

**OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST**

**Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers.**

Ideal weather and a huge crowd greeted the annual strawberry carnival held in Roseburg last week.

Haines' 10th annual stampede is the next big event in eastern Oregon, the dates for the show being June 1 and 2.

Approximately 400 members of the Lions' club attended the state convention held in Salem last Friday and Saturday.

A class of 72 was graduated from Baker high school last week. H. M. Broadbent, superintendent of schools, presented the diplomas.

The mill levy for the Jackson county fair carried by 1937, although the vote was adverse in the towns of Ashland, Jacksonville and Eagle Point.

The I. O. O. F. grand lodge, which concluded its state convention in Roseburg last week, selected Medford as the site of next year's assembly.

The agricultural department bill carries an item of \$10,000 annually for the crop rotation work in Umatilla county, according to word received from Senator McNary.

The five district high schools of Walla Walla county this year will graduate 42 boys and 43 girls, the largest number of graduates in the high school history of the county.

Eugene's first annual spring flower show was held last week. The exhibition was sponsored by the Eugene Garden club and several hundred exhibitors competed for prizes.

The Eastern Oregon Developing company, holding company of the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company, is planning the erection in La Grande of a \$12,000 brick sub-station.

Walter Ott, 16, son of the president of the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau, has been declared winner of the Union Pacific scholarship for boys' and girls' club work in Umatilla county.

Rainbow trout eggs to the number of 5,000,000 have been taken at Diamond lake during the past two weeks, and 3,000,000 more are in sight, according to Superintendent Matt Ryckman.

Corn planted near Dayton last week is up and has a good healthy color. All other growing crops are thriving. Strawberries are ripening and being marketed now. They are large and well developed.

The Rogue river valley entrance to Crater Lake park is open to within three miles of Anna Spring camp. It is expected to have the entire highway cleared of snow to the rim of the lake by June 22.

Baker's city commission has approved on first reading an ordinance taxing the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company 25 cents per month for each of its poles on a street or alley in the city.

The fishing boat Wolverine, reported missing from Coos bay for two weeks and thought to have been lost, has arrived at Newport with the first catch of halibut that has reached that port this season.

Mrs. Alma Carpenter, an experienced trained nurse, will open a hospital in Condon. She has purchased the Fitzmaurice place on Main street and will have the place fully equipped for use as a hospital.

Jay C. Richards, 9, son of Clarence Richards of Cove, died last week from a gunshot wound received while hunting ground squirrels. His older brother fired the fatal shot but did not know that Jay was near him.

Linn county is having its first experience with oiled roads, four miles of the Linn county market road between Jefferson and Seto, in addition to sections of the Mills City-Lyons road, being oiled last week.

More than 500 persons attended the annual Marion county Jersey show held at the state fair grounds in Salem. There were approximately 75 entries, with Professor Knott of Washington State college acting as judge.

Stage service to Reedsport, two busses each way a day, starting June 15, was announced by Gorst & King, operators of intercity bus lines in North Bend, Marshfield, Englewood and Charleston. The Coast Auto lines will put on stages from Coos Bay to connect with the Reedsport-Drain line in early summer.

The Joseph H. Albert prize, given annually to the Salem high school senior adjudged to have made the greatest advancement during the year in character, service and wholesome influence, was awarded this year to Hayes Beall.

With 37 county breeders exhibiting stock and with entries of higher quality than ever before, the fourth annual spring Jersey cattle show of the Linn County Jersey club was held in Albany last week. One hundred Jersey cows were entered.

**CEMENT IN EAST PIER OF NEW BRIDGE TO BE POURED THIS FRIDAY**

Half of the cement for the number one pier of the bridge under construction here will be poured Friday morning. It was announced today by O. Lindstrom of the Portland contracting firm who is in personal supervision of the job.

With work going full blast and a large crew of men busy, much progress has been made since the contractors broke the first soil here a little more than a month ago.

Pier number one is on the east bank of the river and is one of the four big piers which will support the superstructure of steel and concrete which is to span the river.

In the meantime workmen are rushing to get the forms completed for the other main piers and the smaller supports which will be foundation for the approaches.

Mr. Lindstrom estimates that the concrete work will all be completed and that steel work will begin about July 15. With no difficulties the whole bridge will be completed before Christmas he believes.

Pumps are being kept busy to empty the holes where the cement foundations will be poured. The contractors are not experiencing as much difficulty with the river as they had expected, Mr. Lindstrom said.

**BROTHERHOOD TO HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC IN JUNE**

Annual picnic of the Methodist Brotherhood will be held some time in June, it was announced this morning. Plans for the big outdoor event are yet to be completed. A committee will be named to make all necessary arrangements.

The picnic will be the final meeting of the organization until next fall. Last year Eugene and Cottage Grove brotherhoods were invited to participate in the picnic which was held at Swimmers' Delight park.

**RUTH MCINTYRE HONOR GUEST AT SHOWER PARTY**

Honoring Miss Ruth McIntyre whose marriage to John Halsey will occur this month, a miscellaneous shower party was held at the home of Mrs. T. F. Bennett this week. Mrs. F. O. Bennett was joint hostess.

Those present were Miss Beth Johns, Miss Hattie Trinka, Mrs. Arnie Nelson, Mrs. Stillman George, Mrs. R. M. Day, Mrs. Gladys Collins, Mrs. J. H. Griffith, Mrs. M. Anderson, Mrs. I. D. Larimer, Mrs. I. M. Peterson, Miss Sybil Carney, Miss Melba Mellon, Miss Dorene Larimer, Miss Edith Eaton, Miss Lucille Richmond, Miss Ruth Bettis, the two hostesses and the guest of honor.

**REBEKAH LODGE HEARS REPORT ON BIG MEET**

Reports on the recent grand lodge session in Roseburg were made at a meeting of the Springfield Rebekah lodge Monday evening at which officers for the ensuing half-year were elected.

Mrs. Stella Findley was elected noble grand of the local lodge. Other officers named were: Carrie Jarrett, vice-grand; Genevieve Loux, recording secretary; Alice Lorah, treasurer.

**PETERSONS WILL LEAVE JUNE 10 FOR TRIP EAST**

Leaving about June 10, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peterson expect to take an extended trip to the east this summer. They will be gone more than a month.

According to the present plans they will go by train over the central route, by way of San Francisco, Salt Lake City, St. Louis and make their first stop in Charleston, South Carolina. They will then go to Washington, D. C., for a brief visit and then to Tennessee where they will visit Mr. Peterson's mother in Knoxville.

They will return over the northern route, stopping in Yellowstone National park. Mr. Peterson, who is city recorder and city attorney has been granted leave of absence by the city council.

A meeting of the Tualatin Valley Growers' association was held last week in Beaverton, at which it was decided not to attempt to barrel berries locally this year, as it was so late before arrangements could be made. Growers will perfect a stronger organization next year earlier in the season and plan to barrel berries in Beaverton.

Lariat artists have a new sport at Klamath Falls, following the example set by Joseph S. Kirk, who at Klamath lake lassoed a pelican. The big bird was drawn to shore. From the captive's beak were disgorged a number of fish. Seagulls swooped down to snatch from the water fish the pelican dropped.

The pelican was released and charged back into the lake, where he recovered a part of his meal.

**TOWN AND VICINITY**

**Louks in Creswell**—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Louk went to Creswell Sunday to visit with his parents.

**Spend Week-end at Beach**—Mr. and Mrs. C. McPherson spent the last week-end at Newport.

**Visit in Salem**—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baker of Wendling and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adrian spent Sunday at Salem.

**Visit Relatives**—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pengra and children spent the past week-end visiting friends and relatives in Handover.

**Portland Visitor Here**—Mrs. Lulu Lester of Portland was a week-end guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary C. Magill.

**Natron People Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Vern Stewart, former residents of this city, were visitors here from Natron last week-end.

**Here from Monmouth**—Miss Ida Cox, who is attending the state normal school at Monmouth, spent the week-end here visiting with friends and relatives.

**Al Perkins Stops**—Al Perkins of Portland, former resident of Springfield, stopped here Sunday enroute to Bend on a business trip.

**Visit in Corvallis**—Mrs. Kathryn Duncan, and son, Harlan, Miss Doris Braat and Miss Clara Wagner spent the week-end visiting relatives at Corvallis.

**Daughter is Born**—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gosler, motor, route B, are the parents of an eight-pound daughter born Sunday morning at the Pacific Christian hospital.

**Former Residents Back**—Mr. and Mrs. Ike Webb and children moved here Saturday from Cottage Grove. They were formerly residents of this city. They will reside in a residence at the corner of Eighth and E streets.

**Leave for California**—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Goddard and children left last week-end for Los Angeles, California, for a trip of a month. They will also visit in Mexico before returning to their home here.

**Goes to Colorado**—Mrs. Walter Lipps left Sunday morning for Mount Rise, Colorado, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armitage. Her eight sisters and her grandmother will be there for the family reunion.

**Goslers Go Fishing**—Walter, Kenneth and Lawrence Gosler went on a fishing expedition last Sunday. They put in their boat at Deerhorn on the McKenzie river and fished down to Myers Park without much success, they reported.

**Here From Washington**—Louis Jordan arrived from Toppenish, Washington, yesterday for a few days visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. E. Pyne. He came by way of Redmond over the McKenzie pass. His mother, Mrs. Nellie Jordan, will return home with his for a visit.

**Guardmen are Here**—Captain Vincent Diaz of Salem and Sergeant Leo Vaughn, instructor station at Eugene, paid an official visit to Headquarters company, Springfield unit of the Oregon National Guard last Thursday evening. The newly appointed major of the 162nd was scheduled to visit, but other business kept him away.

**Creswell People Here**—Mrs. Leon Jennett and daughter of Creswell were visitors here Tuesday.

**Goes to Portland**—Roy Smith went to Portland Tuesday for a few days business trip.

**Rebhans Have Visitors**—Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Windon and children of Seattle are visitors at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Rebhan this week.

**Mother is Visitor**—Mrs. S. S. Hunt of Oakland, California, mother of Mrs. J. E. Lindsey, is a visitor here for the next ten days.

**Son is Born**—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Roberts of Eugene at their home Sunday morning. They are well known here.

**Here for Summer**—Claudia June Moore arrived here Tuesday from Bandon to spend the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. John Burriss and her aunt, Mrs. Merle Casteel.

**Leave for Coast**—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith and children left Tuesday for Garibaldi, near Tillamook, to visit with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Henry Castan.

**Eugene Man Hurt**—Burl Arthurs, an employe of the Eugene Water board on the construction work at Leaburg, was treated for an injury here Monday afternoon. He fell while at work and a sharp rock entered his hand, causing a severe cut.

**Here from Sisters**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Korf of Sisters were here with friends Wednesday.

**Bushmans Have Guests**—Miss Crisale Burlingame of Astoria was a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bushman in Eugene this week. She is a sister of Mrs. Bushman.

**Returns to Portland**—Mrs. Roy White returned to her home in Portland Monday after spending several days here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lambert.

**Tacoma People Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Bill) Girard of Tacoma are here visiting relatives. Mr. Girard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Girard of this city and Mrs. Girard is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lindsey.

**Flanerys are Hosts**—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell and daughter, Aladine of Amity and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thornton of Dallas visited over the past week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Flanery.

**Jasper Merchant Here**—C. R. Kranklin of Jasper was a business visitor here today.

**Albany Folk Visit**—Mr. and Mrs. William Darling and daughter, of Albany, former residents of this city, were visitors here Memorial day. Mr. Darling was manager of the Mountain State Power company office while residing here.



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