

City Briefs

Marsha Back—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marsh returned to their home here Friday following a two weeks' vacation trip by auto up and down the coast. They returned from the north over the new Willamette highway. Marsh was back at his position as manager of the Peltan theatre Saturday.

Uncle Visits—A. W. Newby of Amity, Ore., was a visitor this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck on Lewis street. Newby is Mrs. Beck's uncle. John Walling of Amity also visited at the Beck home. They were taken on a trip to Crater Lake and Diamond Lake Sunday.

From Valley—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Raney of 1607 Crescent avenue have returned to their home after an absence of the past 15 months. The Raneys left Klamath Falls on June 20, 1939, and since then have spent their time in Ashland and points along the Oregon coast.

To Return—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hajicek are expected home this weekend from a two weeks' motor trip which took them to points along the Oregon and Washington coasts. They also visited in Seattle and other nearby cities.

Visits Here—Mrs. Myrtle Gillis of Dunsmuir, who was called here by the passing of Mrs. Mary Owen, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Holie, 920 Lincoln street, the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Holie accompanied her home during the weekend.

Returns Home—Mrs. Earl Coble and infant daughter returned to their home at Algona Friday afternoon. The child was born at Klamath Valley hospital August 22, and weighed 9 pounds 4 ounces at birth.

Citizenship Class—Mrs. H. M. Ackley announces that a class for those wishing to secure citizenship papers will begin September 5 in room 10 of the Fremont school. The class is sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

To San Francisco—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hogue were to leave Saturday evening for San Francisco. They will spend some time at the Golden Gate fair and will visit a son, John C. Whipple, and family at Burlingame.

Visits Son—K. L. Boney was a weekend visitor at the home of his son, L. E. Boney, and family in Fair Acres.

Our Home Town

Labor Day—Our Day

By EARL WHITLOCK

This is our day, we workers, set aside to do honor to all men who get things done. And we have some considering to do. Our nation faces a crisis which, overlooked, could end its life as an independent nation. Yet, in our efforts to ward through armed preparedness.

Labor will aid—but only if it has to accept not a penny less pay and to work not a minute longer per day.

The farmer will aid—but is unwilling to sacrifice his government cash subsidies. The business man will aid—but must be assured of 7% profit at least. Youth will aid, but not to the extent of compulsory military training. The taxpayer will aid—but not if it means greatly increased taxes. And our president assures us that we can attain full preparedness without losing any of our present social advantages.

Now in all these groups—what has become of the Americans? Where are the men and women in whose blood runs the desire for liberty so strongly that no sacrifice is too great to attain it? Maybe we'd all better check up on ourselves and see just how deep is our patriotism, just how strong is our loyalty to American ideals.

Because to gain such armed supremacy as will insure us against attack, we are, all of us laborers, going to have to work longer hours, work a little bit harder and take a little less pay for what we do. This is the time when we cannot put the load on the other fellow's shoulders.

Next week Mr. Whitlock of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home will comment on "School Teachers."



FOUR-H STEERS MAKING RAPID WEIGHT GAINS

Daily gains for the 41 steers which will be sold by 4-H club boys and girls at the Junior Livestock show scheduled for late September, are recorded here since the show was inaugurated five years ago. This was the announcement made by Clifford Jenkins, 411 club agent, who completed the final beef weighing this week.

A total of 71,197 pounds of beef was chalked up by the weighing committee as the 41 steers were brought to the scales. In addition to this amount there will be 14 head of Future Farmers of America stock, the total number of pounds not yet announced.

Best gain for the past 35 days was made by two 4-H girls, Juanita Horsley and Iona Smith, both members of the Bonanza Beef club. Juanita will enter her Angus, "Samba," from the C. V. Barton herd, and Iona will show her Hereford calf, "Tipsey," from the Dave and Dan Laskey herd.

Heaviest calf to be shown will be "Mickey Rooney," an Angus owned by Joan Masten of the Olene Beef club. The steer weighs 1200 pounds, but will be sold at the maximum weight of 1050 pounds, Jenkins stated.

Lightest steer is owned by Jimmy Sullivan of the Olene Beef club, who has a Hereford tipping the scales at 652 pounds. Jimmy has been a consistent high-point man at the shows and should do well at the 1940 exhibit.

SALES CONVENTION

H. E. Hauger, local Buick dealer and his new car sales staff left for Seattle Saturday to attend Buick's northwest sales convention for a preview of the new Buick models and to hear Buick's manufacturing and sales plans for the 1941 season.

SKULLS CONSIDERED AID

Horses' skulls at one time were regarded as a protection against lightning in England. For that reason such skulls often were built into church towers there.

JOHNSON NAMED DISTRICT HEAD



J. W. Johnson, wire chief at Klamath Falls for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in 1933 and 1934, has been named district plant manager succeeding R. F. Woodward, who died August 19. News of the promotion was received Friday by C. E. Seavy, manager, who said Johnson in his new position will have charge of the company's installation work and maintenance, both long distance and toll, throughout Oregon outside of Portland.

Johnson, known as "Big Bill," will be remembered by a host of friends here. He began his telephone career after several years of engineering and surveying work elsewhere as a fieldman. Subsequently he has been an engineer in the plant engineering department, toll engineer, construction supervisor, wire chief at Roseburg and Klamath Falls, an engineer in the chief engineer's office at Portland and, for the past three years, district installation superintendent of Portland. Johnson is 41.

CANADIAN GOLD

During December of 1935 the province of Ontario, Canada, produced a new high of 260,578 fine ounces of gold, the bulk of which came from the Porcupine camp.

For trouble afflicts 14,000,000 adults and 3,000,000 school children in the United States.

OREGON MAY CASH IN ON WAR PRODUCE

Irrigation will help many Oregon farmers to "cash in" on market opportunities afforded by European war conditions, according to a summary of future market prospects given by William A. Schoenfeld, dean and director of agriculture at Oregon State college, during the eleventh annual western Oregon irrigation tour held on the experimental station farms.

In some parts of the state and for some products increased acreages of certain crops will be possible, although in others higher production will depend upon increasing the yields of present acreages either by additional moisture or other means, he said.

War conditions have reduced or entirely eliminated the importation of many of the seeds and other specialty crops for which Oregon is ideally adapted, Dean Schoenfeld pointed out. He mentioned specifically the various grass and clover seeds, field pea and vetch seed, both fiber flax and seed flax, sugar beet seed, flower bulbs, hops, filberts and even less common products such as poppy and mustard seed, pyrethrum, peppermint oil and certain foreign types of cheese.

By stressing the production of these crops in the immediate future, Dean Schoenfeld said, it will be possible for Oregon farmers to compensate somewhat for the lost markets for staple crops caused by this same war. At the same time Oregon farmers will thus be able to supply other farmers in the United States with essential seed no longer obtainable in usual quantities abroad.

"Preparedness involves much more than merely military defenses," he added, "and this is an important step in providing America with essential agricultural products."

Adaptation of crop systems to make full use of irrigation was explained by a number of specialists in the course of the tour.

A cow's cud is that portion of food which is brought into the mouth from the cow's first stomach to be chewed a second time.

Midland Empire News

MERRILL SCHOOL BELL TO RING SEPTEMBER 4TH

MERRILL—The school bell will ring Wednesday morning, September 4 for the opening of the fall term with a number of new teachers to be greeted, it was announced this week by E. E. Kilpatrick, superintendent of schools.

Ray Oelrich, formerly principal at Gilchrist will come to Merrill as principal of the elementary school. Mr. Oelrich will also teach the sixth grade. Mrs. K. C. Burkes, new member of the faculty, will teach the first grade. Miss Mildred Shipman, Portland, a returning member, will supervise the second and third grades, Miss Marian Gould, Medford, the fourth and Miss Thelma Storey, Merrill, the fifth.

Two new teachers, Henrietta Lyon, Malin and Mrs. Elsie Shinn are registered in the high school. Miss Lyon will teach junior high school subjects and Mrs. Shinn home economics and English.

Miss Betty Evanson will instruct in music and typing and Robert Cristner will have social sciences and dramatics. Elsie Shinn will teach social subjects, commercial and band.

E. Van Ness Johnson will teach manual arts and science and will coach football and basketball with the first call for football to be made probably Thursday.

Some changes were made this summer in the elementary school building with the cafeteria being moved from the basement to the first floor. Rooms vacated by the cafeteria are being prepared for living quarters for Mr. and Mrs. Oelrich.

A probable first day attendance of 140 in the six grades of the high school is anticipated with a few enrollments to be registered later.

Fort Klamath

Mrs. Guss Page and son Gene have returned from a vacation trip to Portland, where they visited with Mrs. Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smythe. Mrs. Page and her son also enjoyed a trip to Seaside, Astoria and return to Portland by way of Washington during their absence. Mrs. Page's father accompanied them back to Portland, making the return trip here via the new Willamette highway.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harkness of Pasadena spent last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Lawton and Miss Bertha Pittman at the Lawton ranch. Mrs. Harkness is the former Miss Ouma Lark, well known in this vicinity, and is a niece of Mrs. Lawton and Miss Pittman.

Mrs. Marcella Rowe and daughter, Mary Patricia, visited here on Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Mordecai Hues and daughter, Miss Rosemary Richards, from their home in Sprague River.

Among local people who attended funeral services held in Klamath Falls last Wednesday for the late Mrs. Gary Cozad were Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hackler, Mr. and Mrs. William Zumburn, Mrs. Ella Hamilton and her sister, Mrs. Emmett McKeever.

Mrs. Henry Orth, Mrs. Elmer Zumburn and son Billie visited at Odell lake last Thursday with Mrs. Ora Engle, and later in the week Mrs. Zumburn again made a trip to the lake and brought Mrs. Engle back to Fort Klamath, where she is employed by Mr. and Mrs. Zumburn at the Calico Cat. On Wednesday of this week, Mrs. Engle was called to Weed, Calif., by news of the serious illness of her daughter. She was taken to Weed by Mrs. Elmer Zumburn, who returned to Fort Klamath the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hackler of the Wood River ranch have been enjoying visits from several relatives recently. The following group, including brothers of Mr. Hackler and their families, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hackler: Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hackler and daughters Jean and Doris of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hackler of Junction City, Calif.; and a sister and nephew of Mrs. M. Hackler, Ruby and Billie Hackler of Oklahoma City, Okla. During their stay

FAULTLESS NOBELT PAJAMAS \$2 TO \$5 RUDY'S MEN'S SHOP

here, the visitors enjoyed a day at Crater Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brewster have had as their house guests for the past two weeks Mrs. V. N. Smythe and daughter Yvonne of Portland. Mrs. Smythe's husband arrived here from Portland on Friday and he and his family left for the fair at San Francisco, where they will visit with his sister, Mrs. Frank Levin, the former Miss Lois Smythe.

SPUD FREIGHT CUT SOON IN EFFECT

TULELAKE—Reductions in freight rates on potatoes shipped from the Tulelake basin to southern markets, ranging from four cents to Los Angeles to seven cents to San Francisco, will go into effect September 3. The announcement was made this week by H. Bond, Southern Pacific agent.

Rates per hundred to shipping points under the new ruling follow: San Francisco, 23 cents; Sacramento, 22 cents; Marysville, 19 cents; Chico, 17 cents; Red Bluff, 16 cents; Redding, 15 cents; Santa Rosa, 28 cents; Los Angeles, 40 cents; San Diego, 45 cents.

Southern Oregon shippers also are encouraged by lower rates to points north which went into effect early in August.

KLAMATH MAN TO BUILD AT MERRILL

MERRILL—Dean Miller, Klamath Falls manager of the Oil City retail gasoline and oil distribution station, located on South Sixth street, this week began construction of a similar station here, to be located on Front street. The lots where the new business is to be located by Mrs. Ida Gerber, Klamath Falls, for a reported \$1000.

The building will follow in general the plan of the Klamath Falls station and is expected to be open for business sometime in September.

Rodger Fritz, now of Klamath Falls will be in charge. The company operates a station in Medford also. Approximate cost of the new structure was not made public.

Malin

Mrs. J. Perry Haley has had as her house guest this week, her sister, Miss Betty Haggerty, Glendale, Calif. Three daughters in the Haley family will leave soon for classes at the University of Oregon and at Oregon State.

Miss Juanita Haley leaves for the university September 16 for her junior year with Miss Lola Haley, who is a senior this term, and Miss Maxine Haley, a freshman, is going to Oregon State.

Virgil Ratliff, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratliff is recovering from an emergency appendectomy at a Klamath Falls hospital. The lad last spring suffered severe internal injuries when he was thrown headlong from a bicycle while riding down a steep hill near Malin, striking on his abdomen on a rock.

Mrs. Ted DeMerritt and baby daughter are spending several days in Sacramento with Mrs. DeMerritt's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sheldon and two sons are leaving Saturday for a week's visit with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Betty Kilpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick submitted to a tonsillectomy Friday.

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ARMY MEN AROUSE FORT KLAMATHITES

FORT KLAMATH—The arrival of 140 enlisted men and officers of the 11th cavalry motor convoy of the US army in Fort Klamath on Tuesday occasioned quite a little excitement among both children and adults in this small rural community. The group of soldiers and officers had previously made arrangements for camping overnight at the Fort Klamath school grounds, and arrived on schedule on Tuesday in army trucks and scout cars. The horses used by the cavalrymen in their maneuvers were shipped by rail to Monterey presidio, to which point the men were going after leaving Fort Klamath. They had been taking part in army maneuvers at various military encampments throughout the United States since January 5 and were going to Monterey from Fort Lewis, Wash., where they participated in military maneuvers.

Practically all of the local population (including all the small boys hereabouts) visited the camp during the afternoon and evening and were shown around by the soldiers. The visitors inspected the rifles and other equipment used by Uncle Sam's soldiers. The men slept in individual sleeping bags, bivouacking under the stars. One poor soldier was in a sorry plight, someone having stolen his sleeping bag and the nights are really chilly in Fort Klamath at the time of year.

The soldiers left at an early hour on Wednesday morning for their next overnight stop at Redding, Calif., en route to their destination at Monterey presidio after their long absence.

Tulelake

Mr. and Mrs. Almo Newton have as their guests this week, Mrs. Newton's two sisters, Mrs. G. M. Setliff from Boston, Mrs. Setliff not seen in 20 years. Mrs. Setliff and daughter Dorothy have been guests also at the home of Mrs. C. W. Edwards. Fresno, a sister who with her daughter Constance, accompanied the easterners to Tulelake. They will leave early next week for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Hawley, Modesto, who have been guests in the Newton home for the past three weeks have returned south. Mr. and Mrs. Hawley formerly resided in Klamath Falls.

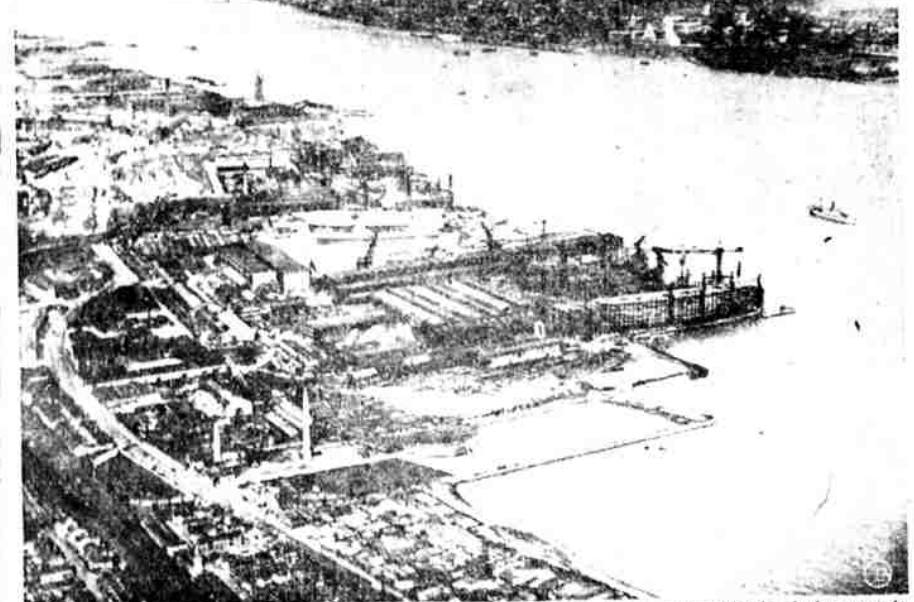
Classes will begin in the Winema grade school September 3 with Carl Suddreth, San Francisco, succeeding G. M. Burt as principal. Mrs. Helen Lind and Mrs. Haggerty, the former Miss Evelyn Corliss, both members of the faculty for the past two years, are returning.

France will become again what she never should have ceased to be—an essentially agricultural nation. Like the giant in the fable, she will regain her strength through renewed contact with the earth.—Marshall Petain, No. 1 man of France.

In the pig industry, "silvery iron" is a steel iron with a high silver content, and gets its name from the bright appearance of freshly fractured pieces.

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Credent and Pious
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Western Gateway for British Supplies Bombed by Nazis



A view across the River Mersey as it comes out on the west coast of England from Birkenhead (foreground) toward Liverpool. Germany reports a massive raid on these two shipping centers, with "gigantic" fires set by bombs dropped on Liverpool. Germany claims the western gateway for British supplies has been damaged severely.

On Italian Soil, Too, British Bombs Spread Flaming Ruins



(NEA Cable-Photograph) While battling off Hitler's aerial thrusts against the British Isles, England is carrying the war to Italy on other fronts. According to British reports, this picture shows explosions wrecking the Italian port of Maddalena during British bombardments.

KLAMATH FALLS FRI. 6
SO. 6TH STREET CIRCUS GROUNDS SEPT.

COLE BROS. CIRCUS
WITH
KEN MAYNARD'S
WILD WEST EXHIBITION
SCREEN'S GREATEST WESTERN STARS
400 CIRCUS PERFORMERS
3 HEROS ELEPHANTS

DAZZLING OPENING PAGEANT
"LA HABANA"
100 Beautiful Dancing
Girls - Gorgeous Costumes
and Lighting Effects

DOORS OPEN 1 & 7 PERFORMANCES - 2 and 8 P. M.
RESERVED AND ADMISSION TICKETS ON SALE
CIRCUS DAY AT POLIN'S SPORTING GOODS STORE