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End Labor Troubles

PUBLIC opinion will give sound support to constructive efforts to end the labor difficulties that have developed in the Klamath basin at this critical time.

Frank and conciliatory discussion of the issues must be possible while men are at work, receiving their pay and continuing the production that is the bulwark of the prosperity of this community.

The alternative is disruption and interruption that create hardship on all parties to the difficulties and are injurious to the general welfare of the community.

There are times when drastic measures are necessary to defend or to establish rights and principles. But no time could be more propitious than this for use of the principle of give and take in frank, open-minded dealing.

It is sincerely to be hoped that the current troubles can be quickly resolved, with industry restored to full operation that will benefit the working men, the management, and the public welfare of this community. Those who contribute to that end will receive the public gratitude.

Holding Juries Over

IN response to an inquiry concerning the holding over of grand jurors, we find the law permits the court to make an order continuing grand jurors from one term of court to another "at his discretion." The jury must be discharged at the end of a term of court, but the judge can order it continued, giving the reasons in the order he signs.

It is hence plain that Circuit Judge Ashurst is using prerogatives granted him by law in continuing the present grand jury, which began its service back in December, 1938 and has set, we believe, some kind of a local record for continuous service.

It has usually been the practice to continue grand jurors when there are matters pending at the time of the change in terms of court and a new jury would have to start an investigation all over again or pick up an uncompleted job. In his order, Judge Ashurst mentions no such reason, but says he is continuing the jury because he believes its members are staunchly opposed to gambling and in favor of law enforcement.

Is there inference here that other citizens, who might be drawn on a new jury, might not be trustworthy in these essentials? Grand jury service is exacting of time and convenience, and the present jurors, serving through four terms of court, have been called upon to give generously in service to the county.

Tourists Just Starting

A DISPATCH from Salem states that Oregon travel officials are wondering "what has happened to the increase in tourist traffic expected for this year." It is added that figures for the first five months of the year show a substantial decrease from last year's tourist total.

California schools are out just this week and so far as Southern Oregon tourists are concerned, that has an important bearing. A large portion of our tourists come up from the Golden State on vacations.

The Golden Gate fair started late this year, as compared with last, and that may well have something to do with it. The unsettled situation due to the war is not conducive to gallivanting around. Locally, the highway tie-up at Algoma hurt travel for a couple of weeks.

But it is too early to make any dire predictions. The season has really just started, and it should turn out to be a good tourist year. We do need a substantial tourist crop to help round out a prosperous year here.

Good luck to Klamath's National Guardsmen on their summer encampment in Clatsop county, for which they leave Monday night. The local guardsmen have made enviable records at camp, and we anticipate they will repeat that performance this time. They are a credit to the community.

It is a time for increasing attention to the meaning of Americanism, and patriotic local citizens should turn out in large force for the flag day exercises of the Klamath Falls Elks lodge Tuesday night. This event will be held on the courthouse lawn.

U of O Student Killed in Crash

OREGON CITY, Ore., June 10 (UP)—David R. Edenhelm, 21, senior at the University of Oregon, was killed Saturday when his automobile driven by James E. Pardee, Susanville, Calif., and Fred W. Durbin, Corvallis, Ore., collided two miles south of here.

Five persons were taken to the Oregon City hospital, but none was believed seriously hurt. They were Durbin, and his passengers, Mrs. Walter E. Pierce, 56, Boise, Ida.; her daughter, Margaret, 17; J. Schwab, 21, Astoria, Ore., and Mrs. Mildred Marshall, 36, Portland.

Edenhelm was a resident of Eugene, Ore. Neither of his parents were living and he had no known relatives. He was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

CAUTIONS

COLUMBUS, Ohio, (AP)—All this "fifth column" talk has made one man suspect even himself.

Department of justice agents here said that a man reported himself to them because he had made indiscreet remarks in a barber shop and feared they might be misinterpreted.

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Marjorie Rambeau

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, June 10—An

American aviation manufacturer has been giving Hoover's G-men access to his plant for months. Three FBI agents have been working in the plant as employees. Consequently the manufacturer nearly tore the telephone out of the wall when he received a long distance call from New York bearing information picked up by allied agents abroad furnishing the names of foreign agents working in his plant. The gentleman dashed down to Washington for a round of conferences with officials to see what could be done. His complaint: Every time the FBI agents report to him that a certain employee is a communist, the matter ends. There is nothing he can do. To fire some of these men would cause a strike in the plant and there is no law which permits a discharge for suspected political activities. Not until the communist commits some act of sabotage can he be removed.

DON'T BEAT THE BUSH

A sure fire way of catching communist and nazi spies has been developed in the interior department. A memo has been sent to each employee requiring him to answer the question whether he has ever been or is a member of any organization proposing to overthrow the government of the United States, or contemplating joining one.

If you want to know who the communist and nazi spies are, just ask them straight out without any beating around the bush.

The government is not letting legal technicalities stand in the way of doing what it wants to do. Although Mr. Roosevelt announced Friday there would be no legal justification for embargoing machine tools until congress passed the proposed law, the state department had already acted as if the law had passed. Two companies in New York which were loading tools for Japan were ordered to stop. It appears also that State Secretary Hull earlier sent notice to Ambassador Grew in Tokyo announcing the embargo might as well be in effect if it isn't.

The administration is keeping it quiet, but naturally reasons there is no sense in letting needed national defense tools escape prior to the passage of the law.

TECHNICALITIES NO WORRY

Many a legal authority who has read the justice department opinion empowering the president to sell planes to the allies is likewise still unconvinced. A court might hold FDR only has authority to turn over obsolete materials that were surplus in 1918. As no challenging legal action is anticipated, and as Mr. Roosevelt's personal interpretations of law have been widely accepted by this new supreme court lately, difficulties will undoubtedly be avoided.

Mr. Roosevelt was just having his little legal joke when he justified the selling of navy dive bombers to the allies solely on the ground of obsolescence. He reasoned, not without a twinkle in his eye, that the absence of the latest style armor plate and leak proof gas tanks made them undesirable.

Dramatic American Ambassa-

LAST DAY "FOUR WIVES"

LANE SISTERS AND GALE PAGE

TOMORROW

BLOOD-BOILING
Excitement
from the lusty
archives of the
Black Century!

TOWER of
LONDON

starring
BASIL RATHBON
BORIS KARLOFF
BARBARA O'NEIL
IAN HUNTER
VINCENT PRICE
NAN GREY
AND CAST OF THOUSANDS

RAINBOW
DIAL 3562
NOW COMPLETELY
AIR CONDITIONED

SIDE GLANCES



"It's Lassie and her new pups, Mr. Emerson—I thought maybe you'd like to put something in the paper besides war and politics."

Recreation Notes

Arts and Crafts

During the summer recreation program the children will have the opportunity of making many beautiful and useful articles in arts and crafts. Reed and raffia work will be offered in the making of baskets and trays. Working with reed is very interesting. Woodburning will be a new feature added to our program. Costume jewelry is a new art which the children will find very fascinating.

Clay moulding will be another project, and vases, bowls and various articles will be made. Painting on oilcloth, crayon stencil on muslin, glorified glass pictures, chalk work, charcoal, show card painting and free hand drawing.

EDUCATIONAL

Assemblies will be a great feature of the summer program when the child can express himself and bring his latent talent forth. Special events will be introduced from time to time. Charles Seavy, manager of the Telephone company has kindly consented to give an exhibition of his "sleight of hand tricks" for which he is renowned. A special period will be set aside for story telling and reading.

In the long run, the real peril to democracy is within our own nation, within our own groups, within our own hearts.—Secretary Wallace.

Among the New Books

At the City Library

By MRS. EMBERT FOSSUM

Bethel Merriday, by Sinclair Lewis. This is the story of a young girl's theatrical career from her days of high school dramatics, through her experiences in a summer theatre and on the road with a touring company, to her first rehearsals for a Broadway comedy. This book makes good light reading though it will probably come to be classed as one of Lewis' poorer books. The plot of 'Bethel Merriday' counts for little, and the heroine is never quite real. In fact, in spots her life is about as improbable as anything you can imagine. However, if you like Lewis, you can forgive that. This is a somewhat different Lewis, incidentally—his philosophy seems to have mellowed a bit. Less cracks, and more gentle kidding seems to be the ticket now. Either Lewis is growing older or perhaps his love of the stage softens his tone in this book. All told, not a particularly successful book, but entertaining enough.

Failure of a Mission, by Sir Neville Henderson. This is the personal narrative of the events leading up to the present war, written by the British ambassador to Berlin during the years 1937 to 1939. "The sequence of events and the facts themselves are taken entirely from telegrams, dispatches, and letters written at the time, and are consequently, humanly speaking, strictly exact." There are no pretensions to style here, but it is a very moving document nonetheless. It is tragic now to think that while the British government conscientiously strove to achieve a compromise peace, Hitler and his cohorts were building up that war machine whose efficiency is being proven daily. The ambassador certainly did everything possible along the thankless road of appeasement, with what results we all know. Here is truly a man who tried to be Germany's friend, but he was, unfortunately, attempting the impossible. There are excellent character sketches of the Nazi demigods, particularly Hitler. Altogether, a book on the warning nations that you must not miss.

Swift Flows the River, by Nard Jones. Pioneer days on the Columbia river forms the background for this story of Caleb Paige. When both his parents were killed in 1856 in the assault of the Indians on the Cascades, Caleb was taken charge of by Mike Shea, an Irish trooper. The boy's constant dream was to become a river-boat pilot, and it was while he and Mike were searching for gold that the first step in his career as pilot was made. This is a good picture of the times and the river, and it should hold

Fun To Do In Simple Stitchery



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Cute pups aren't they, and a delightful companion picture to the kittens Pattern 6675 shown recently. The dogs are done almost entirely in single stitch. Pattern 6712 contains a transfer pattern of a picture 15x15 inches; color chart, illustrations

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considerable interest for those of us who are at all familiar with the states bordering on the Columbia. Of course, very few of Mr. Jones' prospective readers have seen or ever will see this river which has been so inadequately represented in our fiction. I think this book comes under the heading of popular historical fiction—that is, there is nothing at all profound here, and the style is pretty much on the amateurish side. But the surface of life in this region is presented carefully and with detail, and the locale alone should make it of interest to Oregonians.

Wind of Circumstance, by Harold Dearden. This is an autobiography of a doctor, and is, I suppose, just another doctor book out of the many that are written. However, it was more interesting than most of them I've read, and better told. The author has remembered and told with vividness many of the unusual incidents in a doctor's life. He was especially interested in psychology and specialized, later in his life, in psychological troubles. However, most of the book deals with straight surgical cases, and the characters of the principal actors in each drama. The clearest point in the book is the personality of the doctor himself, and this can not be blamed to vanity on the part of the author. On the contrary, the egotism apparent in so many books of this type is entirely missing, and the doctor appears to be a wholly likeable man with considerable intelligence. The facts in the book are rather bluntly presented, so if you're easily perturbed, this isn't your cup of tea. Otherwise, the book should be generally popular.

Merrill Tot In Fall From Speeding Auto

Donald Neuffer, three-year-old Merrill tot, was in the Hillsdale hospital last night suffering from a skull fracture and minor bruises and scratches as a result of a fall from his father's speeding car on the Merrill highway Saturday evening.

According to his father, the lad, pressing against the window to peer at the flying landscape, accidentally tripped the door catch and tumbled into the road on the right of the car. The elder Neuffer stopped immediately, picked the child from the roadway, and rushed him to a doctor in Merrill from where he was brought into Klamath Falls.

The car was reportedly going about 45 miles per hour at the time of the accident.

Donald was reported improved Monday morning by Hillsdale authorities.

INSURANCE

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—An attorney protested when a juror hearing testimony in a \$10,000 damage suit fell asleep, so the judge called a five-minute recess.

The sleepy juror appeared wide awake when the jury filed back in but soon drifted off to sleep again. The disgusted judge declared a mistrial, then began over with another jury of six.

This time, however, a seventh juror sat alone in the rear row, ready to serve if one of the regulars couldn't resist a nap.

An awakened and prosperous south offers greater opportunities for trade and commerce than exist overseas.—Joy Elmer Morgan, editor, National Education Association Journal.

LAST DAY * "THE BIG GUY" VICTOR McLAGLEN JACKIE COOPER

ENDS TODAY * "THE DARK COMMAND" JOHN WAYNE CLAIRE TREVOR

COOL AND COMFORTABLE

PELICAN TOMORROW!

WHY, PROFESSOR! What are you doing with that baby...? You told us you were a bachelor.....!

Eddie CANTOR
IN METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER'S
"FORTY Little MOTHERS"
Judith ANDERSON-Rita JOHNSON-Ralph MORGAN
Bonita GRANVILLE-Diana LEWIS & "CHUM" the baby

LATEST NEWS NOVELTY PHANTASY

TOMORROW (Thru Thursday)

...They Took Their French in One "Knee-sy" Lesson!

RAY MILLAND
ELLEN DREW
in
FRENCH WITHOUT TEARS

COMPANION FEATURE

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ROCHELLE HUDSON
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