

# Local News

Hanson Hughes expected to visit Richmond, Va., the first of the week on his journey to the east coast, according to word received by Mrs. Hughes. His itinerary starting ten days ago, included visits to both world fairs at San Francisco and New York, and a look-in on the national congress in session in Washington besides many other points of interest.

Judge C. L. Sweek arrived in the city Friday morning from his home at Pendleton to hold a short session of circuit court, appearing refreshed from his recent sojourn at the Seal Rocks beach cottage. He drove over by himself, leaving the family all well at home.

Word from Al Garrett, formerly with the local Braden-Bell store, tells of a major operation undergone by Mrs. Garrett in St. Mary's hospital at Walla Walla on September 2. Her progress is reported as satisfactory.

Lee Howell and Harold Hill enjoyed a fishing trip to Deschutes river and Celilo Sunday. At the latter place they let their salmon gear dangle into the the Columbia for four hours but the horde of jumping salmon all turned up their noses at it.

Dixon T. and Ted Smith were visitors in the city Monday from their wheat farming operations in the Ione section, wearing broad smiles over recent rains that have started the new wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hoffman of Sacramento, Cal., were overnight visitors Friday at the home of Mr. Hoffman's sister, Mrs. Hanson Hughes, being on their way home from Portland.

Taking in the state fair together is getting to be a habit with W. O. Dix and T. J. Humphreys, old-time cronies. They did it again this year, returning home the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gaily of Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rippee of Pilot Rock were week-end visitors at the home of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hiatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dower of Naches, Wash., arrived last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith and with the Smiths will take in the Round-Up tomorrow.

Dr. J. P. Stewart, Eye-Sight Specialist of Pendleton will be at the HEPPIER HOTEL on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Clark returned home Sunday from a three weeks visit at Cottage Grove at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Riggs.

### ATTEND CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells returned home Friday evening from Albany where they attended the state convention of county assessors. They left the Friday before, going south through Bend, Diamond and Crater lakes and the new Willamette pass to Eugene. Convention sessions were held on Tuesday and Wednesday last week, with banquet winding up the convention at the Albany hotel the last evening. Of special interest was Linn county's new courthouse, a magnificent structure, all bought and paid for, said Mr. Wells. Fishing at Diamond lake, Mrs. Wells caught two fish and Mr. Wells but one. His consolation came from the fact that his one fish was larger than both of Mrs. Wells' put together, said Tom.

### VISIT IN CANADA

Following attendance at the wedding of their son, Bernard, in Portland last Friday, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo took the train to Sardis, B. C., and visited at the home of Mrs. McMurdo's sister, Mrs. Harry Storey (nee Grace Hager). They reported little difficulty getting across the border, and found Canadians with whom they come in contact confident that Britain would win the war.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. Benton arrived the end of the week from their home at Marshfield and visited until yesterday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Jones. They departed yesterday for Pendleton to visit until the end of the week at the home of their son, Bud.

Miss Kathryn Parker arrived home Sunday from Joseph where she visited for some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dorris Mitchell. She expects to resume her work at Eastern Oregon College of Education, La Grande, with opening of the coming school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice E. Frye of San Francisco are visiting at the home of Mr. Frye's mother, Mrs. Olive Frye.

### Brenner-McMurdo Rites Held at Portland

Mr. Bernard Hager McMurdo of this city took Miss Laura Theodora Brenner of Portland as his bride in a beautiful single ring ceremony performed by Bishop William P. Remington of Pendleton, assisted by Rev. Thomas Ayers of Portland, at 8 o'clock last Friday evening at St. Michael's and All Angels church in the city. The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo, and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Theodore Brenner of Portland.

The bride was dressed in heavy white silk gown with long train and finger-tip veil, and carried a white bible with streamers of orchids. She was given in marriage by her father. Miss Margaret Bump of Portland was maid of honor, and Mr. Scott McMurdo, brother of the bridegroom was best man. Howard Cleveland of Heppner and Zan Sims of Milton were ushers.

The altar was adorned with white gladiolas and white asters, and ferns and palms were in place in the chancel.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ollson on Bennington Drive, with Mrs. Ollson receiving, and the young people departed soon afterward on a short wedding trip, following which they will be at home to their friends in Portland.

Guests included Dr. and Mrs. McMurdo, Miss Lulu Hager and Mrs. W. H. Cleveland of Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith of Corvallis, Mrs. Brenner the bride's grandmother from Glendale, Mrs. Mary McCraw of Woodburn, Mr. Troy McCraw of Portland, Misses Jeanette and Florence Sims of Milton, Miss Marjorie Sims of Heppner, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Fagan of Portland, and the bride's sisters, Mrs. Dan Roberts and Misses Dorothy and Alice Brenner.

Mrs. McMurdo is a graduate of Oregon State college, being graduated with scholastic honors, and Mr. McMurdo is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon at Oregon State where he was a former student. He is now a sophomore at North Pacific Dental college. During the summer Mr. McMurdo assisted at the local municipal swimming pool, being a member of the Hell Divers in Portland.

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### STORM BRINGS RAIN

A heavy wind and dust storm that visited Heppner Monday evening was accompanied by thunder and lightning, followed by a shower that brought .29 inch rainfall, reports Len L. Gilliam, official observer. Rainfall the week previous was recorded at .33, making a total of .62 for the month to date. A gentle rain is falling today. Five new fire starts were reported in the timber as the result of Monday's storm, with reports that a still heavier lightning display prevailed Tuesday night, reports F. F. Wehmeyer, local forest ranger. Tuesday's electric storm was probably one of the worst ever seen, but check on new fire starts had not been made at time of report. Rising humidity served to keep the starts in check.

### CARD OF THANKS

For the many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tribute at the time of passing of our beloved mother and sister, we extend our sincere thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal F. Knighten and family; Mr. and Mrs. Clair Ashbaugh and family; Mr. Roy Ashbaugh and family; Mrs. Golda Leathers; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glasscock.

Lum Gordon is spending the week here from Pendleton, visiting old-time friends and assisting local weather prognosticators of whom he was once dean.

### LOW RAIL FARES East



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### Forger Pleads Guilty; Sentenced

Pleading guilty to the charge of forgery for checks passed at Rodeo time, James T. Porter, alias Robert Evans, of Cleveland, Ohio, was sentenced to not more than four years in the state penitentiary by Judge C. L. Sweek in circuit court here Friday. He was taken to Salem Saturday by Sheriff C. J. D. Bauman to begin service.

Evans attempted to pass two checks with the signature of Hugh Currin, for whom he had been working on Butter creek. The first for \$10 was cashed by Elkhorn restaurant, and the second for \$72 was turned down at the local bank the same day leading to Evans' apprehension and plea of guilty.

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**Friday-Saturday**  
**SPORTING BLOOD**  
with Robert Young, Maureen O'Sullivan, Lewis Stone, William Gargan, Lynne Carver  
Action and romance in the land of the blue grass.

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**Man Who Talked Too Much**  
with George Brent, Virginia Bruce, Richard Barthelmess, Brenda Marshall  
He could talk an innocent man into the electric chair . . . he could talk a woman into anything! Exciting drama!

**Sunday-Monday**  
**DANCE, GIRL, DANCE**  
A brand new feature full of top-notch entertainment with Maureen O'Hara, Louis Hayward, Lucille Ball, Ralph Bellamy  
plus  
Disney's "PUT-PUT TROUBLE"

**Tuesday**  
**BARGAIN NIGHT: Adults, 20c each; Children, 2 for 10c**  
**GOLDEN GLOVES**  
with J. Carroll Naish, Richard Denning, Jean Cagney  
Romantic story against a background of the Golden Gloves amateur boxing championships.

**Wednesday, Sept. 18**  
**One Night Only !!!**  
**BROTHER ORCHID**  
with Edward G. Robinson, Ann Sothorn, Humphrey Bogart, Donald Crisp, Ralph Bellamy, Allan Jenkins  
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