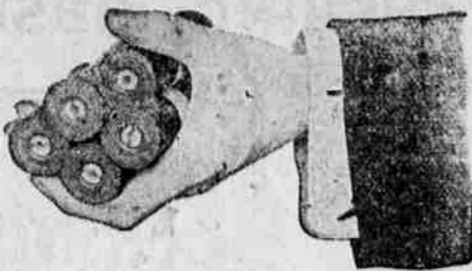


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Coming Events

May 1 and 2—State Camp Modern Woodmen of America meets in La Grande.

May 8.—Competitive examination at postoffice for cadetship to U. S. Naval Academy.

June 4—Special Election to Vote on State Road Bond Issue of \$6,000.

June 8 and 9—Oregon State Bankers' Association at Marshfield.

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

June 25 and 26—The Women of Woodcraft District convention.

June 27 to July 3 (inclusive)—Grand Ronde Chautauqua, La Grande.

July 7—National Education Association in Portland.

July 14-19—North Pacific Sangerfest, Portland.

July 13, 14, 15—State Editorial Association at Pendleton.

July 21-22—"Speed 'em Up" motorcycle and auto races at La Grande.

AMUSEMENTS.

Arcade Theatre—Motion pictures.

Colonial Theatre—Motion pictures and vaudeville.

Sherry's Theatre—Motion pictures.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Collection of News Paragraphs and Advertisements.

James S. Peach, who lives eight miles from La Grande, returned today from Portland where he went to visit his brother, George W. Peach who is in the Portland sanatorium suffering from cancer. Mrs. Young, a sister who lives near Quebec, Canada, is also visiting her brother for a few days and Mrs. Van Tress, of this community also. Mr. George Peach's vitality is low and his recovery is doubtful.

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Donohue. 12-20-17

6 1-2 Per Cent Money.

\$30,000 for long term at 6 1-2 per cent interest for loans on Grand Ronde Valley farms. See W. B. Sargent at La Grande Investment Company at once. 2-2-17

Rev. G. L. Clark, scout master, received this morning a package of garden seeds from N. J. Sinnott for distribution among the Boy Scouts.

Pure Milk and Cream company's telephone number is Black 2001.—Adv. 4-13-17.

All sizes and Rulings of loose-leaf memorandum books.—Newlin Book & Stationery Co.—Adv. 4-19-17

C. E. Browning, of Enterprise, is in this city visiting at the home of his brother H. L. Browning of this city.

For Sale:

Twelve room furnished modern house in best residence section of the town. House pays \$70 per month and furnishes 5 nice rooms for family use. Owner must sell at once as health of member of family compels him to leave and will sell at a bargain. Comparatively small cash payment required. Balance can be paid monthly out of income from property. Address X, care Observer.

We pay highest prices for hide and sheep pelts. Peoples' Meat Market, 1419 1-2 Adams Ave.—Adv. 12-5-17.

Word was received from the "Golden Egg Macaroni man" Lige Worsham in Seattle that he had successfully passed the examinations as First Lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps and will leave for San Francisco to begin training May 7th. He was recently of this city.

A good social dance at Zuber hall every Tuesday and Saturday night. Private dancing lessons every evening. Phone Black 1211 for appointment.—Adv. 3-14-17.

Those fine soda water concoctions that the mixer at Silverthorn's puts up will surely please you.—Adv. 4-23-17.

If you want a good oyster supper try La Grande Oyster House, 1115 1-2 Adams avenue. Oysters fresh daily and all shell fish. Special attention given for private parties. Geo. Carres, proprietor.—Adv. 3-15. Mon. Wed. Fri.

Guests at Banquet.

Those present at the Knights of Columbus banquet were R. J. Sullivan, G. K. La Grande; A. P. Heckman, La Grande; F. L. Wade, Elgin; Clarence A. Becker, La Grande; John La Bine, La Grande; E. H. Webster, La Grande; Fred Spneth, La Grande; F. A. Charboneau, La Grande; W. H. Vogel, Union; J. F. Paradise, K. Baker; F. J. Lonergan, Portland; Rt. Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, Baker; P. J. Driscoll, La Grande; Aug. Leaser, Baker; W. A. Barrett, state deputy, Albany; J. H. Peare, district deputy, La Grande; Pat Lonergan, G. K., Pendleton; James P. McNamee, La Grande; A. C. Maneman, Ontario; J. J. Elkamp, Baker; S. J. Eulrich, Baker; W. M. Peare, O. G. K., La Grande; C. W. Charboneau, La Grande; F. S. O'Brien, Baker; F. A. Grant, Baker; Jas. M. Wilson, La Grande; Thos. E. Grant, Jr., Baker; Harry G. White, Baker; Harry DeLaney, Aberdeen; Eugene Molitor, Pendleton; Jas. A. Deolin, Ben V. Bassett, Joe C. Kelley, La Grande; J. F. Corbett, P. G. K., La Grande; Martin King, Kamela; C. P. Newlin, La Grande; J. T. O'Connor, Huron; F. L. Pearson, La Grande; James A. Haran, Portland; Benedict P. Kalin, La Grande; R. C. Provost, La Grande; J. L. Munkall, La Grande; Louis Tammase, Perry; Peter Grout, La Grande; Thomas V. Kenny, La Grande; Harry W. Swart, La Grande; Dista Charboneau, La Grande; Luke E. Ferguson, La Grande; R. A. Hawes, Meacham; J. F. Logue, Huntington; M. A. Fitzgerald, La Grande; Harry L. Becker, Cove; C. Baccini, La Grande; Geo. Coppelli, Hilgard; Fred Dutil, La Grande; Adam P. Gamlowski, Pendleton; Thos. Swart, Pendleton; Joseph Ell, Pendleton; Geo. Phelps, Pendleton; Frank Downey, Let 'Er Buck; Patrick J. Hanley, P. G. K., Portland; C. J. Kenney, La Grande; John E. Anderson, La Grande; Dan H. Allen, La Grande; Charles W. Gore, La Grande; G. E. McDonald, North Powder; H. A. Backbas, Baker; Connie Grabb, Baker; W. Eagles, G. K., Albany; N. A. Desilet, La Grande; Y. Meyers, La Grande; A. A. Smith, P. G. K., Baker; J. W. Crawford, Fin. Sec., Baker; J. A. Garity, La Grande; John McLaughlin, Echo; Lu Billings, City; W. P. Smith, Baker; G. P. Parrall, La Grande; L. A. McAllister, La Grande; C. L. Lynch, La Grande; A. L. Becker, Cove; Henry Nurre, La Grande; C. P. Gellbraith, La Grande; E. A. Strayens, La Grande; D. J. McLellan, La Grande; J. G. Miller, La Grande.

Professor W. C. Nadeau, of Union, is in the city today on professional business. He left this morning with George Ferguson also of Union by automobile for that city.

Horrors of an earthquake, the San Francisco fire, terror stricken refugees. All these are shown in "Hell Morgan's Girl" coming to the Colonial next Monday and Tuesday.—Adv.

Beautiful stationery, the very latest and highest class brands, always at Silverthorn's Family Drug store where all kinds of books are kept in stock.—Adv. 4-23-17.

Commander Nicholson, of the Department of Oregon United States Spanish war veterans, stopped over in La Grande last Friday night visiting James E. Page of Camp No. 14 U. S. Spanish war veterans located in this city. He departed on the late train for his home in Portland.

Misses Jones and Rabone

Ladies' Ready to Wear. We are now showing all the new goods in Suits, Coats, Skirts and Waists. We make suits, coats and skirts to order. Remodeling done. 3-12-17

Kenneth Carpy, who has been in Lewistown, Montana, the past year, returned today to take a position with J. Van Buren.

Cameras and all kinds of films and films developed and printed perfectly and promptly by persons that know how at Silverthorn's Family Drug store.—Adv. 4-23-17

We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 8851.—Adv. 12-4-17

After spending three months with the people of La Grande Sergeant Rice and wife will depart tonight for Spokane where they will begin a recruiting tour through the northwest via motorcycle. Sergeant and Mrs. Rice wish to extend their thanks and appreciation to the citizens of La Grande for their efforts and help in promoting the Sergeant's work. They also state that upon receiving his discharge that it is their intention to return to La Grande to make their permanent home. His successor Sergeant H. W. Lee will take up his active work at the postoffice building. The best wishes and regards of the many friends of Sergeant and Mrs. Rice go with them upon their departure.

The Coffee Shop.

The Coffee Shop is now open in the Foley Hotel. It gives table and counter service and is open at all hours. It bids fair to be the most popular lunch place in the city. 4-20-17

Singer Sewing Machine.

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

General Superintendent M. J. Buckley, of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., and Mrs. Buckley are in the city for a short visit.

Cameras, films and all camera equipment at Silverthorn's.—Adv. 4-23-17

"Hell Morgan's Girl," queen of "Sailors' Rest" at the Colonial next Monday and Tuesday.—Adv. 4-23-17.

Protected by her knowledge of values the ad-reading home-maker knows WHEN to take advantage of a lower price in buying.—4-9-16, 23, 30-17.

Surveying.

Surveying and general engineering at reasonable rate. R. R. NEAL, Office of City Engineer in City Hall.—Adv. Mon.-Sat.

WHAT ARE THE POINTS OF DESIRABILITY about your house or apartment? What facts do possible tenants want to know before making a personal inspection? Put these facts into your advertisement, and awaken an INTEREST in what you have to offer. This will put you in touch with the class of tenants who are careful and discriminating in choosing a place to live and these are the best possible tenants.—Adv-9, 23, 30 tf.

Have You Planted Your Garden?

Now is the time to get busy on that vacant lot, back yard or parking strip. Even a small garden will help lower your cost of living and also help conserve the world's food supply.

We have all varieties of Western Grown Garden Seeds in bulk at a saving of 1-2 to 2-3 the price of Eastern Package Seeds.

New Stock of Garden

Hose

In rubber, cotton and solid moid. Prices 13c, 15c, 18c, 22c

Garden Tools of All

Kinds

Spading forks, hoes, rakes, cultivators, sprinklers, hose couplings, hand trowels

HOT POINT IRONS WILL ADVANCE SOON—BUY YOURS TODAY. NEW SHIPMENT TOILET AND LAUNDRY SOAPS—JUST RECEIVED. AGENTS FOR CHINAMEL PAINTS, STAINS AND VARNISHES.

Child's Garden Sets

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Quality the same—Prices low.
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BOSTON SHOW GIRLS GIVE GOOD SHOWS

Louis Christ is rapidly arriving in the producers' class. His company "The Boston Show Girls" appeared at the Arcade Theatre Saturday and Sunday and sent the audiences away feeling satisfied.

Mr. Christ has selected his performers with great care, and they move through the singing and dancing numbers of the two plays, "A Trip Around the World" and "A Night in Chinatown," with promptness, spice and precision. Billy Rafferty is a comedian who gets the laughs; it can be readily seen that he is an experienced performer and the audiences were delighted with his work. Miss McDonagh is a clever singing ingenue; Billy Nixon is a laugh getter as a German comedian; Morey Long, the baritone, has a good voice and a pleasing stage presence; Miss Hoyle is both a singer and character actor. The show is clean; there is no vulgarity and the singing is really tuneful.

May Wheat \$2.78.

Chicago, April 30.—(United Press)—The wheat market: May—Open \$2.75, high \$2.78, low \$2.70, close \$2.71. July—Open \$2.29, high \$2.34, low \$2.23 1-4, close \$2.25 3-4.

Marshal Joffre Confident.

Washington, April 30.—(Special)—Marshal Joffre told the people of America today, through Washington newspaper correspondents who called upon him, that France cherishes the confident hope that the flag of the United States soon will be flying on her battle lines.

Result of Gun Shoot.

The result of yesterday's shoot of the local gun club showed good shooting. Several visitors were present and took part in the event. The scores made were, L. Rayburn, 23; Claud Mackey, 23; B. W. Hughes, 20; J. T. Houton, 23; Geo. Young, 16; J. Daniels, 22; J. H. Dupes, 17; Mrs. J. H. Dupes, 18; O. C. Lemons, 22; J. A. Reed, 22.

MEN AND WOMEN—do you want more money, \$5 to \$10 per day, all or spare time; easy congenial work right at home. Write today before your territory is gone. J. M. Coughlan, 725 Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Ore.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Bids for Wood.

Notice is hereby given that the District School Board of School District No. 1 of Union County, Oregon, will receive up to 5 o'clock p. m. of May 11, 1917, sealed bids for furnishing said District No. 1 with 400 cords of four-foot split yellow pine, tamarac and red fir wood, said wood to be cut while green and not later than June 15, 1917, free from large knots

and acceptable to said school board. Said wood to be delivered, 290 cords at the high school building, 75 cords at the Greenwood building and 35 cords at the Rivera building and to be corded up neatly and closely where directed by the board. One hundred cords to be delivered by July 1st and all on or before September 1, 1917. Bids to be left with school clerk and the board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CHAS. H. REYNOLDS, School Clerk.
D. 4-28-6t. W. 5-4.



JUST FOR WEAR.

Practical navy serge, the standby, develops this suit, bound with silk braid. The introduction of accordion plaits just back of the side hip line is quite a new detail.

New Red Cross Members

New Red Cross members are: Miss Miriam Smith, Miss Ruth Gormley, Miss Lou Jones, Miss Enid Switzer, Mrs. F. S. Ivanhoe, Gwendolyn and Constance Hall, Mrs. C. N. Palmer, Miss Olive Slater, Rev. and Mrs. Upton Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stevens, Miss Naomi Kirtley, Miss Sarah Smith, Miss Buren, Mrs. B. I. Gunderson, John Slater, Miss Marrit Adskin.

OVER TWO BILLION FOR ARMY AND NAVY
Washington, April 30.—(United Press)—The House appropriations committee introduced a bill appropriating two billion six hundred and ninety-nine million for the army and navy.

Modern Woodmen Tomorrow.

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anyone who can spare the time, both men and women, join with the visitors at this program.

On Wednesday afternoon after the state camp adjourns, the delegates will inspect the round house and machine shops.

Merchants are hanging out welcome signs today and there is still room for more.

Tomorrow at 11:30 local Woodmen will gather at the station and greet the visitors as they come in on No. 6 and will escort them to the Foley hotel where the weekly luncheon will begin at noon sharp, La Grande merchants and professional men being on hand then to greet the visitors. While small in number the delegation is the most representative of the entire state that have ever been at a convention. Each county convention elects at least one delegate to the camp which convenes here tomorrow.

Imbler News Notes

Spring Plowing Is Begun—Clean-up Day is May 1—Wheat Is Looking Fine—High School Enrollment Is 150—Boy Scouts Study Telegraphy.

Imbler, April 29.—(Special)—The war pictures billed for April 27 were shown on the 28th, owing to the school program coming on the former date.

Local showers are delaying the already late spring but much plowing is being done. An unusually large acreage of potatoes will be planted.

The high school is losing several boys, owing to the spring work.

Prof. Star was over from Summerville Wednesday to bring two more volunteers to join the boys from Wal-lowa.

Remember clean-up day, May 1. Get your rubbish ready for the wagons and be on hand early with a rake or shovel.

Wheat is looking fine.

Enrollment in the school has reached the 150 mark.

The Southern drama by the National Stock Co. Monday evening was one of the best plays put on here by this company.

The boy scouts have taken up telegraphy and with four instruments connected in as many homes in different parts of the town the boys are becoming quite proficient in the wireless code.

Ranchers living or having crops on river bottom land have been anxiously watching and repairing their levees day and night in an effort to prevent flooding of their crops, but many of the levees have given way or proved to be too low, and nearly all bottom land is now under from one to four or five feet of water. The Striker bridge near the Hibbard farm has been impassable for about a week and water is now running over grade on both sides the McGoldrick bridge, this being the highest point reached by the Grande Ronde for several years. Bottom land fields on the Childers, McGoldrick, Stringham, Wilson and Witty farms are flooded, as are those of many other farms.

Eldon Conklin and Mildred Weeks are two of the latest measles recruits.

Miss Margaret Johnson closed a successful term at the Willow creek school Friday and celebrated the event by appropriate exercises.

Charley Holmes is recovering from the injury he received a few days ago. While assisting at pulling apple tree stumps he was struck in the side by the end of a flying chain and severely injured. According to the attending physician's report, if the blow had struck a few inches from where it did, the result would in all probability

Oysters Served In Every Style

Crawfish supper, special, tonight. Fresh crabs and oysters—La Grande Oyster and Chop House.

have been fatal.

The church furniture belonging to Adventists here has been shipped to Boise, Idaho.

Charley Squire was in La Grande Friday to have some particles of sand removed from his eye.

County Agriculturist Spillman was in Imbler Friday.

Frank German motorcycled down from Fruitdale Friday and reported that he found rough roads part way. Mrs. Myrtle Larsen and her mother, Mrs. Clark, former Imbler residents, are here from Monument, in Central Oregon, to spend the summer in Imbler. Mrs. Larsen will teach in Prairie City next year.

Miss Nell Lloyd returned to La Grande this week after a short visit with her father, Robert Lloyd.

Walter Wade is using his caterpillar engine to pull apple trees in the P. C. I. orchard. All Newtown trees, about 40 acres, are being removed.

The senior class play "Molly's Aunt" was the main part of the school program Friday night. The cast included Melba Tuttle, Sylvia Wood, Fern McKinnis, Grace German and Marvin Lloyd, the seniors; Kipling, Larsen, a junior, and Darrell Larsen, a post-graduate. The remainder of the program consisted of a dramatized nursery rhyme by eighth and ninth grades, a military "stunt," and piano selections by Miss Ethel Pearson.

The 1916 wheat crop will show a minimum quantity in this end of the valley. At the Conley warehouse every sack is gone and floors swept clean, at Imbler only eight or 10 carloads are left and they are to go as soon as cars are available, and at Alice the Kiddle houses are almost empty. The only large quantity of which we know is about 4000 bushels at Alice belonging to Angus Shaw. Farmers are having difficulty in finding wheat for spring sowing.

Ruby Rollins is ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Dan Westenskow arrived home Sunday morning from a visit with relatives and friends in Manti, Utah. Her brother Wilford Anderson accompanied Mrs. Westenskow and will remain here during the summer.

Noah A. Cramer, who has had the principalship in District 78, formerly the Imbler school, for the past year, has signed up for the Kamela school for next year. Mr. Cramer taught at Kamela the last two years preceding his work here.

SEED POTATOES

Anyone wanting good seed potatoes can arrange with us, and pay after harvest.

Phone Main 780