

HOOVER NAMES DROUGHT AIDES

Secretary Hyde Will Direct National Program of Drought Relief

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lined, the destruction of crops has "progressed to a point that is beyond any great degree of recovery, although pastures should improve."

The president emphasized from a relief standpoint the "burden of the problem in the acute area will show very much more vividly over the winter than at the present moment."

Aid of Railroads Is Appreciated

He said he had received from all sections of the drought region high appreciation of the railroads for their "prompt and constructive action" in cutting freight rates and added:

Pending completion of state relief committees, the president said, the Red Cross will see that no sufferer will go unaided. These committees are rapidly taking shape, he added, and are already creating their county organizations.

Alashton's task on the national committee will have to do with emergency relief, while Robinson will concern himself with coordinating federal, state and private credit activities.

The Red Cross will handle most of the individual relief work in cases where there is actual suffering. The chairman said today he expected the entire \$5,000,000 disaster relief fund would be needed. Only about 50 calls for help have been received thus far, Payne said, but he added that as time goes on the situation in some sections will be "desperate." He said he expected calls for help from 150 to 450 of the counties affected.

D. C. SEBERN IS CALLED BEYOND

WEST SALEM, Aug. 19.—The many West Salem friends of D. C. Sebern were shocked and grieved to learn of his sudden death Sunday morning at his home at 549 Market street, Salem. Mr. Sebern was injured a week ago by falling in the darkness from a high platform at the Northwest cannery, where he was employed. His head and back were injured and the ligaments in one limb were torn loose. He appeared to be convalescing satisfactorily and his death came as a surprise to his family, friends and physician. Death is said to have been caused by a blood clot.

Mr. Sebern lived in West Salem until last spring when he moved with his family to Salem. He was a Methodist, a member of the Ford Memorial church of this city and a former superintendent of the West Salem Sunday school.

Rev. F. L. Canfield of Amity, a former pastor of Mr. Sebern, conducted the funeral services this morning at the Terwilliger funeral home. Interment was in City View cemetery.

Mr. Sebern was 58 years old. He is survived by his widow, Anna; children, Ralph of West Salem, Marie, Janette, Wendell, Lester, Elsie and Virgil.

HEARING ON POWER GRANTS SUGGESTED

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In Oregon during the past year.

The state fish commission and the county court for Douglas county, Tuesday filed with the state engineer here protests against the recent applications of the California-Oregon Power company looking to the development of water power on the North Umpqua river and Clearwater creek in Douglas county at a cost of \$25,000,000.

Five of the applications had to do with the appropriation of water on the North Umpqua river, while two of the applications were for water in Clearwater creek.

The state fish commission urged that the permits be withheld by the state engineer until such time as laws can be enacted protecting the fish life both up and down the North Umpqua river.

The Douglas county court declared in its protest that the power development would prevent the construction of the proposed Diamond Lake highway on a water grade, and would make it necessary to construct the road on slides at an unwarranted expense to the taxpayers.

Weather Bureau Put on 24-Hour Basis Here Now

Beginning September 1 the government weather bureau station at the municipal airport will be operated on a 24-hour basis and three observers, Harry Kervy, Vernon Frahm and Vincent Burgess, will be employed in eight-hour shifts, it was announced here Tuesday.

Announcement of the change came after the visit here of Meteorologist Smith of the Portland weather station and follows opening of the night airmail service between Portland and San Diego. Considerable new equipment will be installed, it is understood.

Baranof and Chichagof Islands of Alaska were stocked with squirrels to provide food for fur-bearing animals.

WHEN BILLINGS PLEADED HE WAS NOT PREPAREDNESS BOMBER



Warren K. Billings, Folsom's world famous "Iifer," testifying for his freedom before California's highest judicial tribunal—here is photograph taken at the penitentiary. Left to right are Warren Billings, on witness stand; Justice Preston, a court reporter, Chief Justice Waste, Justices Sewell, Shank, Curtis and Langdon. Justice Richards was absent because of illness. Billings is seated before the main door of the old prison, behind which 1,000 convicts were locked in their cells. This is the portal which frenzied felons sought to crash during the bloody 1927 uprising.

C. A. PARR IS ACCIDENT VICTIM

WOODBURN, Aug. 19.—Word was received here Sunday that C. A. Parr, 68, a resident of Woodburn for many years, was killed in Gibbons, Nebraska, while riding with his son Dwight.

Mr. Parr went east to attend the funeral of his mother. While returning home, a car driven by his son Dwight, was struck by a truck, killing Parr and injuring a woman who was in the party so seriously that she is not expected to live.

He was a well-respected man of the Woodburn community and it is with a note of grief that his host of friends hear of his death. He was a carpenter and expert glazier.

Mr. Parr leaves a wife, Mrs. C. A. Parr, a daughter, Fern Parr, domestic science teacher in Portland, and three sons, Lynn, superintendent of Marshfield schools; Glenn, employed in a Marshfield cedar refining company, and Dwight, a salesman.

WOODBURN GIRL ON NEVADA U. STAFF

WOODBURN, Aug. 19.—Miss Irma Mae Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson, left Monday evening for Reno, Nevada, where she has accepted a position at the University of Nevada. Miss Wilson is to be director of dormitories and reception at Margarita hall. There are 1200 students at the University of Nevada. Miss Wilson graduated this year from Oregon State college at Corvallis.

Clyde Whitman, Woodburn's fire chief, left today for Corvallis, where he is to attend the Oregon state firemen's school. Various speakers are scheduled for the school. Besides lectures by fire fighting experts, special classes dealing with firemen's problems will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Yantis of Ecuador, South America, having been visiting for a few days with Mrs. Yantis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rogers, left Monday for Canada, where they will visit May Yantis' sister, Yantis is a civil engineer engaged in projects in South America.

SUMMER GUESTS ARE AT AMITY

AMITY, Aug. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry of Toledo, are visiting over the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rogers. Also, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wells at La Grande, Oregon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Elgin, a seven pound daughter, August 14.

Mr. and Mrs. John Briedwell and Mrs. Edith Jones of McMinnville, enjoyed the week at the Briedwells' summer cottage at Neskeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lanfield and daughter, Hilda and Miss Gill of Portland returned Monday from a two weeks' vacation at Neskeon.

Mr. Glenn Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morris and daughter, Margaret, of Portland, attended the North Dakota picnic that was held at Albany Sunday.

Here, There And Yon

Bits of Personal News Gleaned About Interesting People

Business around the Oregon territory is good and A. R. Bowen, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype company is sure of it because he's been kept so busy seeing printers and publishers. Bowen was in Salem on official duty Tuesday. He's not only a good salesman but a good mechanic and when some small-town publisher has trouble with his machine off comes Bowen's coat and he speedily fixes the linotype.

"You hear Meier talk everywhere. I think he's got a good chance to win," commented Charles Munson, Zellerbach Paper company salesman when he was in Salem Tuesday. Munson is one of the top-notchers in his company and has made many friends in Salem. In the winter time he hangs his coat on the bowling alley hooks and proceeds to make many a spare and a strike for the team on which he plays.

Meier. Nothing but Meier; Irvin Williamson, barber here, says the air is full of it and declares Julius is in for victory. Williamson says there's no question about Charles McNary's reelection. "McNary is a dandy fellow. I voted for him before I ever knew him," Williamson declared and went on to declare that acquaintance brought by no means brought contempt.

It's a strange American custom to think the Japanese race is inferior mentally to the Caucasian race, commented Gilbert Wrenn Tuesday. Wrenn is a graduate instructor at Stanford university. He has just completed a six weeks' survey of the vocational problems of Japanese children in San Francisco. He finds that their problems vocationally are about the same as those of American young men and women except that the racial difference with American upbringing complicates the matter.

Marion county has found that its road work can be done most satisfactorily under for account reports County Commissioner Porter. Almost invariably when contracts are let Porter says the court has found the specifications were met but the job has been "skimped" in some particular. Road built under contract have not been wide enough or have been more readily worn out, Porter feels.

BEACH RESORT IS GOAL OF FAMILY

NORTH HOWELL, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Homer Davis and two little sons, Billy and Richard and Miss Vera Dickson are spending the coming week at Newport.

Mr. Davis took them over early Sunday morning and returned the same evening.

Mrs. Temple and Miss Templar of Woodburn were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Oddie, Oddie, Gilbert and their guests drove to Silver creek falls and enjoyed the day with a picnic lunch.

Mrs. L. Robinson To Show Brooder

SILVERTON, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Lewis Robinson will show Monday of next week for Battleground, Washington, where she will show the electric brooder manufactured by her husband.

Mrs. Robinson has demonstrated this brooder successfully at the state fair and the Pacific International, and will now demonstrate it at the all-electric fair to be held at Battleground.

NUMEROUS GUESTS ARE AT KINGWOOD

KINGWOOD, Aug. 19.—Mrs. J. W. Grigsby and son, Jimmy, of Medford, are house guests of Mrs. Grigsby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Yantis. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Shoemaker, also of Medford, motored with Mrs. Grigsby and son from that city to Salem and were luncheon guests Thursday, the day of their arrival, at the Yantis home. Saturday the Yantis and Grigsby families, with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and son from that city to Salem and were luncheon guests Thursday, the day of their arrival, at the Yantis home. Saturday the Yantis and Grigsby families, with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and son from that city to Salem and were luncheon guests Thursday, the day of their arrival, at the Yantis home.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kubin were Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Drana of Chico, Calif., who are old friends of the Kubin family. With them were Mr. and Mrs. J. Drovny also of Chico. The two California families own extensive almond acreage near Chico.

Mrs. Norman Smith of Cascade drive, was injured Sunday when she was caught between a moving auto and the rear end of a parked truck. Mrs. Smith was walking ahead of the family car when her husband who was driving lost momentary control of the machine. Mrs. Smith escaped with severe bruises.

WING DAM FINISHED AT INDEPENDENCE

MONMOUTH, Aug. 19.—The government work has been completed on the wing dam, which is being built just south of here to throw the current of the river to the other side, as it was cutting in on property on this side. Captain Sam Damon, who has been overseeing the work, returned to Portland Thursday.

Franklin Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Parker, who has been employed by the Keeney funeral home in Corvallis was here the last week looking after the Keeney funeral home here while Mr. Keeney was away in California for a few days.

Francis Holt has closed out his meat market on C street and is now assisting Fred Fisher in his market.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch of Portland spent the weekend with Mrs. Gooch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sloper.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Anderson has rented the Dick Collins residence on South Seventh street, and is moving in. Mr. Anderson is assistant manager of the V. C. Penny store here.

Fred Hewitt of McMinnville spent the week end at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jessie Hewitt.

Mrs. Wesley Wiley returned on Saturday night from a week spent in Roseburg, with old friends.

BAMBERGERS TAKE BACK MIXUP BABY

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proceedings. Powers, who intervened in the case for the Bambergers after an investigation and a review of the findings of the city health commissioner's office, convinced the couple they held the wrong baby.

With the agreement of the Bambergers to return the baby to the Watkins, Attorney Powers agreed not to sue the Englewood hospital, where it is claimed the original error was made, for any damages that may accrue. The hospital, being a charitable institution, under the state law is not liable, some judicial experts have pointed out, for damages.

The Call Board . .

By OLIVE M. DOAK

THE GRAND
Today—"Murder Will Out."
Friday—"Mexicali Rose."

THE HOLLYWOOD
Today—"Not So Dumb."
Friday—"Near the Rainbow's End."

FOX ELGINORE
Today—Clara Bow in "True to the Navy."

GLADYS O'DONNELL LEADING IN DERBY

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Repairs were made quickly and her ship was on the line for the afternoon start.

Miss Barron showed the effects of her experience yesterday. She was very tired when she reached the night stop. In addition to the worry connected with the forced landing near Heber, Ariz., the effects of a six mile hike before she was able to catch a ride to Holbrook last night, and her unscheduled return flight to Phoenix, she developed an infected heel today which caused her considerable discomfort. She finished the afternoon lap in third position, however, 13 minutes behind the leader.

Miss Barron's elapsed time includes the 17 hours 13 minutes that elapsed between her takeoff in Calexico yesterday and her arrival in Phoenix this morning, although she flew 220 air miles, and her plane was in the corn field nearly 14 hours.

BOTH SIDES CLAIM VICTORY IN CHINA

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bombs on the rebel-held city. The bombs, he asserted, contained poison gas.

Despite the government's claims of victories, foreigners in Shanghai consider the nationalists position much weakened by three months of fighting against rebels in Honan and Shantung and by the depredations of Communists in several provinces of the Yangtze valley.

Because of disturbed conditions and lack of confidence in the government's ability to afford protection, trade has suffered greatly.

Artisans Have Enjoyable Picnic

WOODBURN, Aug. 19.—About 40 members of the Woodburn United Artisans' assembly spent a pleasant day picnicking at Yamhill park near Newberg, Sunday.

At noon a pot luck dinner was served by the lodge members. Baseball, horseshoe pitching, and swimming and boating on the Yamhill river were enjoyed.

INSTALL WATER SYSTEM LINCOLN

Lincoln, Aug. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling of Lincoln, are installing an electric water system. J. J. Stratton of Spring Valley is doing the plumbing, and Charles Crangle of Lincoln, is doing the carpenter work.

A new electric power cable under the Mississippi from Natchez, Miss., to Vidalia, La., weighs 47,000 pounds.

Too Late to Classify

WANTS to learn by Sept. 1st, a room fully modern home with a good district, one year, privilege one or two years longer. Box 219 Statesman.

CAREY LEADING WYOMING RACE

Former Governor Far Ahead For Senate Nomination; Wet Last as Usual

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of 45,000 to 50,000.

Interest was centered in the four-cornered race for the republican nomination for the senate, long and short terms. Every nomination, congressional and state, provided a contest on the republican ticket but there was no contest on the democratic side.

Those aspiring to the G. O. P. senatorial nomination were Robert D. Crary, former governor; Wm. C. Deming, Cheyenne publisher and former president of the United States civil service commission; Charles Winter, former congressman and W. L. Walls, former attorney general.

Walls injected the liquor question into Wyoming politics as an issue for the first time by seeking the nomination on his proposal for repeal.

AUBURN SCHOOL IS TO OPEN SEPT. 15

AUBURN, Aug. 19.—The Auburn school will open earlier than usual this fall, school beginning September 15. Mrs. Harriet Smith Ingram and Miss Bernice Zielke, both of Salem are in charge.

Carl Krehbiel visited Breitenbush recently and was detained to fight fire.

Miss Flora Wirth and Miss Martha Wirth have returned from a vacation spent at Newport.

C. A. Tatum, has moved into the home he purchased from O. B. Trindle last spring. Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilkins, who have been living in the Trindle house, have moved into their home on Auburn Lane.

Mrs. George Wittke has been quite ill from having an imbedded wisdom tooth removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Hawkins and daughter, Susan, Jean and Eloise, spent Sunday in Portland visiting at the H. M. Birch home. The Birch family were former residents of Salem.

L. C. Mitchell, of the Mitchell service station is enjoying his vacation visiting the beaches.

The former Lindbeck property has been rented by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Silverton.

NORTH HOWELL CORN CLUB NOW ACTIVE

NORTH HOWELL, Aug. 19.—Thirteen interested members and two visitors of the local 4-H corn club met at the grange hall Saturday afternoon for a regular business meeting.

After the meeting the boys were taken by their leader, George Wiesner, on a tour of inspection of all the 13 corn projects in the community. Many fine looking plots of corn were visited. Interest is keen, not only because of the state awards in 4-H club work, but because the local show also promises much competition.

Bayou Sara, La., once the busiest landing place on the Mississippi between Natchez, Miss., and New Orleans, now is almost deserted.

Fire Destroys Prune Dryer

DALLAS, Aug. 19.—The prune dryer of G. L. Hawkins, on the Ellendale road, was totally destroyed Sunday afternoon, from fire of an undetermined origin. The warehouse some 200 feet away from the dryer was saved. It contained all of the prunes from last year's crop. The dryer was valued at about \$5,000 with insurance of about 50 per cent.

AURORA FIREMAN AT STATE SCHOOL

AURORA, Aug. 19.—Dewey Miller, fire chief, left Monday afternoon for the Oregon Firemen's school, being held at Corvallis, August 18 to 23. Chief Miller will attend the full five day course. Assistant Chief F. M. Ferguson and Engineer B. F. Stoner, will attend the Wednesday and Thursday sessions.

The city dads decided at their last regular meeting, that three men of the Aurora Volunteer Fire department, be appointed, and given expense money to attend the Oregon Firemen's school. Knowing they would derive much benefit from the courses, the council felt in making the allowance that the study of scientific methods of fire fighting as taught in the school, would justify the expenditure. The firemen have shown much interest in their department, and voluntarily did much of the work in assembling the new fire truck. They have also given dances to wipe out the indebtedness and they have made visits to other cities, to learn the methods of experienced fire fighters.

Geers on Trip To Washington

CHAMPOEG, Aug. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Geer and daughter Ruth, left Tuesday morning for Raymond, Washington to attend to their property interests there. While away they will visit in Tacoma, Chehalis and Vancouver.

Harry Riggs of Tillamook was weekend guest at the Geer camp and accompanied the family to Salem Saturday where they will move September 1st.

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Lila Lee and Jack Mulhall



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