

LOCAL BRIEFS

In La Grande—Aldmer Playe, of Chehalis, spent Sunday in La Grande, a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playe.

Visit—Miss Bellah Grades, of Payette, Ida., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Shellworth and family.

In Stanfield—Miss Amanda Zabel spent Sunday at the home of friends in Stanfield.

To The Dalles—Mrs. Vera W. Waterburg, who has been here the past few months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dörfel, left yesterday for The Dalles.

Spend Day—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rosenbaum and daughter, Helena Mae, of Baker, were in La Grande yesterday spending the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playe.

From Vacation—Mr. and Mrs. William Arvey returned to La Grande last night from a week's vacation trip which they spent camping and fishing up on the South Fork and on the Minam. They report very excellent luck, and brought back some fine fish to confirm their story.

Visit Friends—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mixer, of Chicago, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. F. D. McCully, at Joseph, and also with friends and relatives in Portland were guests yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playe. Mr. and Mrs. Mixer had planned making a long visit in the west but a message received last week telling of the serious illness of Mr. Mixer's mother in Chicago, is calling them back to the middle west in a very short time.

Has Accident—Arthur LaCrosse, 22, of Portland, was taken to the Grande Ronde hospital yesterday with a large splinter in his foot, was believed to have been a transient who was riding on a freight train near North Powder at the time of the accident, although he refuses to reveal how he received the injury. He will be in the hospital several days. Ira Grabbil, of Imberville, was also admitted to the hospital today with an infected hand.

Operations—Mrs. Marvin Blake underwent an appendix operation this morning at the Grande Ronde hospital. F. A. Ellington was admitted for a minor operation which will be performed tomorrow, while Mrs. Ruby Young left the hospital yesterday after a month's period of convalescence from an operation.

Breaks Ankle—Lela Sue was admitted to the Grande Ronde hospital this morning with a broken ankle, sustained when she fell from a swing.

Plan—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McCloy were enjoying surprised yesterday when the employees of their two La Grande and one Enterprise stores, went to Wallawa Lake for a picnic. Mr. and Mrs. McCloy were spending the weekend there. Twenty-three employees enjoyed a picnic dinner and an afternoon of swimming, boating and horse-back riding.

Visiting Here—Mrs. S. W. Wall, of Grand View, Ida., her son, Buzz, of Caldwell, and Mrs. Edna Valentine and children, Martha and Ted, are visiting in La Grande for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Marjorie Vail.

To Go Swimming—Members of the B. Y. P. U. will meet at the church at 7:30 Wednesday evening to go to Cove for a swimming party.

Market Entered—The market was entered sometime last night, according to reports, and some articles were reported as missing.

Accidents—Two automobile accidents occurred in and near La Grande over the weekend. E. N. Boylen, of Pendleton, was driving on the summit of Emigrant hill about 8 p. m. Saturday when he was crowded off the road and his car overturned. The other driver apparently was blinded by the sun. No one was hurt. Sunday at 11 a. m. cars driven by M. C. Nessly, of Seattle, and Julia Smith, of 2014 First street, collided. No one was hurt.

Station Manager Hobbed—According to the police records, the manager of the Veltex service station at 601 Adams avenue was held up and robbed of about \$5 Saturday night about 9 o'clock. The robber made his escape. Police investigated the case.

To Pendleton—Mrs. Bert Lantz, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Esther DuPuis, drove to Pendleton Friday where Mrs. DuPuis left Saturday night for Oakland, Cal. where she will spend the winter. She has been spending the summer months in La Grande with

her daughter. Mrs. Lantz returned to La Grande Saturday night.

On Way to Twin Falls—Mr. and Mrs. George Daubner and daughter, Patricia, stopped overnight in La Grande at the home of his aunt Mrs. Harry Gibson. They are on the way to their home in Twin Falls, Ida., after spending the past two months in Northern Idaho. Mrs. Daubner has spent most of the time with her mother and other relatives in Pendleton.

To Haines—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson and Mrs. Harry Gibson drove to Haines yesterday and spent the afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bell.

Returns Home—Mrs. Harold M. Finlay and two children, Kathryn and Allan, returned last night from a two month visit in Keokuk, Iowa and Battle Creek, Mich. In Keokuk they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Krichel and at Battle Creek they visited relatives and friends.

Car, Garage Burnt—A car and garage belonging to Bill Carlin were destroyed by fire at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night at 2812 Second street. The cause of the fire is unknown. The flames had such a start when the fire alarm was sounded that the fire department was unable to save either the car or garage. Recall was at 11:40 o'clock.

From Joseph—F. D. McCully, of Joseph, spent Saturday in La Grande transacting business.

From Baker—Among Saturday's visitors in La Grande were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McCord, of Baker.

From Baker—Mrs. Eliza Pearson, treasurer of Baker county, was a visitor this morning in La Grande, calling on Mrs. Florence Bacon, Union county treasurer.

Visiting—Mrs. Margaret Romig, county school superintendent of Baker county, this morning conferred with E. A. Bayre on school problems and also visited at the Eastern Oregon Normal school.

On Vacation—C. L. Graham, employed in the county clerk's office, is enjoying his annual vacation this week.

Returns—Miss Bess Duke returned yesterday from a two week's vacation spent in Eugene visiting her father, George Edward Duke, and other relatives.

Leaves—Miss Melba Staley, of Salt Lake City, Utah, left this morning for her home after visiting in La Grande since yesterday morning with Miss Bess Duke. Miss Staley has been attending school in Eugene during the past two winters and is returning to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Staley.

Tourists—Among the tourists who stopped in La Grande during the weekend were Margaret Layton, of Salt Lake City; Misses Jessie Strade and Clara Powell, of Portland; Mrs. W. Gill Wylie and John W. Spencer, of New York City; and R. P. Stansbury, of Los Angeles.

Arrested—Fred Ferris, of La Grande, was arrested in Pendleton late last week for having a Washington license on his car, according to the Pendleton East Oregonian.

Leaves—Mrs. William Roberts left yesterday to return to her home in The Dalles, after spending the past several days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Cochran.

In Stateline—Mrs. Leonore Beaumont, of La Grande, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffman at Stateline.

Advancement—The friends of Herman J. Kramer will be interested to hear of his advancement to principalship of the Silverton senior high school for the coming year. Following his graduation from college Mr. Kramer taught in Silverton for one year and during the second was elected as principal of the junior high school. Last year he was principal of the Union high school at Hood River, and this year returns to Silverton.

Returns—Miss Frances Kelly returned Saturday to her home in La Grande after spending a month in California and a few weeks in Portland. Miss Kelly lives in La Grande but teaches in the Baker schools.

To Meet—The Knights of Pythias will hold a special meeting at the hall at 8 o'clock tonight to discuss important business matters. Everyone is urged to be present.

ROY CHAPIN TAKES OATH—WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—Cratification at the "unmistakably better" one that now prevails in our industries and marks of trade" was expressed today by Roy D. Chapin as he was sworn in as secretary of commerce.

The Detroit automobile manufacturer took the oath as successor to Robert P. Lamm, who retired to re-enter private business.

108 ABOVE AT HANKOW—SIAMHOAI, Aug. 6 (AP)—The temperature at Hankow today reached 108 degrees as the heat wave sweeping Central China continued.

During an inspection of the army garrison at Hankow 14 soldiers collapsed and died of sunstroke.

And It Should Be Fresh—Every adult human being inhales about 35 pounds of air daily.

LIBBY REYNOLDS SURRENDERS TO OFFICERS TODAY

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represent his daughter. It is generally believed here that the trip to North Carolina is being made by automobile and that Libby is accompanied by Myron Kahn, of Cincinnati, her brother-in-law.

Superior court adjourned here last week and Judge Back and Solicitor Carlisle Higgins transferred to Wentworth, where a term of superior court begins today.

This is why Libby's plea for bail must be made in the remote little county town instead of in Winston-Salem.

Solicitor Higgins did not oppose bail for Walker, giving rise to the impression here that he would not seriously contest the petition of Mrs. Reynolds.

Higgins, however, has refused to commit himself and said Saturday his course in the Walker case must not be taken as an indication of his probable attitude towards Libby's plea.

FOREST FIRE REPORTED IN BAKER AREA

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The maximum temperature in La Grande Sunday was 97 above, followed by a night that saw the minimum no lower than 80. Another scorcher was expected this afternoon.

Scattered showers occurred over Union and Wallawa counties late yesterday, accompanied by thunder and lightning, but did not noticeably cool the atmosphere.

SEVERAL FIRES BURNING—PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 8 (AP)—Cooler weather and a slackened wind somewhat alleviated the forest fire situation in Oregon today, although several fires were still burning.

One of the worst, near the head of Sixes river in northern Curry county has already covered 4000 acres and destroyed white cedar of a value estimated at \$900,000.

Fire fighters expressed fear for the safety of several miners operating at Johnson creek in the Salmon district. They said the fire is north of the miners and bearing in their direction. Should the blaze continue in that direction, the fire fighters said, the miners would have only two avenues of escape; over the mountains to Port Orford or south to emerge somewhere on the Rogue river.

Fire Near Klamath—A fire yesterday swept the weed and grass covered hills around Klamath Falls. A cow and a horse were killed and a dairy threatened. Seven fire fighters and two farm boys who had gone out to drive cattle to safety were temporarily surrounded by the blaze.

W. L. Forsythe, manager of the Port Orford Cedar Products company in whose holdings the Sixes river fire is burning, returned Sunday from the fire front. One of the company's employees, he said, was badly burned in fighting the fire. He was sent to a hospital for treatment. The company yesterday had a crew of 40 men fighting the fire, believed to be the most disastrous since that on the Middle Fork canyon of the Coquille river in 1929.

This blaze already has swept through a range of territory south-west and west of Powers and destroyed two ranch homes and buildings. Cattle are said to have lost their lives when the fire broke over the divide between the Coquille river and the upper reaches of the Sixes.

GALITZEN WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

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gives, while Smith finished off with an 18.92. The best of the foreign contingent in the final test was Leo Essar, Germany, who had 18.04.

Sport Finals

NATIONAL LEAGUE TODAY'S BASKETBALL (By the Associated Press)

(First game) R. H. E. St. Louis 7 12 1 Philadelphia 6 5 2 Johnson, Carleton and Mancuso; Hansen, Collins, J. Elliott, Beryl and V. Davis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE R. H. E. Washington 7 5 1 Cleveland 6 12 4 Weaver, Crowder and Berg, Hildebrand, Connally, Wyatt, Brown and Sewell.

Boston at Detroit, postponed wet grounds; double header tomorrow.

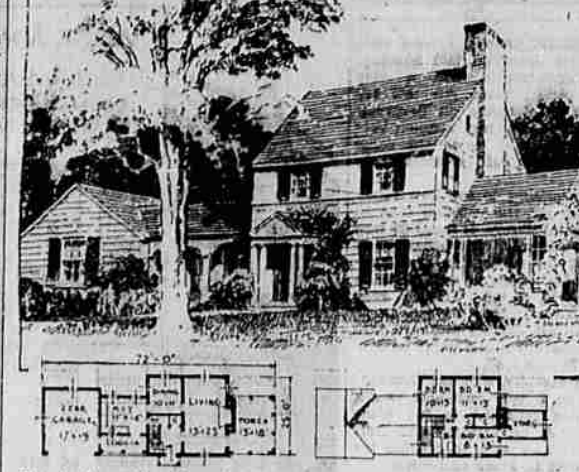
BOSTON WOOL—BOSTON, Aug. 8 (AP)—Sentiment in the wool market is becoming more optimistic. A large movement of wool last week encouraged efforts to advance asking prices on holdings. Further stimulus is given by reports of stronger prices on recent purchases in the country. Receipts of domestic wool here during the week ending Aug. 6 were estimated at 15,200,000 lbs. compared with 7,918,700 lbs. the previous week.

WOULD RECALL JUDGE—MEDFORD, Ore., Aug. 6 (AP)—Petitions for the recall of Circuit Judge H. D. Norton were being circulated in Jackson county today. The sponsors of the movement were not named on the petitions.

The text of the basis for the action cited alleged "prejudice and bias" in decisions, and "the replacing of justice with miscarriage of justice in the extent by his rulings to the extent that the liberty, life and property of the citizens of the first judicial district are endangered."

Empire State Cats—It is estimated there are 7,000,000 cats in New York state.

A HOUSE THAT WILL GROW



The dual consideration of good appearance from all angles and economical construction has governed this design.

If the owner builds only the central portion, planning to add the kitchen and garage later, he will have a workable home. And curiously, the house goes equally well on a skimpily lot or one of generous dimensions, depending upon its position.

The downstairs hall may be made to serve all rooms and every room has at least two exposures. The loggia serves both as passage to the garage and as service porch. The living porch at the other end of the house is commodious, and its up-

per extension furnishes a large storage space.

Several minor improvements may be added from time to time, not the least of them being glass panels for the living room porch.

Such panels are useful from early fall until late spring, if well fitted, and can readily be stored through the summer. Another feature might be a fireplace on the porch.

A brown or gray roof should be best, with white siding and dark green shutters.

It might be well to choose Colonial papers throughout the interior with, perhaps, buff curtains. Cost should run from \$8,000 to \$9,000.

Cooks on Friday were Mrs. R. L. Williamson, Mrs. William Pearce, Misses June Coolidge, Delva Beers and Esther Knox and Mrs. Jack Wright. Girls on kitchen police duty were supervised by Miss Margarette Hesse.

Dinner were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Avera, Mrs. L. J. A. Bohlenkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loney Jr., Mrs. George Livingston, Mrs. A. Milne, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Price, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bertach, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith, Mrs. M. L. Whitney, Mrs. Max Turn, Mrs. R. F. Tyler, A. L. Becker and the Larson, Perkins and Goss families.

On Thursday afternoon a barbecue dinner will be held for all girls who attended the camp at Pine Cone. Swimming will start at 5:30 and at 7 a dinner will be served. All mothers who attend are asked to bring a covered vegetable dish or a salad. All mothers who helped with the cooking at camp are also asked to be there at 6 o'clock to discuss the problems for next year.

DEMPSEY STOPS HERE EN ROUTE

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say that the Dempsey fight will be billed as an exhibition affair but followers of boxing are contemplating a fight since Jack punches as hard in exhibition as when he is in scheduled fight. It is also said that Dempsey did not think much of Sharkey's fighting in the recent Sharkey-Schmeling fight and is confident that he can take the title away from the man he knocked out in seven rounds five years ago.

Although traveling incognito, Dempsey admitted his identity this morning to some of the people who interviewed him, chatting with them for awhile during his breakfast. He was traveling in a 16-cylinder automobile.

34 VISIT BOYS CAMP AT RESORT

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Presenting of awards followed with Miss Escher Palmer and Miss Margarette Hesse awarding 45 hand-crafted beads; Miss Margaret Milne, 45 cards; Mrs. Raymond O. Williams, 10 fanfold flycatchers; 13 trail blazers; 13 gypsies. Miss Helene Price made the swimming awards to the four classes of swimmers, pollwogs, frogs, fish and flying fish. She also presented the Red Cross honor buttons to those who fulfilled the requirements. Seventeen "best tent" honors were given by Mrs. Mary Heasler while the "quiet tent" honors were awarded to every girl, 45 in all, by Mrs. R. F. Tyler. Camp honors were presented to the entire group of Miss Madeline Larson.

Miss Edith Palmer designed the special honors which were presented to nine councillors by Miss Larson. Mrs. Tyler, representing camp, Miss Edith Palmer, health and Miss Larson, love, conducted the fire extinguishing ceremony while the girls returned to their tents.

Pokey Huntus, a king and queen, Captain John Smith and even Maggie O'Brien, the cook, arrived Thursday night for the stunt night at the Camp Fire Girls' camp. The three cabins which comprised the camp were competing in the program which included a play and several special stunts which exhibited the girls' training in music, voice and dancing.

Miss Helene Price and Miss Nancy Tidwell were in charge of the performance which was attended by many friends and relatives. After the performance, Miss Margaret Milne gave a star-jazz party for the entire camp.

In Cabin I, Miss Mary Jean Bohlenkamp was the leading star in the stunt, "Pokey Huntus." Miss Adelaide Zweifel starred in "The Fatal Quest," staged by Cabin II, while in the third a "melodrama" was staged with Miss Gloria Walker as the leading lady. The main special feature was a duet, acrobatic tumbling and a tap dance by Misses Mary Jane Heasler and Ruth Byers.

Thursday the girls enjoyed an overnight hike when they rolled their own ponchos and took them to their bed of rocks and sticks under the stars. By the hike and camp supper, prepared by the Gypsies and Trail-makers, many of the girls will pass their camp ranks, of which Mrs. Ray Williams is in charge.

Thursday evening Mrs. Stella Ingole, who took a trip to Hawaii last summer, told of her experiences, interspersing them with Hawaiian legends.

Presbyterians Begin Meeting On South Fork

(Observer Correspondent)

LOSTINE (Special)—The Presbyterian conference which has been held for a number of years up South Fork started Monday, Aug. 8. Many fine speakers will appear on the program. Mr. and Mrs. M. Crow drove up to the campground Sunday and found that someone had burned up part of the equipment, tables, chairs, cupboards, etc.

A grass fire got beyond control on the Lloyd Chapman farm Wednesday and for a time the wheat fields of the Holm brothers and the buildings on the Fisher farm were in danger. The neighbors went out in full force and put the fire out after it had burned over several acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinnie and small son, of Salem, arrived Friday to spend a month with friends in Wallawa county. They are at the home of Mrs. Ella McKinnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lewis spent the week back at Prewater visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crane.

A shower honoring Mrs. Lewis Brandt was given at the home of Mrs. Sanford Chapman Friday. She received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Swartz left Tuesday on their return to California after a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearce.

L. A. Stringham, of La Grande, visited Wednesday at the Wiggins home.

Lyle Hammack, employed for several years in a Portland creamery, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hammack.

Mark Harris, connected with the government forest service, spent a day at the Howard Williamson home. Miss Fern already to go into the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale, who moved to Elgin three weeks ago, came here Sunday and spent the weekend.

Charles Cole was taken very suddenly ill Sunday at his home near Lostine. He was all alone and when his children came home they found him in a semi-conscious condition on the back porch steps and taken to Wallawa where his trouble was diagnosed as heart disease. He is at the home of his daughter.

A quartet of young people from this place, Margaret Poley, Martha Crow, Esther Flenor, Helen Leonard, Melvin Crow, Calvin Plants, Warner and Lewis Crow sang for the Enterprise chamber of commerce Tuesday.

Miss Fern Haun was their accompanist. Mr. and Mrs. George Dodge left Tuesday on a business visit to Dayville.

Ober Ward received severe injuries when he was thrown from a horse Tuesday.

Dick Pullen was seriously injured Thursday when he was ascending a hay stack by a derrick fork. Someone tripped the rope and Pullen fell to the ground, missing the stack. He was taken to the Enterprise hospital and his condition is not known here at this time. The accident occurred on the Ed Glenn farm.

C. F. Swander, field director of the Christian church, held baptismal services at Lostine Sunday afternoon. While driving home near Lostine Saturday, Mrs. Wayne Wade hit a sheep. The car was upset and turned over three times. Mrs. Wade was injured but is doing well at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Applegate, of Portland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wade.

Challis Allen, who recently moved to Southern Oregon, was here Tuesday on business.

Dr. Arrido and daughter, of Lebanon, arrived last week to visit his daughter, Mrs. Roy Cook and family.

M. E. Stevenson, of Portland, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Wiggins, has been enjoying some splendid fishing on South Fork. Tuesday while fishing on the George Tilton ranch, a Holstein bull saw him and made for him. When Mr. Stevenson saw the bull, he immediately "cooned" a nearby tree in which position he remained for two hours before the animal tired of being a watch dog and left the scene. Marvin proceeded to vacate that territory with only a fair catch of fish.

J. P. Stearns started his combine Monday and was the first to bring in new grain to the warehouse. He has 280 acres of Forty-fold and expects the yield to average more than 25 bushels to the acre.

The Board club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bert Claude with three tables at play. Mrs. Roy Haun made high score. Lovely refreshments of ice cream, angel cake and leed tea were served.

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Conference Will Limit Itself To Bi-lateral Pacts

(By Frank L. Weller)

OTTAWA, Aug. 8 (AP)—A prospect that the imperial conference would limit itself to bi-lateral agreements between the dominions and leave the rest of the agenda for the coming world economic conference at which the United States will sit appeared as the conference began its third and perhaps final week today.

The general belief was that Great Britain would do something to open her doors wider to the products of the dominions, but that in doing so she would be inclined to confine herself to measures looking to an international revival of trade rather than to purely empire benefit.

It was recalled that the Prince of Wales, on the eve of the opening of the conference, referred especially to the "undesirability of damaging" the empire's world trade.

BOLIVIAN PLANE FORCED TO LAND

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are now concentrated in camps at Ponta Grossa and Curitiba.

Another federal wing reported an advance to the north toward Espao Banita, taking 200 prisoners. This advance was preceded by bombing planes.

WHEAT PRICE CONTINUES TO GAIN TODAY

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proved about a million bales under expectations.

STOCKS GO HIGHER—NEW YORK, Aug. 8 (AP)—The stock market surged violently higher between successive waves of profit taking today, but on the whole, retained only about half of extreme gains of 2 to 5 points in the leaders, in the first 5,000,000-share day in more than a year. The closing time was steady.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 8 (AP)—Cotton jumped \$2.50 a bale on the market here today after receipt of the government estimate of an indicated yield of 11,000,000 bales which was decidedly smaller than traders had expected.

The market promptly advanced 40 to 50 points when trading was resumed. October sold as high as 6.92, December at 7.08 and January at 7.16. This represented an advance over Saturday's close of 72 to 78 points or nearly 84 a bale.

FIRE NEAR DALLAS, ORE.

DALLAS, Aug. 8 (AP)—Warden Hugh Walker took out a crew of men last night to fight a fire near an old sawmill half a mile east of Black Rock. Eye witnesses reported yesterday that the forest fire started from a campfire lit burning by picnickers. The fire burned into a log drift on the Little Luckmautee river and spread on both sides of the stream. It was reported under control today after covering about six acres of undergrowth and slashings.

Before leaving for the Black Rock fire, Walker brought in part of the crew that had been fighting a fire on logged-off land near Valslets since Friday afternoon. It was brought under control yesterday morning.

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