

ACKERMAN SCHOOL CHILDREN STAGE SUMMER CIRCUS

Half a hundred first and second graders in the J. H. Ackerman Training school are completing their summer work this week. Much of the class room work has been centered around the circus and the people and animals who are a part of it. Reading, language, writing, art and music have all contributed to the knowledge and interest of the children.

Wednesday in the north court at the Normal school, the children summarized the work by giving a circus of their own to parents, friends and the other children of the Training school.

There were printed programs, gaily colored banners and balloons, and a lemonade stand which every real circus must have; also kittens and puppies brought from home and given lodging in cages of gay color to help complete the circus atmosphere. At the close, the summer edition of "The Normal Chieftain," the children's newspaper, was distributed.

The work of the first and second grade children and the publication of the summer edition of the newspaper was directed by Miss Edith Darby who returned to La Grande in January after completing her master's degree in Teachers College, Columbia University. Student teachers assisting Miss Darby were LaVelle Welch, Alice Hensley, Marian Henderson, Ethel Hansen, Madeline Fraser, Dorothy Lake, Irene Tucker and Mildred Davis.

The program for the circus included:

1. Circus parade.
2. Rhythm band, Lucien Whealey, director, 1B.
3. How we happened to have a circus—Jerry Cook.
4. Song—"Bunny Rabbit"—1B's.
5. The Dancing Ladies—Arlene Patt, Luan Brady, Helen Miller, Jean Delman, 2B girls.
6. The Bucking Horse—Kenneth Hayes, Roy Baker, Jimmy Courtney.
7. Clown stunts—Carol Larson, Gordon Barnwell, Peter Russell, Kenneth Hayes, Dick Bean, Dale Anderson, Raymond Collins, Helen Miller, Jimmy Courtney, Matt Sweetich, Billy Bailey, Roy Baker, Jimmie McPherson.
8. Solo dance—Helen Miller.
9. Display of Animals—The giraffe, Arlene Patt; the lion, Jimmy Courtney; the elephant, Charles Snyder.
10. Poems: The Elephant, Hildegarde Rettig; The Lovely Lion Joyce Miller, Bobby Hyde, Carol Larson.
11. The Ballroom Dance, Marion Trill.
12. Dramatization—The Dancing Bear, Jean Ibell, Neal Brady, Patricia Lee Tuckey.
13. Song, The Circus Parade—1A's and 2 B's.
14. Big Black Bear, Nancy Fitzgerald, Patsy Gilbert.
15. The Trapeze lady, Hildegarde Rettig.
16. Dancing Dollies, Patsy Elder, Marion Trill, Reva Dale Pulp, Barbara Webb, Dotty Greene.
17. Song—The Clown—1A's and 2B's.

Announcer—Jerry Cook.
(Circus horse loaned by Billy Wagner.)

Abe Cohn of Carson City, Nevada, believes he possesses the smallest Indian basket yet made. It weighs only 75 milligrams.

CHEVROLET WILL INCREASE WAGES

DETROIT, July 27 (AP)—William S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor Co., announced today a 15 per cent increase in the hourly wage rate for 40,000 workers in the 20 Chevrolet and Pontiac automobile plants in Michigan and other parts of the country.

The increase, he said, with the five per cent raise announced in May, makes the total increase 20 per cent.

Knudsen announced all salaried employees earning under \$1800 a year would be given an increase of 10 per cent.

"In making this announcement," said Knudsen, "Chevrolet and Pontiac meet the shorter hours and higher wage program announced by the president for the working men on whom the prosperity of the country depends."

CLOVIS DE GAGNE, VETERAN OF WAR, PASSES THURSDAY

Clovis De Gagne, 64, passed away at his home at 1210 Adams avenue Thursday afternoon after a long illness. The body rests at Walkers Funeral Home and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

He is survived by his widow, Diana Desilet; one brother, P. J. De Gagne, of St. Boiface, Manitoba; by three sisters, Mrs. Arlene Lajoie and Mrs. Francois Pagnin, both of Three Rivers, Quebec, and Sister St. Laure, of Lowell, Mass.

Mr. DeGagne was born in Three Rivers, Quebec and came from Canada to La Grande seven years ago and has lived here since that time. He served in the French Army during the world war and was a member of the 221st. Battalion.

LEADING ISSUES STEADY TO FIRM

NEW YORK, July 27 (AP)—Late softness of gold mining issues failed to materially unsettle a fairly firm stock market today, and leading equities finished in a steady to firm position. There was a selling flurry in the last hour, but offerings were readily absorbed and most of the leaders rallied. The abbreviated session was quiet, 2,700,000 shares.

Closing figures included:

Air Reduc.	89 1/2
Al. Chem. and Dye	117 1/2
American Can	87
American T. and T.	125 1/2
J. I. Case	73 1/2
Col. G. and E.	21 1/2
Continental Can	61
General Motors	31
Johns Manville	45 1/2
Libbey-O-Ford	29
Logan and Myers B	89
Montgomery Ward	22
National Distill.	76 1/2
J. C. Penney	41 1/2
Pub. Ser. of N. J.	47 1/2
Southern Pacific	28 1/2
St. Oil of Cal.	35 1/2
St. Oil of N. J.	36
Union Pacific	113 1/2
United Aircraft	33 1/2
United Corporation	10 1/2
U. S. Steel	66
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	65 1/2

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	1.02	1.04	1.00	1.04
Sept.	1.03 1/2 @ .05	1.07 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.07 @ 1.07 1/2
Dec.	1.07 1/2 @ .09	1.10 1/2	1.06 1/2	1.10 1/2 @ 7/8
May	1.13 1/2	1.15	1.10 1/2	1.14 1/2 @ 15

CHICAGO CORN				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	.56	.57	.55 1/2	.57
Sept.	.66 @ .66 1/2	.67 1/2	.65	.67 1/2 @ 1/2
Dec.	.66 1/2 @ .67 1/2	.67 1/2	.65	.66 1/2 @ 1/2
May	.73 1/2 @ .73	.73	.70 1/2	.72 @ .72 1/2

PORTLAND WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	.80	.84 1/2	.80	.84 1/2
Sept.	.83	.85 1/2	.83	.85 1/2
Dec.	.87	.90 1/2	.87	.90 1/2

CUBE BUTTER IS ONE CENT LOWER

PORTLAND, July 27 (AP)—Further drop of 1c lb. in the price of cube butter during the late session of the produce exchange appeared to indicate the downward trend of values was being utilized too much by the interests opposed to adequate values at Portland.

There was no doubt of the pending weakness in the butter trade here as a result of the action of country creameries in previously withholding their supplies from market however. Decreasing make of butter was more than counterbalancing the hold-over stuff.

Butter price was cut along with the slash in butter with a general 2c top for churning cream.

increase for the last five weeks to more than five per cent. The index figure for the week ended June 24 was 65.1.

The slump in commodity prices on the exchanges last week had no apparent effect on wholesale prices. The index figures for farm products were 62.7 for the week ended July 22 compared with 61.1 on July 15; foodstuffs 68.5 against 65.9.

DIES TO SAVE DEAD CHILD
CANNONBURG, Pa.—Mrs. Leola Packard, 5, not knowing that her four-year-old girl had been fatally burned in her house, rushed into the burning structure and received fatal injuries.

The fire started when a kerosene lamp was overturned in the child's room.

Cummings Ruling On Gold Explained

WASHINGTON, July 27 (AP)—Attorney General Cummings has ruled that no form of gold produced in this country which has been through any smelting process can be exported under the president's gold embargo proclamation, if it is exported only because of the value of its gold content.

The treasury let this much of the ruling be known today, in view of reports that the opinion was being suppressed.

Here's One Good Way To END AGONY OF NEURITIS

Newark Man Knows How and Loses 10 Pounds

"Gentlemen: I used Kruschen Salts to try and get rid of Neuritis from which I had suffered for one year in my left shoulder and arm. . . . I took a little of the salts in the morning, sometimes in my coffee, other times in water. I would also occasionally take a dose in water at night before retiring. For 3 months I used the salts and while I lost 10 pounds in weight, the pain in my shoulder HAS ENTIRELY DISAPPEARED. During the time I was taking the salts I received no other medical treatment so I am fully convinced the Kruschen Salts did the trick." C. K. Murray, Newark, N. J.

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PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, July 27 (AP)—Cattle: 30, calves 9 steady.

Steers, best, \$4.75 @ \$5.50; common and medium, \$3.00 @ \$4.50; heifers, best, \$4.00 @ \$4.25; medium, \$3.25 @ \$3.75; cows, best, \$3.00 @ \$3.25; common and medium, \$1.75 @ \$2.75; canners, \$1.00 @ \$2.00; bulls, best, \$3.00 @ \$3.25; medium, \$2.75 @ \$3.00; calves, best, \$6.00 @ \$6.25; good, \$5.00 @ \$5.30; ordinary \$4.00 @ \$4.50.

Hogs: 243; steady. Top light butchers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; heavy butchers, \$5.00 @ \$5.25; sows, \$3.00 @ \$3.50; slaughter pigs \$4.75 @ \$5.00; feeder pigs, \$4.75 @ \$5.00.

Sheep: 356; steady. Lambs \$5.00; yearling wethers, \$3.50 @ \$4.00; ewes, \$1.00 @ \$2.00.

OMAHA SHEEP

OMAHA, July 27 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Sheep: 6,000; steady; native lambs \$7.75; best range lambs \$7.50; ewes down from \$2.75; range feeding lambs bid \$6.85.

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Commodity Prices Continue Steady Rise During Week

WASHINGTON (AP)—Wholesale commodity prices reported to the bureau of labor statistics continued their steady rise during the week ended July 22, the index figure for that week standing at 69.7 compared with 68.9 for the week ended July 15. The week's figures bring the in-

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