

LOCAL BRIEFS

Swimming Party—A group of young people from the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church enjoyed a swimming party at Pine Cone auto camp last evening.

On Minam Trip—Fishing for a few days this week on the Minam are Charles W. Binger, Dr. F. L. Tribe and Robert Cunniff. This is an annual expedition into the rugged mountain country for Mr. Binger who has been one of a group of local business men who made a yearly event of the trip for a number of years. None of the other members of the party were able to make the trip this year and Mr. Binger remains the "last veteran" of the annual Minam trip.

Drive to Freewater—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney C. Happersett drove to Freewater Sunday, taking with them Mrs. Happersett's uncle, George Candrin, of Holdrege, Kan. Mr. Candrin is a guest at the Happersett home for the past two weeks. He will visit at Freewater with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Stella Candrin.

Milton People Here—Mrs. R. D. Monahan and son, Don, and Oliver Mansfield, of Milton, were in La Grande visitors over Sunday. They spent the day with Mr. Monahan who has been in Union for some time in connection with the cherry harvest, and the four of them called on La Grande friends. The two boys who are Whitman students spent part of the day with Russell Nelson.

Returns to Walla Walla—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Greulich have had as their guest at their home on N avenue for the past two weeks Mrs. Greulich's grandmother, Mrs. Ida Sheets, of Walla Walla. Mrs. Sheets returned home yesterday.

In Portland—Everett Reynolds and Ralph Foberg are spending several days in Portland. They drove to the Rose City with Bud Reynolds who is competing in the junior golf-tourney there.

Sentenced to Jail—Charles Jenkins, arrested by the police Sunday on a charge of drunkenness, was found guilty in municipal court last night and sentenced to 10 days in jail and to pay a fine of \$25. City Judge C. M. Humphreys presided.

Returns to California—Ted Kline, former La Grande, who has been visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Kline, and his sister, Mrs. Ed Towery, has returned to his home in San Francisco. Mr. Kline is now managing one of the grocery stores maintained by the company for which he has been working for the past three or four years in the Bay City.

Parents of Girl—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stringham are the parents of a baby girl, weighing six and a quarter pounds, born Monday morning at the Grande Ronde hospital. They make their home at Elgin.

Visit At Lake—Mrs. Pines and her daughter, Elvora Hansen, and Miss Alice Scott spent Saturday and Sunday at Walla Walla Lake. They were among many visitors at the Methodist camp grounds where the final day of the Epworth League institute was held.

Guardsmen Get Checks—Checks totaling \$1054 were given to members of Company E, 180th Infantry at the conclusion of Monday night's drill at the armory. The checks represented federal pay for army drill during the quarter ending June 30. During the last two weeks 11 enlistments have been received and 10 men have been honorably discharged, most of them because of removal from this district, and others because business reasons interfered with their guard duties. Another guardsman, Bob Ward, who left this week for California, will be honorably discharged shortly, according to Capt. Walter A. Bean.

Guests End Visit—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Charles, of Marion, Ind., visited in La Grande over the weekend with Mrs. Lydia Grandy and other relatives. Mrs. Charles is a grand-niece of the late B. W. Grandy. Her husband has been judge of Marion county, Indiana, for the last 12 years. He recently retired, however, and is practicing law. Their stay here was part of an extended trip that included some time in Alaska. From La Grande they will go to Yellowstone en route east.

Freewater Friends Here—Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McNeese were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Treanor, of Freewater, Ore., Earl Kirkwood, of Humiston, Iowa, and Mrs. Roy Kirkwood, and infant son Richard Dean, of Moulton, Iowa. The Iowa visitors are spending several weeks with Mrs. Kirkwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Treanor, at Freewater. Mrs. Treanor and Mrs. McNeese are sisters.

Here Friday Only—Henry Lizar, examiner of the operators division of the department of Alas., will give examinations in La Grande on Friday only this week. Ordinarily he is here Thursday and Friday.

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with a meeting of the state board of optometry.

Eugene Man Here—Harry Wheeler, of Eugene, a nephew of Mrs. D. H. Proctor, stopped over yesterday on his way to Pendleton. Mr. Wheeler is a graduate of the University of Oregon and has obtained his master's degree at Stanford university.

Home From Institute—The last carload of the La Grande League institute at Wallawa Lake arrived home last night. Among them was Rev. W. H. Hertzog, who was dean of the institute. Mr. Hertzog, has been re-elected dean for the coming year. The 1932 conference was the most successful ever held, leaders declared today. The attendance was larger than for any previous year. There were 220 young people on the grounds and including the faculty and general staff there were 300 people in attendance. Out of the 220 young people, 170 received certificates for attending five classes a day for the entire five days. The faculty was said to be especially strong, meeting the needs of every type of instruction presented. Mrs. Hertzog, Mrs. R. F. Tyler and son Frank Tyler were three who did not return last night. They will be joined at the lake this evening by Mr. Hertzog and Mr. Tyler and the entire group will return here some time tomorrow.

Here from Walla Walla—Mrs. Lloyd Berry (Genevieve Hansen) and baby daughter, Barbara Jean, are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanna. Mrs. Berry's home is in Walla Walla.

Mr. Sayre Returns—E. A. Sayre, county school superintendent, and Mrs. Sayre returned last night from Salem where they attended the annual state meeting of county school superintendents. Mr. Sayre reports an extremely interesting meeting, with all but six of the 36 county education men attending. Among outstanding speakers were Mr. Galloway of the tax commission who discussed pertinent matters with the educators. The meetings were held in offices at the statehouse. Mr. Sayre served as a member of the resolutions committee during the sessions. Julian Willis, of Polk county is the newly chosen president. Mr. Sayre reports, Mrs. Gertrude McEae, of Grant county, is the retiring chief.

In Portland—Dr. William Pearce is expected home tonight from Portland where he has been for a day or so in connection with business interests.

License Issued—A marriage license was issued at the office of County Clerk C. K. McCormick Saturday to Clarence Fliegel and Aura Ortman, both of Baker.

In Joseph—Harry McKinlay, La Grande merchant, spent today in Wallawa county on business.

Sheep Man Here—Fred Falconer, prominent Umatilla county sheep man, stopped in La Grande overnight. He went on today to Wallawa county to look after business interests.

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CYRIL SPEARS' WIFE IN DANGER OF 'UNLOADED' GUN

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Cyril arose to his feet and asked her to call a doctor. While she summoned a physician, he walked to the door of the store. A Mr. Mason met him at the door, saw the boy's white, drawn face, and asked him if he hadn't better go to bed. Then the doctor arrived.

Cyril was taken to the Grande Ronde hospital but surgical and medical treatment was in vain. The bullet penetrated his lungs, spleen, stomach and abdomen.

The body was at the Snograce and Zimmerman mortuary today awaiting arrival of his mother from California. Before funeral arrangements would be made. A brother, Leonard, arrived last night from Idaho and his mother is expected here tonight.

Cyril was born in Minnesota Apr. 23, 1913 and was 19 years, three months and two days of age. He had been in La Grande for the last two years, a clerk in his father's grocery.

MORMONS OF THIS STAKE OBSERVE DAY

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her mother adopted four children before she died from the party. The two mothers had been washing clothes beside a river when oxen suddenly stamped killing the one mother. She asked her friend to take her children. Consequently "Grandma" Whiting grew up as one of 14 children who in the early pioneer days had to endure great hardships. She lived for many years in Springfield, Utah, and for the past 32 years has resided in the Mt. Clegh district.

The program began shortly after 10 o'clock in the morning when church members assembled in the pavilion. "Come, O Come Ye Saints" was sung by the assembly and W. D. Hanks, formerly president of the stake, gave the opening prayer.

A chorus from the Baker ward, including Claire Ord, Helma Fosom, Albert Hunt, David Eardley and Bob Simmons, sang several selections preceding the welcoming address given by David L. Stoddard, president of the stake. Mr. Stoddard paid tribute to the early settlers, and told his listeners that great respect was due to those who had made the founding of the Western states possible. Bishop James W. Eardley, head of the Baker ward, spoke on reminiscences of Salt Lake pioneers. He is a member of one of the earliest families who settled in Utah. Jeff Bane was the third speaker, with "Pioneers of the Grande Ronde Valley" as his subject.

Bertrand Wardell and Gene Gassett, both of Cove, representing the Union ward, sang a number of songs which were popularly received, and the two were invited to appear again at the dance in the evening.

Blanche Whiting, from the Mt. Glen ward, spoke on "Pioneer Incidents." Following a basket lunch at noon, there was a horsehoe tournament won by Orenson, Oregon. The prize selected by the stake presidency for the race caused a great deal of merriment during the afternoon. Winners and prizes follow: Ladies' race, Mrs. Ray Baum, Union, received a goose; race for men over 50, Guy Hill, Baker, received a chicken; walking race, Wiley Nebecher, Mt. Glen, won a bacon. Rabbits were given as prizes for the children's games and races. Whistles and candy were donated by local merchants.

A baseball game, which ended at 4:30, was the closing feature of the afternoon. Married men played single men at the Greenwood ball park. The dance in the evening was well attended.

HATTREM MUST SERVE PRISON TERM, RULING

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SALEM, July 26 (AP)—The state supreme court today affirmed the conviction of Weber A. Hattrem on a charge of larceny by embezzlement on which he was convicted in the Multnomah county circuit court and sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary.

Hattrem was tried on an indictment in which W. E. Tyler, his partner in the firm of the Municipal Reserve and Bond company, was also indicted. Tyler committed suicide later. The charge involved the switching of securities within the company in an amount of about \$100,000. The original complaint against the officers was filed by the state corporation commission.

The opinion was written by Justice Campbell in which he held no errors in the lower court's procedure and the opinion affirmed the decree of Judge Hall S. Lusk. The court also affirmed Marion county court's conviction of Brigham L. Young on a statutory charge. Young was sentenced to one year. Judge L. H. McManis affirmed in the opinion written by Justice Brown.

"Ma" Ferguson's Lead Increasing

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DALLAS, Texas, July 26 (AP)—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson lead over R. S. Sterling, the incumbent, in the gubernatorial race continued to mount today as a tabulation furnished by the Texas election bureau showed her 83,772 votes ahead in 242 out of 254 counties, of which 79 were complete.

The totals were Ferguson 326,435, Sterling 242,663, Hunter 172,952 and all others, 32,395.

The vote on proposed submission of the question of repeal or retention of the eighteenth amendment was 238,867 for submission and 110,975 against.

Effect of Anger
To be angry is to revenge the faults of others upon ourselves.—Pope.

Red Cross Swim Week to Come To An End Tonight

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The annual Red Cross swim week, conducted under the auspices of the local Red Cross chapter, will come to an end tonight, winding up an intensive instruction period for around 30 persons of all ages.

A second week will be provided by the chapter some time in August, according to announcement made yesterday by Nephth Combs, lifesaving examiner who is in charge of the week.

Achievements of the just completed series of lessons include presentation of Junior Lifesaving awards to three of those who were enrolled—Ondie Edwards, Bud Ingram and Jack Henderson. One senior exam will be given today for Harvey Carter. Three expert swimmers are now working toward the examiner tests and it is believed they will try the examination later in the summer. They are Art Steffen, Woodrow Damerell and Ben Osterling, who Sunday swam across Wallawa lake in record-breaking time. The three have been assistants during the Red Cross instruction period. Enthusiasm has been shown by entries in all of the classes which included beginners swimmers, juniors and seniors, according to leaders.

Later in the summer, Mr. Carlson, Red Cross lifesaving representative is expected to pay a second visit to this city, to give advanced examinations. A swimming meet with the pendleton to be held at Pine Cone later in the summer is another highlight among summer swimming events.

On the Red Cross committee which supervises the lifesaving and swimming program are Miss Madeline Larson, Dr. James Haun, Dr. Webster K. Ross, Elmo Stevenson and Mr. Combs.

ELGIN TO ADOPT LABOR EXCHANGE

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the week. Already many inquiries in regard to the operation of the plan have been received at the office, he said.

Canning Work Progressing
The canning work for the relief program is progressing very satisfactorily. The committee is now eager to have string beans and beets donated for canning. If any donations are considered the donors are asked to call 142-J.

Boy Scouts have devoted much work to collecting jars for canning. Troop 3 turned in 116, troop 4 turned in 110 and troop 14 produced 400.

Farley Presents Campaign Plans

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WASHINGTON, July 26 (AP)—James A. Farley, new chairman of the Democratic national committee, today presented the Roosevelt campaign plans to congressional Democratic leaders.

The chairman, also, at a lengthy conference on Capitol Hill listened to the suggestions of the party leaders here.

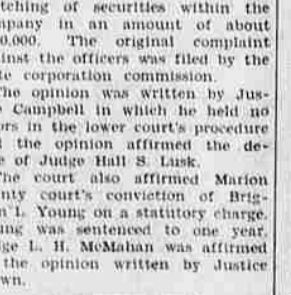
The conference was held in the office of Senator Harrison, (D. Miss.). Those attending included Senators Ashurst and Hayden, Arizona Representative Rainey, of Illinois, the Democratic leader, headed a group from the house.

Virtue and Wickedness
To err is human; but contrition felt for the crime distinguishes the virtuous from the wicked.—Alfieri.

Pave Your Garden—Foil Weeds

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Only Crops Have Room To Grow When Ground Is Covered With Mulch Of Concrete Blocks.



The U. S. department of agriculture is working out a scheme to help you keep so far weeds, grass and other unwanted plants from growing up through the cracks. The "pavement," shown above, also warms the soil.

ARLINGTON, Va. (AP)—Paving may be better than plowing for your back-yard garden. Growing vegetables in "cracks" in a garden pavement is the latest experimental idea of the department of agriculture. It may have been inspired by the persistence of grass that grows up through the cracks of old brick and cement sidewalks.

The permanent mulch controls weeds and conserves moisture. It also warms the soil earlier in the spring and keeps it warm longer in the fall because the blocks absorb the heat of the sun. Rain enters the ground along the rows between the blocks. The blocks made of cinders are covered with asphalt to make them black, so that they will absorb as much heat as possible, and blocks made of other materials are painted black for the same purpose. Government scientists believe the "pavement" will have no ill effects on the soil.

MYSTIC SHRINERS OPEN CONVENTION

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potentate and director-general of the 1932 convention, who presided. The first formal speaker was Ernest Lee Jahneke, assistant secretary of the navy, who appeared as personal representative of President Hoover, telling the Shriners they could contribute materially to the overcoming of the present economic maladjustments.

Secretary Jahneke was followed by a group of civic and Masonic officials who formally welcomed the Shrine convention to California.

ANNUAL FRONTIER DAYS UNDER WAY

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Cheyenne, as Miss Frontier 1932. The big question in the minds of home-town folks and visitors alike was: "Will Midnight be ridden?" Midnight, big black bronco, seemed little worried about his fate. For five years he has tossed aspiring cowboys who seek the world championship bucking title. His owners claim he never has been ridden the regular 10 seconds in a bucking contest.

Among champion and former champion riders, here hoping for a chance at the Midnight broncho, are Paddy Ryan, Bob Crosby, Dick Truitt, John Bowman, Hugh Strickland, Earl Thode, Buck Lucas, King Merritt, Doff Aber and "Red" McDonald.

Robert E. Edgren Quits Commission

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SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 26 (AP)—Robert E. Edgren, of Den Monte, asked Governor Rolip today to accept his resignation from the state athletic commission because ill health probably would keep him confined three or four months.

Edgren sent the letter from a New York hospital where he has been for some time.

GERMAN NAVY SHIP KEELS UNDER STORM

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She went over on her side and sank in three or four minutes. The DO-X came down safely after a stormy flight.

Within a short time after the Niobe went down, the cruiser Koenigsberg reached the scene. She had been preceded by a seaplane and four fast torpedo boats.

The Niobe had started out from Kiel for Warnemuende, Mecklenburg, and was to have returned in September.

Naval authorities were at a loss to explain the disaster, but they gave it as their guess that the crew, unprepared for the sudden wind, had been unable to reef the sails in time.

GENERAL FLYING SOUTH

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SEATTLE, July 26 (AP)—Major General B. B. Foulis, chief of the army air corps, left Seattle at 8:25 a. m. today by plane for Mather field, Sacramento. He intended to make only one stop en route, at Medford to refuel.

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BUSINESS ON THE ADVANCE OVER NATION

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months ending June 30, 1931, to \$77,098 for the corresponding period this year.

At Superior, Wisconsin, the grain committee of the northwest shippers advisory board forecast that big crops in the near-northwest would require greatly increased transportation facilities. For grain alone, the forecast said, nearly three times the facilities used in July, August and September last year will be required in the similar period this year.

INCREASED BUSINESS

NEW YORK, July 26 (AP)—Increased business on the stock exchange has brought the largest volume since the new federal taxes on stock and bond transfers became effective about a month ago. Wall Street had feared the new levies would reduce trading to an unprofitable level for the brokers and for the government itself.

Some of the most notable recoveries in the stock market since the turn in trend have been in preferred stocks. Senior shares in practically every group have participated in this rebound. Since this recovery has been coincident with the substantial rally in the bond market, investment dealers hope it signifies some recovery of confidence in underlying market conditions.

DECLARES DIVIDEND

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NEW YORK, July 26 (AP)—The Studebaker Corp. today declared the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 on the preferred stock.

C. O. P. NETS \$303,851

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26 (AP)—California Oregon Power company netted \$303,851 in the first half of 1932, after taxes, interest and depreciation, a substantial increase over the \$254,144 earned in the same 1931 period.

After provision for preferred dividends of \$282,688, the balance carried to surplus was \$21,163, compared with the past year's deficit after preferred dividends of \$11,761.

Net for June was \$56,525, compared with \$17,368 in June 1931.

STATE DAIRYMEN OPPOSE DR. ZOOK

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Last May the dairy association advised communications to members of the board of education demanding that the board select as chancellor "a man with a proved record of sympathy and a knowledge of service, both to students and to industry and agriculture."

In the letter today the association declared that Dr. Zook's service "as president of a metropolitan institution catering to an industrial municipality, does not fit him to administer Oregon's educational institution serving a population whose income is very largely from natural resources."

The letter was signed by G. A. Brown, manager of the association which is said to be owned by more than 6000 dairymen.

ADMIRAL BYRD TO HEAD CAMPAIGN

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tion in that campaign has been obtained. Admiral Byrd, scheduled to have left for Antarctica this autumn, was unanimously elected chairman pro-

ANNUAL MEETING THE FARMER'S CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY

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Archibald Roosevelt was chosen national secretary pro-tem, and Graham V. Blaine, vice president of the Bank of Manhattan, national treasurer.

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"Our ship is ready at Panama," Admiral Byrd said, "We have 150 tons of material prepared for the voyage, but as during the war we gave our services to the nation, today we must do the same thing."

The officers elected today will serve until September, when a national convention is to be held.

Major General James G. Harbord told the first meeting of the league that conservative figures by the government indicate that by 1945 payments to veterans and their dependents would reach \$2,000,000,000 annually under existing laws.

Delegates from 30 states attended the meeting to form a country-wide organization of the league, the object of which is to aid in bringing about economy in government expenditures.

General Harbord, who presided, read a letter from President Hoover and a telegram from Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic presidential nominee, both praising the movement. The general then outlined the formation of the league early in May when a few veterans, to whom it was apparent the largest single economy that could be made in the national budget was in the elimination of unjustifiable appropriations to veterans who suffered no disability, decided to form an organization to correct that condition.

He pointed out that all of these men firmly believed in just compensation to men who were really injured, and their dependents.

Hoover Deeply Interested

President Hoover's letter said he was deeply interested to learn of the formation of the league, and pointed out there was "great need for a nationwide and non-partisan organization designed to keep persistent attention to keeping down governmental expenditures on the part of the average voter, and added that "knowledge of and interest in federal and state budgets by the electorate is essential to sustain the executive and legislative branches of government in reducing government costs and balancing budgets."

Grenville Clark, president of the league, said seventy per cent of the annual federal expense concerns four items, public debt, army and navy, public works and veterans. Of these four, he said, public debt is increasing, public works expenditures probably have increased, and army and navy costs can only be reduced if and when international disarmament becomes a reality, and therefore veterans' expense is the only one that can be cut.

BONUS ARMY HAVING TROUBLES WASHINGTON, July 26 (AP)

Whether some of their shelters would fall about their heads depended today upon the ability of bonus seekers to agree with the treasury as to when they will get out of government buildings.

One group of veterans had a plan ready for the treasury, which indicated it would order the executive and legislative buildings torn down whether their occupants evacuated or not.

Police were ready, too, for a possible demonstration when nine men arrested yesterday in a general melee following an attempt to picket the White House were arraigned in police court. Exhorters of the radical wing in soap box speeches last night urged the demonstration as a protest against the arrests.

The compromise plan would have veterans leave government buildings and grounds in a "reasonable time" provided other billets were proffered. Estimates of what would be a "reasonable time" varied from five to thirty days.

There was an order instructing veterans at midnight last night, but Pelham D. Glassford, police superintendent, granted a 24-hour reprieve.