

UNION STOCK SHOW

THIS WEEK

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Social and Personal

Mrs. F. C. Rinehart left this morning for Portland where she will visit for a short time.

Mrs. J. W. Stevenson came in from her home in Pilot Rock and went out to Elgin to visit friends.

Mrs. H. A. Thomas, of Riverside Park, left today for a visit with her sister, Mrs. De Long, at Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gibson left this morning for Portland to visit a week with Mrs. Gibson's sister, Mrs. Everett Cate.

Mr. J. H. Ferguson formerly of La Grande, but for the past few months living at Umatilla, is spending a short time in the East.

Mac Wood, of the Golden Rule Company, who has been ill for the past few days, is again able to be at his place of business.

Peter O'Rourke, a brakeman on the O.-W. R. N. left this morning for Pendleton where it is his intention to enlist in the Navy.

Miss Emma Blahm, a junior in the Walla Walla high school, is visiting in La Grande and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. E. Schiffer.

Mrs. H. M. Topliff is over from her home in Pendleton and is transacting business and visiting with her former neighbors and friends.

Mr. Grant, who is employed as a switchman with the O.-W. left this morning for Pendleton, with the intention of enlisting in the Navy.

Mrs. W. E. Ferguson and daughter Miss Elizabeth, of Umatilla, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keeney and renewing their acquaintance with former neighbors.

F. O. Larson, who has been with the Palmer Lumber Company for the past five years and who has lived here since 1903, will leave with his family for Kirksville, Mo., where they expect to make their future home.

Riley Thompson, the man who was overcome and fell on the walk at the Levy-Vogel corner a couple of weeks ago, has sufficiently recovered to be able to return to his home from the hospital. Mr. Thompson is an employee of the Palmer Lumber Company.

Mrs. Sadie Allen, who has been visiting with her daughter in Rainier for the past two months, returned to her home in Enterprise today. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Louise Allen, who has been quite ill for some time and who is in hopes the bracing climate of Eastern Oregon will do her good.

Miss Nellie and Miss Mary Cole of Forest Grove are visiting at the home of Dr. Dora Underwood. The Misses Cole have only been here from England for a short time and on their trip across the water they had the experience of being on a ship that was torpedoed and although the damage was very slight and no one was injured at all, yet the episode was one to be remembered for a lifetime.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gulling are in receipt of a telegram from their daughter Ethel, who left here May 30 for New York to join Base Hospital No. 46, telling of her safe arrival in New York City and that she had met the other young ladies of her unit. She is stationed at the Madison Square Hotel, 37 Madison Avenue, and will be there until the Hospital Unit leaves for France.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Guttridge, who have been visiting in Seattle, returned to their home in La Grande today. They left here last Friday evening on No. 19 and went to Seattle, where they caught the steamer Kennedy and went to the navy yards at Bremerton, where they visited with their son, James H., and with a nephew, Amos Guttridge. Both of these young men are enlisted in the navy. They report a great deal of activity in the navy yards and are well pleased with their trip but glad to get back to Grande Ronde.

Miss M. E. Ayers is over from her home in Athena.

Miss Lottie Olson is down from her home in North Powder.

E. J. Johnston of Baker, is spending a few days in our city.

E. G. Saltmarch is a business visitor in La Grande from North Powder.

Mrs. Ray Fuller is in Union and will remain until the close of the stock show.

Mrs. G. M. McMillan went over to Union this morning to attend the Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wakefield and baby are in Union attending the Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb and children went to Union to attend the stock show.

D. T. Brookless, of San Francisco, is visiting his sister Mrs. W. H. Bull, of La Grande.

Miss Edith Bragg is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Dan McLellan at Portland.

Mrs. F. E. Ames, of The Dalles, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Bull, and other relatives in La Grande.

Mrs. L. L. Snodgrass, who has been in the east for the past month is expected to arrive home tomorrow.

Miss Elsie Harvey came down from her home in Kamela and will visit a few days with friends in this city.

Miss Bertha Fisher is in the city on route from Corvallis where she is a student at O. A. C., to her home in Rainier.

Jake Canady, formerly of this city but now living in Prineville was visiting with his former friends a short time today.

Mrs. K. W. P. Keep and Mrs. M. H. McKittrick went over to Union today to attend a meeting of the Salvation Army.

Mrs. H. W. Nibley, Jr. and daughter Miss Eva went over to Union to visit with friends and attend the Stock show.

Lee Fine and family of Umatilla county are in the city today en route to their home after a tour by automobile through Idaho.

Miss Minna Ash, who has been attending the O. A. C. at Corvallis has returned to La Grande to spend her summer vacation.

C. P. Tolens, L. K. Weeks and C. E. Ball are in the city from Walla Walla. These gentlemen are all connected with the telephone company.

Miss Hazel Hicks of Weiser is in the city, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ash. She is en route to her home after attending the O. A. C. at Corvallis.

Mrs. Jay Casada and children, Miss Dorothy and Master Jay, Jr., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Casada's sister, Mrs. J. H. Dupes have returned to their home in Shoshone, Idaho.

Master Ben Herr left this morning for Caldwell, Idaho to visit with his uncle, Mr. L. H. Hankoy. Master is only nine years old and was feeling quite proud to think he was making the journey alone.

hold a business meeting at the church will have charge of the church there Friday evening, June 7. After a short business hour there will be a reception for Rev. Roberts, who has recently moved to Island City and who will have charge of the church there. A Hoover luncheon will be served and all are invited to attend.

John Clark, who a number of years ago was an employee at the Palmer Lumber Company, but who has been east for the past few years, returned to this city last evening and left this morning for Palmer Junction where he will have charge of one of the loaders.

Julius Roesch was a Baker visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Leeper is visiting in Pendleton today.

Mrs. R. A. Willis is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. Thomas in Pendleton.

Gearhart Stockland, of Cove is still very ill at the Grande Ronde Hospital.

Justice of the Peace Arthur Williams has returned from a business trip to Pendleton.

Mrs. Chas. Reynolds has returned from Hot Lake, where she has been for the past few days.

A marriage license has been issued to Clifford R. Daron and Miss Olive Kerr. These young people are from Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman White who have been visiting in La Grande and Portland have returned to their home in North Powder.

Mrs. A. S. Geddes and daughter, Miss Margaret will leave tomorrow for Salt Lake where they will visit for some time.

Gerald Tuttle, of Imbler, is an assistant in the Levy-Vogel drug store during the absence of Mr. Levy at the stock show.

Miss Loraine Staley, who has been visiting in Portland and Salem for the past three weeks, returned to her home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wagner went over to Union to attend the Stock Show. They expect to remain during the entire program.

Mrs. Bertha Gray and son who have been visiting in La Grande for a few days, returned to their home in Lostine this morning.

Miss Elsie Dalton, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in La Grande, returned to her home in North Powder today.

Master William Ryan, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pattison, has returned to Portland.

About 86 young men have registered at the local board today. The office will be open until 9 o'clock this evening and it is presumed there will be a number in tonight.

John Foley and E. H. Qullen were taken into custody today by chief of Police Lou Rayburn. They were sentenced to five days in jail and will be put to work on the streets.

Mrs. J. A. McCrary, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert Pattison and with her former friends and neighbors of La Grande, returned to her home in Portland last evening.

Night Watchman Christiansen found an empty baby carriage on the street about 2:30 last night. What became of the owner and why the carriage was abandoned, has not yet been learned.

Word has been received from Roscoe B. Doane, who was formerly in the employ of the Hill Drug Store of this city, but who is now with a base hospital at Camp Fremont, Calif., that he has been transferred to the medical department of the ammunition train there.

Hippodrome Vaudeville tonight Arcade.

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LOST—On road between Baker and La Grande, two good tires 34x4, one mounted on a new rim, each covered with brown tire covers. Reward. Call Observer office. 6-5-4tp

PRESIDENT ASKS CLEMENCY.

California Governor Indifferent To Fate Of Mooney.

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 5.—(By United Press.)—President Wilson has telegraphed the governor of California asking, as the nation's executive, clemency for Mooney.

GOVERNOR STEPHENS' REPLY

SACRAMENTO, June 5.—(By United Press.)—"I've received the president's telegram and replied to it. I have nothing further to say," said Governor Stephens.

AUSTRIAN DIVISIONS MASSES.

Enemy Concentrations Reported On The Italian Front.
WASHINGTON, D.C., June 5.—(By United Press.)—Sixty Austrian divisions are massed at three points on the Italian front, says an Italian embassy military dispatch.

MRS. PAUSE DOING NICELY.

Word this afternoon was that Mrs. Anna Pause, who was operated on at the hospital Sunday, is getting along nicely, which is good news to her many friends.

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STOPS AT UNION JUNCTION.

During the three days of the Stock Show, trains Number 4 and 18 will stop at Union Junction, giving those who wish to attend the Stock Show a chance to go on either of those trains.

MAY BE CALLED SOON

Crowder Says New Registrants Likely To Be In Camps.

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 5.—Provost-General Crowder declared that the youngsters who are registering today will probably be in training camps before October.

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Montana Rainfall is Ample

1916 Average	24.5 inches
Official Average for 16 years	16.5 inches
SOME OF THE WET YEARS.	
1902	28. inches
1906	22.5 inches
1911	21.3 inches
1916	24.5 inches

The most significant feature of this rainfall, however, is that it comes during the summer months, while the grain is actually growing. The average for the month of May being 3 inches, June 3 inches, July 2 inches and August 2 inches. Thus, the wheat which is just appearing from the ground in May, is kept constantly soaked until harvest, which comes late in August. This differs from other states, and wheat countries, which apparently have as great or greater rainfall, but receive no rain in the summer months. Crops in such localities rarely receive any rain at all after it is ready to head out. Our Montana rainfall, likewise is an approximate duplicate of the above, which is the official figures for the Lethbridge district. The amazing crops of 1917, in the vicinity of Stirling, Raymond and New Dayton, where we have extensive holdings, were produced with less than 11 inches of rain, which was, with one exception, the lowest rainfall in 16 years.

Can You Do As Well In Your Home State?

Mr. Farmer: Read the following thoroughly authenticated official averages of wheat yields on farms in that portion of Southern Alberta, tributary to our offices at Stirling and just across the international boundary from our principal Montana holdings, then answer the question propounded in the above headlines.

Mr. Hall, of Milk River:		Mr. Hunt, of Commerce:	
Flax	37 bus.	On Summerfallow	50 bus.
Wheat	76 bus.	Disked in crop (2nd year)	35 bus.
T. W. Patching of Raymond:		\$100.00 per acre crop in two years with one plowing.	
Averaged Wheat	65 bus.	C. H. Mahood of New Dayton, from 320 acres realized 11,000 bushels wheat.	
Otto Welger, of Raymond:		The Pilling Ranch, in the Carleton District, threshed over 800 acres of wheat yielding forty bushels an acre; average weight per bushel sixty-five pounds.	
Averaged Wheat	56 bus.	Yield of potatoes at Lethbridge Experimental Farm, 757 bushels per acre; Red Fire Wheat, 59 bushels per acre.	
C. Brunsdale of Burdett bought farm for \$3,500.00, threshed 8,160 bushels No. 1 wheat at \$1.66, which brought \$13,446.00, net gain of \$9,946.00 in one year.			
Lars Johnson, of Burnett, 57 bushels per acre on 160 acres, grade No. 1.			

Ray. W. Logan, Sales Agent

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