

Dud Rankin Injured Dangerously

BACK BROKEN IN MISHAP AT WALLA WALLA

Physicians Said to Hold Little Hope For Aviator's Recovery.

SHIP FALLS FROM JACK ONTO FLIER

Rankin Changing Tire at Time of Accident; Wife Called to Walla Walla Today.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 15 (AP)—Word was received here today from Walla Walla that Dudley Rankin, 35, well known Oregon flier, suffered a broken back in an accident there this morning. He is a brother to Tex and Dick Rankin, prominent aviators.

SUNDAY WARM; MORE HEAT IN STORE TODAY

Customary August warmth returned to La Grande over the weekend and yesterday, in spite of clouds that persisted during much of the day, the mercury moved up to 86 above.

Pat Kennedy Gets Three Sage Hens

The opening of the sage hen season this morning found hunters greeting the sun in the hills near Telocast, but by noon the Observer had heard of only one hunter who had bagged the limit, young Pat Kennedy.

200 Knights Hold Picnic Yesterday

More than 200 Knights of Pythias and their families met yesterday for their annual picnic in a grove near Wallawa. Representatives from practically every lodge in the district, including Enterprise, Wallawa, Elgin and La Grande, attended.

E. C. Stiles Here To Hold Classes

E. C. Stiles, representative of the San Francisco office of the Red Cross, will be in La Grande tomorrow and Wednesday and will conduct classes in lifesaving at Crystal Plunge, one of the activities of the annual swim week which opened yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at the Plunge.

Dr. Wilson Stops On Way to Boise

Dr. Clarence True Wilson, noted dry leader of Portland, stopped in La Grande today en route to Boise where, it is said, he will urge William Borah, Idaho senator, to run for the presidency on an independent dry ticket.

WEATHER FORECAST Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Tuesday; local thunderstorms in the mountains and showers on the coast; moderate temperature; moderate changeable winds offshore. WEATHER TODAY 7 a. m.—67 above. Minimum: 57 above. Condition: Clear. WEATHER YESTERDAY Maximum 86, minimum 51 above. Condition: Partly cloudy. Range—35 degrees. WEATHER AUG. 15, 1931 Maximum 92, minimum 52 above. Condition: Clear. Range—40 degrees.

Boys Return To La Grande After 2 Weeks in Camp

Honors Won By Many Youngsters During Period Spent at Wallawa Lake; Honor Court Held

Proud boys, boasting of medals won for prowess in sports, in camping and in the other events which characterized the two weeks outing, returned yesterday from the boys camp at Wallawa lake. While many of the boys returned to La Grande with their parents, others came back on the truck furnished by Hal Bohnenkamp after camp broke up at about 10:30 a. m.

Legionnaire On Cross-Continent Hike for Health

Afflicted with spine trouble which is gradually disappearing because of his unique cure, Samuel Labowitz, of Baltimore, Md., was in La Grande today en route to San Francisco from his home city. On April 20 he left Baltimore, with \$281 in cash of which he borrowed \$2, and wearing a brown shirt with this inscription sewed on the front: "Baltimore to San Francisco on Foot."

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FARM STRIKE CONTINUES IN IOWA TODAY

Farmers Move to Enforce Edict Against Marketing For 30 Days.

PRODUCE DEALERS RECEIVE WARNING

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Roosevelt and Garner Planning Active Campaign

Two Nominees Confer Sunday at Albany—Mapping of Speaking Itineraries Discussed.

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'32 OLYMPIC GAMES COME TO A CLOSE

Americans Lead Rest of the World by Winning 8 of 17 Events.

CALIFORNIA CREW NOSES OUT ITALY

Record Books Re-written Due to Athletic Feats—Berlin to be World Host in 1936.

By Alan Gould (Associated Press Sports Editor) LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15 (AP)—The athletic forces of the United States emerged today from 16 days of unprecedented Olympic competition with the greatest collection of victories gained in this quadrennial carnival in at least 30 years.

Son Born Today At Moedling To Princess Ileana

By Robert J. Schillbach (Associated Press Staff Writer) MOEDLING, Austria, Aug. 15 (AP)—The newest member of the 900-year-old Hapburg family, an eight-pound boy, was born today to Princess Ileana, of Rumania, and her husband, Archduke Anton.

"DEATH MARCH BATTALION" ON WAY TO HOME

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 15 (AP)—A straggling band of 48 men was camped today in a hollow just south of Oklahoma City on their way to homes in California from Johnstown, Pa., where they camped with the now disbanded B. E. F.

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No Let-up In Prohibition Enforcement

U. S. AGENTS TO CONTINUE THEIR WORK

Attorney General Mitchell Gives Orders to Federal Officers.

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IN THE NEWS



Above—Admiral Richard H. Leigh, who commanded all U. S. submarine chasers in European waters during the world war, is the new commander-in-chief of the United States fleet. He succeeds Admiral Frank B. Schofield.

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Hoover Calls Conference

ONE, TWO, THREE FOR U. S.



The United States again made a clean sweep of things in the Olympic Games, by taking the first three places in the women's high diving. Upper photo shows Dorothy Poynton, 18-year-old Los Angeles school girl and winner of the event, making one of her dives. Below: Miss Poynton (left), Georgia Coleman, who placed second (center) and Marion Dale Hoper who took third place.

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