

CAR STOLEN HERE LAKE O' THE WOODS 6TH DAY OF HEAT BY BOY TODAY IS A POPULAR PLACE WAVE PASSES AND SOON RECOVERED THESE HOT DAYS NO RELIEF SEEN

Released from the state training school at Salem only a week ago, after having served a year there for the theft of an automobile here last year, Earl Snyder was today again in the hands of the law and will be committed to the institution following the theft this forenoon of an automobile owned by R. E. Arnold. Snyder was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Paul Jennings who saw the boy driving the car on South Front street, just after he is believed to have stolen it from its parking place near the new Montgomery Ward building, on which the car's owner was working. Arnold missed the machine a few minutes after it was taken when he went to the car to procure his glasses, only to find the machine gone. He immediately notified the police and in less than five minutes the car was located.

Lake of the Woods is a most restful spot for tourists seeking relief from the heat of the valley, these days. Last Sunday 150 cars were parked at the resort most of the day, the lake being given with swimmers from daylight to dark. J. M. Gray, superintendent of the place, reported this morning. He attended a board of directors meeting at the office of Attorney Frank Newman last night. Twenty boats will soon be received at the lake in addition to the 18 now in use. Last year there were only seven boats available for visitors. The water is fine and black bass are plentiful in the lake. Mr. Gray said, Lake of the Woods is practically the only stream in southern Oregon where black bass may be found. Rainbow trout, perch, silverides and crappie are also being caught. Seventy-five summer houses have been built at the resort during the last few years by Medford, Ashland, Klamath Falls and a few California families. The latest improvement in equipment for the benefit of campers is a Jersey and a Guernsey cow which furnish plenty of milk for most of the babies. Last Sunday five gallons of ice cream were sold with calls for more.

Today is the sixth day of the present hot weather wave, which began last Saturday, and to which the weather bureau officials cannot yet see any indications of a return to normal summer weather. Yesterday's maximum was 103, the same maximum as the day before, and today, which began with a minimum of 65, promised to be at least as warm. Fair weather and a continued high temperature are predicted for tonight and Friday. The maximum heat of the day comes locally between 4 and 4:30 p. m., about which time there is also the lowest humidity of the day. The soda fountain and other refreshment places, in catering to their capacity trade day and night; to thirsty and cool-throat hungry public, can hardly order these refreshments fast enough from the local wholesale manufacturers, who are kept on their toes all the time to meet the demand of the retailers. The ice companies, too, are put through their fastest paces keeping the ice boxes of the homes and business places filled. Another business which is much affected by the heat wave is that of the hotels and restaurants, which are selling much less of heavy foods these days, as the diners prefer lighter lunches consisting more of vegetable food than of meats and other heat producing edibles. The one great consolation of Medford and valley people throughout this unusual heat wave is that all the state and entire Pacific northwest is in the same fix. It also is unusually warm up at Crater National park in the daytime, but is quite cool there during the night, according to reports of tourists and others returning from that high elevation.

INDIANS DYING LIKE FLIES IN FLU EPIDEMIC

REGINA, Sask., July 24.—(AP)—An untold number of Indians are dead in an influenza epidemic which has swept across living in northern Canada, Sergeant C. St. Matthews reported here today on his arrival from Fort Simpson on a steamer. The disease spread like wildfire from the delta of the Mackenzie river in the Arctic to northern Alberta. Ninety percent of the Indians at Simpson were affected by the disease, he said, with twenty-six deaths before he left. At Resolution 30 deaths had been reported and many other deaths were indicated elsewhere. While residents escaped the epidemic or took it only in mild form, he said.

Daily Meteorological Report

Table with columns for July 26, 1928, Forecasts, LOCAL DATA, and CITY. Includes temperature, humidity, and weather reports for various locations like Baker City, Bismarck, Boise, Denver, Des Moines, Fresno, Helena, Los Angeles, Marshallfield, Phoenix, Portland, Red Bluff, Roseburg, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Santa Fe, Seattle, Spokane, Walla Walla, and Winnipeg.

STILL POSSIBLE HOOVER CAN BE AT CONVENTION

Paul McDonald, chairman of the Legion convention committee, received a wire today from Ralph Williams, state member of the Republican National committee, that it is still possible Secretary Hoover will be able to be in Medford during the state Legion convention. McDonald immediately dispatched wires to Mr. Hoover at Palo Alto and every effort will be made to make the republican nominee extend his stay in southern Oregon so as to be here at least on the opening day. Post Commander Bowen and Dr. McCracken of Ashland post were local visitors at last night's meeting of the Legion Convention commission. They reported much activity in Ashland in connection with the coming convention and stated the hearty cooperation of Ashland post. They will enter a huge Legion float in the parade and the Auxiliary members of Ashland are planning a "stunt" the nature of which has not yet been made public. Mr. McCracken's nephew, W. S. McCracken, assistant secretary of the United States department of commerce will be one of the distinguished visitors at the convention from Washington, D. C. With the opening of the state American Legion convention only a week away, preparations are now being pushed to an early completion. Committee chairman are completing details of their work with the cooperation of the 250 committee members, who have been laboring on convention preparations for weeks. Badges for all local American Legion members can be obtained at convention headquarters at the Chamber of Commerce from L. C. Garlock, who reported today that members have not been reporting as fast as they should. The badges are free and are to be worn in order that local Legion members may be identified by the visitors. Box seats for the air circus on next Thursday afternoon and the drum corps contest next Friday night are selling rapidly and local citizens are urged to make early purchases. The Bealy cup, donated by the Bealy Military academy at Troutdale, Ore., arrived yesterday and will be awarded to the winning drum corps. It is on display at the chamber convention headquarters along with eight other loving cups to be awarded as prizes during the convention.

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JIM GRIEVE SELLS UNION CREEK AUTO CAMP TO OUTSIDER

Negotiations were closed yesterday for the purchase of the Union Creek resort on the Crater Lake highway 11 miles above Prospect from James Grieve, proprietor of the Prospect Hotel, by H. R. Campbell, a recent arrival in southern Oregon from San Jose, Cal. The new owner has taken possession and in a short time plans to make numerous improvements to the well known resort, the purchase price of which was not made known. The resort was established five years ago by Mr. Grieve and includes a grocery store, 30 cottages, a swimming pool, a tennis court, and a camping ground along the banks of Union creek, a mountain stream of ice cold water coming directly from melting snows. It is located within the boundaries of the Crater National forest approximately 55 miles from Medford and is a popular destination for Sunday picnic parties. The resort includes three acres and is leased from the government under a special user's permit. Supt. Hamm Quits. MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 26.—(AP)—M. S. Hamm, superintendent of the Marshfield schools since January, 1927, has resigned. In a wire from Berkeley, Cal., where he is attending a summer school, he said he had accepted a position in California.

Radio Program KMED

- Thursday, July 26. 5 p. m.—Mail Tribune, broadcasting returns of Tunney-Herney fight. 9 to 9:30 p. m.—Modern Plumbing and Sheet Metal company. Karl Moudreau will be presented in violin request numbers. Phone requests to 265. Friday, July 27. 9:30 to 10 a. m.—Eihart's Music and Book Store of Ashland. 10 to 10:30 a. m.—Southern Oregon Electric. 10:30 to 11 a. m.—M. M. Department Store. 11 to 11:30 a. m.—Jacque Lenox Millinery Department. 11:30 to 12 noon—Brophy's Jewelry Store. 12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Palmer's Music House. 6:15 p. m.—Medford Mail Tribune, market and news reports. 8 to 9 p. m.—Realty Board. 9 to 10 p. m.—American Laundry.

WOMAN CHARGES L. A. PASTOR MADE VIOLENT LOVE

LOS ANGELES, July 26.—(AP)—The fight for leadership in the Wilshire Boulevard church in superior court here was enlivened today by counsel for Dr. Frank Dyer, pastor, to impeach the testimony of Mrs. Elsie Watkins-Mills, 34-year-old organist. Mrs. Mills, who accused Dr. Dyer of making ardent love to her while she was acting as organist at the church, underwent a grilling examination regarding her past life by counsel for the pastor. The attorney, in an attempt to cast doubt upon her credibility as a witness, brought the crowded court room to sharp attention as he questioned Mrs. Mills about her past life. The faction supporting Dr. Dyer in his fight for control of the fashionable church tried to bring out that during the occasion that Mrs. Mills claimed the pastor was making love to her, he, in reality, was telling him of a clandestine love affair she had had with a Toronto, Canada, man. Further charges were made that Mrs. Mills told Dr. Dyer that she would commit suicide if she could not have the man, and that the pastor had counseled her to be true to her husband.

CORVALLIS WAGON SPRINKLER MAN IS AFTER A FORTUNE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 26.—(AP)—A 48-year old driver of a sprinkler wagon for the city of Corvallis, Ore., filed suit in federal court here today for \$1,000,000 of the \$2,000,000 estate of the late Sam Lazarus, asserting that he is an illegitimate son of Lazarus and that during his life Lazarus recognized him as his son. Lazarus, a railroad director and capitalist, died March 5, 1926, leaving a widow and daughter. The man, who uses the name of Silas A. Lazarus, was not mentioned in the will. The claimant, in his petition, recounts he was born in Sherman, Texas, in 1880, and at all times since his birth, has been known to the members of his maternal family as the son of Sam Lazarus. Until 1892 he used the name of Downs, the maiden name of his mother, but in that year his mother married and he took the name of his stepfather and became Silas A. Samples. He married in 1911, he asserts, and took the name of Lazarus at his father's request. "It's a huge joke," said M. N. Sale, Sam Lazarus' personal friend and attorney. "But it's what every rich man may expect when he dies."

UNMARRIED MOTHERS ARE GETTING YOUNGER. SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—(AP)—Unmarried mothers are younger now on the average than they were a few years ago. Statistics compiled by the Salvation Army disclosed the fact that of the 260 women admitted to the army maternity homes in 11 western states and Hawaii during the first six months of this year, the average age was 18 years. The youngest expectant mother was 17 and the oldest 40 years of age. Most of them were between 16 and 21 years old. A few years ago, Salvation Army statistics revealed the average of such cases was well above 21 years. From January 1 to July 1 of this year 251 babies were born in these Salvation Army institutions. Davidson mine in Althouse district, Josephine county, shows high value. Eugene building for six months reached \$275,000 and for June, \$156,750. State a C. R. T. planting 250,000 trout in Curry county streams.

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