

FOUR LANE COUNTY HOUSES DESTROYED BY FIRE WEDNESDAY

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Responded to both the McHugh and Blankenship fires, but nothing could be done toward saving the houses because of the progress of the fire and the lack of water supplies.

The third house to be destroyed in the Crawford region was the Eberlein residence at Cloverdale, four miles east of town. Little information could be obtained as to the cause of the fire or insurance carried. The house was quite a large two-story structure and is said to be valued at about \$4000.

Grove House Burns
Fire which started from the fire shortly after 4 o'clock Wednesday morning destroyed the house owned and occupied by Mr. Decker, on south eighth street, Cottage Grove.

The fire was whipped by the high wind which blew here all Tuesday night and Wednesday morning and destroyed the house in a very short time. Telephone lines had been blown down in that section of Cottage Grove, and it was impossible for the fire department to be summoned in time to save the building.

Mr. Decker is an employee of the Woodard sawmill here and was preparing his breakfast at the time the fire broke out. The house was quite small and was valued at about \$1000. Shortly before noon the Woodard sawmill plant of the V. A. Woodard Lumber company at Latham, south of Cottage Grove, was threatened by a fire beneath the lumber docks. The fire was blown under the docks from a pile of burning sawdust not far from the mill. The Cottage Grove fire department responded, and the firemen managed to extinguish the fire. Considerable damage, the amount not definitely known, was done to the mill docks.

Roof Burns
The entire roof was burned from the A. S. Newton residence on east Jefferson street, Cottage Grove, about noon Wednesday. The interior of the building was quite badly damaged by water which was poured on in putting out the fire. The total damage will probably be between \$500 and \$1000. The S. V. Horn residence on south eighth street, Cottage Grove, caught fire from a spark from the chimney Wednesday morning but the fire was put out without serious damage to the house. The B. A. Whitten residence on east Main street was damaged by a roof fire which broke out Wednesday morning. The fire department saved the building from destruction.

The Eugene fire department was kept busy Tuesday night and Wednesday, but no serious blaze had developed late Wednesday afternoon, due principally to the timely arrival of equipment in each case. At 10:30 o'clock Tuesday night, shortly after the wind assumed unusual proportions a fire took place at the Walters-Bushong mill at Fourth avenue east and High street. The blaze was in the sawdust pile and was extinguished without difficulty.

The first brush fire of the season, aside from some unknown cause, took place at Victoria heights in the southeast corner of Eugene near Jenkins point Tuesday night about 10:30. The blaze was not out before it covered some great territory, but it was making good progress with the wind.

Three fire fires Wednesday morning brought calls to the 1041 Tenth avenue west at 7:30 o'clock. 1058 Jefferson street at 8:10 o'clock, and at east Broadway and Alder street at 9 o'clock. There was no damage in any case.

Boy Scout Pictures To Be Shown Here

Matinee pictures recorded outstanding events of the annual Tenth County Boy Scout field day last Saturday, and hundreds of boys and their friends may get a glimpse of themselves starting Wednesday at the Fox-McDonald theater when the Register-Guard-Fox-McDonald news reel will be shown.

The camera was on the ground back of Skinner's Butte, and caught as the mile-long parade of the boys and the crowd of interested spectators.

Every boy scout is included in the picture in the grand parade held at the close of the event. A group "shot" of the Eagle scout club is also in the reel.

Woman Completes 65 Years' Work on Quilt

YENDYBURG, O., April 22.—Sarah Thompson worked on her quilt in the tradition of her little home on the hillside near here for 65 years. Now the quilt is finished and tucked away in a large box which once was her home chest.

Sarah began plating together the quilt for a home chest as a girl. That was just after the close of the Civil war. But somehow happened and her home never was filled, on the quilt lay untouched for many years.

Then, some 50 years ago, she began work on the quilt again. She carefully fitted the squares together according to the pattern she had designed. The work was slow, but it was Sarah's life work for she never left her little home except to buy an occasional spool of thread or food for the chickens.

The grocer and the coal man were her only callers.

One of the most extraordinary echoes in the world is to be heard by the side of a small lake in Nevada. On one side rises a tall cliff and on the other side a dense forest. A pistol fired across the lake creates a faint echo that diminishes almost to nothing. Then it is picked up by the cliff and thrown back like thunder.

Ancient Egyptians worshipped the crocodile, both when living and dead.

IN PATH OF WISCONSIN FOREST FIRES!



Six houses and many smaller buildings at Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., were destroyed when disastrous forest fires sweeping that end of the state touched off seven carloads of oil in a Standard Oil Company warehouse, as shown here. An explosion followed, surrounding buildings being sprayed with flaming oil and the scene darkened by a pall of black smoke. Loss was \$200,000.

STATE WEATHER STORY

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Ord maximum temperatures yesterday of 90 and 98 degrees respectively, while the United States weather bureau here commented that "over the southwestern states, particularly California, Nevada, and Arizona, the weather remained unusually warm."

THE DALLAS DUSTY
A severe wind storm laid a coating of eastern Oregon dust over the Dallas late yesterday evening and today. Limbs were torn from trees and wire service disrupted, but otherwise the damage was slight. The wind subsided during the night but was resumed with gale-like violence early this morning, carrying great clouds of dust from eastern Oregon summer fallow.

SALEM WINDY
SALEM, Ore., April 22.—(AP)—The heaviest wind of the season struck Salem shortly after midnight, but early today no serious damage had been reported.

WASHINGTON HIT
SEATTLE, April 22.—(AP)—Central Washington "cleaned up" today after a severe sand storm while other sections of the northwest repaired damage wrought by high winds and counted the toll of early season forest fires.

Over a 100-mile wide area, with the storm the most intense in the Big Bend country of the Columbia river, sand and dust blotted out the sun late yesterday, stopping outdoor work.

Fires Fanned
On the coast, from the Canadian border south through Oregon, high winds whipped up brush fires and broke down trees and light poles in some sections. Small boats on Puget Sound were endangered.

Believed started by lightning four or five days ago, the Mount Baker forest fire, near Seddie Rock mountain, was fanned into the wind. A train of men was sent from Rockport in Skagit county to the scene.

The sand storm extended from Westerville south to the lower Yakima valley, with drifts from six to eight inches deep reported near Sunnyside. With a velocity of 35 miles an hour, the wind tore the roof from the Washington State Fair grandstand at Yallana.

Woods, debris and dust in the air drove people from the streets at Wenatchee and lights were turned on in the streets and in buildings. Five hundred men working on the Rock Island dam on the Columbia river had to cease operations.

YAKIMA, Wash., April 22.—(AP)—The town of Yakima, 40 miles southeast of here, was reported swept by fire today. All telephone lines were down and communication was difficult. The fire started in the Commercial hotel and fanned by strong winds spread to other buildings. Grandview has a population of about 1100. Fire-fighting equipment was believed inadequate.

SISTERS, Ore., April 22.—(AP)—Wind of terrific force, followed by fire struck the scenic Metolius river country early this morning and left in its wake a mass of shattered summer homes and tangled tree trunks which blocked all roads and broke telephone lines. At least one person, Mrs. R. C. Foster, was injured. The home of Harry L. Corbett of Portland, was a victim.

According to meagre information from the isolated area, a freakish wind, blowing out of the northwest, whipped up the Metolius river this morning, tossing huge, century old pines to the ground and across summer lodges. One of the uprooted trees fell across the Corbett home, occupied by John Brunt. Fire followed and the home was soon reduced to ashes.

The fierce blast of wind continued up the west side of the Metolius hurling trees across many of the summer homes of Moro country folk, then across the river near the Camp Sherman bridge. One of the trees fell across the Camp Sherman store building, injuring Mrs. Foster, wife of the proprietor.

JORDAN ILL.
STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., April 22.—(AP)—Dr. David Starr Jordan, internationally known peace

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self as the wind diminished somewhat early Wednesday morning.

Poles Crash
While local service was maintained with little trouble, long distance wires were in bad shape. The main line to California was down at Wolf Creek, in southern Oregon, and also in northern California. Main lines were out north of Portland also, and it was impossible to communicate by telephone with Florence Wednesday morning.

Telephone crews were working rapidly to restore service. A telephone pole crashed during the night in Eugene, and in Springfield another pole went down before the gale.

A fine apple tree, in full bloom, came down with a crash in a yard at Thirteenth avenue east and Oak street, carrying a section of lattice fence with it. A lilac tree was uprooted in a west-side yard.

A tree crashed into the road near the Eugene Country club Tuesday night and held up traffic until it could be moved.

Roads Littered
While this was the only report of a tree having fallen across a road, roadways throughout the county were littered with twigs and small limbs, as were streets, lawns and sidewalks in Eugene.

The north, or old campus at the university was carpeted with green twigs blown from the massive trees there.

From various points over the county came word of small damage wrought by the wind.

A large glass window at the Junction City Hardware company was blown in by the gale during the night.

A shed was blown down on the Coburg road between Eugene and Coburg. At Waverlyville, numerous fruit trees were blown down and the dust cloud was particularly heavy.

Numerous signs and awnings were blown down on Cottage Grove's main street. Several telephone poles were blown down in that district.

WINDOW CRASHES
JUNCTION CITY, April 22.—(Special)—The high wind which was blowing in Junction City Wednesday blew in a large plate glass window in the Tannler building at the corner of Sixth and Greenwood streets about 10:30 o'clock.

The window was at the front of the Junction City Hardware company store, which occupies a portion of the building. It was shattered into pieces as the force of the wind collapsed inside of the store.

COTTAGE GROVE, April 22.—(Special)—Logging crews stopped working in the Cottage Grove district today because of falling trees in the high wind.

Mrs. Snowden Victor In Line Fence Fight
FARNHAM, England.—(AP)—Mrs. Philip Snowden, wife of the chancellor of the exchequer, has won a suit over a fence.

In 1923 Mrs. Snowden put up a fence between her estate, Eden Lodge, and that of her neighbor, Mrs. Tarrant, an 80-year-old widow.

Last year Mrs. Tarrant's son pulled the fence down. The fence was re-erected. It was promptly pulled down.

Now a judge has awarded Mrs. Snowden \$5 damages and enjoined her opponents.

The amount of capital from other sources invested in Canada at the end of 1930 was \$3,755,555,000.

ENGLAND HAS "PEIPING MAN"

BRIGHTON, England, April 22.—This seaside town is looking for a Roy Chapman Andrews to tell the world about the rival to the famous "Peiping Man" which was found on the cliffs here recently.

A well-preserved skeleton, said to be at least four thousand years old, is Brighton's latest bid for tourist trade. Experts who examined this "Homo Brightoniensis" were not able to tell whether it was a man or a woman.

Andrews found his "Peiping Man" in a cave in Mongolia. Brighton discovered its family skeleton in a sewer.

Despite its shabby grave, Brightoniensis are confident their ancestor was a person of considerable importance in the days of Babylon, Nineveh and Tyre. The experts said it was a person of mature age.

The skeleton furnished another strange link between the past and present. It was found lying on its side with its knees drawn up toward its chin. This is said to be the common sleeping posture of the older inhabitants of this day.

Ex-Convict Held By St. Louis Cops In Kidnaping Case

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—(AP)—A former convict, Edward (Cocky) Leonard, was held by St. Louis police and county authorities pushed their investigation into the abduction Monday night of Dr. Isaac D. Kelley, Jr., a wealthy and socially prominent physician.

Leonard was arrested late last night and booked as an extortion suspect and as having knowledge of Dr. Kelley's disappearance. He told police he knew nothing about it.

Leonard was arrested in the kidnapping of Michael Katz, millionaire Kansas City druggist, in March 1930, but later released.

So far as could be learned today, no demands for ransom have been received.

Autogyro Lands on White House Lawn As Hoover Watches

WASHINGTON, April 22.—(AP)—While government and aviation notables, headed by President Hoover, looked on, an autogyro was landed today on the south lawn of the White House.

The feat was accompanied by James G. Ray as part of a ceremony in which President Hoover presented the Collier trophy to Harold Gifford of Philadelphia and associates for the outstanding development in American aviation in 1930.

HAWLEY'S COMING
SALEM, Ore., April 22.—(AP)—Representative W. C. Hawley and Mrs. Hawley are expected here Friday to spend the remainder of spring and all summer.

Black-White Snake Warns Great Danger

VISALIA, Cal., April 22.—Residents of this district today were pondering the strange case of George On, 38, Chinese truck gardener.

On was seriously injured when his team ran away and mauled him. Physicians attending him in a hospital here held slight hope for his recovery, and his friends came to see him.

He was delirious, but managed to convey to them the wish that they would visit his home and look under his pillow. They did, and found a big black-and-white snake, symbol of danger to Orientals.

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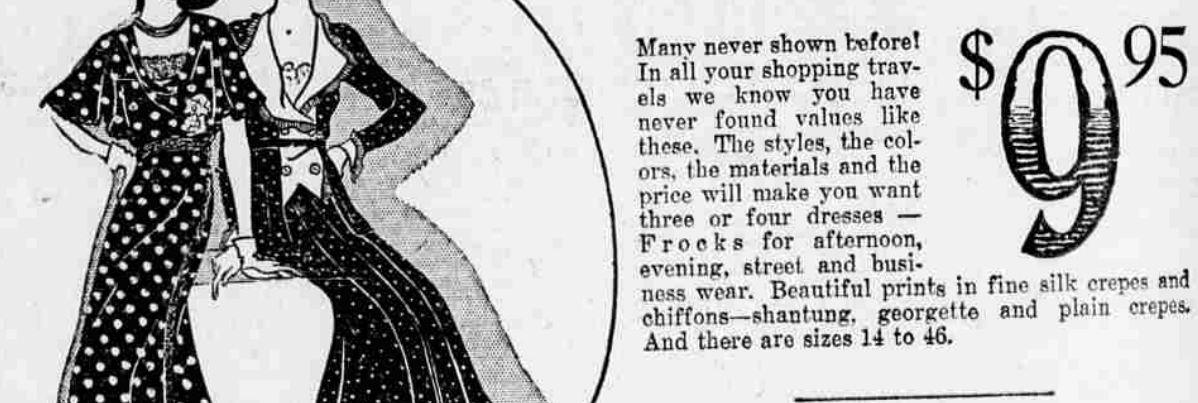
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