# THE CITY

Warren Yancey spent last week in Portland.

Warren Brown motored to Madras on business Monday.

Ralph Breese was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Jim Cram, Sr., was a business visitor in the city on Tuesday.

John Curtis has gone for a two weeks' vacation in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C Gray of Post were visitors in the city Tuesday

Irvin Sleeman of Mitchell was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

J. J. Romberg of Barnes was a business visitor in Prineville last Friday.

E. E. Laughlin was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

J. N. Williamson returned Wednesday from a business trip to Portland.

L. Connell of Meadows was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Mrs. F. J. Warner of Roberts was a business visitor in the city last Friday.

F. W. McCaffrey of Powell Butte was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

R. G. Raymond of Post was a business visitor in the city the last of the week.

Tom Miller and family of Paulina were business visitors in the city on Tuesday.

Ray Price returned home Tuesday from a vacation trip in the Willamette valley.

Lydia Laughlin of Mitchell was visiting friends in Prineville the first of the week.

J. A. Rowell, brother of F. A. Rowell of this city, left Tuesday for Belknap Springs.

Ray Putnam returned Tuesday from Salem with a Nash-Quad truck for the county.

T. H. Brennan of Paulina was attending to business matters in the city on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Belknap returned home Sunday from a week's visit with relatives at Terrebonne.

Dr. Horace P. Belknap, Jr, of Portland will spend the first week in September in Prineville.

Mrs. F. A. Rowell spent the first of the week visiting with Mrs O. B. Gray on Crooked River

O. F. Wallenberg of Terrebonne was attending to business matters in Prineville last Friday.

Clark Paul, local manager of the Telephone Company is spending his vacation in the Willamette valley.

Lark Gage of Mitchell was a business visitor in Prineville Monday, purchasing supplies for his ranch.

Mr. Burg, the new engineer of the City of Prineville Railway, has moved into the house vacated by Dr. I. H. Gove.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at the Johnson ranch on the Deschutes above Bend.

Lon Newell, accompanied by Ray Schee and H. G. Kennard, returned Monday from the Elks convention at Klamath Falls.

Frank Weiner returned Saturday from Belknap Springs, where he and his wife have been camping for the past two weeks.

C. J. Johnson and family returned from their Deschutes ranch the first of the week and began harvesting their second crop of alfalfa here.

Judge T. E. J. Duffy and wife, accompanied by Robert Zevely returned Monday from the Elks convention at Klamath Falls. They report a splendid time with not even a puncture to mar the journey.


## LYRIC THEATER

Friday & Saturday, Aug. 22-23

Gladys Brockwell in

"THE STRANGE WOMAN"

Charlie Chaplin, Mabel Normand and Mack Swain in "HIS TRYSTING PLACE"

Tracy & Carter in

MUSICAL COMEDY HITS

Sunday, Auguts 24

Billy Rhodes in

"HOOP-LA"

Harold Lloyd Comedy:

"ON THE FIRE"

Mon. & Tues&., Aug. 25-26

Camel Myers in

"WHO WILL MARRY ME?"

Wed. & Thurs., Aug. 27-29

Edith Storey in

"AS THE SUN WENT DOWN"

"Pizen Ike," "Faro Bill," "Piety Pete." Do these names suggest tnyahing to you? Make their acquaintance at the Lyric where Edith Storey, the "Bernhardt of the screen" will be seen in "As th e Sun Went Down."

Fatty Arbuckle in

"THE BOUNCER"

8:15 & 9:45 10c & 25c


Dr. J. H. Rosenberg and family, accompanied by George Ealer, returned Sunday from Klamath Falls, where they attended the Elks convention.

L. L. Briggs of this city recently from Washington has been employed as field representative for the Western Stock Grower and Crook County Journal.

Eddie Myers of Paulina was a business visitor in the city the first of the week, coming down to assist in the formation of the local Post of the American Legion.

C. W. Elkins returned from The Dalles Tuesday with a new seven passenger Premier touring car for R. W. Raymond of Post. Mr. Elkins now has the agency for the Premier in this section.

J. A. Bostwick, the new fruit dealer on Main street has been doing a rushing business since beginning a few days ago. He informs us that he has averaged the disposal of fifty cases a day of all kinds of fruit, especially peaches and tomatoes .

L. A. McPherson of Oakland, Cal., and a former resident of the Powell Butte neighborhood, was a business visitor in Prineville this week, looking after his land holdings here and investigating the conditions with a view to returning here to live.

T. J. Minger and family motored to Portland and Salem for a vacation trip. They will visit Mr. Minger's parents at Salem and return home about the first of September. Max Wilson is taking care of the Minger Plumbing shop in the interim.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spake of Pasadena and Aleatha Taylor of Visalia, formerly of this city, arrived in Prineville Sunday on a visit to relatives and to look after their interests here. Mr. Spake has lately purchased land in Millican valley. They motored over by Klamath Falls and are returning Wednesday by way of Portland and the coast.

## Barnes

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George Tackman, R. J. Engstrom and Abe Hackleman are riding for beef this week.

Elbert Huston was a business visitor at Barnes Sunday.

Dr. Tackman is doing some dental work for Mrs. Elliott Huston.

Earnest Smith and Ralph Bennett are working for Pickett Brothers in the hay fields.

Albert Birdsong was on the Creek last week, shaking hands with old friends, who were glad to welcome him home from the service, where he has been for the past two years.

Mrs. Myrtle Haas was taken to Prineville by Mrs. D. B. Stewart last week. Miss Haas having cut her hand severely and which received surgical attention while she was gone.

B. G. Demaris finished haying this week. he will have considerable hay to sell this year.

Ray Morgan took a bunch of horses to Prineville for the Dixons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cox and Ray Morgan took a trip in the mountains on account of Mrs. Cox's health.

### CARNIVAL OPENS WITH A GOOD ATTENDANCE

The street carnival which is being staged in Prineville this week by the Coast United Shows Co., opened on Tuesday evening with a good crowd attending.

The carnival covers the Masonic block at the corner of Main and Second streets and consists of a merry-go-round, a number of shows and concessions, and various booths at which wheels of fortune and other devices are to be played.

Music is furnished by the Prineville Band, under whose auspices the show is given and which is interested in the success of the affair.

Tonight and the remainder of the week will no doubt bring larger crowds for the various attractions.

### S. N. MORRIS IS PARDONED

S. N. Morris, who was convicted in the local courts on a charge of larceny of a horse, was pardoned by Governor Olcott recently.

Pressure was brought to bear on the governor by friends who believed there was a question as to the gulit of the convicted man, and the chief executive seemed to take somewhat the same view of the matter in issuing the pardon.

### STOCK SHIPMENTS HEAVIER

The Fall shipments of fat beef and sheep to the Portland market are gradually becoming heavier from this section. The principal shipments being made on Saturday nights in order to be on the Monday market.

Last week there were ten cars of fine stuff from different parts of Crook county shipped out and this Saturday there are already scheduled for shipment twenty-five cars of stock: fifteen of these to be cattle and the balance of ten cars sheep.

### CHOPPED HAY FOR WINTER USE

M. R. Biggs this week completed the chopping of a quantity of hay, which was blown into the barn as it was cut. The hay treated in this manner is better to feed than when not chopped, occupies but one-sixth of the space, and all of it is consumed by the stock without loss. The cutting was done by J. O. Powell with his Papec silage cutter, and is a new departure for this part of the country.

### NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Anyone wishing to make sleeping car reservations will please call the agent before noon on the day they desire to leave.

# HOARDED FOOD TO BE FORCED INTO MARKET

### Vigorous Action to Fnforce Food Control Law Expected This Week.

Washington. — The government's fight to reduce the cost of living is expected to result in action in many states this week to force hoarded food on the market, while congress is debating legislation dealing with the question.

Reports to Attorney-General Palmer have indicated that instructions to district attorneys to proceed vigorously in the enforcement of the food control law were being obeyed literally.

Instances of the seizure of foodstuffs in St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City, San Diego and the south, officials here believe, will be multiplied in the next few days.

Senate and house agriculture committees probably will report this week on an amendment to the food control law providing a criminal penalty, which hitherto has been lacking, and expanding the law to cover clothing. Cold-storage legislation also may be acted on by the house interstate commerce commission.

Consideration of requests by several departments for appropriations to carry on work in reduction of living costs will be inaugurated by the house appropriations committee.

Closely akin to the consideration of the living-cost question will be the hearings to be started by the senate interstate commerce committee on the Kenyon-Kendrick bills to license meat packers. W. B. Colver, member of the federal trade commission, which has investigated extensively the packing industry, will be the first witness.

# LIVING COST UP EIGHTY PER CENT

Cleveland.—A 35 to 65 per cent increase in wages is demanded for 117,000 firemen and hostlers on railroads in the United States and Canada in a wage scale adopted by 300 general chairmen of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen in session here.

Another demand to be presented to the director-general of railroads is that all coal-burning locomotives in road service weighing 200,000 pounds and over shall be equipped with mechanical stokers and that two firemen shall be employed on all such locomotives until they are so equipped.

About half of the 80,000 engines in the United States will come under this proposal.

It is estimated that it will cost $200,000,000 to equip the locomotives in the United States with the different mechanical devices demanded by the firemen.

Uniform deadhead rules for pay for firemen when traveling from one terminal to work at another and to be applied to all railroads in this country and Canada are demanded.

Another working condition demanded is that on railroads where firemen are required to clean locomotives they shall be relieved of such work and that crop, it was learned from an unofficial tools or supplies, loading coal, filling lubricators, etc.

# BRITISH DEBT IS HUGE

### Lloyd George Tells House of Commons War Cost 200 Billion.

London.—The war cost £40,000,000,000 ($200,000,000,000), Premier Lloyd George declared in his speech in the house of commons on the financial and industrial situation. Most of this sum was spent for purposes of destruction.

He asserted that the change from war to peace conditions would take just as long as the change from peace to war. The first outstanding fact of the present situation was the alarming adverse trade balance, he said.

The national debt, he declared, had grown from £641,000,000 to £7,800,000,000.

### Huns Arrive in Lille For Trial.

Paris.—German soldiers accused of crimes in formerly occupied regions are beginning to arrive at Lille for trial, according to dispatches from that city. Among those who have arrived is General von Zoiner, who is alleged to have ordered the deportation of young men and women from Lille.

### Walla Walla Wheat Sales Heavy.

Walla Walla, Wash.—Half a million bushels of wheat have been sold here during the past week. Sales were heavier than at any time since the season opened.

### I. W. W. Speakers Kidnaped.

Walsenburg, Colo.—Citizens of Walsenburg kidnaped three I. W. W. agitators scheduled to speak at a mass meeting here.


# Ladies

WE HAVE received a line of Fall Suits and Coats for Women and Children.

Lots of New Fall Silks, Waists and Cretonnes are now on our shelves.

New arrival of Stetson Hats for Men.

# Oscar C. Hyde


### TEMPERATURES FOR WEEK

Following is the weekly record of daily temperatures, furnished by D. P. Adamson, Cooperative Observer:

| | High | Low |
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| August 13 | 84 | 42 |
| August 14 | 85 | 42 |
| August 15 | 94 | 41 |
| August 16 | 96 | 51 |
| August 17 | 96 | 49 |
| August 18 | 94 | 45 |
| August 19 | 94 | 43 |

### WAR RISK BUREAU LETTERS

The following are extracts from some of the letters received by the War Risk Bureau:

"Please let me know if John put in an application for 1 wife and child. You have taken my man away from me to fight and he was the best man I ever had. Now you will have to keep me—or who in hell will?"

"My Bill has been put in charge of a spittoon, will he get any more pay? I ain't got no money since my boy went sailing over the top."

"Bureau Risk Insurance, Dear Risky: We have your letter I am his grandmother and grandfather and he was born and brough up in this place as per your letter."

"Dear Government: Please send me my wife's form."

"My mother is dead on both sides."

"Your relation to him: Answer: I am still his beloved wife."

"We were married under a consumed name."

"I have been in bed with one doctor for 13 years and now I intend to try another."

"My son, Alphor and Omego is in your army."

"We have another baby in the house now, how much more do we get?"

"I am a poor widow and all that I have is in front."

"I am returning the check. M— and I have been living together for three years. I ain't his wife, we are just close friends."

"Please return my marriage certificate as my baby has not eaten any for 3 days."

"I am in the Y. M. C. A. writing this with a piano playing in my uniform."

"He is my supporter and he was discharged from the army as he had a guitar on his neck which he was sent home on it."

"I have not heard from John since he was sent to the constipation camp in Germany."

"Mr. President: As per instructions on pink slip, I have given birth to a baby girl."

"My son hasnt writ for sometime, is he liven or dead and if so what is his latest address."

(Note—These were actually taken from letters.)

### SUNDAY ONLY AT THE LYRIC

Billie Rhodes, the sprightly dark-eyed little star who has created a piquant style of comedy all her own, has a remarkably clever vehicle in her latest picture, "Hoop-La" produced by the National Film Corporation and released by Exhibitors Mutual.

"Hoop-La" is a beautiful young girl who is an all-round star in a one-ring circus playing county fairs and small towns. She rides bareback does thrilling trapeze acts and also "doubles" as a lady clown. Her guardian and faithful friend is Old Toodles, a clown with the circus, who "brought her up" from a baby.

"Hoop-La" volunteers as a jockey and wins a race for Joe McGee, a cheap horseman who wants to marry her. Tony Barrows, scion of a wealthy family sees "Hoop-La" perform and falls in love with the beautiful equestrienne. When Hoop-La learns that her father was of the Charters family, wealthy snobs, she marries McGee to save herself from having to live a dull society life. She repents, however, and induces McGee to leave her on promise of keeping him supplied with money.

McGee in a drunken debauch starts a fire in the circus tent and is killed when the tent collapses. "Hoop-La" marries Tony and goes to live in her own home, her father's inheritance.


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