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Rufus Local News Notes

TOLD BY
Fay Brackett, Correspondent

C. H. Lindeman was a week-end
visitor in Wasco.

Dick Pyburn is having the hotel
painted this week.

Mrs. Dudley Short of Cliffs, Wash-
ington, was in Rufus Sunday.

George Wilkerson was a busi-
ness visitor in The Dalles Monday.

Carl Everett had another round-up
at his home, Norman Davis being the
only rider.

John DeMoss installed a radio at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce
Millard, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andrews were
visiting with Frank Bartholomew in
The Dalles Monday.

E. S. Larson, formerly manager of
the Kenneth Springs fox farm near
Moro was in Rufus Monday.

Mr. Bartholomew was operated on
Thursday at the Hamilton hospital
and is reported to be convalescing
rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tom of The
Dalles are visiting in Los Angeles,
California, where they will remain
until April.

Mr. Coffin and son of Yakima who
were on their way to Portland were
forced to remain over in Rufus by
the breaking of their car.

Among the visitors in The Dalles
Saturday were Miss Ruth Jackson,
Mrs. R. P. Foister, Herbert Hill and
sons Robert and Howard.

Several people from Wasco were
in Rufus Sunday assisting John
Royce get his car out of the ditch
between Rufus and Wasco.

Mr. McCullen, a business man of
The Dalles, wrecked his automobile
on the Columbia river highway be-
tween Rufus and The Dalles and was
seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Striker passed
through Rufus early Sunday morning
en route to Garfield, Washington, to
visit their daughter Helen, whose
child is reported seriously ill.

Alfred Coote was in Rufus visiting
with his sister Mrs. John Mathieson
Jr., last week. Mrs. Mathieson ac-
companied him to The Dalles Monday
and from there he will return to his
home at Biddle, Oregon.

Word was received by Mrs. Wal-
lace Jones Monday that the baby boy
of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bozarth, of
Portland, died January 15th, of
diphtheria. The Bozarth family
formerly lived in Rufus.

Dorothy Thompson and June
Brackett of Rufus school, were pre-
sented with medals given to the
winners at the prune bread demon-
stration at the International Stock
Show in Portland last October. The
medals were formally presented by
L. W. Rakes, principal of the school.

Mrs. J. G. Addington and daughters
Edna and Pearl, moved to Camas,
Washington, Saturday where Mr.
Addington is employed in the
paper mill. Opal Addington will re-
main in Rufus until school closes. A
surprise party was given Thursday
at the home of Mrs. S. L. Coats, in
honor of Mrs. Addington's departure.

The state supreme court has signed
an order compelling the board of
directors of the Ochoco Irrigation dis-
trict to levy a tax on the lands of the
project sufficient to meet the operat-
ing expenses, interest on bonds and
delinquencies for the district for the
year 1926.

Automobile fatalities in Portland
averaged slightly less than one a week
for the 53-week period between De-
cember 28, 1924, and January 2, 1926.
In that period of a little more than a
year Portland reported 80 deaths from
automobiles, as compared with 41 for
1924 and 39 for 1925.

Nearly 85 per cent of the voters who
were registered in Klamath county six
years ago have left for other sections,
it was revealed by County Clerk De-
Lap, when nearly 1000 out of 4000 let-
ters sent out to voters were returned
by the postoffice because the ad-
dressees could not be located.

Fred Springer, ex-convict, who was
reported to have been killed while
staging a hold-up in Canada a few
months ago, has been arrested at Mc-
Allister, Okla., according to word re-
ceived at the Oregon state peniten-
tiary. A prison guard has left for
Oklahoma in quest of the prisoner.

Responsive to a vigorous protest
against closing of numerous trout
streams for a period of ten years in
all parts of Oregon, E. P. Ayerill,
state game warden, has asked the
state game commission to defer ac-
tion in the matter until the next regu-
lar meeting of the commission Febru-
ary 8.

County judges of a majority of the
18 land grant counties of the state af-
fected by the withdrawal of the lands
and consequent loss of taxes, met in
Portland and went on record for uni-
ted effort in a campaign to seek con-
gressional reimbursement for loss of
taxes amounting in all to about \$4,
800,000.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM GRASS VALLEY

Signs of spring:
The automobile salesmen are here.

T. W. Hayes, on the George Swartz
place is now plowing.

Young folks will walk on railroad
tracks. We presume this is because
the path is straight and narrow.

Guy Haynes and family started
back for Yamhill, after a week of old
visits at Grass Valley and Kent.

Grass Valley folks are wondering
about the man that paid good money
for a ticket to California, in quest of
a mild climate. Our weather is sure
great.

We are informed that W. P. Lat-
rell has sold out his confectionery
and pool hall to Michael Bibby and
Ray Beesley, both of Grass Valley,
taking charge at once.

A deal has just been closed in
which Theo. C. von Borstel purchased
the section of land lying south of the
Arthur Holt home ranch and former-
ly owned and farmed by Arthur Holt.

Goldendale basketball players will
be on deck to clean up the town team.
This all happens next Saturday night.
It takes a crowd to make a peppy
game as well as good players, be
there.

After having made a considerable
stay at Reedsport, Oregon, we find
Charlie Olds back with us once more
with the information that Reedsport
is a very fine town, "but" the mill
shut down, hence no work.

Grass Valley showed a big attend-
ance at the Kent old time dance
last Friday night. Due to fog some
of them, so we understand, left the
road for nearby fields, of course this
all occurred going to the dance, and
not coming back.

The hotel here was closed for a
few days this week, due to the fact
that Mr. Runyon had decided to quit,
but after a meeting on the part of
those most vitally interested it was
decided to reopen it and is now in
charge of J. H. Wilt & Co.

Art Bibby had everything lined up
to hold a smoker here on February
12th, including the printing of
tickets and posters, hiring the hall,
and also the fighters, but it seems he
overlooked some small items, such as
a boxing commission and a medical
examiner, so the district attorney
stood pat on the law. "Answer," No
Fight.

Harry S. Thienes, 25, of Deer Horn,
who was accidentally shot by his
brother, Earl, while the two were out
on a trap line, died at the Pacific
Christian hospital in Eugene.

With four cases of smallpox at Can-
by, one a new case, Dr. Frank Wallace,
Clackamas county health physician,
vaccinated 240 boys and girls at the
high school and grammar school of
that city.

C. McC. Johnson, spruce lumber mill
operator of Reedsport, announced that
he had purchased the Wade spruce
tract of timber at the mouth of Smith
river. The tract has 50,000,000 feet of
spruce and fir.

More than 200 out of 2000 real estate
operators in Oregon were penalized
\$2.50 each for not obtaining their 1926
licenses before January 10 it was an-
nounced by Will Moore, state real es-
tate commissioner.

Abolition of the state parole board,
or a rigid restriction by law of its
functions and powers, was recommend-
ed in resolutions adopted by the Dis-
trict Attorneys' association of Oregon
at the annual meeting in Portland.

A Southern Pacific rail-laying crew
putting down 90-pound steel rails be-
tween Natron and Springfield on the
Eugene-Klamath Falls line has reach-
ed a point about a mile east of Spring-
field, having started the work at Na-
tron.

Automobile owners of the state will
be assessed another tax of 1 cent a
gallon on gasoline, for country road
purposes, if legislation proposed at
the annual meeting of the state county
judges and commissioners' association
in Portland becomes effective.

The Fidelity & Deposit company of
Maryland and the Hartford Accident
& Indemnity company, a corporation,
are preferred claimants in the liquida-
tion of the State Bank of Portland, de-
funct, according to two opinions hand-
ed down by the state supreme court.

Highway construction in Oregon this
year will not be as extensive as it
has been in the past decade, owing to
the decreasing funds. There is much
work under contract, but for new pro-
jects the highway commission is limit-
ed financially and intends proceeding
cautiously, using available funds
where the best results can be obtain-
ed.

Two contracts, the last needed to
complete The Dalles-California high-
way from end to end, were ordered
advertised for the February 25 meet-
ing by the state highway commission.
These jobs consist of surfacing the
ten-mile section between Bend and
Lava Butte and surfacing the ap-
proaches to the Crooked river bridge,
the latter structure being now in pro-
cess of being built.

Items of General News Concerning Wasco

Allen Pratt spent the week-end at
Dr. Butler's office at Wasco.

Chester Watkins, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Bert Watkins, has scarlet fever.

Mrs. Chester Smith of DeMoss is
still confined to her home, but is now
able to rest easier.

took in the "Gold Rush" at The
Dalles Sunday evening.

Andy Sandvig and Roy McPherson
An additional class of initiates is
being prepared for admission to the
local circle of the Neighbors of Wood-
craft.

Bill Scott of Wasco arrived home
safely Tuesday from Walla Walla in
an air plane, recently purchased. The
trip was made in a little over an hour.

The five months old baby of R. S.
MacNab has the chicken pox. Other
children in the family previously had
it in such a light form that it was un-
recognized.

Francis Wade and wife, accom-
panied by Clarence Anderson motor-
ed to Portland Friday morning. Mr.

Wade attended a conference of district attorneys of Oregon in ses- sion at Portland.

Mabel, second daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. J. R. Cothran, of Gorman school
vicinity, was taken to the Hamilton
hospital for operative treatment for
chronic appendicitis, Monday.

Dr. W. N. Morse of The Dalles
with Mrs. Morse, visited in Portland
over last week-end. Dr. Morse ex-
pected to get data on a modern blood
transfusion apparatus while in the
city.

A daughter of Mrs. P. Knapp, re-
cently arrived from Spokane, was
taken to the Hamilton hospital Sun-
day where surgical treatment was
rendered for abdominal complica-
tion.

Harry Beesley has sold his inter-
ests in the movie picture show busi-
ness at Moro, Grass Valley and
Wasco to Christianson brothers, lo-
cated at Shaniko, and who are now
operating the movie theatres at
Antelope, Shaniko, Maupin and Tygh
Valley. The new owners will take
over the operation of the local
theatres February 1st.

News Items From Kent And Near Vicinity

Jack Kelly spent the week-end at
Shaniko.

The children of E. M. Helyer has
the scarlet fever.

Joseph McLaughlin was a week-end
visitor in Portland.

Mrs. M. L. Frits of Grass Valley is
visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. L. W. Amick was called to
Walla Walla recently because of the
serious illness of her brother.

Jacob Crocker and wife and Mr.
and Mrs. J. L. Davis were business
visitors in The Dalles last Friday.

Mrs. Decker who has been reported
as being very ill, is much better at
present.

Walter Nichodemus has returned
again after spending the winter in
Portland.

Mrs. L. M. Schadevits and daugh-
ter are visiting at the Earnest Barnet
home at Clem, Oregon.

Rev. Cofer of Grass Valley
preached here Sunday afternoon. It
is understood that he will be here

next Sunday at 3 p. m. Everybody is
invited to come.

J. C. McKean of Moro was here
Tuesday afternoon on business.

NEWSPAPER IS BEST ADVER- TISING MEDIUM

Those who wish to sell goods are
learning that the most efficient
method is through advertising, and
particularly newspaper advertising,
which doubled during the past year,
declared James O'Shaughnessy of
New York, executive secretary of the
American Association of Advertising
Agencies who addressed advertising
men, publishers and newspaper men
at a dinner last week, in the Hotel
Benson at Portland, given by the as-
sociation.

This year the association will han-
dle \$300,000,000 in national adver-
tising, the speaker stated. Magazine
advertising, said O'Shaughnessy, re-
mained about stationary, while news-
paper advertising was increased 100
per cent. He said that as the value
of space for selling purposes increas-
ed, so would advertising increase.

Read them Again!

Touring Car	-	-	-	-	\$795
Roadster	-	-	-	-	795
Type-B Sedan	-	-	-	-	895
Special Type-A Sedan	-	-	-	-	1075
Coupe	-	-	-	-	845
Panel Commercial Car	-	-	-	-	885
Screen Commercial Car	-	-	-	-	810
Chassis	-	-	-	-	655

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promise in the purchase of a motor car.

They mean that henceforth no one need be forced by
economy to invest in less than Dodge Brothers quality.

They mean that a car world-renowned for its long
life and dependability is now well within reach of
every income.

They are made possible by a \$10,000,000 expansion
program, vastly increasing production, and introduc-
ing the latest and most advanced efficiency pro-
cesses into motor car manufacture.

They apply to the finest line of motor cars Dodge
Brothers have ever produced—

Graeful and stylish new body lines. Rich and
attractive new colors.

Absolute smoothness of engine operation—with new
snap, power and silence.

Perfect steel body construction, affording, among
other things, complete vision from every angle,
greater safety, greater beauty and longer car life.

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