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Today La Grande Day At Stock Show

SUNNY SKIES HOLD FORTH FOR EVENT

Routh McKennon's Six-Horse Team Wins in Competition Yesterday

CROWD THRILLED WHEN TEAM BOLTS

Judging Continuing in Livestock Division—Splendid Music Another Feature of First Day.

By Mrs. L. Z. Terrall
(Observer Correspondent)

UNION, June 9 (Special) — Sunny skies and splendid music gave the opening day of the Eastern Oregon Livestock show an auspicious start and the attendance for the opening day was good. The grandstand and bleachers were well filled, with children in the predominance, as according to custom of the past few years, children under the age of 14 years were admitted free and many of the children of town and the surrounding community took advantage of this liberality on the part of the association; even some from the other side of the valley pedalled their way to the show, with their destination plainly advertised, "Union or bust," on their backs; and in the evening were seen wending their way homeward happy and contented with their day dut.

The events of the program moved rapidly, and although some of the races were somewhat disappointing, because of the fact that some of the horses and their riders delayed the starting, there were calf roping, broncho busting and other contests in the arena to keep the audience entertained. Band music and the stock show are inseparable and the association in having two bands for the opening day was especially fortunate. The Union band and the well known Fletcher band from Pendleton furnished excellent music.

McKennon Team First

The leading attraction for opening day was the splendid exhibition of six-horse teams. There were six such teams on display, and they were greeted with almost too much enthusiasm, as one team failing to fully appreciate the applause, decided to take matters in their own hands and run off. The crowd was breathless for a few moments when the first team instead of making the turn into the arena, straddled the fence and threatened to injure themselves before being brought under control. One horse went down but fortunately recovered his footing before he was injured. The leaders broke loose from the wagon and ran some distance before being recovered. None of the animals was injured and the only damage to what for a while seemed likely to be a bad accident was some broken harness and the fact that the team was unable to further compete. The team was owned by S. E. Miller of Union and was being driven by John Michelbook. The other five teams completed the ex-

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FUNERAL FOR ALDA BLANK TO BE FRIDAY

Alda Grace Blank, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo G. Blank, of Cove, died at the Grande Ronde hospital last night after a short illness. Death was caused by anemia, it is reported.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Cove Baptist church, with burial in the Cove cemetery, in charge of Snodgrass and Zimmerman.

Miss Blank had just completed her freshman year in La Grande High school, where she had a large circle of friends. She leaves, besides her parents, two brothers and two sisters.

January Warrants Called By City

Mostly routine business was attended to at a short meeting of the city commission last night. It was announced that a tax turnover of $9,589.62 had been received from the county, allowing the calling of January warrants.

A dance license was granted Ray Buell for the pavilion on Island avenue; bills amounting to $2582.41 were ordered paid by warrant and cash on hand was listed at a total of $15,918.84, divided as follows: in bank $12,622.16, cash $679.35, warrants $2617.13.

WEATHER FORECAST

Oregon: Fair tonight and Friday; moderately warm in the interior Friday; fogs on the coast; generally north winds offshore.

WEATHER TODAY

7 a. m.—60 above.
Minimum: 47 above.
Condition: Clear.

WEATHER YESTERDAY

Maximum 77, minimum 45 above.
Condition: Clear. Range—32 degrees.

WEATHER JUNE 9, 1931

Maximum 67, minimum 57 above.
Condition: Cloudy, rain .12 of inch. Range—10 degrees.

73 Seniors Of Normal School Are Graduated

B. F. Irvine, of Portland, Main Speaker; Herman Oliver Presents Diplomas to Graduates.

Before a crowd that packed the auditorium, 73 seniors at the Eastern Oregon Normal school were presented their diplomas following an address by B. F. Irvine, of the state board of higher education, yesterday afternoon at the third annual commencement exercises at the Normal school building. Herman Oliver, of John Day, also of the state higher education board, presented the "sheep-skins", and Mrs. Walter M. Pierce, of La Grande, only woman member of the board, accompanied them on the platform.

President H. E. Inlow, of the Normal school, presided at the exercises and introduced his personal friend, Mr. Irvine. President Inlow struck the keynote of the day when he stated that the ceremony was symbolical of the service the state has rendered.

Mr. Irvine, the blind editor of the Oregon Journal, related the story of the Italian who "digga the ditch, to buya the bread, to giva the strength, to digga the ditch," comparing his life to a circle from which he is never able to look out until death when he is laid in six feet of earth with a wooden slab at his head, leaving to the world only his name, his birth and his years.

"How could the world remember a man who only dug a ditch to dig another?" the speaker asked. The ditch digger started life with no preparation, and life was a cipher to him, he said.

At present, 2000 years after the life of Christ, crime is costing the country billions of dollars, and crime control is marked by incompetency and corruption; when more goods are grown than can be used and still people suffer, beg and starve, leadership is needed and the world will have to turn to young people and to educational institutions for it, Mr. Irvine said. Earth and nature are doing their part, but man has apparently failed to do his, he asserted.

The world needs young people who have been taught to think, and the

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Funeral Service For W. T. Short Set For Friday

Funeral services for William Thomas Short, for 26 years a railroad engineer of La Grande, will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman mortuary, with Rev. J. George Walz, of the Presbyterian church, in charge. Burial will take place in the Masonic cemetery.

Mr. Short, who lived in La Grande for 47 years before moving to Milton three months ago, died at Milton June 7 of heart disease. He retired as an engineer in November, 1927.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Iva C. Short, one daughter, Hattie Hanscomb, and a grandson, the son of the late William Earl Short.

Defendant Wins Verdict; 2 Cases Settled Outside

A verdict in favor of the defendant was returned in the case of V. P. Farrer vs. J. F. Scroggin, a civil suit that was tried yesterday afternoon before Judge J. W. Knowles in circuit court. Hallock, Donald and Banta represented the plaintiff and Green and Hess, the defendant.

W. E. Fields and the State Industrial Accident commission settled out of court, the case which was scheduled today for trial in the circuit court, Judge Knowles announced. He proceeded with the case of Arthur W. Wescott vs. the accident commission this morning, and after a jury was picked, court was adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock when the court will hear evidence.

W. H. Fitzgerald, of Portland, represented Mr. Fields and Green and Hess, local attorneys, will represent Mr. Wescott. I. H. Van Winkle was the attorney for the defense in both cases.

The case of Doyle Zimmerman vs. R. R. Walker, which was set for yesterday afternoon, to follow the Farrer vs. Scroggin case, was settled out of court.

School "Merger" Petitions Here

An attempt is being made in La Grande today to secure circulators for petitions favoring the school consolidation initiative measure, proposed by the Marion County Tax league. It was learned today. The names of the persons interested locally could not be learned, but it was known that one person was approached with a request that he circulate petitions. He refused to do so.

It also was believed that no local organization was behind the movement here, but rather that it was in the hands of certain individuals.

Further details had not been learned.

ARREST MAN FOR CHICAGO

SALEM, June 9 (AP) — Richard G. Armstrong, 32, wanted in Chicago on charges of embezzlement, was arrested in Linn county by Captain H. W. McLain of the state police, it was reported today. He is being held for Illinois authorities.

Armstrong is wanted for the embezzlement of $1,000 from the American Telephone and Telegraph company on July 3, 1931. A reward of $250 was offered for his capture.

THE WINNER

Here's a shirt-collar closeup of Henry "Himself" Field, Shenandoah, Ia., seedsman and general store proprietor, who defeated Senator Smith W. Brookhart for Iowa's Republican senatorial nomination in the June 6 primaries. Field flayed Brookhart for nepotism on his radio broadcasting station KFNF, promising "I'll be the only Field on the payroll if I go to Washington." Field has eleven children.

COX WORRIED AS CONVENTION NEARS

Former Governor of Ohio Fears Controversy Over Chairmanship Likely.

DAYTON, O., June 9 (AP) — Former Governor James M. Cox today issued the following statement:

"The attempt to throw the national Democratic convention into a bitter controversy over the permanent chairmanship should be checked before it gets far on its mischievous way. There should be a militant protest from all parts of the country against the development of any symptom of such folly.

"In the present instance the national committee, which is the very orderliness of things must make preliminary arrangements, found two names before it for temporary chairmanship, Messers Shouse and Barkley. Happily a compromise was effected, one being given the temporary and the other the permanent assignment. . . .

"The rejection of Mr. Shouse would be nothing short of studied humiliation of a man who has given his time and his talents in furtherance of the most successful reorganization of any political party in half a century."

WHEELER REPLIES

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP) — Senator Wheeler, of Montana, an advocate of Governor Roosevelt of New York, today replied to the statement of James M. Cox, of Ohio, with firm

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MORE PERSONS INVADE FISH CREEK BURN

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 9 (AP) — A group of from 15 to 20 persons is reported to be on Fish creek burn in what is regarded as a new colonization attempt in that section of the North Umpqua national forest, according to information received here this morning by V. Harpham, supervisor. Forest rangers reported to Harpham that the persons making up the group arrived on the burn Sunday and Monday last and have established camps.

Efforts to colonize the Fish creek burn have caused the forest service much trouble in the past few years. E. H. Best and Emroy Davis, who have been convicted in the federal court at Portland for trespass on the prohibited area, are reported to be with the present group, Harpham says.

Right of Way Is Given Fulmer Bill

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP) — Legislative right of way to the Fulmer bill to turn over 40,000,000 bushels of farm board wheat and 500,000 bales of cotton to the Red Cross to feed and clothe the hungry was given in the house today by the rules committee.

CLOSING TONE BARELY STEADY

NEW YORK, June 9 (AP)—The stock market quickly ran out of buying power today, after a morning rally coincident with a squeeze of shorts in Auburn. The list settled back during the afternoon. Numerous advances of 1 to 4 points were lost, and the close found some leaders a little under yesterday's final prices. The closing tone was barely steady. Transactions aggregated 1,100,000 shares.

SPORTSMEN INVITED

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 9 (AP)—Invitations have been sent by the Douglas County Sportsmen's association to all sportsmen's clubs and other associations in Oregon to the annual salmon bake to be held on the Roseburg Gun club's range near this city June 12. Arrangements are being made to entertain approximately 1500 visitors. More than 800 pounds of Chinook salmon from the Umpqua river will be barbequed and served free. Trapshooting events will be held in connecton with the barbeque.

PROHIBITION EN ROUTE TO CONVENTIONS

Unbidden Guest of Politics For a Decade to Figure in Caucuses

HOOVER REPORTS ARE REPUDIATED

Other Leaders of Party Indicate, However, That Re-submission Plank is Favored.

By the Associated Press

Prohibition, the unbidden guest of politics for a decade, has started for the Chicago conventions with main entrance tickets and a seat on the platform.

The White House took occasion last night to repudiate reports that President Hoover had approved a resubmission plank for the Republican party, but other leaders of the party have indicated that such a plank is receiving approbative consideration. James R. Garfield, who is writing the platform, has declined to discuss it.

Governor Roosevelt of New York in an interview last night, said he believed the Democratic party, which he hopes to lead as presidential candidate in November, will "clearly indicate" in its platform a way to abrogate the eighteenth amendment. His own views on prohibition as pronounced in 1930, he added, have not changed. At that time he said the control of liquor should be returned to the states.

Another outstanding Democrat, William Gibbs McAdoo, studied to-

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HAWLEY STILL HOPES TO WIN GLOVER SAYS

SALEM, June 9 (AP) — Congressman W. C. Hawley from Oregon's first congressional district has not conceded the Republican nomination for congress to James W. Mott, Ronald C. Glover, Hawley's campaign manager announced here today. Mott, on the face of uncanvassed official returns leads Hawley by 138 votes.

"There is much prospect that there will be a recount in certain sections, Glover said. "I am not satisfied with the regularity of the county in several places. I feel that Hawley will win the nomination." Glover did not indicate in what counties these alleged irregularities occurred, or if suit will definitely be brought.

The secretary of state's office has completed the canvass of votes of all but two counties in the first district.

Indiana G. O. P. Is For Re-submission

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 9 (AP)—After a bitter fight on the convention floor the Republican state convention today adopted a plank for its platform calling for re-submission of the prohibition question to the people of the United States and repeal of the state dry enforcement act. The vote was 823 to 620.

PORTLAND PASTOR CALLED

ALBANY, Ore., June 9 (AP)—Rev. W. F. Rademacher, pastor of the Lents Evangelical church of Portland, will return to Albany where he occupied the pulpit before he went to Portland in 1925. He will fill the vacancy left by the death of Rev. E. W. Launer.

Rev. E. W. Petticord, who has occupied the pulpit here recently, will go to Salem where he succeeds Dr. C. C. Poling, resigned.

UMATILLA CO. TO COMPLETE WESTON ROAD

Money to be Spent Will be Returned to the County Next Year.

ROAD COMMISSION PROMISES ACTION

Advance of State Money Not Allowed, However—Defer Action on East Part of Oregon Trail.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9 (AP) — Money which Umatilla county proposes to spend this year to complete the 3½ mile section of the Weston-Elgin road will be returned to the county next year out of the secondary highways funds, the state highway commission promised members of the Umatilla county court here last night.

The Umatilla delegation had sought an advance of state money but the highway commission said it was unable to make such an advance.

The commission approved a request of the Morrow county court that secondary highway funds be switched from the Heppner-Condon to the Heppner-Spray road to surface the McKinney creek section of the road. The amount involved is about $14,000.

Action Deferred

The commission deferred action on surfacing the east approach of the Old Oregon trail but approved expenditure of $2000 to widen a concrete bridge at Rickreall which has been damaged by a truck. Extension of the secondary highway system to include the unit from Hermiston to the Columbia highway near Cold Springs also was approved.

A suggestion advanced by W. E. Burke that the commission assume the $125,000 indebtedness of the Salmon River highway improvement district was rejected. The commission also refused to lease the Peter Skene Ogden park in Central Oregon, holding that state property should not be converted to commercial purposes.

Log hauling came up for discussion but the commission deferred action until June 23 when the matter will be given special attention.

Another meeting of the commission was scheduled for today. Delegations from Jackson, Douglas, Columbia and Klamath counties were to be heard.

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Hear Arguments On Ballot Title Appeal Tuesday

SALEM, June 9 (AP) — Arguments on the appeal from the ballot title of the proposed initiative measure calling for the physical consolidation of the five higher institutions of learning in the state will be heard by the Oregon supreme court next Tuesday. The court late yesterday set the date following the filing of a demurrer by the attorney-general, defendant in the action.

The appeal from the title was filed with the court Monday by C. W. Keene as plaintiff, asserting the title was unfair and misleading. The complaint further asserted the measure is misnamed for the reason that instead of providing consolidation of the five institutions, it provides for the moving of the university to Corvallis, moving the normal schools to Eugene and other transfers.

It was expected the court would hand down a decision in the matter shortly after the arguments were heard. Custer Ross, Salem attorney is representing Keene in the case.

Harry Fleisher Surrenders

FOR RITCHIE

Richard F. Cleveland (above), son of the late President Grover Cleveland, will present the name of Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland to the national Democratic convention for the presidential nomination. Cleveland, a Baltimore lawyer and close friend of the governor, offered the resolution at the state convention which bound the Maryland delegation to support Ritchie for the presidential nomination.

MINISTER'S HOME DAMAGED BY BOMB

Explosion Occurs at Rev. B. J. Johannson's Place in Portland Today.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9 (AP) — A bomb placed under the front porch damaged the home of Rev. Bjorn J. Johannson here early today. The minister and his wife and two children were asleep in a room directly above the porch but all escaped injury.

Mr. Johannson was a leader of the recent movement to recall Mayor George L. Baker and John M. Mann, ex-city commissioner. During the recall campaign he reported to police he had been threatened with physical violence.

The force of the blast tore a great hole in the front of the house, shattered every window in the front of the house and broke windows of nearby residences.

Police, who said they found evidences of a bomb, said if the charge had been exploded under the house instead of under the porch it would have wrecked the building and probably killed its occupants.

Mrs. Johannson told police she was awakened by an automobile which

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PORTLAND GOLFER DIES

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9 (AP)—Lawrence C. Gynther, 36, once rated as Portland's outstanding public links golfer, died from a heart attack late yesterday afternoon just after he had driven a ball from the 14th tee of a local golf course.

He is survived by his widow, a son, Malcolm D., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gynther, and a brother and sister, all of Portland.

Veterans Refuse Offers of Ride; $3000 Secured

Benefit Boxing Show Nets Sum to Feed Members of Bonus Army in Washington For Awhile.

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP)—Trucks furnished by police rolled up to the bonus marchers camps on schedule today, but not a veteran at once accepted Superintendent of Police Glassford's invitation to ride out of the city and head for home.

Instead, fortified by nearly $3000 raised at a boxing benefit last night, most of the 8000 or more war veterans prepared to stay until, as Walter W. Waters, commander in chief, put it, the "bonus is paid."

The trucks continued to wait. There was no telling if some former soldiers would accept the invitation to leave. Meanwhile, 350 new arrivals entered the encampments.

A large dummy stuffed with straw and dressed like a man was perched on top of a showcase in one of the vacant buildings in which the men are quartered and under the "scarecrow" was the sign "the only man going home."

Veterans Jeer

Two large trucks were driven up to the Eighth and Eye streets encampment to the derisive jeers of the 400 men.

"Who's going home?" shouted one man.

"Nobody," the whole band answered in chorus.

The boxing benefit, held last night at Griffith stadium, the American league ball park, drew a record turnout estimated at 15,000 people. There was no admission charge, for boxing as such is forbidden in the District of Columbia and the event was an "exhibition." The collections, in dimes, quarters, halves and dollars piled so high, however, that the committee

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Home Economics School Will Be Under Ava Milam

SALEM, June 9 (AP) — More uniform division and service courses in home economics on the state college and university campuses, together with complete upper division major curricula in this field at Corvallis as at present, are provided in the unified organization of that school. Details of curricula and faculty arrangements which go into effect this fall were announced today by the Oregon state board of higher education.

Under the new arrangement, which is in general accord with the recommendation of the federal survey report on Oregon higher education, course offerings at the two institutions are decreased by more than 28 per cent while the combined budget for next year will be about 14 per cent under this year. At the same time choice of major curricula in the school at Corvallis have been increased from two to three while at Eugene the lower division and service courses offered have been given exactly the same content as corresponding courses at Corvallis.

Heading this school and directing the work on both campuses will be Ava B. Milam, who has been dean of the school at Oregon State college since 1911. Dean Milam recently returned from the Orient where she assisted in organizing work in home economics at a number of the universities in Japan, China and Korea.

"The lower division and service courses in home economics at Eugene will include 12 lower division and three upper division courses, affording training in foods and nutrition, clothing and textiles including selection and construction, home planning and furnishing, child development and household management," the board announced.

"At Corvallis the work is divided

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RUTH BEATEN IN FLORIDA BY MARK WILCOX

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 9 (AP)—Representative Ruth Bryan Owen of the fourth Florida congressional district, conceded the nomination of her wet opponent, Mark Wilcox, today and announced she would retire from congress Dec. 1.

They contested for the Democratic nomination in Tuesday's primary and thus far Wilcox has piled up a majority of nearly 8000 votes with returns counted from 337 of 419 precincts.

In a telegram to Wilcox Mrs. Owen said she would resign from congress because of her aversion to "lame ducks' office holding."

Seattle Trio Hurt In Auto Accident

SALEM, June 9 (AP) — One woman and two men from Seattle were seriously hurt here late yesterday when a front tire of the automobile in which they were riding blew out. The car was thrown off the road and was reported to have rolled over several times. The accident occurred near Hubbard on the Pacific highway.

One woman, whose name was given as Mrs. R. C. Dewitt, was believed to have suffered a broken back. R. C. Dewitt, her husband, and the driver, who gave his name as Mr. Larson, were less critically injured. They were brought to a Salem hospital where it was reported today their conditions remained unchanged.

POLICE HOLD SUSPECT IN KIDNAP CASE

Accompanied by Two Attorneys When He Entered Detroit Station

MANY CHARGES TO BE PRESENTED

Federal Authorities to be Notified; to be Arraigned Friday on Massacre Warrant.

DETROIT, June 9 (AP) — Harry Fleisher, sought for many months in connection with the Lindbergh baby kidnaping and Detroit's Collingwood apartment massacre, surrendered at 10:20 a. m. today, arriving at police headquarters accompanied by two attorneys.

Fleisher, well dressed in a light blue suit and wearing a straw hat, appeared extremely nervous. He held a handkerchief over his face, as though expecting to face newspaper photographers, but none was in the room when he arrived.

He was taken to the office of Prosecutor Harry S. Toy in the same building. The prosecutor went into conference with Fleisher and his attorneys, and said he would remain in conference for at least an hour.

Later Fleischer came from the prosecutor's office, seemingly less nervous, and posed for photographers. He refused to answer questions.

"Did you have anything to do with the Lindbergh kidnaping?" he was asked.

He shrugged his shoulders.

Prosecutor Toy said he had instructed police to notify federal authorities of Fleisher's arrest. He said Fleisher had been sought on a charge of violating the federal prohibition laws. He also stated Fleisher would be arraigned Friday in recorders court on a warrant outstanding for several months, charging him

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M'NARY WHEAT RELIEF BILL IS APPROVED

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP)—A favorable report on the McNary resolution authorizing use of 50,000,000 bushels more of farm board wheat for relief was voted today by the senate agriculture committee.

The action was taken without a record vote, Chairman McNary announcing the committee had approved it unanimously.

Congress already has authorized use of 40,000,000 bushels by the Red Cross for relief and chairman John Barton Payne of that organization notified McNary this week there was enough on hand to last through the summer.

As this store would be exhausted before congress can reconvene next fall, McNary will press for authorization of the additional amount before congress adjourns.

Oregon Delegate To Favor Hoover

OREGON CITY, Ore., June 9 (AP) — One of Oregon's delegates to the Republican national convention will ignore the interpretation of the primary law and vote for nomination of Herbert Hoover for president instead of Joseph I. France, who beat Hoover two to one in the presidential preference primary in Oregon.

E. L. Meyers, delegate from Eagle Creek, was instructed last night by the Clackamas county Republican central committee to vote for Hoover on the first ballot and on every ballot after that. He said he would. Other delegates have been quoted as saying they would be bound to vote for France on the first ballot, at least.

The Oregon delegation will leave for Chicago tonight.

Wheat Today

CHICAGO, June 9 (AP) — With virtual exhaustion of sustained buying power late today, wheat, corn and oats all outdid season low price records.

Export sales of 1,000,000 bushels of wheat by Canada served only to emphasize absence of foreign demand for wheat from the United States. Dispatches from Toronto quoted bank authority for assertions that low prices were due largely to a huge government financed carry over of wheat in the United States.

Wheat closed nervous ¼@¾c under yesterday's finish, corn at ⅛c decline to ⅛c advance, oats ⅛ @ ¾c down, and provisions unchanged to 5 cents higher.

PORTLAND, June 9 (AP) — Efforts on the part of bearish exporters to force further price reductions on the Portland exchange for the day were successful only as regards a loss of ¼c in December. Other options were unchanged despite the selling. Sales overnight included 12,000 bu. July while during the session 7,000 July and 3,000 September were sold.

On the merchants exchange cash wheat was stationary.

Three Slain In Gun Fight

Winter Wheat Output Estimated At 411,000,000 Bushels On June 1

WASHINGTON, June 9 (AP)—Winter wheat production this year as indicated by conditions June 1 was reported today by the department of agriculture at 411,000,000 bushels, compared with crop of 440,781,000 bushels indicated a month ago and 787,465,000 bushels produced last year.

The indicated rye production was announced at 38,700,000 bushels, compared with 39,464,000 a month ago and 32,746,000 last year.

The indicated production of peaches this year was reported as 48,-

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French Aviatrix Dead at Biskra

BISKRA, Algeria, June 9 (AP)—Lena Bernstein, the French aviatrix who set an endurance flight record of nearly 36 hours in 1930, died here today. She was preparing for an ambitious distance flight but had not selected her objective.

PARIS, June 9 (AP) — Tonight's newspaper said Lena Bernstein, the woman flier who died at Biskra, Algeria, today had committed suicide. The Paris Soir said she had been depressed by the destruction of her new airplane in a storm recently.

WORK SUB-CONTRACTED

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 9 (AP) — Electrical work on the national soldiers' home being constructed here has been sub-contracted from the Redmond Heating company of Louisville, Kentucky, by the Ne Page-Mc Kinney Electrical company of Portland, whose representative, A. L. Houser arrived here today to superintend preliminary work. The Redmond company also holds the plumbing and heating contracts.

Marker Dedicated To Two Policemen

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 9 (AP)—Dedicated to the memory of two Ashland policemen who were killed in line of duty during the past year, a granite marker will be placed in the Ashland civic square Saturday night by the Southern Oregon Peace Officers' association.

District Attorney T. R. Fillenwaters will give the dedicatory address.

The marker is in memory of Victor Knott and Sam Prescott.

Three Others In Frisco Hurt And May Not Survive

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9 (AP)—With two guns blazing, a cornered and desperate burglar suspect turned on police here last night, after his companion had been captured and handcuffed, and shot four persons before he was brought down by return fire.

The toll of the brief but vicious battle was three dead and three so gravely wounded that they were not expected to live.

Those killed were the two-gun man's companion, Ben Moore, also Muir; Police Officer Mervin Reardon, and Harry Darling, a citizen bystander.

The wounded, all shot through the stomach, are: Policeman Andrew J. Bell, Policeman Frank Loftus and Glenn Johnson, alias R. B. Dixon, the two-gun man.

A short time after the battle, which took place in the residence of Bert Nelson, who was away with his family arrested Mark Pool, alleged companion of Dixon and Moore.

Pool told officers he and the other two men came to San Francisco a few days ago from Salt Lake City. He said he had served 18 months in an Idaho prison for passing fraudulent checks.

Events which led to the battle start-

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