

E. O. N. FALL TERM OPENS ON SEPT. 22

Summer Session, Now Under Way, Will Close on August 29.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR YEAR ISSUED

Larger Enrollment Expected - Student Loan Funds Available From Three Sources.

The fall quarter of the Eastern Oregon Normal school is to open on Monday, Sept. 22, with college placement tests for all new students. It is announced. Registration will take place the following day, Sept. 23, and classes will begin on Sept. 24.

The last six-week period of the summer session is now nearing an end, and is scheduled to come to a close on Aug. 29.

The faculty list has been announced, headed by President H. E. Inlow. Helen S. Moor is registrar and dean of women and Kate L. Houx is director of the training school.

The complete list of faculty members has not been announced but will be published later.

The 1930-31 calendar.

The calendar for the coming year is as follows:

Fall quarter, opens Sept. 22, closes Dec. 19. Thanksgiving holidays Nov. 27 and 28.

Christmas holidays Dec. 20 to Jan. 4.

Winter quarter opens with registration on Jan. 5 and closes Mar. 20.

Spring quarter opens with registration on Mar. 23 and closes June 12.

Summer quarter (1931) opens June 15, first half ends July 24, quarter closes Aug. 29.

Expect Larger Enrollment

The attendance at the summer session this year is larger than during 1929, and faculty members anticipate that the school expects the 1930-31 enrollment to exceed the total for the opening year of the institution.

With the opening of the fall term, activities will begin, including football, basketball and women's activities in general.

May Secure Loans

Beginning with the 1930 fall term loans in amounts not to exceed \$150 will be available to worthy second-

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EAST OREGON NET TOURNEY BEGINS FRIDAY

The annual Eastern Oregon tennis tournament is to be played Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Union. The tournament is being conducted in the hands of Fred N. Fox at Union by 7 o'clock Thursday night.

In addition to the Union county entries, Jack Ahearn, of Milton, Oregon, former state champion, may participate, and a group of players are expected from Bend.

Play will include men's and women's singles, men's and women's doubles and mixed doubles.

Martin Funeral To Be Thursday at 2

Funeral services for A. J. Martin, Civil war veteran and retired railroad man, who died yesterday morning, will be held at the St. Andrew's Episcopal church, today at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The La Grande B. P. O. Elks lodge will be in charge of the services at the mortuary.

Burial will take place in the Masonic cemetery and plans are being made for a military funeral.

Sheep Hailed As Regular "Firemen"

CORVALLIS, Aug. 19 (AP)—Sheep and goats as aids in fire control were mentioned first in just but later seriously at today's session of the Oregon State college fire school held in connection with the seventh annual fire chiefs' association.

Delegates from Southern Oregon pointed out that sheep and goats around lumber yards were particularly valuable in keeping high grass from growing and becoming a menace.

Ivar Pearson, McMinnville, president, advocated organization of rural fire control districts.

Rankin Brothers Will Try It Again

PORTLAND, Aug. 19 (AP)—The three Rankin brothers, Tex. Dick and Dud, watched mechanics repair their monoplane, On-to-Oregon, today and prepared for their second attempt to wrest the sustained flight record from Dale Jackson and Forest O'Brien, St. Louis aviators.

Ter Rankin, one of three Pacific coast aviators, whose plane was forced down yesterday after completing about 24 hours in the air, said the record for the next attempt depended on mechanics. He predicted they would start either late today or early tomorrow.

Tail surfaces and rudder struts were damaged yesterday when the brothers landed gales after missing their refueling ship.

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Weather Today

7 a. m.—59 above.
Minimum—54 above.
Condition: clear.

Weather Yesterday

Maximum 88, minimum 54 above.
Condition: cloudy, rain 32 of inch.

Weather Aug. 19, 1929

Maximum 82, minimum 48 above.

LEADER



Mrs. Lena Love Vost, of Clarksville, W. Va., was named to succeed Mrs. Louise M. Dodson as head of the women's division of the republican national committee.

PIONEER PICNIC IS HELD AT COVE

Thirty Persons Present More Than 60 Years of Age—Five Over 80.

By Mrs. A. G. Conklin (Observer Correspondent)

COVE, Ore., Aug. 19 (Special)—The sixth annual Cove pioneer picnic was held at the Ascension grove Sunday.

The picnicers began arriving about 10 o'clock and were nearly all assembled before noon. The dinner was spread on tables on the porch of Morris hall, and was enjoyed by more than 80 people. After dinner an hour was spent in visiting and in renewing the friendships of an early day.

There were many from La Grande, Union, Imbler and Elgin. About 30 had passed their 60th birthday anniversary while five of these were beyond 80 years. Dunham Wright, of Medical Springs, had the distinction of being the oldest person present having almost reached four score and ten. Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Cove, has arrived at 87 and while not as rugged as in other days was able to be present and enjoy the day.

M. L. Carter had charge of the program, which opened with "America." The Baptist choir consisting of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, Mrs. Charles Hancock, Eugene and Louise Anderson and Mrs. James Houston sang "Long Ago." The rest of the program follows: reading, Mrs. W. E. Gekeler; music, by the Bond String Quartet; address, Hon. Dunham Wright; reading, Hon. Dunham Wright; reading, Bonds; address, Hon. Walter M. Pierce; reading, Mrs. E. H. Bell; address, Mrs. A. G. Conklin.

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Another Storm Whips Over The La Grande Area

Another electrical storm, accompanied by rain, swept over Union county early last night, although it was not so severe in La Grande as the one last Friday. Power service this time was hardly interrupted and less than half as much rain fell. The central portion of the storm appeared to be in the range of mountains on the west and north of La Grande.

Some hail fell during the storm, but it is not believed that any serious damage was done in this district.

The rainfall last night, amounting to .32 of an inch, brought the precipitation in the last few days to more than an inch, sufficient to lower the forest fire hazard and bring about a relief in the drought-like conditions that existed.

Grain farmers generally did not welcome Monday's downpour, as it caught many of them in the fields at their busy work, necessitating a halt in operations.

Accident Causes Double Funeral

SEATTLE, Aug. 19 (AP)—An automobile accident postponed a funeral here yesterday for a double funeral for Acott T. Douglas, 82, and his wife, who was 80 when she died Saturday.

The aged man was crossing a street to get flowers from a neighbor for his wife's funeral when he was struck down by an automobile.

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Junior Flight Record Broken By Schneider

Youth, 18, Lands at Los Angeles Yesterday - Mrs. O'Donnell is Leading Air Derby.

TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 19 (AP)—All six entrants in the women's transcontinental air derby arrived here safely for their midday stop today. Mrs. Gladys O'Donnell, of Long Beach, in the lead, touched the field at 10:41:56 with flying time of 41 minutes, 56 seconds from Phoenix.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 19 (AP)—A slight, 18-year-old Jersey City youth, Eddie Schneider, today holds the junior record for the westward crossing of the United States. Landing at the Municipal airport at dusk here yesterday, the slim blue-eyed flier completed his transcontinental crossing in the total flying time of 29 hours, 41 minutes, just 4 hours, 22 minutes less than the former record holder, the late Frank Goldsborough, of New York, required several months ago.

Schneider left Westfield, N. J., August 14, stopping for fuel and flying only during the day. He said he experienced much stormy weather along the route and damaged his

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Van Lear Black Is Missing From His Yacht Sabalo

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 19 (AP)—Van Lear Black, publisher of the Baltimore Sun and a noted world flier, was found to be missing last night from his yacht, the Sabalo, when the yacht was about 12 miles south of Scotland light off the New Jersey coast.

The announcement was made today by his associates. Black was returning here from New York. The yacht was about 12 miles south of Scotland light off the New Jersey coast.

Black was turned about and searchlights used but without avail. Near a place on the deck where Black frequently sat, one of his handkerchiefs was found. It was his habit to sit on the yacht with his feet caught in the guard rail and his hand on one of the upright stanchions. He had been warned by Captain Kelley on a number of occasions, Kelley said, that this was a very dangerous practice, especially when the yacht was at sea.

It is supposed a sudden lurch of the yacht threw him overboard. The coast guard craft, joined the Sabalo in the search for some time and this morning both the coast guard and the navy department were notified here and in New York.

When in New York he entertained Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, and Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd aboard the yacht.

Black was chairman of the A. S. Abell Co., which publishes the Sun and the Evening Sun.

He returned in May from around the world flight, one of several flights he has made in his giant every part of the world.

With two pilots in his giant Peking plane he flew from London to Tokyo, crossed the Pacific on shipboard and flew to Baltimore from San Francisco.

Driftlog to Search WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—

The drifting log, which coast guard vessels today were ordered to search for Van Lear Black, Baltimore publisher, who disappeared from a yacht last night off the New Jersey coast.

Senator Answers Hubbard Charges

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 19 (AP)—Cross examination of Alfred M. Hubbard, former turn runner and dry agent, and later witness for the government in his case against Roy Lyle, deposited northwest prohibition administrator and his former associates continued in federal court here today.

Senator Wesley L. Jones made his reply yesterday to the most sensational statement Hubbard had made since he took the stand last week.

The senator, in Washington, declared he was never told and never knew if Lyle or Whitney, who were appointed on his recommendation gave \$5,000 in liquor bribe money to his 1926 campaign.

Exportation of Major Commodities From Portland Is Somewhat Lighter

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 19 (AP)—Due to market conditions there was a falling off in the exportation of major commodities from the region tributary to the Columbia river during the 1929-1930 season, and consequently fewer tramp steamers visited the river than for some years previously, says the annual report of the state board of pilot commissioners, filed today with Governor Norblad.

The off-shore wheat movement from Portland during the season was 20,965,534 bushels and from the Lower Columbia river 218,651 bushels. The domestic wheat movement from Portland was 496,722 bushels and none went from the lower river. For comparison it is stated that for the cereal year ending June 30, 1929, wheat exports from Portland totaled 32,074,441 bushels and from Astoria 719,674. In the domestic movement 500,609 went from Portland none from Astoria.

Flour Exports

Flour exported from Portland during the 1929-1930 season reached 87,167 barrels while 1,272,523 barrels went to domestic ports. Flour exports from Portland for the year ending June 30, 1929, were 624,783 barrels and domestic shipments 1,847,013 barrels, while Astoria flour exported that season totaled 735,679 barrels and 28,759 barrels went to domestic ports.

Fresh apple exports moved from Portland during the last season totaled 699,573 boxes, which is in strong contrast to the showing for

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DISCLOSURES COME RAPIDLY IN ZUTA CASE

Checks to State Senator Starr Found in Gangster's Strong Box.

POLITICIAN WILL BE QUESTIONED

City Editor of Daily News and Evanston Chief of Police Also are Under Fire.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19 (AP)—Two checks signed by the slain gangster, Jack Zuta, each for \$200 and each made payable to State Senator Harry W. Starr, of the thirteenth Illinois district, were dug from the Zuta strong box today and made public by the state's attorney.

One check was dated Oct. 5, 1928, and the other Oct. 10, 1928. Starr was elected to the state senate in November of that year. He is a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket at the approaching November election.

Starr is chairman of the legislative committee which last year investigated the "whooper" records of the Chicago sanitary district.

Starr Asked to Appear

The endorsements on the checks have not been identified as in Starr's handwriting, the state's attorney said, but Starr has been asked to appear and explain the checks.

The chief of police of Evanston and the city editor of the Chicago

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RETAIL FOOD PRICES DOWN TWO PER CENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19 (AP)—Retail food prices declined 2 1/2 per cent during July by comparison with the preceding month. Twenty-six food articles brought down the price level, which was nine per cent lower than a year ago.

Department of labor computations for last month showed potatoes and cabbage leading with a 21 per cent drop; plate beef next and many other meats, vegetables, fresh and canned, fruits and staples following with declines ranging from 5 to less than half of one per cent. Eggs, butter and canned salmon alone increased in price, while 13 staples showed no change.

Among the articles showing a percentage drop was canned corn, for which a rise was anticipated in view of the death damage to the crop.

100 Forest Fires Burn In Minnesota

ST. PAUL, Aug. 19 (AP)—More than 100 forest fires challenged the efforts of 1,200 men through Northern Minnesota today with conditions in the state described as the worst in eight years by A. F. Oppel, deputy state forester.

Virtually all the blazes are under control, Oppel said, though danger of a widespread fire is imminent should the wind in one of several localities change direction.

Twelve miles from Aitkin, one blaze has burned over 3,840 acres of second-growth and peat land while 100 men fight the flames.

Persia Replies To Turkish Powers

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Aug. 19 (AP)—Persia believed to have informed Turkey she can under no circumstances consent to military cooperation with the Turks against the Kurds in Persian territory.

Foreign dispatches today handed to the Foreign minister a note which was believed to contain Persia's last word in the exchange of notes which has been going on for a fortnight between the two countries.

Protests Against Power Development

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 19 (AP)—Protests from the state fish commission and from the Douglas county court against the applications of the California-Oregon Power company for power rights on the North Umpqua river in Douglas county were received today by State Engineer Luper.

The fish commission protest, signed by Hugh C. Mitchell, director of fisheries, declares the proposed development would be detrimental to fish propagation. The county court avers that it would interfere with the construction of the proposed North Umpqua-Diamond Lake highway by forcing the route of the highway to the hills and away from water level.

Construction of the highway as planned, it is claimed, would mean heavy traffic from both east and west of the Cascade mountains and mean millions of dollars to the district.

Wheat Today

CHICAGO, Aug. 19 (AP)—Big export business from North America gave wheat values comparative strength much of the time today but prices fluctuated rapidly, and at one time wheat went down to within 1/4 cent of the lowest level this season.

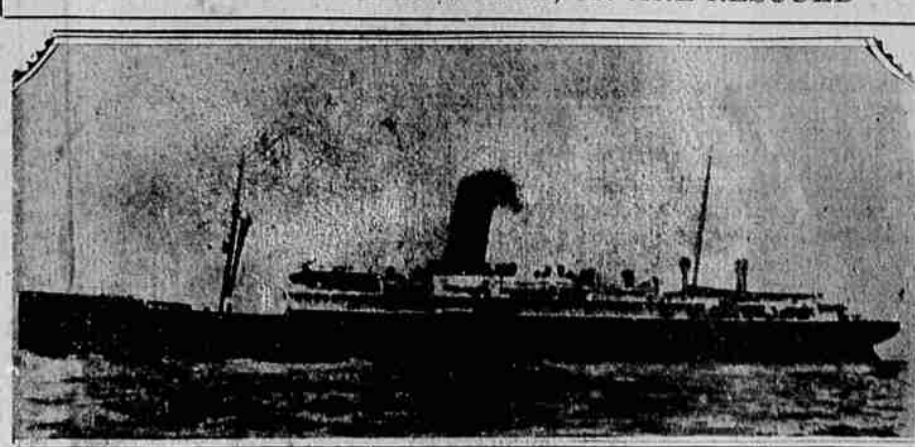
Some estimates indicate 2,000,000 bushels of wheat had been taken today for shipment overseas, chiefly however wheat grown in Canada.

Corn market weakness, ascribed to new rainfalls in drought territory, acted as a drag on wheat values and pulled oats down to a new low price record for the season.

Wheat closed irregular 1/4 cent off to 1/4 cent compared with yesterday's finish. Corn closed nervous, 3/4-1/4 cent lower, oats at 3/4-1/4 cent decline and provisions showing 2-1/2 cent advance.

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LINER TAHITI UNDER WAVES; 317 ARE RESCUED



This telephoto shows the Union Liner S. S. Tahiti, which was disabled in the South Sea and abandoned by 317 passengers and crew after it began to founder. The liner sank beneath the waves shortly after the last of its crew was taken to safety. The map shows the location of the stricken vessel (A. P. Photo).

G. B. S. Favors Letting Condemned Men Suicide

LONDON, Aug. 19 (AP)—George Bernard Shaw today characteristically went to the extreme, one better in endorsing the "bloody dean's" suggestion of yesterday that he should let condemned murderers to commit suicide. Their opportunities for self-destruction should, in fact, be facilitated, the Irish writer and dramatist declared.

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The negro rushed through, forced him into his office and took all the keys from a peg on the wall.

Going down the jail corridor, the deputy related, the men unlocked cell after cell until they found Moore.

The negro apparently realizing his fate, went to his death without a word.

Moore was given a preliminary hearing yesterday on a charge of assaulting Ethel Morgan, 5, and Lucille Morgan, 7, little daughters of an Edgemoor county farmer.

Sheriff W. E. Barden, of Edgemoor county, ordered the negro placed in the county jail pending his trial on the September term of superior court.

Notified as soon as the men drove off, the sheriff went in search of the lynchers. He reached the negro's home after the mob had dispersed and found the body. Watson said none of the men in the mob had been recognized.

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North Carolina Negro Lynched

TARBORO, N. C., Aug. 19 (AP)—Clare Moore, 29-year-old negro, charged with criminally assaulting two small white girls, was taken from the Edgemoor county jail early today by 200 masked men, hanged to a tree and his body riddled by bullets.

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Ventura And 317 Near Pago Pago

PAGO PAGO, Aug. 19 (AP)—The Matson liner Ventura was due at this American naval base at 1 p. m. today (S. P. T. S. T.) with the 317 passengers rescued from the British steamer "Tahiti," which went down in the South Pacific yesterday after being in distress for three days.

Of the 317 passengers rescued, the 140 members of the Tahiti's crew and 16 passengers will disembark here. The other passengers will continue to San Francisco aboard the Ventura.

Members of the Ventura reported "all well."

Bound from Wellington to San Francisco, the Tahiti lost its starboard propeller about 400 miles east of Honolulu, Cook Islands. A leak developed and holds and engine room became flooded.

Ships in the vicinity of the disabled vessel rushed to its assistance.

Passengers and crew of the Tahiti were loaded into lifeboats and made a perilous trip to the Ventura through heavy swells. Passengers and mail were evacuated first, then the crew.

The Ventura stood by until the Tahiti disappeared from sight.

Passengers Tell of Wreck WELLINGTON, N. Z., Aug. 19 (AP)—First stories from passengers of the ill-fated Pacific passenger liner Tahiti (Continued on Page Five)

Four Persons Drowned When Ferry Sinks

WESTMORELAND, N. H., Aug. 19 (AP)—Divers today were endeavoring to recover the bodies of four persons drowned in the sinking of a ferry on the Connecticut river near here last night.

Ray Austin, 30, of East Putney, Vt., his wife, their baby daughter, and William Clark, a boarder at the Austin home, were drowned. They were trapped in one of two automobiles crossing from this town to East Putney when the ferry sank. The automobile was located at the bottom of the river. An occupant of the second automobile, a foot passenger, and the 75-year-old operator of the ferry, swam to safety.

Two Children Die In Stockton Fire

STOCKTON, Cal., Aug. 19 (AP)—Two children were burned to death and two others are so seriously burned that they probably will die, as the result of a fire which destroyed a ranch house on the McDonald road, 13 miles from Stockton, off the Border highway, at an early hour this morning.

The dead: Julie Padilla, 2 1/2 years; Gilbert Padilla, 6 months.

The injured: Tony Padilla, 7; Nick Padilla, 8. An occupant of the ranch house on the McDonald road, 13 miles from Stockton, off the Border highway, at an early hour this morning.

The body of Mrs. Harriet Bates, of Graves, Ore., who died in Verdun, Aug. 14, was brought here by a military escort and put on board the ship.

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