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Brief News Items

The Weyerhaeuser Timber company is building a 30-mile railroad from South Bay, near Olympia, to Mukwago, on the upper Skookumchuck river. The road will tap one of the finest stands of timber in the United States, estimated to take 50 years to cut.

Governor Roland H. Hartley with state officials, mayors and commercial representatives of a score of Washington and Oregon cities attended the opening to traffic of Longview's new \$450,000 bridge and entrance directly connecting with the Pacific highway.

Acting for the interstate commerce commission, the department of public work will hear the application of the Northern Pacific Railway company for permission to abandon its line between Markham and Bay City. The line is about four and one-half miles long.

Automobile license plates for 1927 will reach Olympia this week. Charles R. Maybury, director of licenses, has announced. The plates for next year will bear green figures and lettering on a white background, the reverse of this year's plates. Issuance does not start until December 1.

Spokane has been awarded the 1927 national convention of the Service Star Legion. Mrs. Alice C. French, state president of the organization, announced upon her return from this year's convention at La Crosse, Wis. Mrs. French was elected second vice-president of the national organization.

The Pine Canyon road, on the Sunset highway between Wenatchee and Waterville, was washed out in four places, and Knappa's hill, on the Chehalis-Okanogan highway, will be closed for two weeks at least, as the result of cloudbursts. Boulders weighing from four to five tons were washed down, it was reported.

A forest area in the Colville national forest in eastern Washington has been ordered closed. The area consists of 14,000 acres on the middle fork of the Big Boulder creek. The area is specified as a fire hazard, due to the forest type and to the weather conditions. No one will be allowed in the area without a permit.

No more slashing fire permits will be issued in Cowlitz county due to dry conditions in the woods and the increasing fire hazard. No campfire permits will be issued this season either. Sufficient camping spots with good fire protection have been set apart in the forest areas and along the streams of the county so that everyone can find camping spots within these areas.

Joplin & Eldon, Portland contractors, were the lowest bidders for the new west side highway project in the Round Pass section of Rainier national park, it was announced by the bureau of public relations, department of agriculture. The Portland firm bid \$305,084. Work will begin on the project in about 40 days, and will require three summers to complete. The road is to be nine miles long, and winds around the west side of Mount Rainier.

The old Cowlitz city site on the Cowlitz river near the Pacific highway four miles north of Castle Rock, has been purchased as a country estate by H. N. Peabody of Castle Rock from the Hart-Wood Lumber company of Portland. Located on a peninsula between the Toutle and Cowlitz rivers, the tract of 153 acres 20 years ago was platted and boomed as a factory town, and was considerably in the public print for a number of years thereafter.

For the first time since the Washington state constitution was amended in 1912, the general election ballot of next November will carry neither an initiative nor a referendum. In 1914 the first year the law was operative, a dozen such proposals were submitted. Every two years since then there have been from two to six initiatives and referred measures. The time for filing initiative and referendum petitions expired July 1. Two initiative bills were presented to Secretary of State Hinkle during the spring by ballot title, but neither received the necessary 40,000 signatures.

Plans for construction of a spacious club house, a golf course and a number of summer homes were announced when Walter F. Dickens, superintendent of Tulalip Indian reservation, stated that Bellingham Masons were successful bidders on two tracts of land on the Lummi reservation in Whatcom county. The Bellingham lodge paid \$3525 for one tract of 139.71 acres and \$5025 for a second tract of 114.11 acres. Three-quarters of a mile of waterfront on Bellingham bay is included in the purchase.

Say you saw it in the News.

GALLOWAY TO PILOT HANEY IN RACE FOR U. S. SENATE

Francis V. Galloway, of The Dalles has been chosen to manage Bert Haney's campaign for U. S. Senator. He is a native of Yamhill County. He attended public school in Clackamas county, later, the old Portland academy and was graduated from the University of Oregon in 1907. He taught three years in Washington high school in Portland and was admitted to the bar in 1912. He is now serving his third elective term as district attorney in Wasco county.

Mr. Galloway is arranging his business at The Dalles, to permit giving most of the last three months to the campaign. For the present he will be in Portland a day or two a week. Mr. Haney has opened campaign offices in the Board of Trade building in charge of Lotus L. Langley and C. H. Treacy.

When interviewed today, Mr. Galloway said:

"I am proud to be associated with Mr. Haney and his friends in this campaign. He and I were born in the same Oregon county and, while we have lived many years in different parts of the state, I have followed with admiration his career in private business and in his many positions of public trust and confidence. He is one of Oregon's finest sons, unimpeachable in public and private life—a man of dominant personality and great intellect—aggressive, sincere and loyal—a prominent candidate for United States Senator."

"Mr. Haney's record as a member of the shipping board and his refusal to be lined up by the National Administration on questions inimical to Oregon, is a concrete promise of his power as a senator. He is progressive, unrestrained by any ancient political dogma."

"Oregon is in need of balanced representation in the U. S. Senate. In the army it was the man out of step who at least received the notice. Politically, attention and favors are lavished on the 'doubtful' state. Why have federal officials by wholesale been moved from Oregon to Seattle and other coast cities? From a back page of the Oregonian of June 23, without editorial comment or excuse, we learn that Oregon is practically ignored by the federal building program of the next few years. The front page cartoon in the Oregonian of June 28, pictures Oregon as apologetically and timidly beseeching the National government for Oregon's rights, when the railroads have already received their share. Oregon, politically, too long has been 'taken for granted'; Oregon has been 'regular and ignored.'"

"There will be no quarrel with Mr. Steiwer, the opposing candidate, whom I know well and include among my most affable friends. The quarrel is with 'regularity and consistency.'"

"In Pennsylvania, over a million dollars were spent by Mellon—Grundy interests in an unsuccessful effort to secure the senatorial nomination for Mr. Pepper, the Administration candidate. The justification for such enormous expenditures as stated before the Senatorial investigating committee was to perpetuate and 'strengthen the Mellon line of economic thought.' Oregon is a 'piker' to those who play a game like that—to such an enormous combination of business and politics as will justify a two-or-three-million-dollar fight over office legitimately paying a salary of only \$10,000."

"Our senators cannot be 'regular and consistent' without serving political and economic privilege. Oregon must produce its David to help slay the Goliath of political domination by big business. The Haney issue is: 'The West in protest. Oregon in revolt.'"

NORRIS-CHRISTIANSON

Announcement has been made of the marriage on last Thursday of Mr. Arthur Norris and Miss Martha Christianson.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Norris attended school here and have a host of friends who were glad to hear of their marriage and are wishing them much happiness.

The many friends of Mr. Jess Stubbs in this vicinity will be interested to learn of his marriage in Portland last week. Mr. Stubbs formerly resided here where he was employed by the P. E. P. Co., as an electrician which position he still holds but makes his home in Portland.

News from the Neighboring Towns

UPPER EAGLE CREEK

Miss Eleanor Akers was the guest of her friends the Hamiltons of Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of Eastern Oregon are guests at the home of Will Douglass. Mr. Taylor lived here some years ago.

Walter Douglass and family and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Douglass and children motored out to Mt. Hood the Fourth, spending a pleasant day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass and children spent the Fourth at Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Handle were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilcox on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and family spent the Fourth at Dinty Moore's Park.

Little Kenneth Wilcox is home from the hospital, and getting along nicely.

Roy Douglass' new residence is going right up and will soon be ready for the lathers.

Sherd Jones and wife were camping up on the flat near the old barn of Roy Douglass, during the Fourth and fifth. Mr. Jones is doing some plumbing for Mr. Douglass.

Ray Woodie and family motored to Dodge Park the Fourth.

Mr. Akers returned home on Monday from St. Vincent's hospital in Portland, where he underwent a serious operation some time ago, and he stood the trip very well. He is improving quite rapidly and feeling fine.

Ed Douglass and family spent the Fourth at Molalla.

Florence Douglass spent the Fourth with the home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglass.

The farmers are very busy hauling hay these days.

SPRINGWATER

Haying is progressing rapidly in this section and harvesting will soon be here with a rush. Hansen's have already cut a field of wheat and Howell Bros. are cutting at present.

Work on the new prune dryer at the Barney Gilbride farm is progressing satisfactorily under the direction of Mr. Enquest of Dodge.

A card from the George Perry family mailed in Rapid City, S. Dakota, June 30, reported them all

GIRLS HURT IN CRASH

Miss June Kirchem of Redland and Miss Arlene Robbins of Oregon City were quite severely cut and bruised in an automobile accident on Saturday evening while on their way to the dance at Eagle Creek.

Their companions, Mr. Henry Durig and Mr. Lee Kirchem escaped with only minor bruises.

The accident occurred near the Eagle Creek Grange hall and was caused when a tire on the bug, which was in the lead blew out, throwing it into a ditch. Mr. Kirchem, who was driving a roadster, was following closely and in trying to avoid the capsize car also went into the ditch. Both cars turned completely over and it is really quite miraculous that the occupants of the two cars escaped alive.

Another car was summoned and the injured were brought to Dr. Midford's office where first aid was given. They were later removed to the Oregon City hospital and are reported getting along nicely.

BIDS WANTED

The Board of Directors, School District No. 108, will receive bids up to July 23, 1926, board to meet at the high school building, bids to be for painting the grade school building—the building to receive one coat except where old paint is scaled or loose. These places must be scraped and well cleaned and an extra coat put on. The job is to be done in a good and workmanlike manner. The board will furnish the paint. Board also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Wm. DALE, Clerk.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF BIDS

Board of Directors, school District No. 108, board to meet at high school building, calls for bids for 70 cords of first class 4-foot wood delivered to the school building. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Wm. DALE, Clerk.

well and enjoying their trip immensely.

John Park and family who have been making their home at Woodland, Wash., for several months recently returned here moving into the Spencer house.

Recent guests at the Harry Grable home were Mrs. Grable's sisters from Chicago and Baltimore.

Jack Greenstreet and family of Pacific City, Oregon, have been visiting during the past week at the home of his parents here.

Guests at the Forrest Erickson home over the week-end were Mrs. Erickson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mann of The Dalles.

George Genserowski left recently for California to visit relatives.

Ralph Greer who has been in a Portland hospital for several weeks from the effects of an automobile accident, is recuperating at the home of his father, Fred Greer.

John Moger who has been working for several months near Independence, Oregon, is home helping his father, J. F. Moger with the harvesting.

Guests at the R. S. Guttridge home on Sunday were Mrs. Guttridge's brother, Harley Rainey and family of Portland.

The Hansen family entertained a number of relatives from Portland over the week-end.

John Hamilton and family of Viola were Monday callers on J. F. Moger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grable are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy on Sunday.

Guests at the Shibley home on Monday included their son Earl and family of Portland, their daughter Mrs. L. S. Tenney and family of Viola and Mr. and Mrs. John Stormer of Estacada.

August Genserowski has been spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Ward.

Mr. Schenk and family of Gresham were here on Monday at the Joe Guttridge home.

Jim Clossner and family spent the week-end visiting at the Clossner and Strunk homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shearer of Portland were guests over the week-end at the Ed Shearer home.

Mr. Ed Clossner was removed to a Portland hospital recently and is reported doing as well as can be expected.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kiggins recently purchased the James Smith residence for their home.

Mr. Raymond Lovtace and Mr. Fred Vincent were in Portland on business on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parks and children of Washington were here to spend the Fourth of July.

Mrs. J. W. Reed and daughter Mary Alice Reed were Portland visitors one day last week.

Mr. R. H. Currin is home from Bull Run for a short visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clossner of Ridgfield, Wash., are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sarver of Portland spent the Fourth of July holidays visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. G. F. Midford and little daughter returned home the latter part of the week from a delightful trip to Spokane, Wash.

Mr. Phil Steinman has returned to his work at Yakima, Washington, after a short visit here with home folks.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira Manville and little daughter have been visiting at the home of their mother, Mrs. Carrie Denny. Their home is at Mautnomah, Oregon.

Little Kenneth Wilcox returned home on Monday evening from the hospital where he has been confined due to having been kicked by a horse on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Womer and daughters Jacqueline and Eleanor of Corvallis spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Womer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Ballou entertain the following guests at their home on the Fourth of July: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dugan and son, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Miller and children of Portland.

COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY

The truly big event of the season for our community will be the meeting on Saturday evening at the Estacada hotel of the Greater Association of Community clubs of the county.

This association was sponsored by Mr. A. G. Ames last July when he was the president of the local community club and though of only small proportions at first has grown to be something really worth while and of great strength, since it now composes all the clubs of the county.

Estacada should be very proud of this organization and should support it and exhibit keen interest in making it one of the biggest and finest things attempted by our citizens.

Mr. Moore, the genial host of the Hotel Estacada is serving a good, substantial dinner for the small price of fifty cents, to which you and your neighbors and friends in the city of Estacada and neighboring communities are cordially invited.

In fact you should feel it your duty to come out on that evening and show by your presence and help that you are proud of this end of the county and wish to lend your support in putting it on the map. If possible, phone in your reservation for this dinner to Mr. Moore, at the Estacada, but if you are not sure until late that you will be unable to attend, come and you will be served anyway.

A very fine entertainment has been arranged and all who come out on this evening are assured of a time long to be remembered and of which you will ever be proud.

A large committee of ladies from the Eastern Clackamas Community club will assist Mr. Moore in procuring some of the delicacies, cakes, etc.

CASHIER' QUICKNESS AND TELEPHONE FOIL BANDITS

Presence of mind on the part of Russell Statts, cashier of the Chugwater, Wyo., state bank together with an opportune telephone call from his wife, recently saved the bank from being robbed. Just as two burglars were thrusting revolvers in front of Statts, the telephone bell rang. In raising his hands he managed to knock the receiver from the hook and at the same time cried: "Rob me, but don't shoot." The hold-up men seeing the receiver off the hook took no chances but made their escape while in the meantime the cashier's wife notified the police who arrested the two young just as they were about to board a freight train.

"Whatever we think of the telephone girl," says Eddie Cantor, "she is always plugging for us."

METHODIST CHURCH

"Christian Baptism," will be the subject of the sermon at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning, July 11. At the 8 o'clock service Sunday evening, the subject will be "Repentance commended by Christ."

The Sunday school convenes at 10 o'clock in the morning with Mr. Lawrence as superintendent. Immediately following the Sunday school is the Junior church at 10:45 with Mrs. Rankin in charge. All the and girls are urged to stay, for this is their service.

Epworth League Devotional meeting Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. It is less than a month until the Falls City institute. Several members of the League are looking forward with great anticipation to going.

The pastor will preach at Mt. Zion church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Meeting of the Sunday school board and also of the official board of the church next Tuesday evening. The S. S. Board will meet at 7:30 and the church board at 8:30.

Miss Mary A. Hill, formerly a missionary in China, will have charge of the Prayer Service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.

Mrs. McColly Dale and little son Robert of Hermiston were visiting at the Wm. Dale home recently.

The Estacada band played in a very fine manner at the Fourth of July celebration at Molalla and were very well received. The band is doing fine work and is indeed a big asset to our community and should have the hearty support of our citizens. Few towns of the size of Estacada can boast of such a competent musical organization.

Oregon News Items Of Special Interest

One hundred delegates attended the annual convention of the Oregon State Press association at Prineville.

With an abundant yield the farmers and fruit growers of Linn county are working overtime in harvesting their crops.

Well balanced labor conditions prevail in Oregon, according to a report of the Pacific division of the United States employment service.

Succeeding H. L. Plumb, R. L. Promme, now acting public relations officer in the district office in Portland, is to be supervisor of the Deschutes national forest.

The county court of Washington county has offered a reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest of the dynamiter of the W. H. Milne house in Forest Grove.

The airplane forest fire patrol will be started in a few days, according to H. C. Miller, lieutenant in the army reserves, who will be senior officer in charge of the patrol base at Eugene.

Eastern Oregon sheep are now on the Umatilla national forest range. The forest was opened to sheep grazing June 15. Cattle and horses were permitted to enter the forest for grazing May 15.

Sam A. Koser, secretary of state, has advised S. C. Morton, secretary of the St. Helens chamber of commerce, that St. Helens has been made a registration point for automobiles from other states.

The annual meeting of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held at Salem next October, according to a decision announced by the executive board of the state parent-teacher body.

Camp fire permits will be required in the Cascade and Umpqua national forests on and after July 1, according to Nelson F. Macduff, supervisor of the Cascade forest. The rule is already in force in the Deschutes and Santiam forests.

Salem hopmen, who have examined yards all over the Willamette valley, agree that the fuggle hop crop for 1926 threatens to be a failure due, probably, to premature blooming caused by exceptionally fine weather in the early spring.

The 39th session of the Linn county pioneers convened at Brownsville. Gold bullion amounting to more than \$100,000 has been brought out from the Robertson mine, 14 miles west of Galice, the scene of Josephine county's latest gold strike.

If the Southern Pacific agrees to joint user rights of its new line south from Paunina, the Oregon Trunk will be in Klamath Falls five or six months after construction work is started, W. F. Turner, president of the Oregon Trunk announced at Bend.

Utilization of natural storage reservoir sites along the Coquille river in Oregon would make possible the production of 36,000 continuous horsepower, the geological survey has been informed by engineers who conducted a power survey along that stream.

With the strawberry season practically over Forest Grove canning companies report that 250 tons of the berries have been packed in sugar and barreled for ice cream makers and preservers, a larger amount than ever before produced in western Washington county.

Miss Edith Starrett of Salem, Charles Campbell of Dallas and Miss Leona Larrabee, head of the Latin department of Lincoln high school, Portland, will leave soon for Philadelphia where they will represent the state of Oregon at the Sesqui-Centennial exposition July 4.

The body, clad in a green bathing suit, which was washed ashore and found on the ocean beach at Marshfield, has been identified positively as that of Wilbur Elliott, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Elliott, of Newberg, who was drowned while swimming at Neskewin May 23 last.

Despite reports from some quarters that the operating lumber companies were bent on a program of curtailment, 108 mills for the week ended June 12 produced 116,147,029 feet of lumber. New business booked totaled 118,162,904 feet and shipments amounted to 122,077,569 feet.

The Oregon public service commission has requested the interstate commerce commission to reopen the case involving the proposed Central Oregon railroad development program to the end that testimony may be introduced looking to the construction of an east and west line across the state as sought in the original proceeding of the Oregon commission.

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