

# MANY KILLED IN BAY DISASTER

## FIRST CLASS OF GRADUATES GET DIPLOMAS

Seventy-Four E. O. N. Seniors Hear Address by President N. F. Coleman

## WOMEN GRADUATES DRESSED IN WHITE

Large Crowd Attends Commencement Exercises — President Inlow Presents Diplomas.

An address on the East and the West, as interesting as it was unusual, was given by Dr. Norman F. Coleman, president of Reed college yesterday afternoon at the commencement exercises for the first graduating class of the Eastern Oregon Normal school.

He mentioned the difference in the social customs and habits of the different races, the difficulties that arise in the mixing of the tribes of man, saying that practically speaking it was the most important problem and the most important one of today.

His message to the graduates was that when they go out to teach little children, they take them into a hilltop and let them look out over the valley, or the world; and he cautioned the teachers that their pupils look not only east, for that is the past, but also to the west. He divided the racial prejudice into three—racial, economic and domestic hostilities—and left a feeling that what was needed more than any other thing was a greater understanding between the races, especially those of the Orient.

White Silk Dresses Worn  
The women graduates were attractively attired in white silk dresses with jackets of pastel shades, which although they were uniform in style were strictly individual.

A large audience witnessed the ceremony and later attended a reception given by President and Mrs. H. E. Inlow, the faculty and members of the graduating class in the north court of the school at the head of the grand stairway.

Presentation of diplomas was made by President Inlow, who said that he believed these students, who formed a pioneer class, were capable of defeating unusual difficulties, because of their year's experience in a school.

## CANNED HEAT IS BELIEVED DEATH CAUSE

Peter Traynor, transient and formerly employed for a short time on the ranch near here owned by Mrs. L. A. Howell, died in the hobo camp between the bridges at Oro Dell yesterday afternoon. After an examination, authorities expressed the opinion that too much "canned heat" was the cause of death.

## MRS. M'COY IS HURT, HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Iodis McCoy was seriously but not dangerously injured about the head yesterday when she was knocked down by a car driven by C. B. Buell, of 2044 Second street. According to the report made to the police by Mr. Buell, he was backing his car from his garage and apparently the machine hit Mrs. McCoy at the intersection of the sidewalk and his driveway. He was not driving very fast, and immediately took Mrs. McCoy to the Grande Ronde hospital.

Reports today are that Mrs. McCoy's condition is good.

**WEATHER TODAY**  
7:20 a. m.—59 above.  
Minimum, 51 above.  
Condition: partly clear.

**WEATHER YESTERDAY**  
Maximum 55, minimum 52 above.  
Condition: clear.

**WEATHER JUNE 11, 1930**  
Maximum 74, minimum 48 above.  
Condition: clear.

## National Guard At Clatsop For Field Training

Company E Leaves on Special Train Last Night, Together With East Oregon Units.

The first four trains, bearing Oregon national guardsmen to Camp Clatsop, pulled out of Portland early this morning, according to Associated Press dispatches, with hundreds of parents flocking to the North Bank station to bid their sons adieu.

The trains were to arrive at Camp Clatsop shortly before noon and among them was one carrying the Second Battalion, 135th Infantry, from Eastern Oregon.

Company E, of La Grande, entrained here last night about 7 o'clock on a special under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Ralph Huron, of La Grande. A large crowd of relatives, friends and former guardsmen was at the depot to bid the troops "so long." The Union headquarters company also joined the train here, the Baker company entraining at Baker where the special was made up.

After leaving La Grande, the train stopped at Pendleton for the company of riflemen there and made another stop at The Dalles.

## Ringo Accepts Nomination For Board Candidacy

E. R. Ringo, local attorney, yesterday filed his acceptance of the petition nominating him for candidacy for the La Grande school board, according to Clerk H. E. Williams. This brought the number of candidates up to six, with two to be elected.

## Jury's Verdict In Jenkins Case Is "Not Guilty"

Charles Jenkins, charged with larceny in a dwelling place, was found not guilty by a circuit court jury in a verdict returned at 10 o'clock last night. The jury retired when the trial was completed at 4:10 o'clock in the afternoon.

## Band Concert At Park On Friday

The summer series of band concerts will begin this week. It was announced today by Director Andrew Loney Jr., the first of the series to take place at Riverside park on Friday evening, June 12.

## New Temporary Licenses Arrive

Temporary green stickers for motorists may be secured from Sheriff Jesse Broshars on June 14 but cannot be affixed to the automobile until June 15. It was announced today. A supply of 2,500 temporary license stickers have been received here. It is not necessary to secure the 1930-31 automobile license until July 1, but all are urged to apply for them early so as to avoid the rush.

## Farnam Speaks At Rotary Luncheon

Ray Farnam gave his autobiography during the Wednesday noon luncheon of the La Grande Rotary club at the La Grande hotel today. His talk was very interesting.

Another feature of the program was a number of exceptionally fine vocal selections given by the Hendrickson quartet, consisting of three boys and a girl.

## GRADUATES



Students from Union county who are candidates for degrees this spring from the University of Oregon. Top, left to right — Bliss Ansnes, Marjorie Condit, both of La Grande; bottom, Sidney Dobbin, Union; Celia Snodgrass, La Grande. Other graduates whose pictures do not appear above are: L. Edwin Jensen and Bernard W. Hummel, La Grande.

## SIX GRADUATES FROM UNION CO.

Five La Grande Students to Receive Degrees at Oregon University.

## Valley Pioneer Passes Away At Cove Yesterday

Jesse Nathaniel Horton, Union county pioneer, died suddenly at Cove yesterday afternoon while en route to the Weimer home. His death, coming unexpectedly, brought sorrow over the valley among his many friends.

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## UNION READY FOR ANNUAL STOCK SHOW

George W. Joseph to be Guest Tomorrow, Which is Children's Day.

## BUILDINGS TAXED TO HOLD EXHIBITS

Four Six-Horse Teams to Compete Each Afternoon—Friday to be La Grande Day.

## JOSEPH AT UNION THURSDAY

George Joseph, republican candidate for governor of Oregon, will visit the Eastern Oregon Livestock show at Union Thursday morning and afternoon, according to a wire received by Tony D. Smith today.

## COCHRAN NEW PAST PATRON, EASTERN STAR

PORTLAND, Ore., June 11 (Special)—Mrs. Carrie Jackson (Mrs. James P.) of Esther chapter, No. 11, Baker, Ore., was elected worthy grand matron of the Eastern Star at the session yesterday afternoon at the Masonic temple, Frank R. Mangold, Co. 54, Portland, was elected worthy grand patron.

## Expert May Study Mildew Disease

SALFORD, Ore., June 11 (AP)—Assistance of an expert in Oregon from the department of agriculture, to spend a number of years in investigations connected with the light on the newly developed downy mildew condition in Willamette valley hopyards, is asked in a telegram sent by Louis Lachmund, Salem hop and fruit man, to Senator McNary.

## Seven Months Old Austin Baby Burned

BAKER, Ore., June 11 (AP)—Fire destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCoy at Austin, Grant county, today and burned to death their granddaughter, seven months old. The infant was sleeping in an adjoining room and could not be reached after the flames were discovered.

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## Mellon Favors Tariff Measure, Smoot Believes

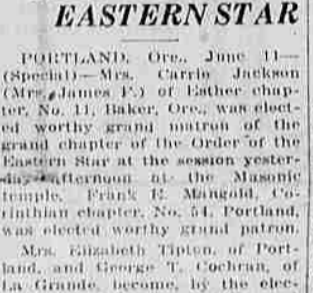
Veteran Utah Legislator Expresses Opinion in Senate Today During Period of Debate.

WASHINGTON, June 11 (AP)—In Senator Smoot's judgment, Secretary Mellon is "for the tariff bill."

The veteran Utah legislator so expressed himself today in the senate. The question of the treasury secretary's attitude has been challenging legislative and political interest of late.

While he had not talked with Mr. Mellon, Smoot told Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, the "secretary denies the stories in the press" that he looks with disfavor on the pending measure.

## PRETTIEST



Dorothy Teepe, Portland, who reigned over the Junior Prom at the University of Oregon recently, as the prettiest girl in the Junior class, chosen from a field of 18 fair candidates.

## POISON LIQUOR RAIDS SUCCEED

Thirty-six Arrested Along Bowery by Federal Prohibition Agents.

NEW YORK, June 11 (AP)—Accused of selling poisonous liquor, 36 proprietors, bartenders and bootleggers for "smoke" shops along the bowery were under arrest today.

Spurred by 32 deaths within a month from poisonous alcohol and other deadly concoctions dispensed to bowery habitués at 15 and 25 cents a drink, Major Maurice Campbell, prohibition administrator, led 50 federal agents in a series of raids yesterday on the drinking haunts of the down-and-outers.

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## Canadian Timber Is Destroyed By Raging Flames

Sixty Million Feet of Valuable Timber Burned — Other Outbreaks are Being Combated.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., June 11 (AP)—Defeated in their efforts to save 60,000,000 feet of valuable timber in the 20 square mile reserve of the Pas Lumber company at Birch Lake, sixty miles east of here, forestry officials today ordered their fire fighters into the north where flames are menacing other valuable stands.

A force of 200 men who had been combating five fires in the Birch Lake district were dispatched with their equipment into the region north of the Churchill river where two outbreaks threatened the destruction of valuable pulpwood.

Another blaze of dangerous proportions was discovered thirty miles east of here near where 160 square miles of timber are menaced. The woods are said by rangers to be parched after a protracted dry spell. Sixty men were sent into the area to combat the fire.

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