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## THE DEDICATION

Seldom in the realm of small town communities does a celebration occur that reached the climax of success attained by the dedication of the Illinois Valley Airport last Saturday and Sunday through the cooperation of the people of the valley and the Siskiyou National Forest personnel.

The dedication committee headed by Edward P. Cliff, honorary chairman, finds it difficult to adequately express their appreciation to all those who gave of their time and resources to make this great movement such an outstanding success.

To mention those who contributed their time and finances would take almost the entire issue of The News, their number is so great, but the entire committee wants to heartily thank each and everyone who contributed, even the smallest minute particle, to the great celebration that dedicated our airport.

It was a spontaneous combustion of community cooperation that made it such an outstanding event, and The News wants to chip in its congratulations and hearty thanks to all who helped and to all who so marvelously cooperated in its achievement.

## WHAT MADE CALIFORNIA?

Los Angeles, not so many years ago was a wilderness, with nothing to attract tourists, business or anything else.

Los Angeles was fortunate in nestling under its bosom, some men who had a vision and believed in their ability to make the desert a flower garden. How well they succeeded is well known, for Los Angeles is the top city of California, and California is known the world over. And why?

Because the men with a vision told everyone about the beautiful climate. They didn't only tell, they shouted from the house tops—"COME TO THE SUNSHINE STATE, COME TO CALIFORNIA," and they came by hundreds of thousands, and built one of the most modern cities in the United States with nothing more than a lot of sunshine to do it with.

Of course when oil was discovered it made their job much easier and the moving picture colony helped out, but in the beginning, it was simply a case of selling their climate and sunshine to the world and they were doing quite well when the oil and pictures took it away from them.

We do not need oil in Southern Oregon to do more than the Los Angeles boosters did. We have everything, with the exceptions of citrus fruits, in Southern Oregon, including the healthiest climate in the country, but up until now it has just been allowed to grow like topsy did, without much help from anyone.

It is indeed gratifying, now, to notice the advertisements that the Grants Pass Chamber of Commerce has been running in many newspapers, advertising Josephine county. It is high time we woke up to our

### Along the Concrete



advantages and let the world know all about it, and the advertising the chamber is doing will produce wealth by the hundreds of thousands to the entire county.

Congratulations to the chamber. May they everlastingly keep at it and never quit.

## Pals You'll See at State Fair



What's a show without a trick horse and a pretty girl? Carol Henry will put her handsome mount through some first class routine at the horse show during the Oregon state fair—September 1-7 at Salem. It's the 80th state exposition and it starts Labor day.

## O'Brien Womens Club

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learning the truth, and finally discovers which one she really loves, makes "The Round-Up" a romantic outdoor adventure story you will find hard to forget.

Harry Sherman, Hollywood's top producer of Westerns, has boarded the screen play for over 10 years, waiting to find the perfect cast to portray the colorful characters called for in the script.

Until the moment when "The Round Up" actually went into production, Sherman kept the cast a secret—and no wonder. Besides the veteran star, Richard Dix, and Preston Foster, fresh from his laurels in Paramount's pageantry of color and action, "North West Mounted Police," Sherman decided to introduce a brand new type of star to filmdom, a blonde brunette, lovely Patricia Morison. Add to this, the first screen appearance of Jack Benny's popular radio announcer, 300-pound, genial Don Wilson, and 13-year-old Betty Brewer, child find of the year, and you have some idea of Sherman's motives.

Against a never-before-seen-on-the-screen, natural panoramic background of the High Sierras, Paramount used a wild band of

Apaches, herds of steers, horses and mules, and champion trick-riding cowboys. Ruth Donnelly, Jerome Cowan, Douglass Dumbrille and a quartette of famous singers, "The King's Men," round out the cast.

## Double Feature

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will also be a Chinese tea table where tea directly from China will be served.

As soon as time and place are announced, more details will be made public.

The next meeting of the club is to be at the home of Mrs. Robert Balzke, on Friday, August 15. All committee chairmen are asked to be on hand at 11 o'clock (bring paper bag lunch), to make reports and final arrangements will be made. Regular meeting at 2 o'clock.

## Wm. H. Savage, Pioneer Son of Old Kerby, Dies

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Corvallis for William Henry Savage, where he passed away at the age of 82 years. He was a banker in Corvallis and descendant of Oregon pioneers.

## DIVERSIFIED IS HUMBOLT COUNTY FAIR



Flowers will vie with livestock for attention at Humbolt County's annual county fair, Ferndale, August 12 to 17, inclusive, with one of the most complete flower-shows of the Redwood Empire scheduled as part of the 6-day "Variety Show" which will feature dairy and beef cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, home economics and other farm activities. Upper view shows Velma Amaro (left) and Vera Jean Meyers in a garden of Gladiolus, while below, Exene Hartness gets her "pet" lamb ready for the event.

The son of William and Catherine McDonald Savage, he was born at Kirbyville, (Kerby), spending most of his early life at Salem and moved to Corvallis in 1885.

He was formerly president and member of the state fair board, had charge of Oregon exhibits at the Lewis & Clarke exposition in Portland in 1905 and the Chicago World's fair in 1893.

He is survived by his widow and two sisters. Burial was in the Jason Lee memorial cemetery at Salem.

## CHURCHES

### CAVE JUNCTION COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school 10 to 11 a. m. Church services 11 to 12 a. m. Come Sunday and hear Dr. Geo. H. Gray, Pastor.

### ILLINOIS VALLEY CHURCH OF SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching Service 11:00 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

You are invited to meet with us. Lynn Jolliffe, elder, Cave Junction.

### BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday School 10 to 11 a. m. Worship service 11 a. m. to 12 m. Evening Service at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Dexter of Grants Pass will have charge of the morning and evening services.

### KERBY UNION SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Kerby Union Sunday school invites everyone to their Sunday school, which is held every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. in the I. O. O. F. hall.

### COMMUNITY CHURCH CLIPPINGS (Contributed)

Sunday School attendance was somewhat affected by the special activities over the week end. The number was 42 with 4 visitors. Collection was \$2.11. For the next four weeks the ranks will be thinned because of a number who are away in the hop fields. Birthday offerings were made by Orville Seat, of Elnore, Calif., and by Johnnie Smith.

Rev. Gray preached from John 6:48 and 63, subject "Jesus, the Bread of Life."

The missionary society will meet with Mrs. Gray on Thursday, Aug. 14th for business and quilting. Covered dish luncheon.

Among the visitors were Mrs. Mary Seat, from Elnore, Calif.; Miss Vera A. A. Millar, teacher from the Washington Irving Junior high school, Los Angeles; and Miss Alice Lindsay, of Baptist church, of Wilder, Idaho, where she is soon to conduct the Daily Vacation Bible school. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. Marvin Cross.

Miss Grace Iverson scored 100 in her recitation of memorized Bible texts.

The solos rendered by Mrs. John Dow and Miss Lindsay were very much enjoyed.

The July 17th letter from Eldon and Opal Johnson, our missionaries in Bolivia, brought the cheering news that Mr. Johnson is improving steadily from the rheumatic condition which has kept him confined for the past three months. But they have been great months, so they write, months of intensive studying of the language and of great growth in their knowledge of God and His wonder ways with His children. Their permanent address is Casilla 86, Cochabamba Bolivia, South America. The suggestion that these fine young folks so far away from home, would greatly enjoy a number of personal letters from Illinois Valley friends. Postage same as in U. S. A. Join the League of the Golden Pen.

"For there's never a friend so far from you,

That a message cannot reach; And there's never a heart so full of woe,

That a love word cannot teach. And there's never a soul in this sad old world,

Crushed under a weight of care, That cannot bend to a loving friend,

Who has paper, and ink—and prayer."

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