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Morning Oregonian:

"Marian Miller advises letting drunken drivers hit each other. Okeh, but they don't do it; they hit other people."

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Nineteen states sent a total of 105 new families to Oregon during July who bought 7488 acres of land and invested \$403,200, according to the monthly report of W. G. Ide, Manager, State Chamber of Commerce. California, as usual, led in new families with 65; and New Jersey, Massachusetts, Ohio and Florida were also represented. A large number of the new families entered business in Oregon, five auto camps and stores being purchased, two grocery stores, a laundry, a hotel and other business investments made by the new people. The report also shows ten large land sales made by families sent to Oregon by the Los Angeles Offlice of the State Chamber, one 500-acre purchase in Klamath County being for \$22,500 and one 160-acre tract in Baker County bringing \$10,500. Hundreds of people called at the Los Angeles office for travel information on Oregon and over 100 local Chambers of Commerce in Oregon cooperated to properly entertain and show the visitors the scenic spots in all parts of the state.

The decrease in the freight rates on wheat from Athena to Portland and Seattle amounts to just one cent per 100 pounds. The former Portland rate was 18.5 cents and is now scheduled at 17.5 cents. The Seattle rate of 20.5 cents per 100 pounds is lowered to 19.5 cents. The lower rates are scheduled to become effective October 1. The rate reductions are more substantial from other points. Pilot Rock gets a reduction of five cents, the former rate of 221/2 cents has been lowered to 17.5 per 100 pounds to Portland. These reductions, sought by farm organizations, still leave the grain growers of this section paying considerably higher rates on their export grain, distance considered, than do the Canadian growers.

Their "campus" the shores of the Pacific clear up to Skagway in Alaska, under the eaves of the Arctic Circle, a faculty of 10 and a student body of over 115 will leave Seattle gust 14 for the second annual Stangier Building, Alaskan summer cruise of the University of Oregon. The trip, which will take in the most picturesque scenes of the Alaskan country, will last about two weeks on the boat, with one week of study on the campus before the trip starts. The group will absorb knowledge, pleasure and recreation from the trip and will be the better fortified for the year's work ahead.

Increase in number of automobile accidents in Oregon prompts Highway Commissioner Barbur to demand physical and mental tests for all drivers applying for license. Rather, Mr. Barbur would be accomplishing more for traffic safety, if he were to secure permanent disqualification of every driver convicted of drunkenness while driving on a public highway. That would thin out more automobile accidents than any other contributing factor except, perhaps, speeding.

Fourteen states in the mid-west are now in the grip of a killing drouth with a major catastrophe impending. Lakes and streams are drying up, with the result that dairy herds are suffering and already the corn crop is reported damaged to the amount of 400,000,000 bushels. All of which indicates that other sections of the nation are in much worse condition than Oregon and the Pacific Northwest.

Twenty-three years ago wheat sold in Athena for 70 cents a bushel. Then you could buy a good suit of clothes for \$15, a hat for \$2.50. Last week wheat sold in Athena for 70 cents per bushel. A good suit of clothes costs you from \$30 up, a hat \$5 and here is found the jolt the farmer is getting from selling in a free trade market and buying in a protected market.

Three of America's greatest industrialists, Henry Ford, Thomas A. Edison and Harvey Firestone, met the other day in Edison's laboratories on occasion of Ford's 67th birthday anniversary and the event demonstrated that the old boys are not so old as their ages would indicate.

Ex-President Coolidge declares in one of his syndicated articles that the postoffice should pay its way, but loes not state that it didn't pay

its way during the eight years he was

Tuesday marked the 37th day without rain at Portland. With an un- H. Martin is the Democratic nominee usually dry season last year, back of for congress in the Portland district. One copy, six months...........\$1.00 one foot of moisture to become nor- distinguished. He was appointed to

> The corn fields of Iowa have been 'fired" by continued drought and hot southwest winds. When corn "fires" in Iowa it means less corn on the cob and in the crib.

> Burglars entered the home of a Portland policeman and robbed him of his revolver. It was not necessary for them to shoot their way out.

> McGowan, Washington, has a 4385 Union Oil company spent \$200,000

### CLASSIFIED

Milk Cows-Good, fresh Milk cows for sale. Henry Koepke, Athena,

Cook House-Cook house on wide truck, for sale. James Duncan, Atheno, phone 30F15.

For Sale-A New Coleman Air-O-Gas range, slightly used. Mrs. Callie Sanders, Athena, phone 30F21.

Poles-R. A. Ball, Weston, R No. 2 has tamarack and red fir poles for where he served until the outbreak of sale at reasonable prices.

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A NOTABLE CAREER

(Oregon Journal) Of delightful personality and high mental attainments, Major General C.

it, the webfoot city will require about His career has been colorful and West Point from Illinois. On graduation, in 1887, he was assigned to duty with the 14th infantry at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, where terfered with work. he served until the outbreak of the Spanish-American war.

In the meantime, he was married

He had two tours of duty in the Philippines. He cleaned up Manila. After its capture by American forces, foot hole with no oil in it and the in August, 1898, he was placed in charge of streets, parks and sanitation, a position that he held all during the military occupation of that city. On his second tour in the Philippines he was chief quartermaster in the Visayas. In the Boxer campaign in China, in 1900, for the rescue of the foreign legations, he received two citations for bravery in

> Returning to Vancouver Barracks in 1906 as constructing quartesmaster, he remained until 1911 and was then ordered to Washington, D. C., on the general staff. He returned to Oregon in 1913 as colonel of the Third Oregon infantry, on application of Governor West and by special retail of the secretary of war. In 1915 he was ordered to the Mexican border the World war.

President Wilson appointed him successively brigadier general and day. woman wants work by hour or day. major general in the national army. Call at George Corder home next He had charge of the first officers' training camp at Leon Springs, Texas, and later, as a major general, commanded at Camp Grant, near Chicago, where 250,000 men were trained for war service. General Martin had service overseas as a division commander during the war.

A modern front, fitted with plate in favor of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for a while.

Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered, upon the judgment rendered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of December, 1921, in favor of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for unatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered and delivered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of December, 1921, in favor of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for unatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered and delivered and delivered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for unatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered and delivered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for unatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered and delivered and entered in said Court on the 30th day of B. B. Richards, as plainting and creditive for unatilla County, on the 2nd day of August, A. D., 1930, to me directed and delivered an Texas, and later, as a major general, division commander during the war, where he was awarded the distinguished service medal for outstanding and distinguished service.

After the World war he was made brigadier general in the regular goods. army by President Harding and a major general by President Coolidge. as assistant chief of staff to General John J. Pershing, in charge of perconnel. On the retirement of General Pershing, in September, 1924, General Martin was sent to command in active service October 1, 1927. With

957 J He is commander of the Military Order of the World War and a member of the American Legion. He is chairman of the Portland chapter of the American Red Cross.

There are unusual qualifications and relations to enable General Martin to serve in congress with effectiveness. He is a general who is for peace. He is Western, but in complete understanding of the Eastern viewpoint. He has an international viewpoint, gained from actual experience. He has had a big part in many big affairs. He was in charge of streets and parks in the clean-up of Manila in the war with Spain. Associated with him as city engineer, and a long-time friend, was Major General Lytle Brown, now head of the rivers and harbors division of the United States engineer corps. General Martin is also a lifelong friend of General Ashburn, head of the Inland Waterways corporation. Both these intimate friendships are with men who are keypoints in great affairs with which Portland and Oregon have much to do.

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Friday, August 16, 1907 While there has been considerable grain threshed this week, the weather has by no means been perfect for carrying on harvest operations. The rain of the last week left the straw tough and heavy dew has greatly in-

The best yield reported to the Press this week comes from the reservation. From 75 acres, Dr. Plamonin Portland to the daughter of the don cropped 1933 sacks, an average late Ellis G. Hughes. He acquired yield of 58 bushels per acre. This property in Portland as early as 1889 big yield is on the Gagnon place dleton, Oregon, or to its attorneys, and ever since has been a property south of town. Dr. Plamondon sold his wheat to the Preston Parton Mill-Pendleton, Oregon, within six months ing company for 71 cents per bushel. for 70 cents per bushel. Andy is operating a combine this year, His average totals an average totals are sent as a solid his big crop August, 1930.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PENDLETON. Execute. average totals an even section and he

conservatively estimates the yield at 46 bushels per acre. E. R. Cox transacted business in

Pendleton Saturday. C. A. Barrett's field of wheat near town averaged 55 bushels per acre. Sixty acres of it Mr. Barrett estimates went 65 bushels per acre.

Rails have been sent to the Pilot Rock branch of the O. R. & N., and a track-laying gang of 44 men is now at work putting down the steel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones will again make their home in Athena. Mrs. Jones has purchased the La Hue Millinery store. Mr. and Mrs. Jones resided for a time at Echo, where they conducted a hotel.

Merle Robey and Frank Coolidge were in Walla Walla yesterday. Miss Ferral McBride has returned from a visit with friends in Milton.

Mrs. A. J. Parker and children visited relatives in Walla Walla yester-

W. McBride received a 50-bushel yield of wheat on the Duffy place south of town. The team to John Banister's com-

bine ran away this morning and cre-A modern front, fitted with plate

and the boys will now have every convenience for properly displaying per annum from December 1st, 1920, goods. J. B. Gilliam, of Walla Walla, familiarly known to his friends here

He was recalled to the war depart- as "Ben" was shot and killed in ment again in 1920, where he served Cobre, Nev., Wednesday night, while protecting the store of his employer, J. C. Hillman, from the invasion of D., 1930, levy upon all of the right, Chas. Norris received a large con-

signment of harness from Portland Panama, where he was retired from yesterday and is now better prepared than ever to meet the demands of the trade. Tuesday he shipped a set of i his family he then returned to his his popular heavy team harness to

mitted to be carried on.

returned Wednesday from a two weeks' visit to Portland.

Thompson spent Sunday at the Whiteman home, west of town. tended the harvest ball given at the opera house Saturday evening.

President French has returned to Weston from the Wallowa district where he has been on a tour of inspection in the Normal's interest. Mr.

Editorial

present and Bibical times is that a grain surplus was then

Why did the salt shaker?

masher in the kitchen, the sugar spoon with her, and the

WE RECOMMEND

CELOTEX

Now if that were a modern

concrete cellar like we could re-

model your old one into, it

Because he saw the potato

regarded as a blessing.

gas meter in the cellar.

The big difference between

French is assured of a large attendance next year from that part of the

NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. in the Matter of the Estate of Robert

Notice is hereby given to all per-

ons whom it may concern: That The First National Bank of Pendleton at Pendleton, Oregon, has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Robert Parnell, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them, in the manner provided by law, to the said executor at its office and place of business at Pen-Pendleton, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of

PENDLETON, Executor.
Peterson & Lewis, Attorneys for
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Umatilla. In Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Harvey J. Morris, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Ad-ministratrix of the Estate of Harvey J. Morris, Deceased, by the County Court of the County of Umatilla in the State of Oregon, and has qualifi-ed. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified against said estate are hereby notined to present the same, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at law office of Peterson and Lewis, Stangier Building, Pendleton, Oregon, within six months from date hereof, July 18th, 1930.

EMMA I. MORRIS Administratrix.

Peterson & Lewis, Attorney for J18A15 dministratrix.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon A modern front, fitted with plate glass, has been put in the Taylor building this week. The store room is occupied by Dell Bros., grocers, and no .100 (\$1051.00) with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent \$125.00 attorney's fees, and the fur-ther sum of \$20.00 costs and disbursements, which said judgment has been docketed and enrolled in the of-fice of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, I did, on the 2nd day of August, A. title and interest and claim of said defendants in and to the following described real property in Umatilla County, Oregon, to-wit:

The East 34 feet of Lot 4, Block 1, Kirk's Third Addition to Athena, Umatilla County, State of Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that I will.

home in Portland.

General Martin has always taken an active part in civic affairs in the city, belonging to many civic bodies.

He is commander of the Military Order of the World West and the City of the World West affairs in the City of the World West and th chop mill at Adams.

Baker City is now the only town in the state where open gambling is permitted to be carried on.

gon, at public auction, for current lawful money of the United States of America, sell all of the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants Mrs. Fred Boyd and daughter Cecile ceturned Wednesday from a two weeks' visit to Portland.

Mrs. Fred Boyd and daughter Cecile Dean T. Willaby and Virgil E. Willaby had in and to the above described property on the 3rd day of December, A. D., 1929, or since then Miss Eva Rider and Miss Myrtle
Thompson spent Sunday at the
Thompson spent Sunday at the
Whiteman home, west of town.

A large number of young people atment, the proceeds to be applied to
satisfaction of said execution and all

Dated this 2nd day of August A. D.,

Tum-A-Lum Tickler

Athena, Oregon, August 8, 1930

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TOM B. GURDANE, Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon. Aug 8-15-22-29, Sept 5

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The above rates apply when bills are paid in full within 10 days
from date of bill. Otherwise, the rate will be increased by 10 per

cent on each item.	
Commercial Rates	
First 100 KWH used per month	10c per KWI
Next 200	7c per KWI
Next 300	6c per KWI
Next 400.	
Next 1000.	4c per KWI
Excess over 2000	3c per KWI
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The above rates apply when bills are paid in from date of bill. Otherwise, the rate will be	increased by 10 pe
cent on each item.	
Preston-Shaffer Milling Co	mpany

### would be a fine place to meet anyone in. There is probably DEPOOF NOW

SEE US

basement if you will let us show

room for an extra room in your

The other day a fellow evidently mistook us for a radio store because he came in and asked for "B" eliminators. We didn't have any but our fly screens eliminate flies so he ordered a set for his home.

"I just did a hole in one,"

The reason so many people like the miniature golf is that it fits their drive.

"Hello, people of Athena, I just came in town to help the Tum-A-Lum. But in the rush to get here I forgot my name. If any kind person that has a good name for me will call 91 and tell it to Mr. Johnson if would

sure be appreciated.

CREO-DIPT

· Stamed Shingles

said her proud husband. "Did you?" the wife answered sweetly." "Please do it again dear-I didn't see you."

A. M. Johnson, Editor.

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