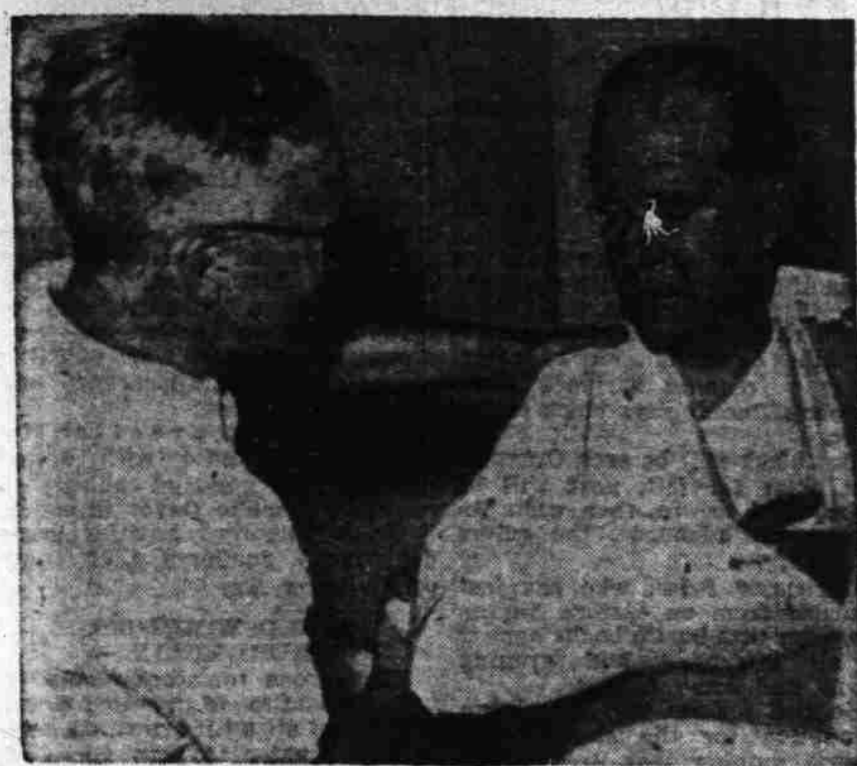


Vacationing Doctor Wreck Hero



Hero of the City of San Francisco disaster was Dr. Robertson Ward, San Francisco surgeon, pictured above treating a broken arm of Horace Disston, Philadelphia manufacturer, injured in the wreck. Dr. Ward rushed to the wreck scene from a nearby mountain vacation retreat, worked feverishly for hours on the broken bodies of passengers and crew members. (IIN)

Crops Favorable Despite Warmth

August Survey of State Shows Hops, Prunes, Nuts Are Okeh

PORTLAND, Aug. 17.—(P)—The department of agriculture's August survey showed favorable northwest crop conditions today, despite high temperatures.

Field crop yields will be slightly higher than expectations but spring drought reduced estimates in some instances, compared to the 1938 output.

Conditions on August 1 included: Hops—Oregon, Washington, California output estimated 39,060,000 pounds; Oregon 19,400,000 or 1,164,000 less than month ago.

Prunes—Oregon, Washington and Idaho fresh basis 201,700 tons against 133,800 in 1938.

Outlook favorable for unusually large crop west of Cascades for both canning and drying. Eastern Oregon forecast 12,200, a drop of 13,800 particularly from frost, heat and rust mite damage. Western Oregon 136,200 tons, largest since 1929. Last year's production was 78,700 and the 10-year average 103,222.

Nuts—Oregon, Washington walnuts 4400 tons compared to 5500 in 1938. Effect of the hot, dry weather not yet appraised. Oregon's prospective filbert crop of 2940 tons is 53 per cent more than last year's 1860 tons.

Hay Rack Fall Injures Benson

SILVERTON—John Benson, 73, is in a critical condition at the Silverton hospital following a fall from a hay rack in the Evergreen district Thursday.

A skull concussion and a fractured arm were listed among the injuries. He was taken to the hospital in the Ekman ambulance where he was cared for by Dr. A. E. Wrightman, jr.

Kester Services At 2 p. m. Today

ALBANY—Miss Cora Savanda Kester, 60, died at the family home in this city, Tuesday of a heart attack. Funeral services are to be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Fisher Funeral home with Rev. T. D. Yarnes in charge. Burial will be in the Sand Ridge cemetery. Miss Kester was born in Linn county. She was a daughter of Putnam and Ida Swank Kester. Oregon pioneers. She followed dressmaking as an occupation. Miss Kester was a member of the Methodist church. Surviving is one brother, L. C. Kester, of route 1, Albany, and one sister, Miss Altha Kester of Albany.

BEANS NEARLY DONE TALBOT—Bean picking is nearly finished here.

Owing to continued heat and dryness the blossoms are dropping off and the bugs are also damaging the crop.

Granger's News

MACLEAY—Mrs. Harry Martin, sr., Mrs. Harry Martin, jr., and Mrs. M. A. Wells entertained members of the Grange Home Economics club at the senior Martin-home Tuesday afternoon. Plans for entertaining Pomona Grange and the autumn fair were discussed. The afternoon was spent doing fancy work.

UNION HILL—Union Hill Grange will meet Friday night for its regular monthly business meeting.

RICKREALL—Members of the Grange chorus, quartet, trio, duet and soloists went to Forest Grove Saturday to participate in the regional trout of Polk, Yamhill, Washington, Tillamook, Clatsop and Clackamas counties.

Clatsop and Clackamas counties won and will appear at the state fair, September 8.

Townsend Picnic To Be Held Soon

AUMSVILLE—The Townsend club will have a basket dinner at 12:30 o'clock Sunday at the Higberger park. After the dinner a program will be given at which the Slater family of Vancouver, Wash., will appear. Other numbers by E. I. Plummer of Salem, and local talent will provide entertainment. The public is invited. Fred Garbe, president, is in charge.

Arizona Couple Call at Lebanon

LEBANON—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barnes, Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting Mrs. Barnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacDonald.

Miss Edith Kleint, daughter of C. A. Kleint, returned Tuesday from a year spent with her sister and family of Long Valley, Idaho. She plans to attend high school here during the coming school year.

Mrs. Fisher Feted On 80th Birthday

AUMSVILLE—Four birthdays were celebrated here Tuesday, August 15. At their home here Mrs. O. E. Roberts, was surprised by relatives and close friends with a party arranged by her daughter, Mrs. Ray Tullins.

Mrs. Mary Fisher, celebrated her 18th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Higberger with a few relatives and close friends.

Fred Steiner also passed another mile stone August 15, celebrating his birthday at his home here Tuesday with his family.

Mrs. T. C. Mountain was honored at her home at a dinner party, Tuesday, her birthday.

SILVERTON SERMONS SILVERTON—Rev. Edward Terry's sermon, at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock Sunday will be: "The Christian Task in an Unchristian World," while the evening topic at 8 o'clock will be "Some Undeniable Facts of Christianity."

Macleay 4M Committees Set

MACLEAY—The August meeting of the Macleay 4M Women's club was held in the W. B. Frink gardens with Mrs. Frink, Mrs. Oscar Baker and Mrs. Clare Strawn as co-hostesses.

Mrs. George Lamberson presided. Mrs. A. H. Fuestman and Mrs. N. Anderson were appointed as members of the Sunshine committee for the year and Mrs. M.

A. Wells and Mrs. Arthur Spelbrink to have charge of the music.

Guests present were Mrs. A. Strawn, Mrs. T. Olson and Mrs. C. Rice. Mrs. J. B. Ashby will entertain at her home in September.

NOBLE GRANDS PICNIC DAYTON—Twelve members and six visitors of the Past Noble Grand club attended the annual all day picnic held Thursday at the Dayton city park.

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