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Coming Events

March 15, 16 and 17—Automobile and Motorcycle Show.

April 24-25—Cattle and Horse Raisers' Annual Convention at La Grande.

March 2—Demonstration wool train at La Grande.

May 2 and 3—State Camp Modern Woodmen of America meets in La Grande.

March 17—St. Patrick's Day.

June 4—Special Election to Vote on State Road Bond Issue of \$8,000,000 for State System of Roads. Seven other referred matters will be voted upon.

April 8—Easter Sunday.

June 13, 14, 15—Livestock Show at Union, Oregon.

June 24 to July 1—Grand Rode Chautauque, La Grande.

July 7—National Education Association in Portland.

July 14-19—North Pacific Sangerfest, Portland.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Collection of News Paragraphs and Advertisements.

Miss Nita Hunter is able to be up now. Miss Hunter returned recently from the University of Oregon because of illness.

Distinctive candies for those who want the best. Supplied fresh each week. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 2-1-tf

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Dosehue. 12-20-tf

It seems that it is a crime now under the new law to get drunk. But the mystery is where does the booze come from.

Our new and up-to-date line of fine stationery is pleasing to the most fastidious. No advance in prices. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 2-1-tf

The second national baby week will be celebrated May 1 to 6. This is a movement to spread the knowledge of the proper methods of taking care of babies.

carry two signs advertising Firestone tires.

Stationery of quality. Tinted box paper, and correspondence cards of all sizes and prices from 25 to 75 cents. Crane's linen lawn in pound paper and separate envelopes. Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 2-22-tf

Miss Alice Snook will return to work at the postoffice tomorrow after an absence of two and a half months.

All motorcycle and bicycle accessories at cost. Now is the time to buy. Leighton Garage. 2-17-tf

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilde will leave within a few days for Pocatello, Idaho, where Mr. Wilde has taken a position in the postoffice force.

"The Heir of Mount Vernon" will be presented by the Island City school at I. O. O. F. hall, March 2, at 8 p. m. Five scenes, quaint costumes, songs and music. Admission 25c. Reserved seats on sale at Island City postoffice. 2-24-28;3-1

J. H. Peare returned yesterday morning from a trip to The Dalles and Portland.

We are developing some beautiful snow pictures taken by our customers. Better bring in your films and have us develop them. Our cameras are just the kind that will please you. Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Daily 2-26-tf; weekly 1t

We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 3351.—Adv. 12-4-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker will leave in a few days for Pendleton and Portland for a month's trip. They will look for a location while away.

All the latest styles and best make of boxed paper and tablets. For fine correspondence, see them at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Daily 2-26-tf

The one who knows how little he knows may learn something.

For That Cough and Tickling in your throat, use Syrup of Wild Cherry Bark in combination with Guaiac and Eucalyptus. It gives quick relief. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 2-1-tf

It isn't hard to boycott a dollar when you have only 40 cents.

Wood Sawing. Wood sawing promptly done, city or country. J. J. Murchison. Phone Red 3672.—Adv. 2-2-tf

Money to Loan. On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment Co.—Adv. 2-2-tf

No man should carry a pipe which is strong enough to walk alone. 6 1-2 Per Cent Money. \$30,000 for long term at 6 1-2 per cent interest for loans on Grande Ronde Valley farms. See W. B. Sargent at La Grande Investment Company at once. 2-2-tf

Just Received. A delayed shipment of Imported German ware, including cups and saucers, cream pitchers, milk pitchers and bowls. All sizes at prices from 15c to 50c. Select your sizes while the line is complete—Golden Rule Co. 2-26-tf

Cranberries and raisins make a nice winter relish. Cook together, add sugar and spices to taste.

Misses Jones and Rabone. We carry a full line in Ladies' Suits, Coats and Skirts in the S. & H. garment.

We make Suits, Coats, Skirts and Dresses. A perfect fit guaranteed. Remodeling done. West New Bldg.

Singer Sewing Machines. New and second hand machines sold on easy terms. No interest. Repair work a specialty on all machines. Chas. M. Shapland, agent, Foley Hotel Bldg. Phone Red 451. 1-17-tf

Gus Levy Sells His Stallion "Etonnant"

Union, Ore., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—G. S. Levy of La Grande and Union last week sold to Roy Knight, Ben Brugger, A. H. Parson, Dr. S. H. Whiting, J. W. Clarke, W. F. Gettings and Galloway brothers, comprising the (imported) Belgian Horse company, Elgin, Ore., his noted imported Belgian stallion, "Etonnant," for \$3000.

By this sale Union's loss is Elgin's gain. The purchasers are to be congratulated, and farmers and breeders in the vicinity of Elgin have reason for satisfaction that they have an animal of such merit.

"Etonnant" is a horse of great substance, a prepotent breeder and an individual true to type.

"Etonnant" has won many blue and championships at the various shows at which he has been exhibited. It is believed he is without a peer in the county if not in the state, and on account of the war it probably will be years before another such animal is imported from Belgium.

Mr. Levy says the management of the Union Livestock show have already expressed the hope that the new owners may be induced to exhibit "Etonnant" at the coming show, June 13, 14 and 15.

Bulk Grain Handling Meeting Here Friday

Meeting Will Be Held in City Hall Friday Morning. Federal Wool Car Here Same Day.

Farmers of Union county will discuss bulk grain handling at a meeting called for the La Grande city hall Friday at 10 a. m. Prof. G. R. Hyslop of O. A. C., and one or two Wasco and Umatilla county men who have handled grain in bulk this season will speak. A representative of the Port of Astoria will be present.

Prof. J. E. Larson of O. A. C., a potato expert, will be in the city at the same time and may talk at a meeting of potato growers upon potato diseases.

The Federal wool car will be on the O.W. siding Friday and the wool from "back to back" will be explained.

ARE YOU AWARE

That Gene Good reads "light literature"? We saw him with a copy of Haekel in his hands the other night.

That to J. E. Reynolds, member of the school board and the state fair board, is due, in large measure, the visit of the federal wool car to the northwest? Mr. Reynolds was in Denver when the car was there and immediately saw the possibilities for the northwest sheepmen of seeing the exhibits and hearing the talks. He was instrumental in having the department of agriculture include the northwest in the car's itinerary.

NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—5 room cottage; nice residence district. Phone Red 111. 2-28-tf

WANTED—Chickens. Phone Red. 3231. 2-28-tf

Administration Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as Executor of the Estate of Katrina M. Larsen, Deceased, has filed his final account and that the County Court room in the Court House in La Grande, Union County, Oregon as the place for hearing all objections, if any, to said final account and the settlement of said estate. Dated La Grande, Oregon, February 28th, 1917. E. D. WHITING, Executor of Estate of Katrina M. Larsen, Deceased. Daily 2-28.

Announcements

Card of Thanks. We wish to extend our thanks to our many friends who were so kind to us during the illness and bereavement of our daughter, Pearl.

We wish to offer our thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings. MR. AND MRS. N. W. GRAY AND FAMILY. 2-27-21

Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Union County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for the furnishing of 75 cords of 3 ft. 8 in. yellow pine or yellow fir cord wood, to be free from limbs, cut from green timber, and to be delivered and corded in the basement of the Court House at La Grande, Oregon, not later than October 1, 1917. All bids must be filed with the County Clerk on or before March 1, 1917, and must be accompanied by a certified check of at least ten per cent of the amount bid. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract and give a bond for the performance of the same. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. C. K. McCORMICK, County Clerk. 2-24-28

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such indebtedness could be incurred without first being authorized by a majority vote of the people.

Steamship Facilities Proposed.

The object of this amendment is to enable the Port of Portland either to go into the steamship business itself or to subsidize vessels for steamship service between Portland and other ports.

The legislature also enacted the necessary laws to make the constitutional amendment effective.

Submitted in 1918

Two measures submitted to the people by this session were exempted from the special election ballot and will go on the ballot at the regular election in November, 1918.

One is a constitutional amendment, proposed by Representative Sheldon of Jackson county, for the establishment of two additional normal schools—one at Ashland and the other somewhere in eastern Oregon at a place to be selected by the normal school regents. The bill authorizes an annual tax levy of one-twenty-fifth of a mill for each school, but none of the money is to be spent for a site. If the eastern Oregon school is not established at Weston, where the state owns property, it must be placed on a site presented to the state free of charge.

Another measure that will go over to the 1918 election authorizes an expenditure of \$200,000 for the creation of a home, near Portland, for dependent, delinquent and defective children now committed by the state to various private and sectarian institutions, thus ending the biennial squabble in the legislature over appropriating money to sectarian schools.

Will Not Prosecute.

The school fund and the school children of the state will have no opportunity to enjoy the proceeds from the lands that have been taken from them by the Pacific Livestock company, through fraudulent purchases of state lands, should it be possible to uncover fraud in their holdings and return such lands to the state, for the house, at its Monday night session recalled the bill granting the attorney general an appropriation of \$5,000 for the prosecution of the suits begun by him and sent it to its death by the route of indefinite postponement.

Crandall fought against the move to recall the bill, charging that Kay had been lobbying against the bill for the past week or more. He said that it was a serious matter and that the defeat of the bill was an attack upon the school fund and the school children of the state.

Lime Bill Passes.

The bill to create a state lime board and appropriate money for a lime grinding plant passed the house Monday night after a bitter fight had been made by the "interests" to amend the bill so as to take the teeth out of it. It was a complete victory for the farmers of the state, especially those of Benton and Linn Counties where the lime question has been agitated so much for the past two and a half years.

This probably is one of the most important measures enacted into legislation at this session. It provides not only for the creation of a lime board, but the investigation and development of deposits of lime rock to furnish lime to the farmers of the Willamette valley for fertilizer. The bill called for appropriation of \$50,000 but this was cut to \$20,000. It authorizes the governor to employ convicts from the penitentiary in developing the business.

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