

BARNEY OLDFIELD NAMED REFEREE OF MOTOR RACES

Barney Oldfield, famous veteran driver of the world is expected to arrive soon to act as official referee for the racing classic at the Jackson county fair grounds, Sunday, August 16th.

Eddie Hearne, 1923 champion of the speedway, will arrive in the city Friday morning. Hearne is said to be second to none in dirt track driving and last but not least the "fox of the speedway."

Frank Lockhart, driver for the world race car builder of Los Angeles, Harry Miller, will arrive Thursday or Friday and expects to set another world record.

In the last few months this chap has gone on record with the A. A. A. contest board, as being the world's greatest dirt track star racer, breaking all records of one mile at Beaverton, formerly held by Tommy Milton, R. DePalma and Eddie Hearne.

The local boys promise a great deal more speed than last season due to the keen rivalry of M. Owens, Clark Walker, Moose Mulhead and many other northwestern boys coming from Portland, Seattle, Spokane, with two others drivers coming from El Paso, Texas.

At the present time there is an effort being made to have the famous use of all American race, Captain Eddie Rickenbacker to be the official starter.

The captain will arrive in Portland today and may arrive in Medford Friday or Saturday, provided, however, that the National Automobile Racing Classic association secures his services.

NEW AUTO LIGHT TESTING STARTED

The state auto light testing stations in the city are open for business, but are specializing on Ford and Dodge cars, as approved lists of equipment for other cars are as yet not available.

OREGON AUTOMOBILES NEAR 200,000 MARK

SALEM, Aug. 11.—For the first time an Oregon automobile is carrying license number 200,000. The distinction of having the number fallen to C. W. Nelson of Bend. This, however, does not mean that the actual number of passenger automobiles has yet reached that number, since the numbers from 80,000 to 99,999 have been reserved for trucks.

WEDDING BELLS

On Saturday, August 8, Elmer O. Peters and Miss Helen Trask were united in marriage. Both young people are residents of this city, and expect to make their home here.

Rev. J. B. Coan was the officiating minister. Only members of the family were present, as they had planned a surprise for their many friends.

Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, the residence of the minister, Rev. J. B. Coan, was the scene of a happy wedding when Floyd E. McClure of Portland and Miss Mildred Stout formerly of San Jose were united in the solemn bonds of wedded life.

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LOCAL FIRES ARE ALL CONTROLLED, EXCEPT NIMNAHA

Of the 16 fires, which were caused by electrical storms last Saturday night in the Crater national forest, only one is still beyond control.

The blaze on Nimnaha creek in the national forest near Prospect, which is over 40 acres in area, has been quelled on three sides, but the fourth is very troublesome as the fire in that part is blazing in an old burn, where logs and brush in places are nearly three feet in depth.

The Moon Prairie fire on Greenspring mountain, 10 miles north of Pitehurst, was put under control last night, and at present only a few men are patrolling it. The 14 fires remaining are said to be practically out, and are causing local forest officials no worry.

State district fire warden, P. B. Lowd left early this morning for the Evans creek district, where it is reported a forest fire is blazing near Bybee Springs, and which, it is said, is now most serious of the state fires.

Either today or tomorrow Mr. Lowd expects to patrol the state timber land by airplane for signs of other fires, which may not have been reported by lookouts.

Local Briefs

Bob and Bill Head, two brothers of the Applegate country, were fined \$25 and \$50 respectively on their pleas of guilty to game law charges brought against them by state deputy game warden Pat Dalley.

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Palmer's Piano house branch store, which will be located in the store room in the Hotel Ashland, formerly occupied by the American Express company office, will open for business Tuesday morning, with C. H. Isaac, experienced piano man in charge. The new establishment will be operated in connection with the Palmer Piano House of Medford, an old established firm.—Ashland Tidings.

Nine fully guaranteed drophead machines on special sale only until Aug. 15th. Singer Co., 10 So. Fir. 124*

A real estate deal recently completed through the Thomas Realty company was the purchase of the J. E. Radcliffe property on South Newtown street by Rudy Singler, who is connected with the Associated Oil Company.

Screen doors at Wallace Woods Lumber Yard, cor. East Main and Genesee. 881*

Oregonians registered at local hotels which arrived yesterday include Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flynn and D. C. O'Connor of Lakeview; Miss Clara Wyre of Eugene; Miss Katharine Kester of Albany; E. G. Young and Miss Martha Young, J. H. Enger, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Moore, J. M. Trefen, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilson of Roseburg; W. H. Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Smith and the Misses Eva and Ava Kennedy of Corvallis and Dr. and Mrs. I. L. Johnson and family, Mrs. A. Smith and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berchue of Portland. 141*

There's a busy Business College in Medford, GWN. 141*

Mrs. Van M. Morse returned yesterday from Berkeley, where she has been taking a post graduate course at the University of California.

The Oregon Testing Laboratory says Jackson Hot Springs water is pure. 115**

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The most melons of this season were on sale this morning at the public market, with many different varieties on display. Cantelopes and muskmelons were also more in evidence, and many hundred pounds of the delicious fruits were sold. Sweet corn was rather scarce, but according to Market Master Runyard, as soon as the second crop matures will be on sale in sufficient quantities to satisfy the increasing public market demand.

Kincade 'Taxies' new stand, Bill's Place, Phone 52 for prompt taxi service. We go any place day or night. Taxi 52. 121*

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonald of Trail returned today from a ten days' vacation to Siltcoos lake, Forest, Ore., and other coast points.

All cooks waiters, clerks, porters and drivers that signed for charter will meet at Smith hall, 128 N. Grant street, Wednesday, August 12, at 8 o'clock, to complete organization. 122*

Due to the fact that the Warner building on the corner of Main and Bartlett streets will soon be razed to make way for the erection of a new concrete building, the Kincade 'Taxi' company has moved its stand from the Bedfordfield confectionery in that building to William O'Hara's cigar store, known as Bill's Place. The change was made only yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Protosh of Lawrence, Kans., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Knight left for home Sunday morning.

Cutters wanted at Radovan's Dryer, North Central or call 762. 125

Mrs. Agnes Dallaire left the middle of last week for a month of six weeks' visit with her parents in her old home in Canada, whom she has not seen for nearly 18 years. A host of friends wish Mrs. Dallaire a pleasant visit and a safe arrival home again.

Twelve cars of pears were shipped to the eastern markets from Medford packing houses yesterday, one from Voshies, one from Gold Hill and two from Trenton, making a total of 18 cars for the valley.

J. M. Trefen, assistant trainmaster with the Southern Pacific lines, with headquarters at Roseburg, is spending several days in the city on business.

Robert Galligan, the silver tongued newsboy who has been a familiar figure about Medford for several years, arrived in the city today from Portland, where he has been spending the past month in the interest of the newspaper business. He left Medford aboard a Southern Pacific train, but returned by way of the Pacific highway, as he claimed walking was more beneficial than riding and also cheaper.

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Residents of Southern California registered at local hotels include Mrs. Coral Le Van Nuy of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Herman of Fruitvale, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Neuber of Santa Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hummel and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lounsville of San Diego, and the following from Los Angeles: Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Othelsted, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hilstrom, Misses Grace Sigler and Marjorie Powers, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Floren, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hamilton, Dr. A. M. Rogers and family, Miss Faith L. Young and mother, Dr. N. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. White.

The city attorney's office is very busy making a list of the delinquent property which has been sold by the city. When the list is completed, which will be in a day or two, it will be given to the county assessor's office as tax producing property, and will also be published.

R. W. Price, head of the Crater National Park company, left Ashland this morning for a several days stay at Crater lake to oversee matters at the Crater lake lodge.

There was quite a drop in temperature over night last night, making the first comfortable sleeping for several nights. The maximum yesterday was 83. This morning's minimum at 55.7 was also much less than that of Monday morning. Fair and cooler weather is predicted for tonight and Wednesday. The heavy blanket of forest fire smoke is still hanging over the city and valley, shutting off the direct rays of the sun.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hilstrom, who had been visiting relatives residing in the city, left this forenoon for their home at Fresno, Calif.

The drawings for the "free-for-all" class tennis players who will take part in the three day southern Oregon tennis tournament, which began today at Ashland, have been completed and are announced as follows: Allen versus Jewett, Groce versus Bruntin, Wagner versus Joy, Fish versus Gilles, Hunt versus Sams, Scott versus Stout and Brown versus Bye. In the tournament this morning Richard Beeson defeated Albert Myers in the junior class.

Capt. Pat Kelly and family of Portland, were in Medford yesterday on route home from two weeks spent at Diamond and Crater lakes. Brig. Gen. Geo. A. White and family are still in camp at Diamond lake.

Mrs. D. H. Jackson, sister of Mrs. S. Sumpter Smith, arrived from Wichita, Kans., last evening to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Smith and other relatives.

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WEDNESDAY IS A GOOD DAY TO SAVE HERE

SPECIAL! WEDNESDAY SALE OF CHILDREN'S HOSE

All children's short socks will be out for Wednesday selling at one-fourth off. Cottons, fiber, silk and finer and all children's socks from 1 to 9 size, and all colors, will be reduced for the one day's selling, Wednesday, **1/4** less.

SPECIAL! WEDNESDAY SALE OF CHILDREN'S IRONCLADS

Ironclad hose for boys and girls, broken sizes, but wonderful hose values if you can get the size you need; black and white only, and sizes in white are complete. For Wednesday to clean up several odd lines for boys and girls, less just **1/2**



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Check up on your balloon tire pressures—you may find that you have been riding on "high-pressure balloons" and losing the advantages of true low air pressure.

THE whole purpose of low pressure cushioning is defeated if your balloon tires are pumped up too hard.

Of course, it may be that the kind of balloons you are using must be run hard in order to protect the tires themselves.

If you find this is true, you will be glad to know the facts about U. S. Royal Balloons.

These tires provide all the comfort that balloon tires are intended to give, and yet you need have no fear about the life of the tires when run at proper cushioning pressure.

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They have the new flat "Low-Pressure Tread."

This tread has far greater area of road contact than a round tread, and distributes the weight evenly over the entire tread surface.

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