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To be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.—Romans 8: 6.

### A PIONEER PASSES

In this section of the state, only those who came to this valley before the days of the railroad are usually designated as pioneer. But the word should, and does have a broader meaning. There are other pioneers here besides those who trekked across the plains behind the ox cart.

We think of Fred H. Kiddle Sr. The railroad had been here many years when he came to the Grande Ronde from Jefferson, Iowa, and the country was fairly well settled. But it remained for Fred and his brother, Ed, to pioneer the flouring mill organization that now exists in this county, with fine mills at La Grande, Island City, Elgin and Union and warehouses at Conley, Alicel and Imbler.

They were the founders of this organization, which has put many millions of dollars in circulation in this county through its long and honest dealings with the wheat farmers, and now they are gone—leaving the task of management to the younger men of the famous Kiddle family. But they have left their mark—a well rounded, smooth functioning industry, a credit to the county and state and northwest.

They did their work well, these brothers, and the people of Eastern Oregon will remember them for many decades.

They were pioneers, in their fashion, just as much as the early settler, and their axes hewed just as lasting and beneficial a mark in the history of this section of the state.

Many people know through bitter experience how easy it is to get into debt and how difficult it is to get out of it again. Pay as you go is a good habit to get into; that is, if you can.

Most people are very pleasant as long as you don't try to collect.

## TODAY IN BRIEF, IN AND AROUND OREGON

AS CHRONICED BY THE DAILY LEASED WIRE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**TEACHERS ON 12-MONTH BASIS**  
PORTLAND, Aug. 22 (AP)—To enable the Portland school district to complete 1933 within the limit of its estimated tax receipts, teachers in the public schools here will receive their salaries on a 12-month basis when the school year opens Sept. 18. Payments will thus be spread over a period of one year rather than nine or ten months as in the past. This step was necessary, the board said, because the Portland clearing house refused to increase the district's limit of credit beyond the present \$800,000 which the schools in Portland owe banks here.

**TO PAY WARRANTS**  
SALEM, Aug. 22 (AP)—Call for endorsed state warrants dated July 5 to July 15 inclusive, amounting to \$201,851 was sent out today by the state treasurer for payment tomorrow.

**OLD IRONSIDES LEAVES PORTLAND**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 22 (AP)—Old Ironsides, beloved veteran of the American navy, left the Stillwater basin at Swan Island airport here today for Kalamazoo and other lower Columbia river points, ending a visit of 21 days in this harbor. During that period more than 200,000 persons crowded her gangplank and many other thousands viewed her from the shore.

**PLAN OLD AGE PENSION ACTION**  
SALEM, Aug. 21 (AP)—Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle was requested by the state board of control to approve a form of application for persons applying for relief under the old age pension law enacted by the last legislature.

**ALBANY MAN FOUND**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21 (AP)—Police said today that Arthur S. Blanchard, 46 of Albany, was found late Monday in the park blocks of the downtown district. The officers said Blanchard disappeared here Aug. 12.

**SEWERS GO ON STRIKE**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 22 (AP)—Sewer machines in 187 Chicago dress goods factories were idle today as a strike of more than 7,500 employees, members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers, went into its second day.

**UNION MAN IN COUNTY JAIL DUE TO FINE**  
Sam Mathews, of Union, is in the county jail serving out a \$30 fine imposed yesterday afternoon by Judge L. DeBarnham in the court of the justice of the peace when Mathews pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery. C. C. Darling brought charges against Mathews, in which he set the date of the assault as Sunday, Aug. 20.

**CHILD CUTS ITSELF IN FUR**  
ADOLPH, Ore. (AP)—All-graduate convalescing along the Chilean coast have been named by a government doctor.

**SUPREME COURT BUSY TODAY**  
SALEM, Aug. 22 (AP)—Although theoretically on vacation, four members of the state supreme court today heard arguments on the motion for a preliminary restraining order against enforcement of the produce dealers' peddlers act passed by the 1933 legislature until the state court could pass upon the constitutionality of the law.

### Czech Shoe King Visits America



John Bata, head of the vast Bata shoe manufacturing enterprises in Czechoslovakia, is shown as he arrived in New York with his wife and nephew, Yeha Bata, below, for a visit in this country. He is a step-brother of Thomas Hata, founder of the famous shoe company, who was killed a year ago in an airplane accident.

### PROGRESS ON COAL CODE IS REPORTED

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Industrial administrator, telephoned the president that real progress has been made on the troublesome coal code.

There is every expectation here that Johnson will bring the new charter for the coal industry and it's thousands of miners to the summer white house in the next few days. That will make the fulfillment of the recovery drive by Labor day virtually assured.

The president turned his attention meanwhile to world disarmament and domestic fiscal problems.

Mr. Roosevelt is sending Norman Davis back to Geneva with instructions to speed up a successful conclusion the 18 months old world disarmament parity.

He is holding off considerable funds now available for army modernization to wait and see what Geneva does. He can go ahead but he is more hopeful that the world powers will agree to cut down on armaments.

There is some talk that Davis may be given powers to talk with debts with the European nations who are now far behind in their contracts to the United States. However, Mr. Roosevelt has insisted upon dealing with this problem alone and very likely he will continue to do so.

Upon tonight's meeting with Secretary Woodin who has been seriously ill depends whether he will be allowed by his intimate friend, the president, to return to his trying job as head of the treasury. Also, there is prospect of very serious talk about the establishment of a United States fund for stabilization of the dollar in foreign exchange.

Mr. Roosevelt is going to return to his vacation schedule tomorrow with an automobile trip to the boy scout camp on the Delaware river.

### TO STOP PROFITEERING

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21 (AP)—The industrial recovery board decided Monday as a step to protect the public against profiteering to ask all industries now operating under orders of fair competition to submit information on recent price increases.

Attorney General Cummings, who presided in the absence of Secretary Roper, said the board discussed various means of collecting full data and statistics on prices in all industries, but for the present will study only the price situation as regards the 14 industries for which codes have been approved by President Roosevelt.

Cummings said several instances of "unconscionable increases" in prices had been reported and the board desired to study the facts concerning the higher costs, particularly for labor, which have been imposed as the result of codes.

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Again Oregon's State Fair leads the way in reducing the price of general admission from fifty to twenty-five cents. A ticket for the week, Sept. 4-9, sells for one dollar, a little more than 15 cents a day.

### The Weather

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
Oregon: Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer in the north portion; gentle changeable winds offshore.

**LOCAL WEATHER**  
Monday: maximum 80, minimum 47 above. Clear.  
Today: minimum 48, 7 a. m.—50 above. Clear.

### JEAN FRAZIER IS VISITOR AT WALLOWA LAKE

Miss Jean Frazier, queen of the Pendleton Round-Up and a resident of Pendleton, is the guest of Miss Sally Siegrist at Wallowa Lake.

### APPOINTMENT MADE TODAY IN PORTLAND

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ably will be followed soon with appointment of attorneys and appraisers for the various Eastern Oregon counties, who will check on applications that will be handled in the local branch office, which will be known as 35C. This designation was made in Washington as Oregon was the 85th state to set-up its home loan organization. Portland is 35A, Eugene 35B and Klamath Falls 35D. Attorney-managers for Klamath Falls and Eugene were announced over the weekend.

Further details as to the office here were not available today but it is expected that upon Mr. Shorb's return, much more information will be obtainable.

Mr. Shorb is editor and publisher of the Eastern Oregon Review, weekly newspaper. He came here some time ago from Joseph where he published the Joseph Herald.

### Epidemic Worst In American History

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from patients. A shipment of 24 of the animals will arrive here from the east within a few days, Dr. Leake said.

In addition to the St. Louis district fatalities, deaths were reported yesterday from two other cities, Kansas City, Kas. and Warrensburg, Mo. Mrs. Effie Brooks, of Ottawa, Kas., died in a Kansas City hospital, and the death of Mrs. James E. Rutherford of Mars Hill, N. C., was reported at Warrensburg.

Mrs. Rutherford recently passed through St. Louis on a bus, but the physician who attended her said he did not believe her illness had any connection with the St. Louis epidemic.

The latest victims of the epidemic here were Miss Vivian Freeman, 20 of suburban Carsonville, Robert Baum, 3, of Wellston, another suburb, and Frank Hackman, 22, of Pine Lawn.

### Man Stabbed Aug. 11 Leaves Hospital

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but said he did not want to talk further. Officers said he neither denied nor affirmed the stabbing. Officers found a long bladed stock knife which they believe was used in the stabbing.

Gilley has been living on the Andrew Timpey ranch near North Powder. Cole is a young married man of the district, where he is widely known.

### OLD GERMAN 'HOWDY' BECOMES 'HAIL HITLER'

MAINZ, Germany (AP)—No more do they say "Guten Tag" and shake hands on Mainz streets for the city council has decreed that all good burghers must raise their right hands in greeting and say "Heil Hitler!"

The edict applies only to those of "pure Aryan ancestry."

### DUCE OFFERS PARENTS PRIZES

MILAN, Italy (AP)—Premier Mussolini recently turned over 200,000 lire, or about \$14,000, to a natality prize fund for silk workers here and in Rome. The appropriation was part of his general campaign for race stimulation involving several millions in cash prizes yearly.

### HE-MAN FILMS ONLY IN KABUL'S FIRST TALKIE

CALCUTTA (AP)—The people of Afghanistan are having their first experience with sound films.

A company has signed a contract with the Afghan government to build a talkie theater in Kabul and in the meantime to convert temporarily another building for the purpose.

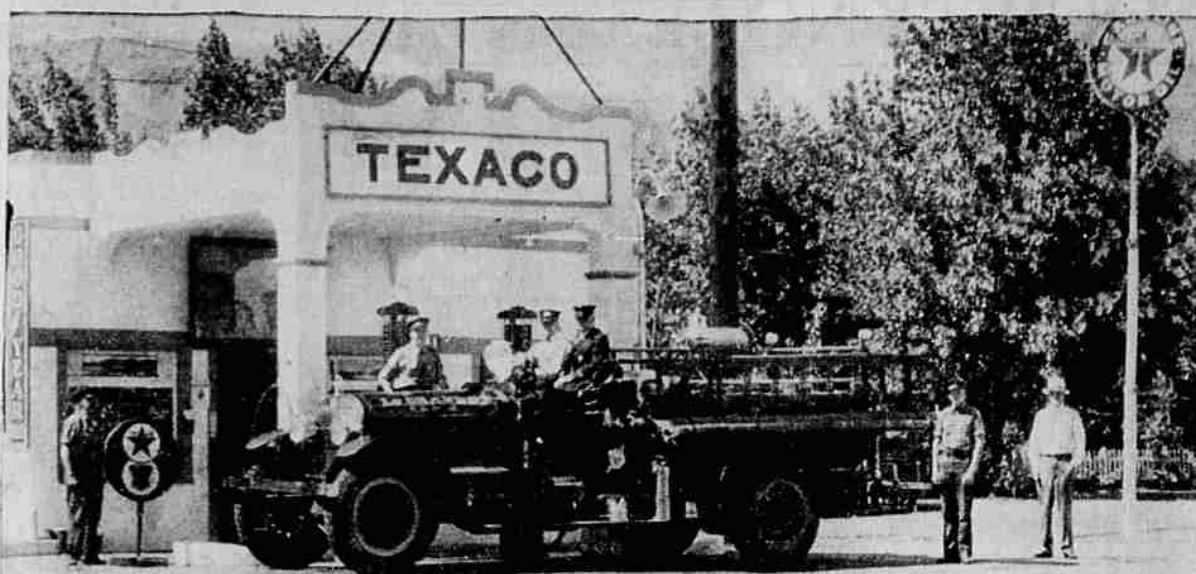
Love films are banned in Afghanistan. Cowboy pictures are preferred. A silent cinema was open in Kabul during King Amanullah's rule, but was destroyed by Bacha-I-Sakao, "waterboy of the north" when the usurper captured the capital.

### HUNGARY'S PLAINS WELL WATERED

BUDAPEST (AP)—A geological survey reports there are 6,000 artesian wells on the great Hungarian plains.

### NERVOUS WOMEN Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"I am so nervous it seems as though I should fly." "My nerves are all on edge." "I wish I were dead." How often have we heard these expressions from some woman who has become so tired and run-down that her nerve can no longer stand the strain. No woman should allow herself to drift into this condition if she can help herself. She should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. For nearly sixty years women have taken this wonderful tonic to give them renewed strength and vigor. 98 out of every 100 women who report to us say that they are benefited by this medicine. Buy a bottle from your druggist today, and watch the results.



La Grande Fire Department's big pumper truck taking on a "fill" of Texaco's new "Fire Chief" gasoline at the Fatland-Sims Co., Texaco station. Sitting at the wheel is Driver W. F. Gallagher and alongside is Fire Chief Curtis Lindsey. Standing on the running board is Foster Sims.

# "Fill 'er up with Texaco's new Fire Chief Gasoline"

## Says Fire Chief Curtis Lindsey of the La Grande Fire Department



FIRE CHIEF CURTIS LINDSEY with a record of only 55 cents per capita fire loss in La Grande in the last six months period.

"Say, the old 'Fire Chief' gas was good, but you've got a new winner now! Listen to the motor on this ship purr! Not a sound of a miss or a knock. Takes to it just like soothing syrup and seems anxious to hear the bell ring and to be away. Congratulations! Our bet is that you do make gasoline history with this new Texaco product!"

THERE'S A THRILL FOR YOUR MOTOR TODAY AT "TEXACO" STATIONS IN LA GRANDE AND UNION COUNTY

**FATLAND & SIMS**  
Cor. Adams & Greenwood

**HEASTY'S Filling Station**  
Cor. Adams at Second

**Bergers Grocery**  
Spruce and Y Avenues

**Larison-Frees Chevrolet Company**  
1414 Adams Avenue

**Weimer's Service Station and Store**  
On The Oregon Trail at Five Points

**Davis Service Station**  
Merton Davis, Prop.  
Union, Ore.

**Campbell-Howell Chrysler Garage**  
208 Greenwood Ave.

**Sanders' Service Station**  
H. J. Sanders, Prop.  
Elgin, Ore.

"TEXACO" Stations in Wallowa County: Dean Crow, Lustine, Ben Peale, Joseph; Dewey Miller and Hall Motor Company, Enterprise.