

### WILEY POST HURT IN CRASH TODAY

QUINCY, Ill., Sept. 21 (AP)—Wiley Post, round the world flyer, was severely injured when his plane, the Winnie Mae, crashed today at the Quincy airport as he was taking off for Davenport, Iowa.

Post was rushed to a hospital, where Dr. E. L. Caddick said his injuries were severe but not critical.

The Winnie Mae, in which Post flew around the world in seven days, to be rebuilt. Post is on a speaking tour.

### California Town Razed by Flames

RAVENSDALE, (Lassen County), Cal., Sept. 21 (AP)—Fire swept through Ravensdale last night and destroyed most of the buildings in the town as volunteer fighters attempted desperately to check it.

Buildings destroyed included the Gothard general merchandise store, an 85-year-old landmark, several dwellings adjoining it and the county garage in which considerable state highway machinery was stored. The Ravensdale hotel and a few small buildings escaped. Damage was estimated by town officials at between \$50,000 and \$100,000.

"DEPRESSION GRADUATES" PLAN COLLEGE ENTRANCE

NORMAN, Okla. (AP)—Many students who were graduated from high school two or three years ago but did not enter college are planning to enroll this fall, George Wadsack, University of Oklahoma registrar, reports.

Inquiries regarding enrollment during the summer exceeded any during a similar period in the past four years, Wadsack said.

### LACK OF PATRONAGE LOWERING CHANCES

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too small for that hand to enter. In what patronage he may have had to offer, his home county friends have evidently been forgotten in efforts to build future strength elsewhere.

Then there is another angle that both Democrats and Republicans are pondering about. It is: What has Pierce done for this section of the second congressional district? Asking it that way, it is a bit difficult to find an answer. If the Meadow Brook project were to become a reality, it might cast a different light on the situation. Some former local constituents are beginning to wonder if Pierce really carries the strength he was expected to.

Pierce, himself, unquestionably realizes that all is not well along the battle front. A few days ago at Klamath Falls he announced he would be a candidate for re-election one of the first to toss the well known hat into the ring. The La Grande congressman does not intend to let any grass grow under his feet as far as his campaign for re-election is concerned. He's on the go much of the time these days, and the papers are well supplied with news of his speech-making.

So far, in spite of rumblings in his own party, there has been no mention of a possible opponent in the primary elections; but over on the Republican side of the fence—and the Republicans elected Pierce just as much as did the Democrats—the story is different. At least one man who would make a strong candidate, is considering making the race, Jay Upton, of Bend, although he hasn't committed himself, is known to be considering the situation, and he hasn't been overlooking any opportunities to make speeches and public appearances. It is quite possible that he will become a candidate and if he wins the Republican nomination, he will be more than halfway along the route to putting his feet under a desk in the United States house of representatives.

Now for the other item of particular interest—the La Grande postmaster'ship. Ralph Huron, incumbent and appointed many years ago under a Republican administration, still has about three-quarters of a year to serve. Every indication is that there will be no appointment for his position until his term is near an end. At the same time, indications point pretty largely to Victor Eckley, state representative from Union county, as the next postmaster. Eckley, himself, has nothing to say about the matter, but his friends feel that he is the logical man for the federal position.

If Eckley is appointed—and it would set well with the entire valley—there will be the position he now holds in the legislature wide open for candidates. Certainly there will be a rush at that event, but unless Eckley steps down from his present post, he is expected to be unopposed in the Democratic primaries, and regardless of his Republican candidate—if there is one—is regarded as certain as the word means when applied to politics.

If Eckley is appointed, or assured of appointment as postmaster before

the primaries, he probably would not enter his name on the ballot. If the appointment comes later, he could resign and the election laws provide ways and means for a party to provide a new candidate.

One thing is sure—Eckley isn't counting his chickens until they

hatch, and it's a good bet that he will be a candidate to succeed himself next May unless the postmaster appointment materializes.

There will not be so many races next May. Both Oregon senators are hold-overs, McNary's term ending in 1937 and Steiner's in 1939. State

Senator Henry Hess' term in the legislature will not expire for a couple of years.

Fred E. Kiddle, president of the state senate and representing Union, Umatilla and Morrow counties, is now completing his present term. Whether he will be a candidate re-

mains to be seen. He admits that he hasn't given the matter much thought as yet.

So far there have been no reports of possible candidates in the Democratic party for Kiddle's post, and it is likely that if he decides to seek re-election, he will have little oppo-

sition in his own party.

In the county, only one office will be at stake—that now held by County Commissioner W. R. Ledbetter. There has been little talk about this office as yet, although it is pretty certain that if Ledbetter runs again, he will have opponents—prob-

ably both in the primaries and the general election. If he surmounts the first obstacle, County Commissioner posts are eagerly sought by various sections of the county, and over time one is at stake, there are plenty of men anxiously seeking to crust the incumbent.

All in all, one may regard the next six months as a time for candidates to do a lot of fence building. The end part about it all is that on the third Friday in May, a lot of the fences will be struck to the four corners of the winds, and some of the others will be a bit shaky!

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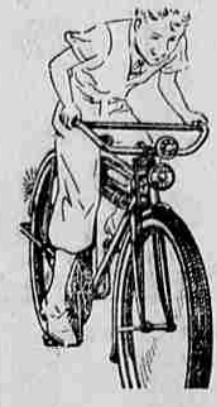
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