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DOLLFUSS KILLED IN VIENNA TODAY

E. O. N. FIRST SESSION ENDS THIS WEEKEND

J. H. Ackerman Training School Classes Close On Friday.

1934-35 SCHOOL CALENDAR GIVEN

Fall Term to Begin On Sept. 24 With Registration; Classes Begin on Sept. 27.

The first session of the Eastern Oregon Normal school summer term will come to a close this weekend and the second session will open on July 30, which is to be registration day. The J. H. Ackerman Training school for children will conclude the summer session this Friday.

Final examinations for the first session are being held this weekend. At the same time, announcement is made of the E. O. N. schedule for the year of 1934-35, as follows:

Academic Calendar
First term:
Sept. 24, Monday, registration; Sept. 25-26, placement examinations and tests; Sept. 27, classes begin; Oct. 13, latest day for addition of new courses of new registration; Dec. 20-21, final examinations; Dec. 22, first term ends.
Second term:
Jan. 2, registration; Jan. 3, classes begin; Jan. 12, latest day for addition of new courses of new registration.

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La Grande Gets Warm Day; Storm Brings .01 Rain

While most of the nation is sweltering in a stifling hot wave, that is killing hundreds of persons, Oregon continues to enjoy normal July weather. Tuesday the maximum here was 93 above, with the heat tempered by clouds and scattering thunderstorms, which brought .01 of an inch of rain to La Grande.
The minimum last night was 60 above, but another warm day was certain with the mercury at 72 above at 7 a. m., the highest at that time this year.
Slightly cooler weather was forecast for Thursday.

TO TAKE FIVE PRISONERS TO PORTLAND JAIL

N. C. DeLong, deputy United States marshal, accompanied by Harry Porter, guard, arrived in La Grande this morning and will take to Portland this afternoon five men who were arrested over the weekend on charges of selling liquor to Indians. William Jackson, arrested with the group, was sent back to Pendleton to face similar charges which will be placed against him there. He was arrested here, but a previous charge in Umatilla county made it necessary for him to appear there.

PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR JUBILEE SUCCESS

"Now that the celebration is ended, we look back upon the function with a good deal of satisfaction. The chief factor behind its success was the really astonishing co-operation by men, women, children and organizations throughout the northwest. Unfortunately, there is no complete record of the names of all committee members who served, nor of the individuals who helped upon call, and it is impossible for the general committee to individually thank those who very generously got behind us. Without them we would have been helpless, and we trust that this public expression of our appreciation will reach all who deserve the praise.
"There is no doubt but that the Indians created one of the highlights of the celebration and we want to especially mention Gilbert Minthorn, who lead the Indians in the now historic procession down Table mountain, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Anderson for their unending work in providing such ideal camp grounds and other assistance for the Indians.
"The homecoming feature of the

Will Boosting For Wiley Post



ABOARD S. S. MALOLO, July 24 — The big thing you hear about on the Pacific side of the world is the great exposition at Melbourne, Australia, in October. It's the tourists' next great round-up. It's where that greatest of all air races is to end. Fifty thousand dollar prize from London to Melbourne, twelve thousand miles. We have over a dozen of our crack flyers and over half the ships in it will be American made. Wish the army and navy would put a boy piece in there. Wiley Post hopes to make it in 50 hours, keeping the championship in Oklahoma. I would love to be with Wiley. I could be his navigator. I have flown that very same route ten thousand of the twelve from Singapore to London on the Dutch line. Hope to see lots of aviation on this trip. Yours,

Wiley Post
1934, McNaught Syndicate, Inc.

NAME LYMAN HEAD OF NEW HOLC BUREAU

Will Have Charge of Reconditioning of Homes Under Federal Loans.

George Lyman, prominent La Grande contractor, has been selected by Charles K. Fulton, of Portland, to take charge of the reconditioning section of the Home Owners Loan Corporation in the nine Eastern Oregon counties served by the La Grande

HOPE TO OBTAIN PARASITES HERE TO KILL EARWIGS

With earwigs multiplying rapidly in La Grande, and becoming a nuisance in many sections of the city, a movement is being started here to obtain a number of parasitized

KIDDLE PRESIDES AT BOARD MEETING

Fred E. Kiddle, president of the state senate and chairman of the state emergency board, was in Salem today presiding at a meeting of the board which he called a few days ago. One problem before the board was an emergency appropriation to provide for payment of national guardsmen stationed at Camp Withycombe—called out by Governor Julius Meier in connection with the longshoremen's strike.

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celebration was one of outstanding success and the committee recommends that the Observer attempt to compile a complete list of all those who came to the homecoming, as they did, from all sections of the United States. Because they were allowed up in private homes and were not registered, this remarkably successful feature has not been properly recognized.
"To those who furnished courtesy cars without expense to the committee, to the surrounding towns, to H. E. Dixon for his splendid reading of the pageant script, to the Union Pacific railroad officials, to all folks known and unknown; we take this opportunity of expressing our gratification and sincere thanks.
"J. B. McLaughlin, general manager Semi-Centennial committee and chairman governing board of U. P. Old Timers club No. 17.
"A. W. Nelson, vice chairman U. P. Semi-Centennial committee and representative of La Grande chamber of commerce.

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OH, GRANDMA!



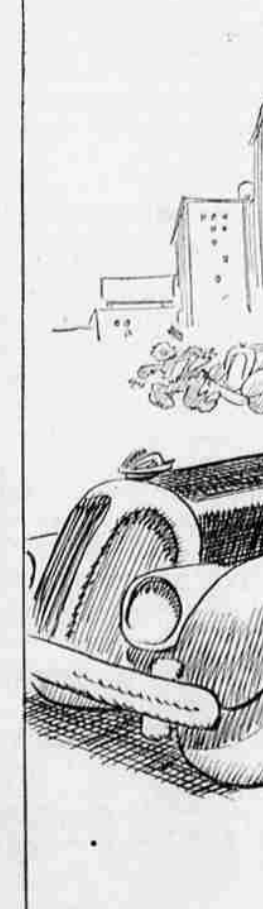
Can you tell which is the grandmother? Well, at 32, that's the distinction of Mrs. Greta Coffey (top). You see her in Chicago proudly posing with her 17-year-old daughter, Mrs. Marie Foreham, and the latter's baby daughter, Greta.

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PIONEER DAY CELEBRATED BY MORMONS

All Wards in Union Stake Represented in Event East of Union.

A large group of members of the L. D. S. church gathered at their recreation ground on Catherine creek, 15 miles from Union yesterday, for their annual "Pioneer Day" celebration. Each year on the 24th of July the day is celebrated in commemoration of the coming of the first Mormon settlers to the Great Salt Lake in the year 1847.

All wards of this stake were well represented. Baker, Imbler, Union, both La Grande wards and Mt. Glen all being in the group.
The program which started at 1

'Woman In Red' Is Arrested By Chicago Police

CHICAGO, July 25 (AP)—From the "girl in red" police learned today more about how John Dillinger walked into the trap that ended with death his career of crime.
The "girl in red," one of the two women who were with the Indiana outlaw just before he was killed by federal bullets, was Mrs. Anna Sage, 42, brown-haired and brown-eyed. Police arrested her last night at her home just around the corner from the Biograph theatre, out of which Dillinger walked unsuspectingly Sunday night to his death.

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SACAJAWEA POINTS THE WAY



An important episode of the Oregon Trail pageant to be staged in Eugene July 26, 27 and 28, will be the scene in which Sacajawea leads the Lewis and Clark expedition along the Columbia. William Clark will be portrayed by Orlo Henderson and Sacajawea by Miss Grace Burnett, soprano.

EVACUATION OF DROUTH AREA IS NECESSARY, MEAD

DEATHS NEAR 800 MARK (By The Associated Press)
The sun siege attained its most severe proportions of the summer today, driving the number of deaths near the 800 mark and the drouth damage toward the billions of dollars.
For the first time since the scourge started, however, early relief was predicted for the midwest, the furnace of the nation.
WASHINGTON, July 25 (AP)—Dr. Elwood Mead, reclamation commissioner, said today the drouth area of the western half of the Dakotas and the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains "must be evacuated."
Tens of thousands of people, Dr. Mead said, must be moved off the stricken land.
Dr. Mead returned to Washington yesterday from a tour of the west. "I never believed we would have

F. McKENNON IS SUIT WINNER

Word has been received here that in the recent case in the superior court of Thurston county, Washington, Floyd McKennon, former well known resident of this city, versus the state insurance commissioner of the state of Washington, the court directed the defendant to issue a license to the plaintiff as asked for. The court action followed the refusal of the license, the court's verdict being that the cause was without foundation whatsoever.

BOYS ASKED TO MEET SATURDAY

All boys who expect to go to the Catherine Creek camp are requested to meet at 1:30 p. m. behind the post office building Saturday, according to Elmo Stevenson. Parents who are taking boys and who have room for more in their cars, are also requested to meet there in order that sufficient transportation may be provided for the boys.
At 9:30 a. m. Friday boys who have no family physician, or the equivalent, will meet at Dr. Gilstrap's office for their physical examination. Mr. Stevenson adds.
It is also announced that anyone who has tents which they could loan for the camp, or produce, canned goods, jelly, or anything else in the way of food stuffs which they wish to donate, that it will be most acceptable. Anyone wishing information regarding this is asked to call Stevenson either at the Normal school or at his home.

HUNTER HERE ON BUSINESS

A. B. Hunter, who formerly made his home in La Grande but is now a member of the Industrial Accident Commission at Salem, is looking after business matters here for a few days.

Wheat Today

The price of local new crop cash wheat stood at about 62c bulk here today, according to the Pioneer Flouring Mills. Portland cash, 61c. No export bid.

CHICAGO, July 25 (AP)—Corn and wheat rose late today about 2 1/2 cents above yesterday's finish, influenced by predictions that 1934 corn production would be the smallest since 1901. Corn reached new top quotations for the season.
Corn closed unsettled, 1 1/2 @ 2 cents above yesterday's finish, September 66 1/2 @ 3/4, wheat firm, 1 1/2 @ 1 3/4 up, Sept. new 99 1/4 @ 1/2, oats 1 1/2 @ 1 3/4 advanced, and provisions showing a 1/2 to 1 1/2 gain.

JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

RUSSIANS CO-OPERATIVE
F. R. GREETED BY HAWAIIANS
CHICAGO YARDS REOPENED
JAPAN POSTPONES DECISION

WASHINGTON, July 25 (AP)—Secretary Hull announced today that "a sincere disposition to reach an agreement" had been exhibited at the first conference between Alexander Troyanovsky, the soviet ambassador, and state department officials over settlement of soviet-American debts and claims at approximately \$500,000,000.

HILO, Hawaii, July 25 (AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt today made at 9:10 a. m. the first landing of any president of the United States on Hawaiian soil. A huge crowd waved a welcome to the president as he left the navy cruiser Houston, which had brought him here by way of Panama.

CHICAGO, July 25 (AP)—The Chicago union stock yards reopened today under an agreement between officials of the yard and striking handlers to permit the disposal of stock on hand.

TOKYO, July 25 (AP)—Although powerful influences are at work to commit the government to a policy of denunciation of the Washington naval treaty, Japan's decision on the question will be postponed until results of preliminary conversation in London, to be resumed in October, are made clear. A high government spokesman told the Associated Press this today.

PIERCE REGRETS NO CROP LOAN OFFICES HERE

Congressman Says He Would Have Picked La Grande Over Sister Cities.

Congressman Walter M. Pierce today told Rotary club listeners he regretted that La Grande was not made the center of the Eastern Oregon division for federal crop loans and that government offices for same were established at Baker and Pendleton instead of in this city. "Had I been out here at the time I would have seen to it that this city received that benefit instead of where it went," he said.
In his general talk, as speaker of the day, the congressman declared there is too much of a "spirit of nationalism" over the world today for its best advancement and the progress.

U. S. TENNIS TEAM REACHES FINALS

WIMBLEDON, Eng., July 25 (AP)—Sidney B. Wood Jr., and Frank X. Shields, playing magnificent tennis, today won the final two singles matches from Australia in the interzone final of Davis cup play to advance to the challenge round against England.
Wood first defeated Jack Crawford, ace of the Aussies, 6-3, 6-7, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2 in a match that it will be most acceptable. Anyone wishing information regarding this is asked to call Stevenson either at the Normal school or at his home.

Baseball

NATIONAL
First game: R. H. E.
Cincinnati 1 7 1
Boston 2 5 1
Batteries: Johnson and Lombardi; Betts and Spohrer.
Second game: R. H. E.
Cincinnati 3 7 2
Boston 7 10 2
Batteries: Stout, Kleinbans and O'Farrell; Smith and Hogan.

EUGENE READY FOR OLD TRAIL TRIENNIAL

EUGENE, Ore., July 25 (Special)—Eugene will be ready Thursday to receive citizens the entire state, and thousands of people from other parts of the country, to the third triennial Oregon Trail events, it was announced here following complete rehearsals of the famed pageant. Officials of the events are enthusiastically declaring that every phase of the epic will far exceed either of the two previous spectacles, held in 1926 and 1929.
During the rehearsal Tuesday night a vast of 2000 people went through more than a score of elaborate scenes in a way that aroused unbounded enthusiasm among the small group of officials who observed them. Performed on a newly designed stage 240 feet long that rises to a height of 45 feet, the pageant will undoubtedly be the greatest performance of this type ever attempted in America. It is declared by drama experts.
For weeks thousands of Eugene and Lane county citizens have been hard at work on the event. In addition to the 2000 cast members, a number equal to this have been aiding in various ways. Even men not directly connected with the pageant have been wearing old time whisks and costumes, while women of the city have appeared on the streets clad in quaint and charming pioneer costumes.
The Oregon Trail will again have three feature events, in addition to a lively program of lesser attractions. The pageant will be held each night while on Friday the pioneer parade will take place, and on Saturday practically every city in the state will join in for the parade of progress.

NAZI REVOLT FLARES UP IN AUSTRIA

Legation in London Confirms News of Dictator's Slaying.

ITALIAN TROOPS READY AT BORDER

Dollfuss' Entire Cabinet Reported Captured—Austro-German Frontier is Closed.

VIENNA, July 25 (AP)—Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss was shot without warning at the federal chancellery at 12:45 p. m. today by Nazis who entered the palace in the uniforms of a Vienna regiment. He died immediately. All Americans in Vienna were reported safe.

LONDON, July 24 (AP)—The Austrian legation confirmed the death of Chancellor Dollfuss and announced that Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg is forming a new government.

ROME, July 25 (AP)—Military circles said tonight Italy has 75,000 soldiers near the Austrian border for use in case of need.

VIENNA, July 25 (AP)—Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss and his entire cabinet were captured today by Austrian Nazis.
The complete list of government

City Water Rate In Baker Is Cut 33 Pct. to Users

BAKER, Ore., July 25 (Special)—On the recommendation of Commissioner George Henry, the city commissioners at their regular weekly meeting passed an ordinance reducing the rate on metered water from 15 cents a thousand to 10 cents per thousand and effecting other savings to waterusers.
The 10 cent rate applies to water used up to 100,000 gallons. All water used in excess of 100,000 gallons a month will be charged at the rate of 7 1/2 cents per thousand. The new water rates will become effective August 1 so that there will be one more payment at the rate of 15 cents. Meter rent will also be eliminated by the new ordinance, thereby effecting a saving of \$1.50 a year to the average home owner. The meter rent change will go into effect December 1, 1934.