

HARVESTING OF CHERRIES AT PEAK NOW

Union County Expects to Ship About 30 Carloads of Black Varieties

300 TONS ROYAL ANNES PRODUCED

Quality of Fruit Better This Year Than Usual—La Grande Orchard Bears About 12 Tons

Harvesting of one of Union county's most important crops—cherries—is now at its peak and, with the majority of the fruit to be cleaned up within the next few days, it is estimated that from 25 to 30 carloads of black cherries will be shipped out of the valley before the season is over.

Some growers estimate that 55 per cent of the fruit being shipped consists of Kings and Lamberts, while the remaining 15 per cent consists of Royals and Annes. This Royal Anne harvest is practically completed, these cherries ripening earlier than the black varieties. Between 275 and 300 tons of this fruit will be shipped out.

Cove Crop Large

Cove, the largest cherry producing part of the valley, is producing about 17 carloads of blacks and about two-thirds of the Royal Annes, it is said.

Karl J. Stackland, a Cove grower, says that the harvest is heavier than was at first anticipated. He believes that picking will be over by the last of next week, probably a week from today or tomorrow.

The quality of the cherries this year is the best in several seasons, it is generally reported over all the valley.

C. L. Berry, of the company of J. A. Shira and C. L. Berry, has a new variety of cherries, called the New Giant Lamberts, which are proving very successful. Last year this variety drew top prices in the New York auction market, it is said.

12 Tons From 175 Trees

This orchard, near La Grande, has 175 trees of the New Giant Lamberts, and it is expected that the yield will be at least 12 tons. They will also get about two tons of other varieties of cherries.

The New Giant Lamberts, good shippers, are packed by the Blue Mountain Fruit exchange in very attractive boxes, designed to make a particular appeal to Eastern buyers.

The Shira and Berry orchard also has 200 new trees, about five years old, which are expected to bear a good crop within another year.

UNION, Ore., July 19 (Special)—Cherry picking and packing in this section of the Grande Ronde valley is nearing the zenith and may be finished in about a week.

There are two centers for the packing part of the industry, the association handling its fruit at the warehouse in the west part of the town, and the Cove packers, Dean and Stackland, packing out at the Paul Fruit company's building near the town.

Cherries are of good quality, some of the growers stating that their fruit is the best it has been in years.

It is estimated that about 15 carloads of cherries will be expressed out of Union this year.

The Royal Annes are being sent to California and the black cherries to the eastern markets. L. A. Blumck, a representative of the C. H. Wheeler & Co., of Chicago, has been here for the last few days looking after the shipments to the east. He was also in other fruit regions of the northwest arranging for similar shipments.

126,000 SING AT SCHUBERT ANNIVERSARY

VIENNA, July 20 (AP)—One hundred and twenty thousand voices, singing unaccompanied and forming the largest chorus ever assembled, today paid a mighty tribute to Franz Peter Schubert.

La Grande Unit To Send Special Cars To Picnic

Annual Meeting and Athletic Contests for O.-W. Employees at Bonneville Sunday.

On train No. 23 tomorrow night will be three special cars filled with O.-W. employees and their families from the second division bound for the annual Bonneville picnic, the big social and athletic gathering of the year for the company. On the train will be a number of members of the U. P. Athletic club of La Grande who will compete for places on the unit track team that goes to Boise Aug. 26 and 27 for the system meet.

On the train, too, will be Andrew Loney Jr., director of the La Grande municipal band, who has been asked to direct the unit band that will go to Boise. With the Portland band as the nucleus, other towns will contribute band members who are expected to swell the size of the band to 60 players. Mr. Loney will later select a 30-piece band to represent the unit in system competition. Mr. Loney's selection as director from the unit is a tribute to him and is proof that his ability is recognized throughout the state. Dick Lindsey and Roy Mattoon, also railroad employes, will play in the band at Bonneville. There will be entertainment for everyone and a huge picnic lunch. The special cars are to return on train No. 6 Sunday morning.

In the athletic competitions a first or second place makes the competitors eligible for the trip to Boise. Many from La Grande are expected to make a berth on the team. C. C. Howard, D. A. Graham, W. W. Redmond of La Grande and O. Orton, of Union, were to go to Union today and run against time for the mile and two-mile events, which will not be run off at the unit meet. Instead, the winners of these two events of the track meet will be determined by the time records.

The entire track team will be composed of C. E. Millering, W. W. Redmond, L. F. Newlin, L. P. Gray, J. V. Rosenbaum, A. Martin, Imbler, H. Figit, Union, O. Orton, Union, E. Bates, Union, C. C. Howard and D. A. Graham. While four members live outside La Grande they are members of this club.

Program Given For Concert By La Grande Band

The program for the old-favorite concert to be given this evening by the La Grande municipal band in the high school athletic field at 8 o'clock, has been completed.

A large crowd is expected and people who come in cars are asked to be there by 8 o'clock so that noise from the engines will not interfere with the band music.

It is expected that this concert will be one of the most popular of the summer series.

The program follows: 1. March "Thunderer," Sousa. 2. Scenes from the light opera "Robin Hood," De Koven. 3. Cornet solo "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," Stultz, Leland Hale. 4. Concert waltz "Wedding of the Winds," Hall. 5. Potpourri of "Songs from the Old Folks," Lake. 6. Descriptive "A Hunting Scene," Bucalossi.

7. Concert duet "La Paloma," Yradier, Messers. Hale and Wyde. 8. Overture "Poet and Peasant," Van Suppe.

Imbler Young Folk Give Lake Program

A delightfully varied program that skipped down the lake to plant solos and readings was given by a group of Imbler young folk for the patients and guests at Hot Lake last evening. The evening program was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience of approximately 190 that attended the program. One of the regular entertainers provided at the lake, those who took part were Elizabeth Hubel, Berle McCoy, Ivy Lanman, Mabel West, Mairida Henry and Henry Love.

Clothing Stolen From Glover Camp

Some unknown persons or persons robbed several men in the railroad camp at Glover yesterday afternoon, according to word received by the police. The theft was committed while none of the men were present. Articles reported stolen include a suitcase, several shirts, some underclothing, blankets, etc.

Pete Fernandez was one of the men who reported clothing stolen.

ELECTRIC FENCE PROTECTS TRAINS



Train wrecks caused by stone slides on mountain grades have been eliminated on the Union Pacific by a new invention called the electric fence. In the past, large boulders often fell down a cliff and knocked trains out of place. Other rocks that fell on the tracks caused wrecks to the roadbed. The electric fence is built in 75-foot sections parallel to the roadbed. Each section has a box of its own. When a boulder or rock slide strikes the fence, the section's electric fuse is pulled. This in turn throws a block signal and stops all trains through an electric control. There are about 1200 feet of this fence near Telocost in Pyles canyon, put up last fall by this division of the Union Pacific. Western railroad officials say the new fence will prevent wrecks of freight and passenger trains. The upper photo shows the plugs in place. The lower picture shows the fence after it had saved the track from a rock slide.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT BEGINS SUNDAY

Several Northwest Stars to Compete in Eastern Oregon Event Here

When three white balls whirl almost simultaneously over three white nets at 8 o'clock Sunday morning the year's most important tennis event in all Eastern Oregon will be officially under way. It will mark the beginning of three solid days of tennis when La Grande will be the mecca of the nation's earnestest best-played racquet sports of this half of the state. More than that—for the scope of the tournament outdoes the state's boundaries, slipping into Washington for players from Walla Walla and Yakima. Then there will be several racquet wielders from the west half of Oregon. Players that until yesterday were lined up from Boise have sent their regrets.

A large attendance of members is anticipated and interest in the fish contest is always keen. Prizes to be offered are on display in the show window of The Toggery. They follow: Bamboo pole (\$10), Jack Allen Supply Co.; camera (\$45), Moon Drug Co.; box candy (\$45), Sanford's; picnic ham (\$25), Harry Mohr; electric pencil (\$2.50), Electric Service; 5-gallon gas can (\$15.00), Ledbetter's; garage; three pounds of special coffee, Safeway Stores; Chevrolet wheel (\$15), Western Auto Supply Co.; special roasted coffee, Senses Cash Stores; croquet set (\$5), Carr Furniture Co.; cake for largest Rainbow, McWilliams; \$5 gold piece, La Grande National bank; 10 gallons gasoline, Playle Oil Co.; bamboo pole (\$20), W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.; box cigars, best catch of bass, T. R. Maxwell; quart auto enamel, largest bass, Noah Paint Store; non-reflector mirror, M. J. Goss; one cigar (\$5), W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.; no cigars, Red Cross Drugs; 16 gallons gasoline, best catch by Ford, Perkins Motor Co.; meat prize, Grande Ronde Meat Co.; gas lantern, Ronde Meat Co.; gas lantern, Ronde Meat Co.; Clinta Clothier; pipe, Imperial Billiard Parlor; cigars, Herman Iosch; \$2.50 gold, Equitable Savings bank; shirt, N. K. West Co.; flashlight, Battery Service; box cigars, Glass-Drugg; hunting bag, The Toggery; electric fan (\$12.50), E. O. L. & P. Co.; and trout line, Pastime Pool hall.

O. S. C. Star to Compete

George Spier, first ranking player of O. S. C., from Baker, will be here in the star ranks. Claire Hartman, who swings a wicked racket to become a ranking player at U. of O., will be another collegiate performer who will attract much interest. Then Jack Ahearn, Whitman ace, is to be back to defend his last year's championship title, and every other champion except Harold Gillis, now of Coquille, who with Ahearn had the doubles title, will be here. Such players as Jean Taylor, who is doing his stuff at the University of Washington, Fred Fox, of Union, Park Taylor, of La Grande, Earl Garrison, North Powder and the Wilson brothers of Imbler, will play. Both Bell and Pendleton are bringing players who are known here for stellar tennis.

Bend, Baker, Union, Imbler, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Eugene, North Powder, Yakima, Milton and La Grande are the cities represented.

Miss Jenkins Coming

That Miss Marion Jenkins, first ranking player at Whitman, will be here, adds zest to the women's singles. Miss Jenkins, who is from Yakima, will surely provide a stiff competition, should she follow down to meet Miss Jeanne Bell, Pendleton, and champion-holder for several years. If this game comes to

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STATE LABOR CONVENTION PLANS MADE

Max Cullen to Be General Chairman, Open Headquarters Aug. 5

OSBORNE SPEAKS TO LOCAL COUNCIL

Sessions in September May Include Trip to Wallowa Lake and Cowboy Breakfast.

Beginning Aug. 5 when Max Cullen will establish regular headquarters as general chairman, actual preparations for the Oregon Federation of Labor convention, to be held here Sept. 19-24, will begin to boom. On that date Mr. Cullen will give up his work with the Crescent Meat company and will devote his entire time to the convention program. His original plans to go east on that date have been changed with this arrangement, it was announced this morning following a meeting of the Central Labor council last night with Ben Osborne, state secretary in attendance.

Such a plan is regarded as highly satisfactory, in that it does not make too strenuous demands on council members who would have to take care of the extensive convention preparations aside from their regular job.

"We are completely satisfied with this arrangement," said Seth Strine, who formally accepted his nomination as president of the council last night. "It does not take extra time away from the jobs of the committee workers, it makes possible a better co-operation all the way around, and we know it will result in a better-planned and more successful convention," continued Mr. Strine.

Mr. Osborne spoke to the council last night, recommending heartily the plan to have Mr. Cullen look after the convention work. No definite program has yet been announced, but Mr. Cullen said today that a trip to Wallowa Lake will possibly be a highlight, while a cowboy breakfast is being mentioned as one of the social features. There will be authoritative and prominent speakers here, he said.

Mr. Cullen expects to appoint committees within the next few days.

An interesting feature of last evening's busy council meeting was the visit of Robert Haley, leader of the home market survey, who outlined plans for his project here and explained the purposes of such a survey in detail.

Seattle Man May Succeed Williams As Realty Chief

VICTORIA, B. C., July 20 (AP)—George Kinnear, director of the Seattle real estate board, has been nominated prominently as the probable successor of Sherwood Williams, of La Grande, Ore., as president of the Pacific Northwest Real Estate association now in annual convention here. The nominating committee began work on a slate of officers that will be submitted to the general convention today, while some 300 realtors from all sections of the Pacific northwest went into a series of divisional group meetings which made up the program of their second day in convention.

Two Drowned Near Astoria in 2 Days

ASTORIA, Ore., July 20 (AP)—Charles Henry Johnson, aged 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of Knappa, was drowned late yesterday when a snow upon which he was playing exploded in the Columbia river.

Arne Hermanson, 5, was drowned the day before when he fell through a hole in the platform of a boardwalk.

Hiker-Mountain Climber Says View From Eagle Cap, Matterhorn Best

"The most wonderful scenic view in all Oregon or Washington is that seen from Matterhorn or Eagle Cap in Wallowa county and I speak with authority, for I've been on every peak in the Cascades except Jefferson."

This was the statement today of Fred E. Robin, member of the Trails club in Portland, honorary member of the Astoria Anglers club of Astoria, sponsor of long-distance hikes and authority on Northwest scenery—all in connection with his ardent devotion to mountaineering and hiking.

Mr. Robin, who boasts 62 arctic expeditions, with a party from Portland and Astoria, stopped in La Grande long enough to sing lustily the praises of Wallowa county before returning home after a glorious week spent among the towering

rock-jutted, snow-capped mountains with their sprinkling of gemlike lakes that have earned for Wallowa county the name "Wonderland."

May Have Record

Mr. Robin demonstrated his ability as a hiker when he scaled the west side of Matterhorn, a feat which he is told by Wallowa county fishermen and "old timers" has never been done before. "If it has been climbed before on the west side, I'm eager to hear about it," said Mr. Robin today. "I'd like very much to know if I have actually the record of climbing it first."

From what Fred told at the lake I think I have.

The rest of the party accompanied Mr. Robin on the climbs up

MORISONS GUILTY ON FOUR COUNTS; FINE TOTALS \$500

Commission Room Packed to Overflowing During Trial—Officers Tell of Exciting Raid.

PLEADING guilty to one charge, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morison, of 208 Box Elder street, elected to contest three other charges in the municipal court last night but lost all around in spite of a spirited defense maintained by Attorney H. L. Hines.

Mrs. Morison was fined \$100 for destruction of city property, the charge to which she pleaded guilty. She was also found guilty of disorderly conduct, the penalty for which was set at \$150.

Her husband was fined \$100 for possession of beer and \$150 for disorderly conduct.

Called Overflows Room

Much interest was shown in the trial, a crowd that overflowed into the hall packing the city commission room. City Judge C. M. Humphreys presided and City Attorney George T. Cochran was in charge of the prosecution.

Deputy Sheriff Amos L. Helms was the first witness called and he told of the Tuesday night raid. His testimony was to the effect that he and two police officers searched the house during which time both defendants used abusive and profane language. The witness declared that he found a bottle that contained liquor that smelled like beer and placed it on the stove, whereupon Mrs. Morison snatched it and broke it. Shortly after this, he said, she broke another bottle which she produced from some place unknown to him.

She Resisted Officers, Claim

The upper rooms and cellar were searched without finding any more and the officers, deciding that the Morisons' action constituted disorderly conduct, told them they would have to go to jail. Mr. Helms testified that she resisted taking her to jail, kicking and demonstrating violently against arrest. Finally she was forcibly put into Mr. Helms' car and the two prisoners were taken to the police station, where she used further abusive and profane language.

Police John Allen and Ben Hummel were the next two witnesses corroborating Mr. Helms' testimony and stating that Mr. Morison also used profane language after arriving at the city building. It was also testified to that after Mrs. Morison broke the bottle on the stove, her husband patted her on the back and said: "That's right, honey, you know how to get rid of it."

Found Liquor Later

All three officers testified that after taking the two to jail, they returned to the home for a more thorough search and that a bottle containing beer was found in a dresser drawer. In a ditch in the backyard a sack of bottled beer was also found, they said. Both the sack and the bottle found in the home were introduced and identified.

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OBREGON

Here is the latest photograph of President-Elect Alvaro Obregon, of Mexico, who was assassinated at a restaurant near Mexico City Tuesday afternoon. Obregon was to succeed President Calles in December.

BANDIT SEARCH MOVES TO OREGON

Portland Officers Seek William Herder, Wanted at Eureka, Cal.

EUREKA, Cal., July 20 (AP)—Portland officers are searching for William Herder, wanted at Eureka, Cal., in connection with the robbery of the postoffice at Willow Creek July 13, hunt for the third member of the bandit trio which looted the postoffice safe and later killed a deputy sheriff centered today in Oregon, where the fugitive outlaw was believed hiding.

Struff confessed, that he, John Bishop, and William Herder, all ex-convicts, robbed the postoffice and fought the battle with officers in which Deputy Sheriff William Carpenter and Bishop were killed.

Under questioning Struff yesterday broke down and revealed Herder's name, and admitted that the three of them had come here from Portland by automobile. Later in the day the automobile used by the outlaws was found near Oregon City, Oregon, and officials in the Pacific northwest began a search for the fugitive.

Struff was arrested last Wednesday about 12 miles from Burnt River, where the battle with deputies was fought. Officials said he would be charged with murder.

LEGLESS MAN WILL TRY TO CROSS OCEAN

PASSAIC, N. J., July 20 (AP)—A legless and one-armed aviator who hopes to fly to Rome today had only a short jump from Passaic to Roosevelt field, N. Y., before reaching the starting point of his Trans-Atlantic adventure.

Morris R. Daugherty, tax assessor of Wetzel county, West Virginia, and amateur aviator, was forced down here last night by low visibility after a forced landing at Newark. He spent the night in a small tent set up along side the plane by field officials.

Daugherty, who has been forced down several times since he took off from New Martinsville, W. Va., landed in a Newark golf course earlier in the day when after circling over New York City and Long Island he was unable to pick out Roosevelt field.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis R. H. E. 6 3 0
Philadelphia 11 0
Batteries: Crowder, Coffman and Manion; Chang; Earnshaw and Cochrane.

DETROIT 4 11 1
Washington 7 12 0
Batteries: Sorrell, Vandiller and Woodall; Jones and Kenna.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston R. H. E. 3 8 1
Cincinnati 4 11 2
Barnes, Cantwell and Taylor; Spohrer; Lucas and Pfeinfich.

BROOKLYN R. H. E. 8 12 4
Pittsburgh 7 10 1
Batteries: Elliott, Clark and Cochrane; Kremer, Dawson and Hargreaves.

NEW YORK R. H. E. 4 10 0
Chicago 3 8 1
Batteries: Benton, Faulkner, Aldridge and O'Farrell; Hojani; Mitton, Jones and Hartnett.

PHILADELPHIA R. H. E. 4 5 0
St. Louis 5 8 1
Batteries: Ferguson and Leraing; Alexander, Reinhart and Smith.

HOOVER AND PARTY REACH HOME STATE

Presidential Nominee and Wife to Attend Henry Funeral Today

MESSAGE GIVEN TO GOLDEN STATE

Republican Nominee Is Given Assurance That Nevada and Nearby States Are Safe.

—WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP)—J. H. Hoot, treasurer of the republican national committee, is making plans for raising at least \$3,000,000 to meet the cost of the Hoover presidential campaign.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., July 20 (AP)—Herbert Hoover, republican presidential nominee, arrived at his home on Stanford campus today at 10:15, finishing a trip from Washington.

Mr. Hoover completed a journey of more than 3000 miles across the continent from Washington when he arrived at his old home here to receive formal notification of his selection as the republican nominee.

His homecoming was a very quiet one, the elaborate reception planned for him having been postponed because of the death of Mrs. Hoover's father, C. D. Hoover, wealthy banker, funeral services for whom will be held this afternoon at the university chapel with only immediate friends attending.

Before the Hoover special arrived from the national capital, via the summer white house at Cedar Island Lodge in the Northern Wisconsin hills, the University authorities requested the townfolks to remain at home both during the arrival of the party and the funeral services.

Message to California

As his train crossed into California, Mr. Hoover sent a message to the people of his state, saying he returned "with a deep sense of responsibility that I may add to her distinction in that task for which she has presented me to the nation."

While the special was crossing the trackless wastes of the Nevada desert late yesterday and last night, Mr. Hoover received encouraging reports from republican leaders of Nevada and nearby states. Those were given by Gov. Bailar, of Nevada, and N. H. Getchell, of Battle Mountain, wealthy miner and banker, and republican state chair-

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