Ten Gallon Hats Have Blossomed In Round-Up City

PENDLETON, Ore., Aug. 29—The drab attire of the conventional male is decidedly out of vogue in Pendleton, that is the straw hat; the gray fedora; yes, even the brown derby—and with them the dull-hued garments of the every-day business man.

In their stead come the 10-gallon hats, worn jauntily on the manly dome; the head shirts with screaming colors and the gay, beautiful vests, glorified by bead-work. For every man is in official Round-Up garb and although the dates for the show (September 19, 20, 21 and 22), are some days away, the boys put on their cowboy scenery recently and will be so clad until the 1928 show is over.

In accordance with its usual policy, the Round-Up gives mail orders for tickets the preference, and the local ticket office does not open until September 8. "Visitors First," is the motto and Pendleton people await their turn so far as tickets are concerned. Mail orders, by the way, are coming in rapidly as are requests for rooms. The accommodation headquarters report that there will be ample rooms for visitors, for local people open their homes to provide for the guests.

The annual Oregon Journal special trains will be here for the last two days of the Round-Up and there are tentative plans for a special from Spokane. An interesting group will be 12 doctors from various cities of the United States who saw service overseas as officers in the World War and who will meet here for a reunion at the Round-Up. They will be guests of Dr. Thomas Joyce of Portland and will occupy a special pullman for the trip.

PIN MONEY FOR HOOVER FUND

Mrs. Grace Semple Burlingham, Missouri National Committeewoman, gives a check to John W. O'Leary, vice-treasurer of the G.O.P., covering contributions without personal solicitation, of one dollar each from 1231 Missouri housewives. Mr. O'Leary is in charge of the "nickels and dimes" campaign, by which he hopes to obtain at least 600,000 subscribers to the Hoover fund.

UNION PERSONALS

UNION (Special)— Miss Ruth Connor went to The Park Friday to visit for a few days with Miss Veda Hogensen. The Hogensens are living in the Park while Mr. Hogensen is superintending the construction of a logging railroad from the Grande Ronde mill at Pondosa.

Rev. R. C. Lee left Monday for Boise to attend the annual conference of the Methodist church. He left Union a few days earlier than the other ministers will be going because he is statistician for the conference and has a great amount of clerical work to do before the regular sessions of the conference open. Rev. Lee will probably be sent back to Union as he went to the conference with a unanimous request from the official board for his return for another year.

Gilbert Courtright, a rancher living a few miles out in the valley, and formerly a resident of Union, was in town early Sunday morning announcing the arrival at his home of triplets the night before. "Two girls and one boy, with a combined weight of over 16 pounds, and all three of the babes and the mother are doing splendidly," announced the proud father of the three little ones.

An item concerning the Union schools a few days ago contained an error in announcing that Miss Pauline Hood was to teach in the grades. She will be a member of the high school faculty and will coach the girls' athletics for the year. However, the board has secured their full quota of teachers for the Union schools, which open September 10.

Word was received by Mrs. Nora Webb that her husband, James Webb, and James Jones, who have been spending the summer in the mountains in Idaho, that the two men are enjoying their outing and believe that their health is better since going to their camp.

Mrs. Eva De Lap, Mrs. Pearl Shaw, William Kielblock, W. V. Connor, and Edward Floyd will attend the county convention of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah delegates in La Grande Tuesday evening. They will represent the Union Rebekah and subordinate lodges at this meeting.

Mrs. Zelpha Spencer was taken ill with appendicitis Wednesday of last week and taken to the hospital at Hot Lake where she later underwent an operation.

George Clark, who has been in charge of a plumbing shop in Union for several years, has sold his property here and will move to Seattle the first part of September. Ed Spears has bought the Clark residence in North Union and will move to his new home.

S. E. Miller and family left for the mountains last Thursday for the head of the Minam, where they will enjoy camp life for a few days. The family all made the trip on horses. The group included Mr. Miller, Mrs. Miller, Misses Elida and Bethine, and the two boys, Rodney and Odin.

Mrs. Mabel Cronise Laughlin, of Baker county, will again have her studio in the Union high school building during the school year and will give piano and voice lessons. The students will receive high school credits for these lessons. Mrs. Laughlin has been following this plan for the past years and the patrons are well pleased with her work.

We're not skeptics, but we're beginning to doubt just a little if there's any great load of news in the usual Monday story headed, "Coolidge Spends Quiet Sunday."

The color movies seem to be having quite as much a vogue as the off-color ones enjoyed.

COVE PERSONALS

COVE, (Special)— The Rt. Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Remington of Pendleton, will arrive here Saturday September 1. Accompanying them will be the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Sturges, who will make their home at Cove. John's church at Union, filling the place made vacant when the Rev. William Bradner left the diocese last May. Services will be held in the Ascension church on Sunday morning. A clergy conference will be held at the Ascension Grove Sept. 4 to 6 at which time all the clergy from Eastern Oregon will be present. There will also be nine men from the church army here to attend the conference.

The Ladies Guild will meet at the Ascension Grove on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 30.

Mrs. Oliver Riley, of La Grande, and Miss Sophia M. Robertson, of Pendleton, were Cove visitors early this week.

Mrs. Helene Lincoln has as her guests, her sister, Mrs. Catherine Smith and a friend, Mrs. Jack Napier, both of Cleveland, O. While in the west, these ladies together with Mrs. Lincoln will make a tour of the scenic places, including Crater Lake and Klamath Falls. They will also spend some time at Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wheeler, of Weiser, Ida., were guests last week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Price, and their sister, Mrs. L. M. Laird. Another guest of Mrs. Laird last week was her brother, Oswald Hartman, of Denver, Colo., whom she had not seen for a quarter of a century. Mrs. Laird returned to Weiser with the Wheelers for a visit.

Mrs. Homer Leffel, nee Lois Comstock, of Kokomo, Ind., and Mrs. Stewart Bennett, of Enterprise, were visiting their friends at Cove on Saturday. Mrs. Leffel has been in the west for the last three months, having spent some time with her parents at Nampa, Idaho. She will return next week to her home.

Miss Eva Roberts, who has been visiting her parents here for the last week, left on Saturday to spend a day with her aunt, Mrs. Garrett Blackland, at Island City before returning to her home at Salem, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wardell will move to La Grande this week. Their daughter, Miss Beatrice Wardell will teach in the La Grande schools this year.

Miss Jean Wehmer and Russel Paice expect to enter the Oregon State college this fall.

Miss Dorothy Mills has as her guests, Miss Lucy Hammonic and Miss Karen Falkenbure, of Walla Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orton, Miss Beth Orton and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart French have just returned from a two weeks camping trip on the Minam.

Mrs. Cora Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Saunders, Rowena and Grant Saunder, of La Grande and K. Saunders of La Grande and K. been spending the last week on the Minam, returned Monday.

Miss Dorothy Barker is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Wells, at Alicel.

Dean of Leading Men Is Dead

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (AP)—George W. Howard, leading man for years to many great American actresses, is dead.

He died in Columbus hospital after amputation of his right leg. He had been suffering for some time from septic poisoning.

Born in New York 55 years ago, Howard became associated with the theater at an early age, eventually becoming leading man to Ethel Barrymore in one of her earliest successes, "Captain Jinks" and later plays. He was also a leading man for Mrs. Leslie Carter in "Du Barry," and played next to Blanche Walsh in "A Straight Road" and other productions.

He retired from the stage in 1923 and since had confined himself to his duties as vice president of the Catholic Actor's Guild of America.

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"Dad" Young, International Organizer and Lecturer for the American Federation of Labor is scheduled to be the speaker of the day.

2 P. M.

Elaborate Program at Ball Park, consisting of Music, Speaking.

Relay running race of 400 yards between various labor organizations.

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