

## Local News In Brief

**George Cheny Entertains**—George Cheny, Editor of the Enterprise, returned home after a visit to La Grande over Sunday.

**Visits to Pendleton**—Mrs. Julia Metzler, of this city, spent the past week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Phelps in Pendleton. She returned to La Grande yesterday.

**Winnipeg to Wallawa**—Jim Minnaugh, manager of the Wallawa Lumber Co., of Wallawa, returned home this morning after a few days' visit to La Grande.

**Life Skills Improve**—Mrs. Fred Schilke, who fell and broke two ribs three weeks ago, is very much improved today and is able to be out on the streets. She says that the accident was indeed very painful.

**Joe Carr Back Again**—Joe Carr arrived home this morning from Hot Lake, where he has been enjoying his usual week-end trip. He reports that his old friend George Cochran, is getting along exceptionally well since his recent operation.

**Widow Returns**—N. W. Windom left this morning for Pendleton, where he will be the guest of relatives and friends. Windom has been the guest of his brother, Ed, for the past several days, having come here from his home in Harrisburg. This was the first meeting of the Windom brothers in the past thirteen years.

**Salvation Army Party**—This evening, in their home on Fir street, the young people of the Salvation Army will put on an entertainment. Songs, recitations, tableaux and other entertaining features have been prepared on the program, and a jolly time is anticipated. The annual prizes will also be distributed to the scholars of the Sunday school, after which a social hour and refreshments will be enjoyed.

**Ready for Vacation**—Engineer Frank Jackson has taken a lay-off from his O. W. work for a few weeks, and with Mrs. Jackson, will leave tomorrow morning for a several weeks' trip covering several cities in Oregon and Washington. Going to Pendleton tomorrow, they will visit with friends there, later going to Walla Walla for a visit with Mr. Jackson's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw, Portland, Salem, Tacoma and other cities are also on the Jackson itinerary.

**Return to Elgin**—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sewell have returned to their home in Elgin, after spending the past month with Sewell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunn, of Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. Sewell formerly resided in Pendleton and were welcomed for their return visit.

**Pendleton Teacher to Leave**—The Pendleton East Oregonian contains the following item relative to a former La Grande teacher, Miss Linda Gillilan, who has taught the sixth grade in the Washington school since September, has come to San Francisco where she has accepted a position as teacher in a public school. She has been successful.

## COMING EVENTS.

Jan. 17—Volunteer Firemen's Annual Dance, Rex Hall.  
Jan. 20—Ladies' Columbia Symphony Orchestra will appear in concert under auspices of L. D. S. Choir at Tabernacle.  
Jan. 21—Opening of Country Club.  
Jan. 31-Feb. 5—Deputies Payne and Gaffney, of income tax department will be at Court House to aid persons in making out their tax returns.

## Announcement

**OLD-TIME DANCERS**  
will be given in Rex Hall on Thursday evenings. Nothing but the graceful, old-time dances will be danced. Music by Lindy's superb orchestra. Everyone enjoyed the first dance; be sure and attend those to be given. Lessons by appointment. Call Main 65.  
**Mr. & Mrs. P. J. Powers**

## DANCE

**TUESDAYS  
SATURDAYS**  
Watch this space for Special Dates  
**REX HALL**  
N. A. Desilet, Mgr.

the northwest recently. He was a member of company D, 56th Engineers, and died in action.

**J. L. James Here on Business**—J. L. James, of Enterprise, who has been spending the past several days here on business, will leave tonight for his home.

**Director's Meeting**—The Board of directors of the new La Grande University Club will hold their regular meeting tomorrow evening at the S. M. C. A. at 7 o'clock.

**Bedford Brothers to Play Perry**—The Bedford Brothers' Badminton team will play the Perry team this evening. A hot game is expected as both teams are in the best of condition.

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**Lee Warnick to North Powder**—Lee Warnick left this morning for North Powder, where he will spend the day on official business.

**Lucky Thirteen Club**—Mrs. W. Bollens will entertain the members of the Lucky Thirteen Club this coming Thursday afternoon.

**Smurthwaite Here**—J. Richard Smurthwaite spent the week-end in La Grande as the guest of friends. He is from Baker.

**A. E. Youn Visits La Grande**—A. E. Youn, Interstate Boys' Work Secretary of Oregon and Idaho, spent Friday and Saturday with the local Y. M. C. A.

**Miss Mills Slowly Improves**—Miss Ellen Mills is slowly improving at the Hot Lake Sanatorium where she was taken some time ago to undergo treatment from Dr. Phyl.

**Miss Dunbar Home**—Miss Lucille Dunbar arrived home last evening from Wallawa where she spent the week-end as the guest of friends.

**Bill Jones in La Grande**—Bill Jones is bringing about town these days and says that he is from Coos Bay, where the rain falls every day and prices soar higher than ever.

**Spends Week-End at Pendleton**—Miss May Noll, one of the high school teachers, spent the past week-end in Pendleton, as the guest of her university friend, Miss Claire Bailey.

**The Moores Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore are in La Grande today from Elgin. They are teachers near Elgin and claim that they will spend a few days here visiting with friends. They will spend the rainy season here.

**Pastes Through La Grande**—Mrs. M. A. Riggs has been spending the past several weeks in Elgin as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Parsons. Mrs. Riggs passed through La Grande this morning on her way home to Weber.

**Mrs. Graham to Baker**—Mrs. Marie Graham left this morning for her home in Baker, after spending a short visit here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Patton, at Island City.

**Enterprise Man Visits**—T. J. Becker's beaming face smiled through all this rain this morning. He says, "Oh, La Grande still looks good to me, regardless of the weather." He is from Enterprise and is here for a few days on business.

**Wallawa County Judge Here**—Judge and Mrs. W. H. Marvin are spending a few days in La Grande on business. They are stopping at the Sommer Hotel and hail from Enterprise. Marvin is the Wallawa county judge.

**H. W. Hicks Here**—H. W. Hicks, who is the general superintendent of the Union Pacific railroad in La Grande on business, Hicks was all dolled up in a raincoat and umbrella, and said that he was ready for business.

**Land Office Has Many Visitors**—Leslie A. Tidball, of Medical Springs; Eola S. Williams, of Walla Walla; Mrs. Matt Williams, from Elgin, and J. H. Morris, of Elgin, were all United States Land Office visitors this morning.

**Jack Tidball Here**—Jack Tidball is in La Grande today on business from Joseph. He has been spending the week-end here and will soon return to his home in Joseph.

**The Newsome to Nampa**—Mrs. S. A. Newsome and son, Douglas, left this morning for Nampa, Idaho, after spending several days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Allen and Mrs. Mary Price. They will visit with Mrs. Newsome's brother, Joseph Allen, at Nampa, and will soon return to their home in Astoria.

**Body of Private Crick**—Fisher passed through La Grande this morning bound for Wallawa where burial will take place tomorrow. Young Fisher was killed in France and his body was brought home in a casket which was shipped from France to

## EXPEDIENCY IS URGED

DISABLED MEN ARE ASKED TO MAKE APPLICATION.

Every Ex-Serviceman and Woman Who Is Entitled to Compensation Should Be Prompt to File Request.

There is a growing group of ex-servicemen and women to whom the first duty always is owed. That is the group of disabled, sick and compensable ex-servicemen and women in the United States represented by the 10,000 men and women now in hospitals, the 13,000 others who are expected to present themselves for treatment within the next few months, the 512,000 that have filed claims for compensation and the 125,000 others who are expected to present their claims within the same future period.

The Director of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance is anxious to locate the very earliest moment every ex-serviceman and woman who, under the War Risk Insurance Act is entitled to medical surgical or hospital care, to get their order treatment, and to have started to them payments of compensation which may be due.

Every ex-serviceman or woman who was in the military or naval service of the United States during the late war and who, on account of such services, is not physically fit to engage in a gainful occupation, should at once make application for compensation of medical treatment. This is done by executing Bureau of War Risk Insurance forms 526, 539 and 545. These forms can be obtained either by writing or applying to any Chapter of the American Red Cross or American Legion Post, who will be glad to assist in the execution of these forms or by writing or applying direct to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Representative, 5115 Arcade Building, Seattle, Washington, where immediate attention will be given all communications pertaining to Bureau of War Risk Insurance matters.

If aggravated cases of delay or inability to obtain satisfactory compensation or other proper adjustment with the Bureau of War Risk Insurance come to light, the details should be sent to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Representative, 5115 Arcade Building, Seattle, Washington, for expedited attention.

TOM MIX—Star Theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

## PRANKS OF EARLY LIFE SHOWS ROY RITNER REAL BOY

PENDLETON, Jan. 17.—Within the pages of the bound files of the East Oregonian of 28 years ago, there is a little story which relates that three mischievous youths, while loitering near the coal chutes of the O. W. R. & N. Co., caused some annoyance to a prominent citizen by throwing coal upon said citizen, likewise his silk umbrella. Kindness prevented the reporter of the days of 1893 from using the names of the culprits and his example will be followed today, but there is no harm in remarking that one of the boys is now president of the State Senate, another is mayor of Pendleton, while the third is connected with The Peoples Warehouse and is an example of propriety to his family of boys and girls.

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## FATHER HAMPTON IS HAPPY PERSON TODAY

Superintendent A. C. Hampton is today wearing a beaming smile, for he is the proud father of a nine and a half pound baby daughter, born this morning. So great was Mr. Hampton's happiness that he forgot about it being Monday morning, and failed to show up at school all day.

Watch Root 200 Years Old  
Some thirty roots in 200 years ago 200 years old and are still serviceable.

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## MINT GROWERS UNITE

EUGENE, Jan. 17.—The formation of a co-operative association to handle and market the peppermint oil crop has been completed by the members of the Wallamette Valley Mint Growers' association, which met in Eugene. The name of the organization was also changed to the Oregon Mint Growers' association.

D. E. Fife, of Salem, told the organization that he had taken samples of both Michigan and Oregon oil and found them carefully, finding the Oregon oil far superior. He asserts that he will be in the market next year for 50,000 pounds of Oregon peppermint oil.

The mint growers of the Wallamette Valley are coming into their own, and there was much evidence at the meeting that they were very optimistic as to the future of the industry. It is estimated that 500 acres in the valley are now devoted to mint growing, and that "last year's yield was 12,000 pounds, or twenty pounds to the acre, which is an exception for this valuable oil."

**Dream of Hanging**  
To dream of hanging is said to signify that a serious illness threatens someone you love. It may be great danger is lying in wait for them.

TOM MIX—Star Theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

## NEW TODAY

**FOUND**—Pair of tan kid gloves. Owner can have same by calling at Observer office and paying for this ad.

**FOR SALE**—Dry pine wood, \$9 per cord. 26 inch wood \$11.00. Call Red 3761.

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D. J. Koupal, Agent, Eugene, Oregon, Box 45.

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
We wish to thank the many friends and ladies for their sympathy and kindness to us in our bereavement, and for the beautiful floral offerings which were sent, especially those of the Knights of Pythias and the Odd Fellows.

JAMES SPRAGUE,  
MRS. LOUISE ALLEN,  
MRS. CARRIE JEFFSON,  
MRS. W. C. ELLIOTT.

1-17-21

**NOTICE.**  
The Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen will hold a joint installation on Thursday evening, January 20th, at the R. of C. Hall. The program will start promptly at 8 p. m.

1-17-21 H. C. BALL, V. C.

**SALVATION ARMY.**

Tonight a very special entertainment will be given in our hall on Fir

St. by the Young People, consisting of songs, duets, recitations, tableaux, etc. The actual prizes will also be distributed to the scholars of the Sunday School. Ice cream and cake will be served. Do not fail to be here. EVERYBODY WELCOME.

1-17-21

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TOM MIX—Star Theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

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| Camp Fire Blend finest quality, pound | 45c    | Fresh Creamery Butter, 2 lbs.         | 98c    |
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