

SP HANDLES LARGEST LOAD IN ITS HISTORY

Already handling the greatest amount of traffic in its history, Southern Pacific has an even greater wartime load in prospect, but with the effective working relationship with the military and the cooperation of shippers, it will carry the extraordinary load with only such delays as war conditions may make inevitable.

President A. T. Mercier, back in San Francisco from an extensive trip over Southern Pacific's lines and across the country, make this encouraging comment in a message to the railroad's employees in the June issue of the company magazine, just off press.

"The load Southern Pacific carried in 1941, measured by tons hauled one mile, was more than 56 per cent greater than the boom-time record load of 1929, and so far this year is more than 85 per cent greater than in the same period of 1929, Mercier says.

Income Not Proportionate

"But while our volume has greatly increased," he continues, "it should not be assumed that either revenue or net income has increased proportionately. The average revenue received in 1941 was 26 per cent less per ton mile and 40 per cent less per passenger mile than in 1929. Expenses, on the other hand, including wages and costs of many kinds, have increased substantially.

"The revenues the railroad has received have been used to increase our ability to do the wartime job through expansion of facilities and additions to equipment, and also have been used to pay back some of the vast sums the company had to borrow during the depression years."

Freezing of Bus Routes Will Not Affect Klamath

Tuesday's office of defense transportation ruling ordering discontinuance of bus express routes, freezing of all present passenger routes and pooling of all competitive service, will have no effect on the Klamath basin, local bus officials said Wednesday.

"They said that there are no competitive lines in operation through this district and no special express services. Route freezing will not have any bearing on the situation inasmuch as it was believed that no new services were planned.

The only lines which might be regarded as competitive are the Mount Hood stages and the Greyhound lines, both of which operate Portland-Klamath Falls schedules. Mount Hood, however, runs north through Bend, Maupin and Madras, while Greyhound takes the Willamette pass route through Eugene and other valley towns.

LOST PANTS, SAVED FACE

PORTLAND (AP) — Fireman Lawrence rolled out with alarm.

In his haste he kicked his pants and shoes under the bed. Madly he groped for them, but the truck was roaring, ready to move.

There was only one thing to do, and he did it.

At the fire it was not the heat that made his face red.

SP Head



President A. T. Mercier, who has returned to San Francisco after a tour over Southern Pacific's lines and cross-country, is shown here.

Transportation News

RAILROAD PERSONALITIES

Scale Inspector Here—H. O. Jackson, Great Northern scale inspector from Seattle and former bridge foreman on the Klamath division, was in Klamath Falls on business Wednesday.

Transferred Here—Mrs. Florence Daly, employed by the Great Northern at Great Falls, Mont., has been transferred to the superintendent's office of the GN here.

In the City—R. A. Magnuson, stationery storekeeper for the Great Northern, was in the city on business Wednesday.

Abbott Back—Sid Abbott of the superintendent's office of the Great Northern has returned to Klamath Falls after treatment at the Mayo Brothers' clinic in Rochester, Minn., and is expected to be back at his desk Monday morning.

Merrill

MERRILL — Geraldine McKendree, who was 10 years old June 9, was hostess at a picnic party in the box elder grove on the McKendree ranch Tuesday. The guests enjoyed a whirlwind of games and Geraldine was presented with a number of pretty gifts in honor of the day. Present for the picnic were Dolores Steele, Laura Lou Hill, Mary Louise Enman, Sylvia Kady, Lavae Griffith, Bess Lee Bunch, Shirley Shell, Dot Ann Fleming, Alice McKendree, Dale Fleming and Martin Snyder.

IN THE MONEY NOW

DENVER (AP) — In October, 1929, a Portland, Ore., resident wrote the Denver and Rio Grande Western railroad, said he once beat his way on a freight from Grand Junction, Colo., to Denver, and asked what the passenger fare was. The railroad replied that it was \$11.85.

Yesterday another letter from the Portlander arrived at D. and R. G. W. offices. It contained the money for the fare.

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DISPATCH OF CROP SEED SPEEDED UP

CORVALLIS, June 11 (AP)—Dispatch of Oregon winter cover crop seed to the southern states will be speeded up this year through a plan for shipping the seed on a purity test alone without waiting for the germination test formerly required.

The state AAA said the customary two-weeks wait could be cut to two or three days. The commodity credit corporation will pay 80 per cent of the top price possible on the purity test, with the remainder to be paid as soon as germination is determined.

Another step to speed the handling of the huge Oregon crop was taken this week with the shipment of more than a million pounds of last year's seed from Oregon warehouses where it had remained since being harvested too late for use last fall.

The AAA has agreements to purchase at least half of the crop of some 350,000 acres of clover crop seed this season to be shipped south for growing cover crops on cotton land.

John Rogers, 79, Found Dead in Bed

John Rogers, 79, a county aid client of Pershing and Washburn ways, was found dead in his bed this morning, Sheriff Lloyd Low reported.

The body was discovered by Jim Lahey, 73, who lived with Rogers in a shack in the east suburban district near the Tower theatre. Low said Lahey told officers that Rogers complained of being ill last night. He said the elderly man apparently died during the night.

Low said that Rogers is survived by a brother in Canada whose exact whereabouts is unknown. The body is at the Earl Whitlock funeral home.

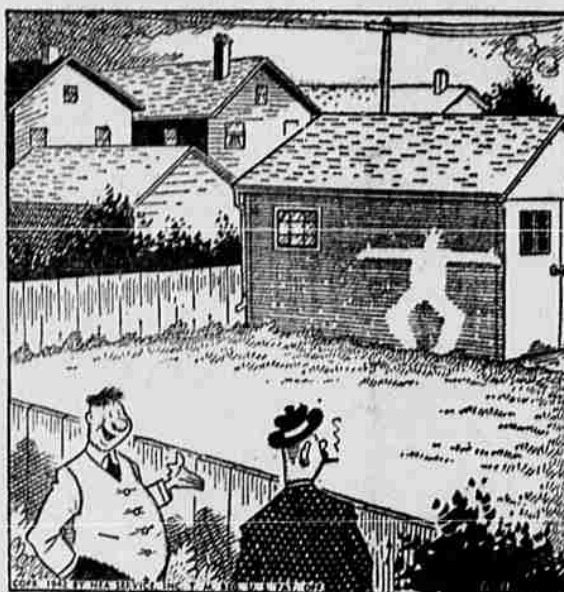
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Mrs. O. L. Brown, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Grimes, drove to Ashland Tuesday evening. Mrs. Brown will remain there for several days to be with their aunt, Mrs. Ed Bond.

Mrs. Fred Relling is ill at the Relling home in Poe valley. Mrs. Helen Sturman has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Nona Corpening at Tulelake since Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Barnes returned from Eugene Friday evening, where they were called by the passing of Mrs. Zed Barnes, Barnes' sister-in-law. A family dinner is being held at the Rowe Kinney home on

FUNNY BUSINESS



"My neighbor was telling fish stories to the painters while his garage was being painted!"

Wednesday evening. The guest of honor is Lieut. Oliver Kinney, who is leaving soon for San Francisco.

Little Sue Ann Grimes is still in a local hospital, but the family report she is improving and they expect soon to bring her home.

Mrs. Curtis Gebhart and Mrs. Marion Barnes visited Sunday with the Boyd Bruners at Henley, and also at the home of Webb Kennetta at Hager.

Members of Lost River grange home economics club spent an enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rose Laux in Klamath Falls on Friday. The afternoon was spent in Red Cross work and visiting. Mrs. Sarah Stocum was co-hostess with Mrs. Laux.

OVERSIGHT

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — A new fire station under construction will be ready to go into operation in a few weeks, but—There's no money to hire and train a crew, says Commissioner Oscar McConkie. All available funds already have been appropriated.

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Positions Open Up For Ditchriders

B. E. Hayden, reclamation superintendent, said Thursday that the service now has openings for ditchriders and the local office is anxious to receive applications for this job.

Anyone interested should call at the reclamation bureau office in the federal building, he said.

FBI CONFAB HERE

PORTLAND, June 11 (AP)—Espionage and sabotage prevention will be discussed in a series of FBI conferences for Oregon peace officers at Pendleton, June 18; Ontario, June 19; Bend, June 20; Klamath Falls, June 22; Marshfield, June 23; Corvallis, June 24; Astoria, June 25; Portland, June 26.

White House Deaths

Only two presidents of the United States have died in the White House, although six have died in office. The two were William Henry Harrison and Zachary Taylor.

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JAP PRISONERS

TOKYO (From Japanese Broadcast), June 11 (AP)—One hundred and fifty-one U. S. war prisoners, 84 officers and men and 61 sailors, were transferred from Zentsu JI to an internment camp at Osaka, Domei reported yesterday.

SQUADS OUTFITTED

PORTLAND, June 11 (AP)—Gas-proof suits for decontamination squads arrived here yesterday. Civilian defense officials said there were 360 in the shipment. More are expected.

RAF fighter pilots operating over the channel and German-occupied territory on the continent carry no maps. They fly entirely by compass and radio.

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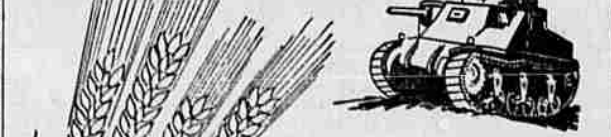
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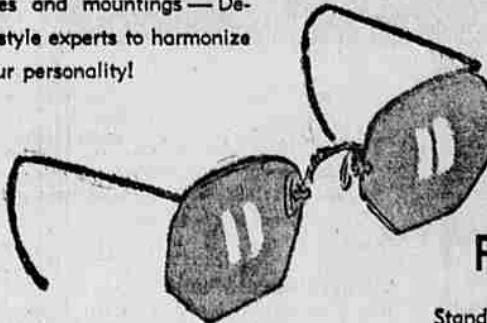
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