afternoon last week.

A. L. Taylor is heading his wheat this week.

J. L. Kuhn is at Soap Lake taking treatments for eczema. Mr. Kuhn plans to stay a month and hopes to be cured by the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rosenbaum, of Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playle, of La Grande, called at the Carl Fuller home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright were visiting relatives here over Sunday.

Mrs. A. V. Fisher was shopping in La Grande Saturday afternoon.

Russia proclaims a defense week. Has somebody been trying to lead that country some money again?

Answer all questions honestly and as fully as the mind of the child will comprehend. See to it that you parents are the ones to inform your children upon the great question of life, and do it in a manner which satisfies their intelligence.

### MATILDA HOUGHTON WEDS



Most brilliant of the London summer social season was the wedding of Matilda Houghton, daughter of Ambassador Houghton, American ambassador to Great Britain, to Chamberlain Harrison. A superb picture of the handsome couple leaving St. Mark's Westminister after the ceremony.

### HEALTH

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Joe Kenyon and Miss Charlotte Steen were married last Monday at the court house. A large crowd chartered them last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tod Henderson.

Homer Green Jr. and Sam Noeline are camping with the boys south of Wallawa lake this week.

Several of the L. D. S. people from here celebrated at Medical Springs last Monday.

Irish Westenslow drove to Portland last Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hubbard motored to Wallawa lake last Sunday. They returned Monday evening.

Miss Ruth Parsons, of Elgin, visited over the week end with Miss Marian Nodine.

Mrs. Sam Morris called on Mrs. J. L. Andrews last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gekeler and baby and Grandma Gekeler visited last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Perin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight and daughter visited friends here last Monday.

Hech Buoy and Perry Lanman made a business trip to La Grande last Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Glenn and Mrs. Emma Fisher and son, Jesse, were in La Grande last Saturday.

A Texan has managed to keep awake 150 hours by drinking coffee and smoking cigarettes. Just the man for a job as clerk for a grand opera company.

required common sense on the part of the parents combined with an intelligent desire to grasp every opportunity which medical science offers for the protection of health, and a full realization that comprises not only the mental and the physical, but also the spiritual.

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