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No Slump For Industry Now

Babson Says Business Has Absorbed War Shock Well

Harrisburg, Pa., June 14.—Despite the violent news from Europe, American business has held its ground over the past month. A sensational surge in steel and other heavy industries has cancelled out losses in textiles, building, foreign trade, and automobile sales. Business has also absorbed violent shocks in security and commodity prices without throwing the upward trend (which started in mid-April) to reverse.

This is a remarkable situation. Ordinarily when the stock market is hit with a 30 per cent shakeout over a four-day period, it is a sure sign of a business slump as is a rapidly falling barometer of a storm. Added to the panic in the security markets is the drastic break in farm product prices. Wheat, for instance, is off twenty cents a bushel. Naturally, this sharp drop in rural areas. Sales are already off 10 to 20 per cent in such territories as Kansas City, Dallas, and Minneapolis.

Textiles and Building Off
Textile mills have felt the shock, too. Their schedules dipped 10 to 15 per cent as raw cotton prices were slashed two cents a pound. An incessant barrage of war news, twenty-four hours a day, does not help real estate salesmen close their deals. Consequently, the gains in home building, which were running along smoothly up to May 1, are now being cut down. Latest figures for the country, nevertheless, show 1940 is still topping the level of a year ago. The slowing down in building is re-

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Rohrbach-Thompson Wedding Performed by Rev. E. E. Coulter Sunday

Miss Rose Thompson and Leonard Rohrbach son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrbach of Cooper Mountain, were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rose Thompson, at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, June 9th. Mr. E. E. Coulter, minister of Church of Christ, performed the ceremony. Fourteen members of the immediate families were present. Kathi Thompson, sister, was attendant. Willard Rohrbach best man.

The bride was lovely in a white shadow print organza, with a finger tip veil and wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a white nosegay of larkspur, bouvardia, and rosebuds. Her sister, Miss Kathi Thompson, who was her attendant, wore a blue net and carried a matching nosegay of pink flowers. Willard Rohrbach was his brother's best man.

The couple left for a short honeymoon at the beach. Mr. Rohrbach is employed at the Jolly Joan in Portland.

Beaverton Folks Attend Oregon State Graduation

Among the 793 students receiving degrees Monday at the latest graduation exercises in the history of Oregon State college were Harold Scott Huff school of education, John William Manna school of forestry, and Harold John Peterson, school of engineering, all of Beaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnes and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, Mrs. M. H. Metcalfe and son Ernest, and Mrs. J. E. Fleetwood, attended the Baccalaureate service in Corvallis and remained for the commencement exercises Monday. John Barnes and Barbara Jane Fields sang with Paul Petrie's chorus during the graduation exercises.

McKay School Alumni Association Picnic

The McKay School Alumni association will hold their twenty-fourth annual reunion and picnic on the school grounds, on the Scholls Ferry Road, one-half mile south of Whitford Station, Sunday June 16th.

Picnic lunch will be served at noon, each bringing his own basket. Coffee and cream will be furnished.

William H. Kehrl 3637 SW Canby St., Multnomah, Oregon, is president of the association and C. M. McKay, 208 Bancroft Avenue, Portland Oregon, has been secretary continuously since the beginning of the association.

The first school taught in this district was in 1954; some of the pupils are still living and are members of this association today. All who have attended this pioneer school and their friends have been invited to bring their lunch baskets and spend the day. Following the lunch a short business meeting will be held, at which officers will be elected for the coming year, this is to be followed by a program.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement and for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Desinger and family

Eastern Star Session Officials



Mrs. Dora E. Stipe, Co-Valliant, worthy patron of Eastern Star in Oregon, June 10 to 13, inclusive, at the Masonic temple.



Ben H. Nichols, worthy grand patron of Eastern Star in Oregon, June 10 to 13, inclusive, at the Masonic temple.

Courtesy Oregonian

A Tribute to Real Community Service

Your Community Service Page this opportunity to give Front Page tribute to a Beaverton institution that is an outstanding example of community service; constructive, far-seeing vision; ever enthusiastic and confident of Beaverton's and its trading territory's past, present and future importance, growth and prosperity. It pays tribute to a live institution whose every act since its inception was to make friends and serve them. Beaverton and its trading areas may well be proud of such a solid, progressive Financial Institution as that of the First Security Bank of Beaverton on the occasion of celebrating their sixth anniversary today. It's merchants join in this acknowledgement. A community progresses or lags behind, just in proportion to the Every Day Community Spirit of its merchants and all its citizens. The Beaverton Enterprise has every desire to do its part in Community Service. Just in proportion to the merchant support of this Newspaper, through their advertising service to its readers;—can our Service to the Community be effective. This Newspaper IS receiving that Merchant Support. You can do your part by patronizing it's Advertisers.

Cub Scouts Participate In Pet Show Tuesday

The Cub Scouts held a Pet Show at their Pack meeting on Tuesday evening on the lawn at the Paxson home. All the boys brought their pets which were labelled in a judicious way. Each exhibitor was given a dime, later to be used as visitors were treated to ice cream bars, about fifty were present. Following were most out standing exhibits: Gordon Kemmer—Tazzan, a very small turtle. Vorus Pulver—Black dog dressed in blue shirt. Elwin Paxson—Black dog and cat named Duke and Duchess. Sammy McKiel—America First, start with a banty on a wagon in a cage. Freddy Statter—2 black banties, little white puppy. Bud Weik—Chubby, a very small pup in a slatted cage. Don Easton—Hitler the cat, a black cat with a mustache. Mike McCloskey—Pete, from Moshogah, Eats Em Alive, a write rooster.

Beaverton School Dist. Annual Meeting Monday

The annual meeting of school district No. 48 will be held Monday evening, June 17, at 8 o'clock in the Beaverton high school. The budget for the fiscal year starting June 17, 1940, and ending June 17, 1941, will be discussed. Other business to be transacted will be the vote on the proposition of levying a district tax, and to authorize sale of Loan Warrants for \$5000.00 in accordance with 35-1104 Oregon School Law. The proposed levy for the year is \$22,729.68, as against last years levy of \$22,065.19.

PUD Opposition File Campaign Cost \$3,932.27

Portland General Electric company spent \$3,932.27 in the campaign against the formation of Washington county utility district at the May primary. Cost sheets of the proponents of the measure totals \$309.95 while O. B. Gates of Hillsboro declares \$55.31 spent from his personal funds in defeating the measure, according to cost bills filed this week with County Clerk W. A. Tupper.

County Fair Boards Receive State Funds

Apportionment of \$44,954.60, representing the one-twentieth of a mill tax for the maintenance of county fairs, was announced by Secretary of State Earl Snell Saturday.

Multnomah, with \$15,473.72, received the largest share of the apportionment. Washington county received \$1350.70.

Transient Admits Slaying at Banks

"Jungle" Bedford E. Story, 27, in a slaying at Banks Sunday afternoon following a drunken quarrel, was admitted Tuesday night to the Oregon State Penitentiary. Espirion M. Ortiz, 18, a Mexican transient, who had been questioned following the finding of blood stains about the cuffs of his trousers.

Ortiz in his confession to State Officer Hadfield and Deputy Sheriff Busch, stated that Story said something he did not remember and he got mad and jabbed him in the right side of his neck with a knife; he then left the shack and returning later to find the man lying on his left side saying that "I do not want to die here" so I said to myself "I'll put him out of his misery." I took the knife and stabbed him several times in the neck and chest. After I stabbed the man, I attempted to stab the man who was lying in the middle of the floor, took one slash and dropped the knife in his hands, and then went outside and passed out.

The confession cleared George B. Masters, a second transient, who had been questioned in the case having been found asleep a few feet from the body holding a bent blood-stained knife in his hand and a slash wound about the head.

James Gorman, another transient, who was also found asleep near the body and Masters are being held subject to charges, according to officers.

Graduate to Wed Palo Alto Man

Announced in Palo Alto and Portland is the engagement of Miss Alda Ruth Lehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lehman of Beaverton to Mr. Don Barnard Walster of Palo Alto, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Walster.

The bride-elect attended St. Helens Hall junior college and is being graduated from Stanford university next weekend. Mr. Walster attended the University of Southern California, where he was a member of Sigma Chi.

The betrothal news was told last Sunday at the senior breakfast on Stanford campus. In the afternoon the prospective bridegroom's parents entertained with a party at their home in honor of the engaged couple.

Plans are being made for an early autumn wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Lehman are planning to leave the first of the week for the South to attend their daughter's graduation.

PAGE FROM A DOCTOR'S NOTE BOOK

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Flint of Scholls have a baby girl born June 6, at the Wilcox hospital.

Joe Keller is ill and under the doctor's care.

Arnold Wyman route 2, Beaverton, is quite ill and confined to his bed.

Frank William Mayer of Portland and two young friends while driving near Bethany, ran into a field to avoid colliding with another car.

Their car overturned into the creek, no one was seriously hurt. Jerry Hidy, son of Chas. Hidy, formerly of Beaverton, but now living at Newberg, was seriously hurt in an auto accident. They treated him for head injuries, later found an appendix operation needed, which developed into peritonitis two weeks later. He is somewhat improved, and his mother, who was injured at same time, are still in the hospital.

A Correction

Mrs. R. B. Day who lives near St. Marys, was not responsible for the accident involving Ellis Jersey on June 1st.

Her only connection with the accident was that, while in her home she heard the crash and went out and helped the injured young man into a car and took him to the doctor.

Eastern Star End 51st Session

Dora E. Stipe Retiring Worthy Grand Matron Resident of Beaverton

The fifty-first annual grand session of Eastern Star in Oregon, known as the "Rose" session met from June 10th to 13th inclusive at the Masonic Temple in Portland with Mrs. Dora E. Stipe of Beaverton, worthy grand matron, and Ben H. Nichols of Corvallis, worthy grand patron, presiding.

Honored guests were Mrs. Anna Winston Smalley of Roundup, Mont., most worthy grand matron of the world; Mrs. Jessie Belton Hedges, worthy grand matron of Washington, and Frank W. Leach, worthy grand patron of Washington.

The grand session was opened with a banquet Monday night at the Masonic Temple for grand officers and delegates. Among the featured artists who entertained were Miss La Ray Martyn, queen of Bethel No. 20 Job's Daughters, accompanied by Mrs. Velma Rutan and Miss Anita Pienovi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pienovi, Miss Eva Beeler of Beaverton was her accompanist.

On Tuesday morning the meeting was officially opened by Mrs. Pauline Moore Riley, past grand matron and mother of Beaver chapter, and Charles H. McGirr, past grand patron.

The processional of grand officers and guests was heralded by Duane Cushman, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cushman of Beaverton, and Virginia Talbert, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Talbert of Beaverton. The courtesy girls and guides of Beaver chapter acted as escorts.

Mrs. Stipe bespoke the official greeting to delegates and visitors. During her year in office, Mrs. Stipe reported, she has made 146 official and 26 unofficial visits to chapters and one hundred calls to shut-in members. Mrs. Stipe stressed Americanism and the proper salute of the flag at all her official visits this year. Other topics of Mrs. Stipe's address to the members were concerning special parts of the ritualistic work and plans for grand chapter. The chapters she has visited all have made elaborate plans for her entertainment.

Among the fourteen pages selected were a number of former Beaverton girls including Dorothy Huntley Moore of Moro; Gladys Sheehyberger of Effenberg of Tillamook; Rhoda Sheehyberger Harnden of Klamath Falls; Frances Benjamin Utecht of Forest Grove; Carpa Peterson Campbell of Waldme; Eloise Barker Johnston of Estacada; Imogene Hocken Deremiah of Corvallis; Janet Huntley George and Erma Nelson Hanna, both of Portland.

Wednesday evening members of Beaver chapter exemplified the halting and initiatory degree. Beaver chapter star points, courtesy guides, and courtesy girls, conferred a beautiful robes degree on Mrs. Stipe, presenting her with a lovely bouquet of roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eliander, worthy matron and worthy patron of Beaver chapter, were members of the worthy chapter and worthy patron drill team from Portland and vicinity who performed a beautiful and heart of Rose drill and they presented Mrs. Stipe a gift and a beautiful bouquet of roses.

Among the soloists Wednesday evening was Tommy Thompson, past patron of Multnomah who sang Beautiful Dreamer and A Little Bit of Heaven accompanied by Bernice Person.

On Thursday night the associate matrons and associate patrons of Portland and vicinity honored Mrs. Hallie Huntington, Mrs. Minnie Schoene and E. P. Hedburg of Beaverton were members of the degree team.

A number of Beaverton Eastern Star members attended sessions of the grand chapter. Official delegates were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eliander, Mrs. F. H. Schoene, and Mrs. E. P. Hedburg.

Charles Tmaly, accompanied by his daughter and son left last week for San Francisco fair and other California points of interest.

Flag Day This Year to Have Two Meanings

Flag Day June 14, also has been designated as Citizenship Recognition day this year, Governor Charles A. Sprague said in a statement issued at Salem recently.

The governor's statement: "June 14, Flag Day, also has been selected as Citizenship Recognition day, when youths who have become 21 during the year previous are honored. I, therefore, call to public attention the dual patriotic significance of June 14:

"As Flag Day, when the national emblem should be appropriately displayed at schools, public buildings, commercial establishments and private homes;

"As Citizenship Recognition day, when by suitable public ceremony in the several communities, youth just passed 21 may be truly initiated into the rights and responsibilities of mature citizenship."

Community News Flashes

The Kiwanis club of Portland entertained the queen and her court with a dinner in the Masonic Temple, at which time Jack Godfrey, governor of this district was knighted by the Queen of Rosaria. Eleven members of the Beaverton Kiwanis attended.

Mrs. H. C. Miller and Miss Lou Coyner attended the Philharmonic Orchestra in Portland Tuesday evening.

Miss Inez Miller's hand, which was severely burned with steam is healing nicely.

Mrs. D. C. Tallman, who broke her arm early this spring, is very much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gibson returned Monday from a trip to Pullman, visiting their son Jay, Jr. He is employed at the First National Bank in Craigmont, Idaho, doing extra work during the vacation season.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Adams are the proud parents of a baby daughter born June 11 at St. Vincent's hospital.

Mrs. Florence Johnson, who is spending the summer at Forest Grove visited over the week end with her daughter Mrs. L. L. Meyers.

H. H. Cochran is vacationing at Seaview with friends.

Dr. Ralph Shadduck of Portland has purchased the Hadley house on Allen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Long are in Redding, California, visiting his sister for a week.

Mrs. Chas. Culley of Beaverton, visited friends in Beaverton Wednesday.

Mrs. R. M. Gillingham of Portland had lunch with Mrs. Walter Cavanaugh on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Berger left on Wednesday for a few days visit with his parents at Bonneville.

The Past Noble Grand club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Jay Frost of Aloha. Mrs. Nettie McElroy was joint hostess.

Mrs. H. A. Alexander fell on the stairway at her home Friday and broke her hip. It was a severe break and required an operation, which was performed Tuesday morning. She is doing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Alexander is at the Portland Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Harris have leased their house to Mrs. Bixby and moved to West Slope.

Mrs. J. B. Jacobsen of Corvallis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ocean and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Grenlee of Portland, visited Sunday afternoon at the Cavanaugh home.

Erwin Nelson, Loris Bixby, Bud Brindall and Glen Jones were deep sea fishing at Depoe Bay Sunday. They brought home a nice bunch of fish including two large salmon.

A great many persons from here went to Portland Friday for the Rose Festival parade, which was beautiful. Beaverton High School band made a fine showing but it could have been followed by a Beaverton float to conform with the most of the entries from surrounding towns.

Mrs. Netta Daly is attending the State Convention of the National Association of Postmasters at Corvallis Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren McMinimce and baby daughter of Tillamook, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Brown for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Pentz is visiting her sister Mrs. Clyde Lowe in Oak Point, Wash. She will return home Thursday.

Leonard L. Sabin was among enlistments in the U. S. Navy reported Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Malm celebrated their silver wedding anniversary recently.