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THE WEATHER

ORIGON—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; no change in temperature or humidity; gentle variable winds.

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GEORGE PARRY FATALLY SHOT

ED FALLOWS SURRENDERS TO OFFICERS

Coroner F. L. Ralston Announces Inquest Will Be Tomorrow Night

FIVE BULLETS HIT BODY OF BARBER

Death Occurred Shortly After He Was Taken to Hospital—Fallows May Stand Trial.

George Perry, La Grande barber, was fatally shot in the La Grande Barber shop on Adams avenue shortly before 11:20 o'clock this morning...

Immediately after the shooting, Eddie Fallows, 34, went to the police station and surrendered, freely admitting that he shot Mr. Parry.

Interviewed a few moments later by an Observer reporter, the prisoner said little, preferring to reserve his story until after talking with his attorney.

Later, when news was received that Mr. Parry had died, Fallows expressed sorrow, declaring that he didn't intend to kill him.

Inquest Tomorrow Night

H. E. Dixon has been engaged as his attorney and no court action will be taken until tomorrow, when Mr. Dixon will appear today in a case in circuit court.

Coroner F. L. Ralston announced that an inquest would be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night about 7:15 o'clock.

After surrendering and being closed with his attorney, Fallows was taken to Sheriff James Henderson who took him to the county jail. He here he left he asked officers to purchase him some cigarettes, oranges and apples.

Fallows Calm

Fallows' demeanor was calm although he was upset when he received the news that Mr. Parry had died. His mother, who saw him at the police station, was overcome with grief and he attempted to quiet her with reassurances.

Fallows has been married for some time. Officers expect him to stand trial, believing that he will not plead guilty before the court.

According to Fallows' story, told to the police, he went to the barber shop and shot Parry. He said no words were exchanged between them. Then he went directly to the police station and surrendered.

Mr. Parry has been in business in La Grande for several years and leaves a wife and five children to mourn his loss. The family returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends in Southern Oregon.

WOMAN FIGHTS MICE, RATS AS HER LIFEWORK

Miss Ann Mae Wright, of Portland, Ore., one of three women in the United States who are engaging in an extensive campaign against mice and rats, arrived in La Grande today and will be here for the remainder of the week...

Miss Wright, who has been in the business of fighting mice and rats for many years, is here to give a series of lectures on the subject of pest control.

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La Grande Golf Team Is Second In Tournament

Walla Walla Wins Inland Empire Event—Baker Third and Pendleton Is Fourth.

Twelve golfers from the La Grande country club distinguished themselves yesterday when they won second place in the important Walla Walla golf tournament Saturday and Sunday in which five cities took part.

The tournament is one of outstanding in the section represented because it brings together the cream of golfers from the five cities in keen competition marked by unusually fine playing.

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EAST NORMAL SITE STAKED BY ENGINEER

Contracting Company Is Expected to Start Work Within a Few Days

LARGE AMOUNT OF DIRT TO BE MOVED

Architect and Contractor Visit City Saturday—Blue Prints of Building Here.

Starting of work on the construction of the Eastern Oregon Normal school in La Grande will come within the next few days, according to the contracting company, the Northern construction company, of Medford, who was represented here Saturday by Mr. Olson.

The site was viewed Saturday and the engineer staked off the building. The immediate work will be in taking off about an acre or more of dirt to a depth of three to three and a half feet in order to reach the established grade.

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RELAY TEAMS WIN SUNDAY IN OLYMPICS

Track and Field Meet Ends with Uncle Sam Winner by 71 Points

AMERICANS GET POINT TOTAL, 173

Joie Ray Fifth in Marathon—Martha Norelius, New York, Wins 400-Meter Swim.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 6 (AP)—Despite the worst series of setbacks they have suffered in any Olympic track, United States athletes captured track and field team honors in the sixth Olympiad for the ninth successive time.

Americans, chiefly because of their tremendous strength in the field, totaled 173 points for 22 events.

The first Olympic women's track and field championship goes to Canada, whose girls captured the last two of five events in record-breaking fashion to beat the United States.

The Olympic records were shattered in 12 of 22 events, four world marks were made and two world records equalled.

Relay Team Wins

El Quiri, 28, ex-dispatch runner in the French Moroccan army, now working in Paris, won the marathon Sunday. Joie Ray placed fifth. Quaff's time was 2 hours, 32 minutes and 57 seconds.

The Americans swept the men's relays, beating strong German rivals as the Yankee 400-meter relay runners tied the world's mark of 41 seconds and the 1600-meter quartet lowered the record from 2 minutes 18 seconds to 2:15.15.

The 400-meter team consisted of Frank Wykoff, Jimmy Quinn, Charley Lynch and Henry Russell. American representatives in the 1600-meter relay were George Baird, Fred Alderman, Bud Spencer and Ray Barbill.

Final points and championships followed.

United States, 173; Finland, 102; Great Britain, 46; Sweden, 42; Germany, 14; Canada, 28; France, 27; Japan, 19; South Africa, 14; Ireland, 13; Norway, 7; Hungary, 5; Haiti, 5; Chile, 5; Italy, 3; Philippines, 3; Switzerland, 2; and Holland, 1.

Olympic track and field championships.

Track

100 Meters—Percy Williams, Canada.

200 Meters—Percy Williams, Canada.

400 Meters—Ray Ingham, United States.

800 Meters—Douglas Lowe, Great Britain.

1500 Meters—Harry Lacey, Finland.

5000 Meters—Willy Rindia, Finland.

10,000 Meters—Daaxu Nurmi, Finland.

100-Meter Hurdles—J. J. Ahlson, South Africa.

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Evans, Stolling Buy Barber Shop

Low Evans and William Stolling, both well known La Grande business men, this morning announced the purchase of the Royal barber shop, of which they took immediate possession today.

Mr. Evans has been in the barber shop business here for some time and has for the last five years been employed by Ben Noyes. Both men have acquired a large following in their work and are very considerably about the prospects for building up a fine business.

The shop is large and well modern and attractive and they will maintain and beautify it soon. "We intend to keep it modern and up with the times in service and equipment," said Mr. Evans and Mr. Stolling this morning.

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HERE'S NEW FLIVVER



The smallest dirigible ever built, less than 40 feet long, recently made a second test flight at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, and was pronounced a success by army and civilian engineers.

A four-cylinder motorcycle engine propels the craft, which weighs 700 pounds and carries a load of the same weight.

Anti-Smith Row Breaks Out In Texas Meetings

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 6 (AP)—The anti-Smith row has broken out in state circles again with indications that the showdown for those who oppose the presidential candidacy of the New York governor will come at the state Democratic convention here Sept. 11.

The threat of a party split, which has flared and simmered since the Houston convention, assumed importance again Saturday when harmony did not prevail in county conventions in the state's three most thickly populated counties, Dallas, Harris and Tarrant.

Opposing state convention decisions, one favoring endorsement of the ticket from the president of the individual movement to follow his conscience, were named in these counties. This three-event settlement of the issue upon the credentials committee of the state Democratic convention.

The chief language of a day of conventions was laid down at the scene of Governor Alfred E. Smith's nomination, when factional differences culminated in a tight fight which precipitated a hot call to split the 200 men and women delegates.

The outburst came when W. W. Smith Jr., a Smith man, and Alvin S. Moody, an anti-Smith leader, spurred by differences of opinion regarding the presidential nominee, engaged in personalities. The fight was passed when Moody accused the chief of previous membership in the Klan.

The Smith man, so denigrated, and a resolution praising support down the line from "president to constable" was shot through.

Heated exchanges of words marked the gathering at Dallas (Tarrant county) and Tenth Worth (Tarrant county).

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Hoover Planning An Affirmative Drive For Votes

Republican Nominee Does Not Expect to Spend Time on Attacking Opposition.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Aug. 5 (AP)—Herbert Hoover gave his attention today to the larger questions of policy which will come up for discussion and decision at conference he is to hold at his home here with party leaders immediately before and after the notification ceremonies at Stanford University stadium next Saturday.

Those who are in the confidence of the republican presidential candidate are authority for the prediction that so far as Hoover himself is concerned his speeches will be devoted to an exposition of his own policies and the relationship of government to the many economic and financial problems now present or soon to arise.

Plans no Attacks

To put it in another form, they assert that his first conviction is that the sort of campaign in which the people are interested is an affirmative one with the presentation of constructive plans for the future rather than one devoted largely to attacks upon the opposition.

Plans for carrying on such a fight in the time intervening before the general election on November 6 already have been the subject of conferences the nominee has had with leaders. These will be further outlined at his meetings here with Chairman Hubert Work of the republican national committee and others who are controlling the integral parts of the vast organization being built up for the battle ahead.

G. O. P. Leaders Coming

Dr. Work is to arrive here next Friday and a regular session forecasted at 11 o'clock. Senator George H. Moses of New Hampshire, chairman of the notification committee, will arrive Thursday but the vanguard of national committeemen and committee women will reach Palo Alto even before that time.

Hoover has in mind now to make an extended journey over the country during the campaign and if he has his way he will leave Washington only three or four times for short trips to the east and some of the border states. He will make a visit to the turbulent Philippines, back with her as the national capital on August 21, speaking at his birthplace at West Branch.

To Touch on Farm Problem

He will deal largely with the (Continued on Page 5)

MORE EVIDENCE FACING BEITZEL

Los Angeles Authorities Weaving Net of Circumstances Around Him

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 6 (AP)—The return of the murderer of the scene of his crime—a favorite theme of fiction—was expected in real life, in the opinion of police, a week after the body of Miss Barbara Manger was hurried more than a month ago into a canyon in the hills above Hollywood, where it was found.

Russell M. Clair Beitzel, who brought Barbara Manger from Philadelphia, Pa., with her as a bride in Hollywood and now is accused of her murder, was identified yesterday as a man who a week after the slaying, was taken by a taxi driver to within a hundred yards of the body's rocky resting place.

R. T. Reder, the taxi driver, told police that on the day which he said Beitzel chose to fulfill the age-old adage of the murderer and the place of his crime, a man stopped him in downtown Los Angeles and asked him to take him to the hills to see his "finger print" was getting along. He said that this man, whom he identified as Beitzel, had a suitcase with him and was carrying a package smelling like roses, but returned without it. Then he says, he asked to be driven "any damned place, but get out of here" after emptying the trunk of his reward of the lonely spot by literally emptying the body of the girl, whom he carried from Philadelphia leaving a wife and two children.

Boy Finds Cartridges

An 11-year-old boy yesterday gave police a box of cartridges of the same caliber as the pistol found in Beitzel's office desk.

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