

LOCAL BRIEFS

Returns— Fred C. Hart, field representative of the Oregon Motor association in La Grande, returned this morning from Portland where he attended a meeting of the association. Returns To Baker— William C. Baker, of Baker, who has been at the Bouvy hospital for the past week recovering from an eye operation, returned to his home today. Elgin Boy Operated— LeRoy Bushman, five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bushman, of Elgin, underwent an operation for a nasal condition yesterday at the Bouvy hospital. He will stay at the hospital for a few days before returning to his home. To Grand Lodge Session— C. P. Hutchens is leaving tonight for Portland to attend the sessions of the Masonic grand lodge, Mr. Hutchens is the worshipful master of the local Mason lodge. Circuit Court— The trial of the Flisk brothers, accused of illegal possession of mink, continued today in the circuit court, with Judge J. W. Knowles presiding over the court. To State Meet— Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Happersett plan to leave tonight to attend the state convention of the Eagles lodge in Portland. Mr. Happersett is state treasurer of the state organization. Visitors Arrive— Surprise visitors arrived today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Curry on Fourth street. They were Mrs. C. A. McClaran and her son, Scott, Mrs. McClaran's young granddaughter, Sue Ann Jackson, and Kannon Altrec, all of Toledo. They will visit at the Curry home for a day or two before motoring back to the coast town. Mrs. McClaran is Mrs. Albert Curry's mother. Receives Slight Injury— When a pan of gasoline setting near a torch, exploded yesterday at the Studebaker garage, Franklin Hurt employed there temporarily, received minor burns about his hands. Attend Grand Lodge— Among the members of the Masonic lodges in La Grande who are attending the grand lodge in Portland, the sessions of which open tomorrow, are E. R. Ring and Miss Stella Bloch, Eastern Star; and C. R. Eberhard, Masonic lodge. Attempt Robbery— A window of the L and L drug store was pried open Saturday evening and the store was entered. An examination of the store found that nothing was stolen. Portland Attorney— John K. Kollock, prominent Portland attorney, has been in La Grande on court business and returned to his home last night. Operated— Nicholas Manser, prominent Payette, Ida., farmer, underwent an eye operation at the Bouvy hospital yesterday and will be confined there for several days. A HOUSE is as clean as its curtains. Let us launder them for you. Modern Laundry PHONE MAIN 77. ICE Dependable and Convenient Prompt Delivery Young's Ice Co. Phone Main 891 1108 Jeff. Ave. NATIONAL BATTERIES \$1.95 AND UP National Guarantees 100% Satisfaction to the Customer McDONALD ELECTRIC CO. Phone Main 753 1428 Adams Stomach ULCERS If you have ulcers, hyperacidity, indigestion, gastritis, sour stomach or belching, Wallace's Tablets will relieve such conditions quickly and permanently. Send for interesting, educational booklet, with testimonials. The blank he on TODAY! I have never seen a talkie like THE CHAMP

In Washington

By Herbert Plummer WASHINGTON — Rep. Sam Rayburn of Texas, selected by Democrats of the Lone Star state to manage the campaign of John N. Garner for president, is silent around Washington when asked about his candidate. He's as reticent as "Mr. Speaker" himself when conversation shifts to Chicago and the Democratic national convention. But it's different when Rayburn gets back to Texas among the "home folks." He really talks then — publicly and privately — about Garner and his chances with freedom and frankness. For example, in Houston a few days ago, he said: "Garner will be second choice of more delegates at Chicago than any other candidate. . . . At this blackest hour, they believe that in this rugged son of the soil they see another Jackson, and in this hour the people are crying out, 'O for an hour of Andrew Jackson.' . . . It's necessary, too, to go to Texas to find out the extent of plans underway to obtain the nomination for Garner. OPTIMISTIC OVER CHANCES "During the past three months," Rayburn told the "home folks," "I have talked with leading Democrats from every state in the Union. They have told me of conditions within their state. For instance, a new Englander told me, 'Tell the people of Texas I go to the convention at Chicago solely because I want to cast a vote for John Garner.' . . . And then a bit triumphantly he added: "In the great state of California our man won handsomely. . . . With California's 44 and Texas' 46 we have more votes already cast than Harding or Davis had. . . . SILENT AT CAPITAL But back in Washington Rayburn is silent. Nothing in the way of a comment or statement comes from the rooms of the interstate and foreign commerce committee where Rayburn has his offices. There he'll talk to you at any time about freight rates and the like. But about Garner's chances of getting the nomination—never. Health CARBOHYDRATES Carbohydrates, sugars or starches are the principal energy sources of the human body. They ordinarily make up the largest percentage of the caloric content of the average diet. In the American diet, it is maintained by our leading dietitians, there is an excess of carbohydrates and an inadequate amount of the protective foods, namely, milk, milk products, eggs, green vegetables and fruits. This situation appears to have grown worse rather than better. Thus it is reported that sugar, a refined carbohydrate and only one of the various carbohydrates included in the average diet, is being consumed in ever-increasing quantities. While sugar is a useful article of diet, it does not contain a single known vitamin, nor any of the essential mineral salts. Moreover, if it is included in the diet in excessive quantities, it displaces other more important items, or leads to excess caloric content of the day's food intake. This in time may lead to nutritional deficiencies and to obesity, since sugar can be converted in the body into fat. The average person requires from 2,000 to 2,500 calories per day. Those engaged in hard physical labor may require as many as 3,500 calories per day. In the dietary of the sedentary or physically inactive worker, the carbohydrate portion of the diet should be smaller than that it would be in the case of a laborer. The active person may be more liberal with his carbohydrate consumption. As a general rule the average person will do well to increase his intake of milk and milk products, eggs, green, leafy vegetables and fruits. Birds Not Related In spite of their similarity in appearance and habits, the night-hawk and the whippoorwill are two distinct species of birds. The night-hawk, Chordeiles virginianus, has no call and appears chiefly at sunset, while the whippoorwill, Antrostomus vociferans, whose peculiar call is so well known, likes to fly after dusk. Selling Wind to Sailors At one time there was a profitable business done in the sale of winds to sailors. Three knots would be sold with instructions to the effect that with the untying of the first knot, the buyer would have a good gale, with the untying of the second knot would come a very strong wind, and the third knot's untying would be a severe tempest. Ironclad The British warlord, the first ironclad, was launched December 20, 1850; length, 380 feet; breadth, 53 feet; plate 4 1/2 inches thick; tonnage, 6,170; cost, \$2,000,000. In the same year, the French launched an ironclad, the Gloire, but it was not termed an ironclad, a term first used by England. In 1812, John Stevens, of New Jersey, designed an ironclad steam battery. Robert L. Stevens, of the same state, was commissioned to build an iron-plate war vessel to be propelled by screws.—Literary Digest. United States Boundaries Boundaries of the continental United States, both land and water, total almost 18,000 miles.

Reds and Phillies Split

Attack School Bill Today In Supreme Court

Ballot Title Called Deceptive By James Burdette — Changes Are Suggested.

SALEM, June 14 (AP) — Attacks on both the proposed initiative measure for physical changes in the state's higher education institutions and the ballot title prepared for the petition by the attorney-general were made before the Oregon supreme court today. Opponents of the initiative bill argued their appeal from the ballot title before five of the seven members of the court. Included among those charging that the ballot title as prepared by the attorney-general is deceptive, prejudicial and argumentative was James Burdette of McMinnville, president of the Taxpayers' Equalization league of the state of Oregon, who said that "the organization of which I am president is neither sponsoring nor supporting the measure which proposes to move the institutions of learning." Fears Title Misleading Pointing to the fact that the name of the organization sponsoring the initiative bill is identical to that of the organization he heads, with the exception of the added words, "Marion county," Burdette told the court that "it is reasonable to infer that the name used by the organization which has initiated the measure to move the university to Corvallis and the Normal schools to Eugene was conceived for the purpose of misleading the voters into believing that the organization is other than it really is, and it becomes highly important that the ballot title be so framed as not to permit voters to be misled." The attack of Custer E. Ross, appearing for the appellant, Clarence W. Kenne of Silverton, centered about the contention that the word of both the proposed bill and the ballot title are unfair, deceptive and that the ballot title fails to state the true purpose of the measure. In place of the title prepared by the attorney-general, "bill amending, consolidating and changing state institutions of higher learning," the appellant proposed one reading, "bill moving university and normal schools and establishing additional colleges." There is no consolidation provided for in the initiative bill which does not already exist under the provisions of the legislative act creating the state board of higher education, Ross argued. He pointed out that the actual consolidation of the various institutions under a single administration is now in the process of consummation under the state board of higher education; that physical consolidation is possible only in theory, inasmuch as the construction of additional buildings at Corvallis would be required were the university moved there; that two entirely new units would be added to the system of higher education, the Junior colleges, and that there would remain the same number of individual institutions on the same number of campuses to maintain. Under the proposed measure, Ross argued, the state board of higher education would be continued as at present, and that the argument of the sponsors of the bill that it would abolish the office of the secretary of the state board is false. The bill, Ross stated, does provide that the Salem office of the board shall be moved to Corvallis, but continues the office by providing that president of the institution created there shall be ex-officio the secretary of the state board of higher education. The extended ballot title as prepared by the attorney-general set forth that one of the purposes of the bill was to abolish the office of the secretary of the board. Jiu-Jitsu's Origin The origin of jiu-jitsu is uncertain. It is attributed by some to a Japanese physician who learned the rudiments of the art in China. Others claim that it was in common use in Japan centuries before this time. Most are agreed that Jiu-jitsu originated in China, but that the Japanese have modified it recently. "Kingdom" and "Empire" A kingdom is a political entity ruled by a monarch called a king. An empire is a group of kingdoms and distinct states, all of which are under the rule of a monarch called an emperor. Keys That Tell a Tale An odd type of advertisement is found in the sidewalk of an uptown cross street at a point not far from Broadway. Imbedded in one square slab of concrete are a number of keys, put there while the material was soft. The pedestrian, walking over it, is thus made aware that he is passing a hardware store. Perfection Not Reached It is said that publishers have never been able to bring out a book entirely free from errors. The book nearest perfection is the Bible which, due to its many reprintings, has offered many opportunities to correct mistakes. Platinum Coinage Russia experimented with platinum as money between 1828 and 1845 when platinum was worth only one-third as much as gold. The platinum coins were abandoned because they were not internationally accepted, but they now have a bullion value much greater than their face value.

WOOD DECISION REVERSED TODAY IN HIGHER COURT

(Continued From Page One) location of an editorial addressed to the state tax commissioners protesting the consolidation of road and water master's office in that district and making alleged accusation against J. J. Walsh, the official in charge of these offices. In the opinion by Justice Campbell it was held that "no proof having been introduced as to the falsity of the alleged libelous statements, the defendant was entitled to an instructed verdict of not guilty." It was further held that since falsity was made an element of the crime by statute, it was incumbent upon the state to prove it. In order that the publication be criminal, it was held, it must be both false and scandalous. In another opinion the court affirmed the Jackson county circuit court in the case of Charles Erb Jr. against Herman Shope, consolidated truck lines, and the Oregon-Medford truck line, in which the lower court awarded a judgment of \$7,000 for personal injury damages as a result of an automobile collision. The defendants appeal from the judgment returned in the court presided over by Judge H. D. Norton. The opinion was written by Justice Rand. The opinion held that in addition to the judgment of the lower court, statutes provide an additional 10 per cent for delay in appeal. The court granted a rehearing in the case Rice vs City of Portland and the MacMarr Stores on an appeal from Multnomah county. The recent decision of the court reversed the case in which the plaintiff had obtained a \$12,000 verdict for damages for personal injuries. Other opinions handed down today were: City of Astoria vs Douglas Land company, appellant. Appeal from Clatsop county. Suit to quiet title to certain lots. Opinion by Justice Belt. Judge H. K. Zimmerman affirmed. Bradshaw vs Littlefield petition for rehearing denied. Nordlund vs Lewis & Clark R. Co. case advanced for rehearing.

Sport Finals

Table with columns for National League, American League, and various teams like Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago, etc., with scores and game details.

Concerning Life on Mars

The late Professor Lowell was a proponent of the theory that Mars may be inhabited, but there are yet few astronomers who regard it as proved. Life as we know it on earth depends on a number of special conditions, among which are a favorable temperature and a supply of water and of oxygen. Oxygen and water appear to be very scarce on Mars and the temperature unsatisfactory.

Kipling's Famous Line

The phrase "the dawn comes up like thunder out China 'cross the bay," is a geographical liberty which Kipling took in writing his famous poem. If you have watched for the sunrise across a broad stretch of water you know how suddenly the sun bursts above the horizon. It comes with the suddenness of thunder. This is an example of how impossible it is always to take literally a figure of speech found in a poem.—Washington Star.

National "Gardens"

Worcestershire is called the garden of England on account of its scenery, Touraine the garden of France on account of its fertility, Sicily the garden of Italy on account of its climate and Italy is called the garden of Europe on account of its scenery, fertility and climate.

Aches of Seaweed

Kelp is a word used to mean the ashes of seaweed, formerly much used in the manufacture of glass and soap and now coming into prominence commercially as a source of iodine. The word also refers to any of the various large brown seaweeds, especially to those common to the Pacific coast of the Americas. The giant kelp of the Pacific coast of the United States is known to reach the length of 700 feet, thus exceeding all other plants.

Liked Disorderly Chair

The celebrated Norwegian author, Ibsen, loved to keep his hair in disorder and always carried a little toilet case, containing a looking glass and a comb attached to the lining of his gray hat. He would often remove his hat to look into the mirror to see how his hair was lying and if not rough enough to suit would use the comb to give it the requisite tangle.

Plants Not Harmful

The old theory that the keeping of plants in bedrooms is harmful to sleeping human beings has no foundation in fact, since plants give off oxygen and take in carbon dioxide—the exact opposite process to that which takes place during the respiration of animals. Therefore, if plants are not so numerous as to cause heaviness in the air with their odor, they would be beneficial rather than otherwise in a bedroom.

Antelope 9 Inches Tall

There are antelopes ranging from eight or nine inches to six feet in height at the shoulders. The smallest of the species is the gnuvel, or pygmy antelope. The eland is one of the largest. Most of the antelopes live in Africa though several varieties are found in Asia.

Man's Benefactor

A "war on all sparrows" would be very injurious to man. In one week a very small sparrow family will eat 3,000 insects, all capable of injuring crops and reproducing themselves in millions.—Exchange.

Brain Power

The United States public health service says that the theory that the weight and size of the human brain evidences brilliancy or lack of knowledge has been advanced, but it has never been definitely proved. Generally speaking, in the animal kingdom the larger the brain the higher the animal is in the evolutionary system.

Strings in Piano

The total number of strings in a modern upright piano of 7 1/2 octaves is about 220. It is estimated that the "pull" of the strings is equal to a strain of 20 tons.



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