

Local Happenings

The R. B. Ferguson, J. G. Barratt and Joseph Belanger families and Mrs. R. M. Rice spent the Fourth at Wallowa lake.

Arthur W. Prialux, chairman of the republican state central committee, was in the city Monday, driving over from Freewater with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bean.

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Alvin Kleinfeldt and Mrs. F. S. Parker returned the first of the week from Turner where they attended the annual conference of the Church of Christ last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and Scott and Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Tibbles motored to Crawfish lake over the Fourth where the men enjoyed some fishing.

Mrs. Ida M. Dutton of Portland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wightman.

Want Ads

For Sale or Trade—White Hot-point range. Mrs. Walter Corley, Ione, Ore. 18-19p

For Sale or Rent on low terms: 280-A wheat and pasture farm; good house and barn; well water; pond and spring for irrigation; orchard; Juniper canyon. Barney McDevitt, Lexington. 18-21p

For Sale—8 milk cows. Sarah C. White, 3 1/2 miles north of Lexington. 18-21p

FOR SALE—One Case 14 ft. combine. See Hunt Bros., Lexington or J. O. Turner, Heppner.

For Sale—Use your bonus; income property, small town, pay for itself. Box 322, city.

To Rent—Small apt., private bath, furnished, July and August. Bonnie Cochran.

For Sale—110 grade black-faced ewes. Willard Fairness, Ione, Ore. 17p

Cream colored Palomina saddle stallion, wt. 1175; service at ranches any place in Morrow, Umatilla or Grant counties. Write Harold Mason, Lexington, or Joe Brosnan, Heppner.

For sale or trade—Harness, model T truck, trailers and auto parts. Max Schultz, Heppner. 17p

Maternity and convalescent cases cared for in my home. Mrs. J. B. Cason.

STATE CAPITAL NEWS

- Ballot Measures
Relief Shake-Up
More Candidates

SALEM, Or. — Nine measures will appear on the November ballot—one as a result of a referendum invoked against the old age pension act of the 1935 session and eight initiatives.

The legislative act on which the voters will be asked to pass judgment would have reduced the age minimum for old age pension recipients to 65 years. In addition it sought to divert \$1,000,000 of old age pension money to other relief needs.

Three of the initiated measures are sponsored by the State Grange with the State Federation of Labor joining in the sponsorship of two. One of these seeks to create a state owned bank to act as depository for all funds of the state and its numerous political subdivisions and to do a general banking business.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal R. Parker were visitors in the city Tuesday from Matteson lookout station where Mr. Parker holds a position as lookout for the present fire season. He had reported no fires so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Aiken of Medford and Cyrus Aiken of California were week end visitors in Heppner, the Aiken brothers visiting at the home of their mother, Mrs. Lillie Aiken, and Mrs. Aiken at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ada Cason.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Babb and Norton King motored to Portland Tuesday to spend a week while Mr. Babb does a job of carpentry there. Their new house on Court street is rapidly nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bogard of Portland visited over the Fourth at the Wightman farm home. Mrs. Bogard was formerly Miss Isabel Dutton.

Paul Hiler was in from the Butter creek farm Monday. His daughter was queen of the Ukiah rodeo the Fourth, where the family celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Kinne motored to Goldendale, Wash., to spend the Fourth with relatives and friends.

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ing measures, two measures striking at the Knox liquor control act, four measures dealing with the subject of taxation and licenses and three others.

With the resignation of Judd Greenman, chairman of the state relief committee, and the appointment of three new members to the committee the controversy over relief expenditures generated by Governor Martin's "crack down" on relief affairs seems to be at an end.

Present indications are that Oregon will collect more than \$10,000,000 in gasoline taxes during the current year. Collections for the first five months of 1936 total \$3,727,389 with the biggest motoring months still to come.

Two minor political parties will have served notice on Secretary of State Snell of their intention to enter the Oregon political arena.

The "Union" party of which William Lemke of Minneapolis is the national standard bearer, expects to put a full state ticket into the field. Peter Zimmerman of Yamhill county, former state senator and independent candidate for governor in 1934, heads the new party's state central committee.

Other members of the committee are practically unknown to Oregon politics. They include G. W. Thiesens of Milwaukie, J. Henry Jacobson of Hillsboro, Frank C. Fluke of Beaverton and Frank Saffield of Gervais.

Oregon Socialists have also announced their intention of getting behind Norman Thomas, their presidential candidate, in a big way this fall. A state convention will be held in Salem next Sunday to nominate candidates for state and federal offices on the Socialist ticket.

A committee from the state capitol commission, accompanied by competent engineers, will soon make a tour of the state for the purpose of inspecting deposits of marble, granite and stone to determine the availability of this material for use in the new state house.

The state land board distributed \$324,563.75 among the counties this week, representing the interest accumulations for the past year on

loans from the irreducible school fund. Allocated on the basis of 258,244 children on the school census rolls the amount represents \$125 per capita. Multnomah county with 78,981 children between the ages of four and twenty years received the lion's share of the fund, \$97,538.75. Marion county received the next largest amount, \$22,346.25. Allocations to other counties were: Baker \$6420, Benton \$6100, Clackamas \$17,773.75, Columbia \$7,246.25, Coos \$10,076.25, Curry \$1,481.25, Deschutes \$5,382.50, Gilliam \$1105, Hood River \$4,238.75, Jackson \$12,217.50, Josephine \$4,946.25, Lake \$1,660, Lane \$19,613.75, Lincoln \$4,202.50, Linn \$9,691.25, Morrow \$1,596.25, Polk \$8,513.75, Sherman \$782.50, Umatilla \$8,247.50, Union \$8,106.25, Wasco \$4,206.25, Washington \$11,746.25, Yamhill \$7,838.75.

Ninety-five percent of the veterans who were delinquent on their bonus loans are "showing a splendid spirit of cooperation" according to Jerrold Owen, secretary to the World War Veterans State Aid commission. Only five percent of the delinquent borrowers are not showing any disposition to pay up.

In this latter category are "a few individuals of prominence in veteran and civic affairs who feel they are persons of influence and that the commission does not take action against them."

A more adequate parole staff and a more liberal parole policy rather than more institutions is the answer to Oregon's penal problem in the opinion of W. L. Gosselin, private secretary to Governor Martin and member of the state parole board.

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The N. D. Bailey family motored to Newberg for the Fourth where they attended a large family reunion of the clan.

Frank C. Alfred, attorney, returned home Monday morning from a weeks' visit with his family at Salem.

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