LOCAL BRIEFS

Dental Conference—
Several local dentists are planning to attend the Pacific Coast Dental conference which will be held in Seattle on July 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9. The conferences are held every three years, and are attended by leading authorities in dentistry throughout the United States. The conference is in the nature of a post graduate course of training.

New Son—
Both Mrs. George Ferree and her infant son, who was born on May 12 at their home, are doing satisfactorily. Mr. and Mrs. Ferree make their home at 2102 Cove avenue.

Delivers Address—
George T. Cochran delivered the commencement address before the graduating class of the Cove High school last night. He was accompanied to Cove by Mrs. Cochran.

Claim Agent—
B. C. Wilson, general claim agent of the O.-W. R. and N., is a business visitor in La Grande at present.

From Boise—
Among the Idahoans who are transacting business and visiting in La Grande are Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Fey, of Boise.

Returns to Walla Walla—
George M. Fiedler, of Walla Walla, returned today to his home, where he is employed by Young and Lester, leading Walla Walla florists. He assisted Clarks Florist shop during the past few days.

Junior Prom—
The Adams High school junior prom was held during the past week and among those attending from La Grande were Leone Christian and Rebecca Kemlar, students at the Eastern Oregon Normal school; and David Coughanour. Alberta Kirby, 1931 graduate of the Normal school; also was a guest. Miss Kirby is now one of the staff artists in a Walla Walla radio station.

In Baker—
Recent visitors in Baker were J. Jordahl, E. E. McCorkle and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ormand.

All Day Meeting—
The Home department of the Presbyterian church will hold an all-day meeting Tuesday, May 24, at the home of Mrs. Mamie Lewis, it is announced by Mrs. W. B. Pickens, superintendent.

Pall Bearer—
P. O. Heath spent yesterday in Pendleton where he acted as pall bearer at the funeral services of Edward V. Davis.

Recent Visitors—
Mr. and Mrs. William Bunch were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunch at Adams.

Librarians to Meet—
The Eastern Oregon Library association of which Miss Mildred Huntamer, of Baker, is president will meet in Pendleton on May 28. About 50 librarians are expected and will open their meetings at 10 a. m. at the library clubroom. There will be roll call, each librarian telling of some outstanding event in library work during the past year. A 12:30 luncheon will be served at Hotel Pendleton. Afternoon speakers will be Miss Harriet C. Long state librarian, and Russel Blankenship, of the Whitman college faculty, his topic being "Northwest Literature." Some Oregon authors are expected to attend and they will be announced later says Miss Jane Elizabeth Olsen, Umatilla county librarian. — Pendleton East Oregonian.

To Leave—
Mrs. J. C. MacPherson and two children, Helen and Jack, plan to leave for Portland on Memorial day, to make their home in that city. Mr. MacPherson, who has been there since December will come to La Grande and return to the Western Oregon city with them.

Recent Visitors—
Dr. and Mrs. Lee B. Bouvy and daughter, Joan, were recent visitors in Portland, but have returned to their home here.

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Dance—
The Young People's Fellowship of St. Peter's Episcopal church will be entertained at a dance tonight from 8 to 11 o'clock at Honan hall.

Leaving—
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hildebrand are expecting to leave La Grande on Monday to make their home in Bellingham, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Hildebrand have been active in lodge and business enterprises in La Grande.

Correction—
In an advertisement carried in yesterday's Observer for the Red and White stores the copy should have read: "Two one-pound packages of Sunshine Krispy crackers for 29c." The copy said two two-pound packages were being offered for that price.

Motion Day—
Motion day will be held in the circuit court on May 31, after which the calendar for the June term of court will be arranged, Judge J. W. Knowles, of the circuit court, announces. Since today, election day, is a judicial holiday there are no activities being held either in the circuit court or the justice court.

Elks Meet—
A show and dance will be given by the Elks lodge in the near future, under the direction of Robert Williamson and plans for the event were started last night when the Elks met at the temple. Saturday evening a large delegation will join with Elks from Baker, La Grande, Heppner, Walla Walla and Pendleton, at Pendleton, and Baker will present the program.

En Route Home—
Herbert L. Toney, grand master of the Masonic lodge, of McMinnville; and D. R. Cheney, of Portland, grand secretary, stopped in La Grande last night, one of several Eastern Oregon points where they are making official visits before returning to their homes in Western Oregon. Both Mr. Toney and Mr. Cheney have been in Washington, D. C. on Masonic affairs.

From Enterprise—
Weston F. Shields, of Enterprise, past district deputy of the Masonic lodge, accompanied by Mrs. Shields, were in La Grande last night and Mr. Shields attended a district meeting of lodge members of Union and Wallowa counties. They returned to their home this morning.

Helen Doyle Has Operation—
Helen Doyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doyle, underwent an operation recently at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Leaves Hospital—
Georgia Lee Walters, daughter of Hubert Walters underwent an appendix operation recently at the Grande Ronde hospital, and returned to her home on May 18.

Cats, Bird Killers

The domestic cat puts the red fox to shame as a bird killer, says a professor of zoology at Cornell university. In analyzing the stomachs of more than sixty foxes, he found that the principal foods of the fox are meadow mice, ground squirrels, other small forms of animal life and fruits. He found chicken feathers and bird remains in the stomach of only one fox.

"Americanisms"

Modern English differs considerably from the English of the Eighteenth century. Further, there is a difference in the language as spoken in the United States and in England. There is a difference in the pronunciation of certain words and even in the significance of certain terms. There are a number of words and phrases peculiar to this country that have been coined at various periods and are known as Americanisms.

Uncle Eben

"De man who prides hisse'f on sayin' what he thinks," said Uncle Eben, "is mighty liable to put too much speed on de sayin' an' not 'nuf power on de thinkin'."—Washington Star.

Honey Bee's Habitat

The honey bee originally was a native of southern Asia, probably including the eastern shores of the Mediterranean sea.

Yanks Turn Back Solons

Sport Finals

TODAY'S BASEBALL GAMES
By the Associated Press

The New York Yankees thrust back the Washington threat, at least temporarily, when they defeated the Senators 6 to 3 this afternoon, putting the Big Train's men a full game behind the New Yorkers in the standings.

And while this was happening, Philadelphia's Athletics were knocking at first division doors with a 6 to 1 victory over Boston. The A's are only half a game behind the fourth place Detroit club now.

In the National league Boston whitewashed the Philadelphia club 10 to 0, with Beets pitching five-hit ball.

The Giants gat a 9 to 4 decision over their rivals, the Brooklyn Robins, but McGraw's men are still two and a half games behind Brooklyn, which is roosting in sixth place.

American League

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	5	1
Philadelphia	6	11	2

Durham, Moore, Kline and Tate; Conally; Walberg, Grove and Cochrane.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	9	1
New York	6	8	0

Weaver, Burke and Berg; Gomez and Dickey.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	11	2
Cleveland	11	9	2

Hadley, Hebert, Bengough, Cooney and R. Ferrell; W. Ferrell, Conally, Hudlin and Myatt.

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	15	3
Chicago	5	7	1

Bridges, Hogsett and Hayworth; Frasier and Berry. (11 innings).

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	5	3
Boston	10	13	0

Collins, Grabowski, Dudley and V. Davis, Todd; Beets and Hargrave.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	7	0
Cincinnati	3	8	3

Warnecke and Hartnett; Frey, Johnson and Lombardi. (11 innings).

	R.	H.	E.
New York	9	11	1
Brooklyn	4	11	1

Hubbell and Hogan, O'Farrell; Vance, Thurston and Lopez.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	5	13	0
St. Louis	0	2	0

French and Grace; Derringer, Carleton and Mancuso.

A'S BUY FRIETAS

PHILADELPHIA, May 20 (AP)—Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics today announced the purchase of Tony Frietas, left handed pitcher, from Sacramento of the Pacific Coast league, in a deal by which Jimmy Deshong goes to Sacramento. Frietas will report immediately and will be used as a regular starting pitcher.

Postal Distinctions

According to the distinction made by the Post Office department, cards which are bought from the post office and which contain stamps printed on them are properly called postal cards; unstamped cards which are bought from private firms and which usually contain a picture are properly called post cards. —Detroit News.

Too Handy With Can Opener

An Englishman who has been 12 years in the Canadian West sent home to Lancashire for a wife; and this is the reason: "Canadian girls are pretty handy with a can opener, but they don't know how to use a frying pan." Is this why Canadian boys are beginning to capture exhibition prizes for good cooking?—Toronto Globe.

Not Nice to Look At

A naked fact often looks frightfully scrawny.—Toledo Blade.

"Dietitians"

The public health service says if by dietitian reference is made to a person who treats metabolic diseases by diet, this means a nurse who has had special training in this field. There are all kinds of dietitians. Some are special dietitians, such as those mentioned above; others such as those who would be employed in restaurants, hotels and hospitals to see that all meals are balanced.

Diamond in History

Until more light is thrown on ancient Africa, the diamond fields there are antedated by those of India, of which there are Chinese records extending back to the First century. The Chinese called diamonds by the name of Kin-Kang; by the Greeks and Romans they were called Adamas, and were thus written of by Pliny.

"Anything" and "Nothing"

This is the difference in the use of aught and naught: Aught means anything; naught means nothing, also is the name of the character representing zero. For example: Neither had aught he could call his own—Naught was heard save the wind in the trees.

In Washington

By Herbert Plummer

WASHINGTON — When the house of representatives finally pushed through the other day a Muscle Shoals bill, congressmen generally sighed with relief and remarked that at last their annual chore had been completed.

For that's the way a great many of them have come to regard Muscle Shoals legislation — something to be done every year and as quickly as possible.

But to a handful of men, members of the committee on military affairs, passage of that bill meant more than the mere doing of a chore. It marked the culmination of years of the most trying and exacting work.

More than a decade ago six men in the house began wrestling with the problem of the disposition of the Shoals. Of these six men only three were living when the last of these bills passed the house the other day.

Julius Kahn of California, Percy Quin of Mississippi and Harry Wurzbach of Texas are now dead. The other three, Franz James of Michigan, Daniel Garrett of Texas and Lister Hill of Alabama were on deck the day the bill passed.

He Knows Muscle Shoals

Of the three perhaps the outstanding man in this work is Frank James, a Republican. This tall, white-haired representative has the reputation of knowing more about Muscle Shoals, its history and workings than any other man in congress.

Where others were discouraged and disgusted after years of futile effort on the question, James continued to fight and plan. He has mastered about every detail of the intricate subject.

Ranking on about the same tier with James is Lister Hill of Alabama, author of the bill which was approved by the house.

His Work For 10 Years

All Hill's 10 years of service in the house has been upon the military affairs committee and during that time first and foremost in his affection has been Muscle Shoals.

The third member of the trio — Garrett of Texas, a veteran eight-termed — was accorded recognition for his long years of battling over the problem when Speaker Garner turned his gavel over to him to preside at passage of the bill.

Clark Wood Says

The world contains 930 universities, and it does look as though they'd turn out enough graduates to steer us around the corner.

The progress of invention appears to have brought about more leisure than is appreciated by those with little else.

No doubt the hit-and-run driver considers it ridiculous that he should be expected to take an interest in some one he's just run across.

We venture that "I Love a Parade" is never sung by the British Columbia police when it's a parade of naked Doukhbors.

Japan ought to know by now that any old talking point is better than the bayonet.

"More than half the American population is found in the cities." But not, just now, by the bill collectors.

Czechs Employ Trade Surgery To Halt Slump

By Wade Werner

PRAGUE (AP) — Indications of economic crisis certainly do not strike the eye in bustling, colorful Prague.

The outward appearance of prosperity is so marked that the traveler coming from Berlin or Vienna instinctively asks how Czechoslovakia managed to remain immune from world troubles.

Vacant, staring shop-windows and dusty "For Rent" signs are almost non-existent. One can stroll about the city for hours without meeting a beggar. Now automobiles congest the traffic.

Sales Tax Raised

Yet Czechoslovakia is fighting hard to maintain her economic equilibrium. Longer than many another country she remained comparatively free from unemployment, but now more than 600,000 of her 13,500,000 citizens are jobless.

To balance the budget the sales tax recently was raised to three per cent; the luxury tax is to be increased from 12 per cent to 18.

To keep money at home for the support of home industry, importation of foreign products was made dependent on special permits from a government commission.

To prevent citizens from carrying money out of the country in needless travel, a limit of $90 was placed on the traveler's purse; this limit then was reduced to $30, making anything more than a weekend abroad impossible without permission from the national bank.

Banks Cut Capital

Because the government railways quickly felt the drop in industry and the throttling of international trade and travel, a new minister of railways was appointed who could bring business and engineering experience to the task of keeping the roads out of the red. The new minister, M. Hula, is paying particular attention to bus competition.

The country's banking system naturally felt the stress. Big Prague banks reduced their capitalization by buying large blocks of their own shares and writing these off the books.

That some of these measures were producing positive results was indicated, in the opinion of government experts, when the trade balance for March again turned active, after showing an alarming deficit earlier in the year.

POLICE NOT THROUGH WITH THIS PHASE

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"We are willing to help you as much as possible," Curley said, "because of your connection with one of our colleges, providing you are willing to give a description of the person you are seeking."

Condon merely shook his head and Curley then asked if the supposed kidnaper Condon sought was connected with the Arthur (Dutch Schultz) Fleigenheimer gang.

"Who are you?" said Condon, and to various other questions he merely repeated belligerently "Who are you?"

"Never mind who I am," Curley burst out at length. "You'll find out soon enough."

Condon flatly refused to tell Curley as to whether there was believed to be any West Chester county connection with the kidnaper. After a heated argument he was taken to the rogues gallery where he viewed 750 pictures, then going to a local school to conduct an examination of teachers.

SEEK ADDITIONAL HELP

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 20— (AP) —Balked in renewed efforts to induce Rev. H. Dobson-Peacock to come here for questioning, police hunting the kidnaper-murderers of the Lindbergh baby sought help today from two mysterious sources.

One was a "known gangster" who was understood to have said in Maryland before the body was found the baby was dead.

The other mysterious matter under investigation to determine if there was any connection with the Lindbergh case was "the recent attempted King kidnaping," not more specifically described by police for fear of hindering the investigation.

While these investigations were going forward, Dr. John F. Condon, who as "Jafsie" paid a futile $50,000 ransom to supposed kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby, told a Bronx county, New York, grand jury how he handed the money through a cemetery hedge in a suitcase.

John Hughes Curtis, confessed Norfolk hoaxer, remained in jail at Flemington, N. J., as relatives in Virginia prepared to obtain his release by raising the $10,000 bail in which he is held for grand jury action.

Police let it be known that they were still very anxious to confront Curtis with Dean Dobson-Peacock, who was associated with him in negotiations for return of the baby which Curtis admits were all faked.

In his morning bulletin Colonel H. Norman Schwarzkopf, superintendent of New Jersey state police, said he would gladly pay the minister's traveling expenses but the dean replied in Norfolk he had been advised by counsel not to come here.

Dr. Condon spent two hours and a quarter with the Bronx grand jury, telling of his ransom payment. He signed a waiver of immunity.

New Jersey detectives assigned to stay with him had expected to visit more rogues galleries in New Jersey this afternoon but when he came out of the grand jury room the aged educator told them he had to go to New Rochelle, N. Y., to conduct an examination of teachers.

The name of Mayor James J. Walker was injected into the case today in a story in the Evening Post. The paper quoted an advertisement in a morning paper reading "Citizen —Guarantee absolute confidence. Jimmy." It said it had learned on high authority Mayor Walker had received a letter promising information about the Lindbergh case if safety for the writer could be assured.

By Robert J. Cavagnaro
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
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PRINCETON, N. J., May 20 (AP) — The close of a week of startling developments which began with the finding of the body of Charles A. Lindbergh Jr., finds John Grier Hibben, president of Princeton university and intimate friend of the Lindberghs still clinging to his belief that the child was stolen for ransom.

For the first time since the Lindbergh baby was abducted, the head of Princeton today disclosed his theory on the crime of the century.

"To me it is very obvious that this crime was conceived and carried out by gangsters whose motive was the obtaining as much of a ransom as they could from Colonel Lindbergh," Mr. Hibben said.

"To carry out their plans they evidently were perfectly willing to murder an innocent child as well as kidnap it."

Mr. Hibben said he doubted the possibility that panic inspired the slaying of the child.

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