

# Confessed Slayers Of State Policeman Await Hearing

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# GOLD BLOC MOVES TO DESERT MEET

## JULY FOURTH TO BE QUIET IN LA GRANDE

Celebration Planned for This Community; Enterprise, Baker Attract

Pierce, Brady To Speak at Baker Independence Day to Be Ushered in at Midnight With Legion Dance at Goodbrod Lake.

## Holiday Will Be Observed; Paper To Take Day Off

La Grande was preparing today to enjoy a Fourth of July holiday tomorrow although a considerable number of people not required to work today or at least only part of a day, already were in vacation mood.

## RUCKMANS END MID-WEST TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ruckman have just returned from a 7000-mile automobile tour through the middle west, going as far east as Detroit.

## LOCAL COUPLE GETS LICENSE

A marriage license was issued Saturday by County Clerk C. K. McCormick to Elmer L. McCure and Miss Mamie Leak, both of near La Grande.

## WILL ROGERS SAYS:

SANTA MONICA, Cal., July 3.—Did you ever see real air races by the world's greatest fliers? They are breakfasting in New York and flying in here for lunch.

## REP. PIERCE SPEAKER AT SUNDAY MEET

Congressman Addresses About 500 Gathered at L. D. S. Tabernacle.

## EAGLES TO HAVE PROGRAM TONIGHT

An interesting program has been announced by Arthur Omer for the Eagles bro-society which will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the Eagles hall.

## OLD CABIN YIELDS AGED NEWSPAPERS

Picture a small cabin, situated just off the Old Oregon Trail back of Hilgard, 40 years ago. In it a man, D. H. McWaters, an interested reader of newspapers in addition to his regular endeavors—whatever they were.

## As Kahn Told About His Bank



Otto Kahn is shown here in three characteristic studies as he began his testimony in the Senate inquiry into private banks.

## DRUG STORES TAKE UP NEW SUNDAY PLAN

Druggists of La Grande inaugurated their new Sunday closing hours yesterday, remaining open from 1 to 5 p. m. instead of from noon to 5 which was the former schedule.

## THREE RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Misses Norma Moser, Ruth Garrick and Margaret Mine, teachers in the public schools, have returned from Chicago where they attended the Century of Progress exposition.

## MARVELS OF LAKE AREA GET PRAISE

Portland Paper Devotes Full Page to La Grande, Wallowa Lake Country

## TELLS OF FLIGHT OVER LAKE BASIN

View From Top of Mt. Emily Called "Exceptional Panorama," Writer Guided By Perkins.

The Wallowa mountains and this section of the state received a remarkable boost in Sunday's Oregonian, when the first page of section two was devoted to an article entitled: "Details of Wallowa Mountains Learned on Motor Cruise."

## EBERHART GIVEN CALIFORNIA POST

La Grande people were interested today in news that Adjutant R. M. Eberhart, of the Salvation Army at Portland, had been given a new appointment. Mrs. Eberhart is a sister of Paul Knautz, of La Grande, and both she and her husband are well known locally.

## MRS. PAGUE IS VISITING HERE

Mrs. Donald Pague, a former resident of La Grande, is here from Portland for a visit of a few days among many La Grande friends and acquaintances.

## First Lady Aids Jobless Girls



It's hard to tell who was happiest when Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt made a surprise visit to the camp for jobless young women at Bear Mountain Lake, N. Y., and took a tramp with the girls as pictured here.

## Building Total For Six Months At \$34,958 Here

The total amount of new construction in La Grande for the first half of 1933 stands at \$34,958, according to records at the office of the city treasurer-recorder.

## OFFICER SHOT TO DEATH AT GRANTS PASS

Burrell M. Baucum Killed While Making Check on Passing Auto.

## MARY AND DOUG WILL SEPARATE

LOS ANGELES, July 3 (AP)—Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks, Doug and Mary to their world of film followers, are contemplating a separation, and possibly a divorce, on the grounds of "incompatibility."

## JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

SNOW IN KANE, PA. HEAVY STOCK BUYING NOTED AVIATOR DIES \$75,000 RANSOM READY

## ROOSEVELT'S REFUSAL IS HELD REASON

President's Dramatic Stand on Gold Standard Question Unchanged

## SEEN AS REBUKE TO THE FRENCH

Switzerland Takes First Step Toward Holding up Further Work of World Conference.

## ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, July 3 (AP)

Horton Smith, American professional from Chicago, shot a sub-par 71 today to go into a tie with George T. Dunlap Jr., of New York, amateur star, for the lead in the first qualifying round of the British open golf championship.

## MUCH WORK DONE BY C. C. C. UNIT AT CAMP IMNAHA

ENTREPRISE, Ore. (Special)—Visitors to the C. C. C. camp at Imnaha have been greatly impressed with its excellent organization and facilities.

## 45 C. C. C. MEN TO SPEND 4TH WITH FAMILIES

By furnishing transportation to and from Crane Flats camp No. 1305, of the citizens' conservation corps, the county of Union made it possible for 45 men to return to La Grande, Elgin, Union and other county points for the Fourth of July holiday.

## Appropriate Celebration For Independence Day



## INQUIRING REPORTER

Each day as the Inquiring Reporter makes the rounds two persons will be stopped at random on the street corner and asked some question of the day.

## Wheat Today

CHICAGO, July 3 (AP)—Wheat skyrocketed almost five cents a bushel today at the opening of business, and smashed all top records reached of late.

## FIRE IN TRASH BOX

The fire truck was called to John Larson's residence at 10:20 o'clock this morning to extinguish a fire in a trash box. No damage was reported.

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