

LANDON TAKES REST PRIOR TO ACTIVE DRIVE

Denver, Colo., Aug. 13 (AP)—Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas, republican presidential nominee, returned to his vacation home in Colorado yesterday for a week of relaxation before he launches his active campaign.

Governor Landon went directly from the train to a waiting automobile and started the trip to Estes Park and the McGraw ranch where he has established his summer vacation home. The only stop between Denver and the ranch was at Boulder, Colo.

A delegation of leading Colorado republicans, headed by Raymond L. Sauter, republican candidate for the U. S. senate; Charles H. Enos, state chairman; and Elmer C. Abbey, secretary of the state committee, met the candidate at the train. Wilbur Denison, staunch republican and close friend, accompanied the candidate to Estes Park.

Governor Landon announced that there would be but little politics during his short vacation. He said that he planned to put the finishing touches to a series of speeches he will deliver in a swing across the country starting from Denver on August 20.

At the McGraw ranch, Governor Landon will be greeted by Mrs. Landon, Peggy Ann Landon, four year old Nancy Jo and two-year old Jack Landon. The family returned to the vacation ranch immediately after the candidate had accepted the republican nomination at Topeka.

His two favorite sports, fishing and horseback riding will occupy most of his time at the ranch. Governor Landon said. At odd times he will work on his three major speeches, the first of which is to be delivered at his birthplace, Midway, Pa., August 22. He will speak at Chattanooga, N. Y., August 23, and at Buffalo August 26.

TOURIST CARS 1000 EACH DAY

Tourists are coming into Oregon in more than 1000 automobiles every day for the greatest influx of visitors in history, according to Secretary of State Snell.

Last month 30,645 non-resident registrations of motor vehicles were made, a new all-time record. The figure was 11,372 above June, 9552 higher than July, 1935, and 7642 more than the previous peak month of July, 1929, when 23,008 was reached.

The year 1929 has also been the highest to date, with 103,008. Last year, 100,303 was reached, but this year will set a new record, Snell predicted.

"Unquestionably 30,000 more cars will visit Oregon this year than ever before," Snell said.

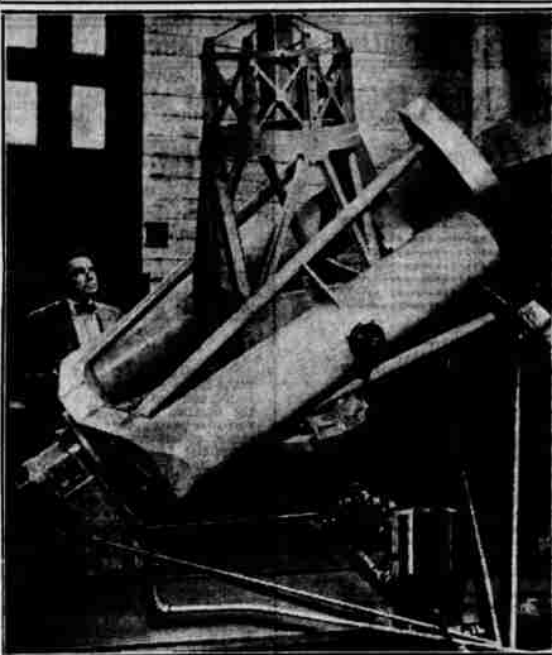
"This travel in Oregon not only means a huge amount of money to be distributed among our business men, but also that Oregon is just beginning to come into its own as a summer playground. These people will come back and send thousands of others. The registrars of my office report our visitors as unanimously enthusiastic for what the state has to offer."

Cars were registered from every state, and Alaska, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Canada, Canal Zone, Panama, Philippines, Mexico, South America, Jamaica, Haiti and England. More than half the cars come from California. Washington is second.

California Family Visiting at Rickey

Rickey—Mr. and Mrs. M. M. McGee have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parsons and daughter, Irene, of Marina, Calif. The Parsons formerly resided in this district. After leaving here they resided in Salinas, Calif. They spent last summer here and returned to California to make their home last fall.

MODEL FOR HUGE TELESCOPE



This is how the 200-inch telescope, to be erected on Palomar mountain near San Diego, will look when it is completed, but the model is only a tenth as big. Capt. Clyde S. McDowell, U. S. N., supervising engineer shown with the model, said it would make possible the testing of deflections and determining the best possible arrangements of the many auxiliary units. (Associated Press Photo)

MOST OF CATTLE QUOTA NOW IN

Washington, Aug. 13 (AP)—The customs commissioner reported yesterday that 98 percent of the quota of light cattle and 89 percent of the heavy cattle quota permitted to enter the United States this year under the Canadian trade agreement already have been imported.

The statistics for the first seven months of the year showed only 18.2 percent of the quota of dairy cows had been shipped into the country.

A total of 50,920 cattle under 175 pounds was imported during the period, 48,683 from Canada, and 2238 from Mexico, representing 98 percent of the total allowable for the year.

A total of 139,061 heavy cattle, weighing more than 700 pounds, had been received by American markets, including 119,288 from Canada and 19,773 from Mexico. The heavy cattle imports were 89.3 percent of the total allowable.

Canada sent 3241 head of dairy cattle to this country. Mexico sent none.

SUIT TO ENJOIN BOND SALE FILED

*Sacramento, Aug. 13 (AP)—The Pacific Gas & Electric company yesterday petitioned in federal court for an injunction to halt the sale of \$12,000,000 worth of bonds by the Sacramento municipal utility district.

The company charged the district's plan to create a competing power system is "palpably unreasonable, arbitrary, confiscatory and oppressive and manifestly and unreasonably discriminatory under the facts and circumstances."

The complaint charges the company will be unfairly taxed to pay off the principal and interest of the district's bonds.

OILING GOES AHEAD

Gervais—Oiling and graveling of the county road into Gervais from the Chickadee camp is in full swing. The grading was completed Wednesday and the oiled surface will reach as far as the John Weiss corner. While the crew and plant are here the city is having Main street graded and oiled.

MALONE CASE DWINDLING IN FILM FLARE-UP

Beverly Hills, Calif., Aug. 13 (AP)—The charges against Polly Moran's husband, Martin Malone, of suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon, simmered down to misdemeanor yesterday when Malone pleaded guilty to "exhibiting a gun."

After hearing Miss Moran, the film comedienne, deny stoutly that her athletic husband had ever threatened her with a pistol, Justice Cecil B. Holland said he would drop the felony charge against Malone.

The occasion was Malone's preliminary hearing on charges growing out of the tempestuous morning of July 15 when a domestic argument brought Malone into the toils of the law.

Here is Miss Moran's story of the family argument that brought police:

"He came home just a wee bit intoxicated, and what would I do but start my nagging number."

"He said, 'Ah, my little nagging wife.'"

"You know the ritual, about husbands always coming home drunk from stag parties."

"Well, I gave him some of that for a while and ended it by saying: 'Go blow your brains out!'"

"Now no one in the world could have been more surprised than me when he went over to a dressing table by the bed and took out a rusty old gun, an automatic, used to shoot at flying fish when we went over to Catalina on our boat."

"It was a warm night."

"The windows were all wide open and I guess all the neighbors heard me screaming."

"I didn't want him to commit suicide in the house."

CHAINED BODY OF SLAIN MAN FOUND

Sacramento, Aug. 13 (AP)—The state bureau of criminal identification yesterday identified the finger prints of the chained nude body found near Dumbarton bridge yesterday as those of Raoul Louis Cherbourg, who was arrested twice in Los Angeles and once in Long Beach.

Deputy Coroner John A. Lowman at Oakland said the man had apparently been killed, weighted with 32 feet of 3-inch chain wrapped about his body and thrown into the bay.

RETURN TO MINE

Gates—Charles Graves returned to his mine near Quartzville Sunday. Making the trip with him by car and returning later in the evening were Elton and Winnifred Brown and Muriel Horner.

Purposes of Legion Stressed in Speech By National Leader

Roseburg, Aug. 13. (AP)—The American Legion, bringing to a close the most historic year of record, turns with greater emphasis than ever to perpetuation of the principles of Americanism. Ray Murphy, national commander, told the opening session of the Oregon department today.

"While it is ever true that we must be vigilant in protecting our country against subversion, by whatever name it comes into our midst, it is equally important that in moments of over-zealousness, however well-intentioned they may be, that we do not permit ourselves to resort to un-Americanism."

"There is a wide difference between subversion and orderly progress carried out in tempo with the onward march of civilization. While firmly combatting the forces of violent revolution, therefore, we must be on guard that we do not make the mistake of failing to distinguish between subversion and progress."

The vast youth activities of the Legion in its support of Boy Scouts, the sons of the American Legion, the Legion Junior baseball program, the Boys' State, aid to underprivileged children in which it spent a million dollars alone last year, community service work in times of emergency and otherwise, such as the maintenance of playgrounds, provide splendid outlets for the energy of Legion organization, he said.

"Let us work without rest to protect the peace and honor of our beloved America; to render community service in its highest forms; to the completion of a child welfare program which will carry out the constitutional pledge of equal opportunity for all," he said in conclusion.

"Let us carry forward a rousing Americanism program based securely upon American methods and principles, with emphasis upon the guidance of youth toward adequate preparation for citizenship and leadership."

"Here, my comrades, is a program above reproach; here is a program which no honest person can call 'selfish.'"

"The law we ask would cost not one penny; it would interfere with business not one whit, becoming operative only when war is declared and ceasing to operate upon the re-establishment of peace."

"We ask only that if there must be war, dollars shall fight the same as men; that in time of war the country shall bring into its service capital, industry and manpower on a basis of absolute equality, with special privilege and profits for none."

"Here, my comrades, is a field where the American Legion may be proud to labor. You and I have seen something of war. Ghostly as it was, the war we went through would be a holiday compared to the horrors of a war today. Every home, our own families, literally would be at the battle front."

"We are prepared to make every necessary sacrifice to preserve our national honor, but let us do those things now which honorably may be done to maintain peace."

Enumerating the opportunities of the Legion for service, Murphy pointed to the pledge to the veterans to combat communism, fascism, Hitlerism and like propaganda but he cautioned:

OFFICE WILL COLLECT LARGE TAX FOR YEAR

The state insurance department will collect nearly \$750,000 in fees and taxes this year—\$40,000 more than its 1935 income—Hugh H. Earle, insurance commissioner, reported to Governor Martin.

Receipts of \$701,832.23 last year were \$46,889.55 more than the 1934 income, Earle added. The most the department ever collected in company and agent's license fees, certificate fees and taxes on net premiums was in 1930 when \$843,147.34 was paid into the state treasury.

After the department pays its administrative expenses, which are down to 5.5 percent, the balance goes into the general fund for regular expenses of the state.

Premium income of all companies last year was \$36,789,915, or \$2,419,222 above 1934, Earle said. The figure was also \$1,467,580 more than the average for the last ten years.

"This is a definite indication that conditions in this state are improved," Earle declared.

"Life insurance business made a very good showing in the state for the year when it is considered that during the depression many of our citizens were forced to surrender their policies for their cash value or borrow against their reserves."

"The greater proof of the soundness of life insurance as a protection and as a method of saving for the small investor is that less than one-half of one percent of life insurance in force in Oregon was affected at all by the depression. In no case was there a total loss."

A total of \$618,712.453 in life insurance is in force in Oregon.

Fire insurance made only a slight increase despite a substantial decrease in rates during the year, Earle reported. In the last six months and during all of 1935 no surety or casualty company was reported insolvent.

"The value and importance to the public of the state insurance department, as well as membership in the National Association of Insurance Commissioners can be more readily understood and appreciated when it is realized that insurance companies collect more than \$8,000,000,000 from the American public each year, that they now have in their possession more than \$30,000,000,000—of which 95 percent belongs to the policyholders—and that many of the individual companies operate in the states and territories of the United States," Earle concluded.

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AT POTTER HOME

Mill City—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Potter over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Potter and son, Billy, of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Potter and daughter, Lisa Joan, also are visiting during the week with his parents, while planning a trip to Crater Lake.

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