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Ticket Given Each Lady Dancer
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Each Tuesday Night
Drawing at 11 o'clock
REX HALL
N. A. Desilet, Mgr.

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Enterprise Man Here
H. H. Nottingham, of Enterprise, arrived on the branch line train last evening.

Will Go To Alaska
Chris Miller and wife will leave Monday night for Anchorage, Alaska, where they will spend the summer.

Vincent Women Here
Mrs. F. T. Turnipseed and Mrs. M. Garrett, of Vincent, are in La Grande, being registered at the Foley.

On Road to Health
Mrs. Lee Carter, who was operated on last month at the hospital is able to be around again.

Visiting in Albany
Mrs. Frank Graham is visiting her daughter in Albany, Oregon, for several weeks.

Choir Boys Meet Tonight
The members of the boys' vested choir of the Episcopal church will meet this evening at 7 o'clock at the church for practice.

Will Speak Tomorrow
B. W. Grandy, of Yakima, Wash. is here and will speak at 7 tomorrow evening at the Adventist church. While here Mr. Grandy is visiting with friends.

Mrs. Garrett in Egin
Mrs. J. M. Barnauich of Imbler, and her sister, Mrs. George Garrett, of La Grande, who is her guest.

State Organizer Coming
E. L. Ludwig, in charge of the organization work of the Oregon wheat growers' association, is expected to arrive here this evening. Mr. Ludwig will confer here with the local organizers who have been in the field all week signing up the wheat growers with the association.

Portland Labor Men Here
C. M. Ryerson, editor and manager of the Oregon Labor Press, official organ of the labor unions of Oregon, and O. R. Hartwig, president of the Oregon state federation of labor and a member of the board of conciliation, arrived this morning from Baker. Mr. Hartwig speaks this evening at Eagle's hall.

Brick Men Reduce Wages
The brickmen of La Grande at a meeting held Wednesday evening decided on a reduction in wages from \$11 to \$9 per day. This action was taken because the men believed that it was necessary to do all possible in order to aid the start-up of building work in La Grande and relieve the housing shortage, which is acute.

County Court to Portland
The county court left last evening for Portland, where they will meet today with the state highway commission. Bids will be opened for several stretches of highway in Union county. Those going to Portland were County Judge U. G. Couch, Commissioners Cecil Galloway and J. F. Hutchinson, and County Roadmaster John F. Birney.

Rubbish Still Being Hauled
City Manager Garrett stated today that those people whose rubbish was not hauled during clean-up week, either because the wagons did not get to their part of the city or because they were missed should notify him at once. The street and number, if possible, the cross streets between which the house is located, should be given in order that all possible aid

COMING EVENTS
Apr. 25.—Leopold Godowsky, pianist, appears in Baker.
Apr. 30.—New York Philharmonic Orchestra, L. D. S. Tabernacle.
May 8.—Mothers' Day.
May 12.—National Hospital Day.
May 14.—Eastern Oregon Track Meet, Union.
June 3-4.—State Bankers' convention, Seaside and Astoria.
June 7.—Special state election.
July 3-4.—State Convention United Artisans, Astoria.
July 15-17.—State convention, United Spanish War Veterans in Astoria.

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Men's 16-inch top original Chippewa Pac are here
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You can make a meal of Oranges and Bananas—a quick, delicious meal. There's nothing else as good, and there's no cooking, no trouble.

In five minutes you have a delicious fruit dish, a cup of Tea and bread-and butter and that's as healthful and as nourishing a repast as any woman wants on busy days.
Call Main 80
Sweet Oranges and Ripe Bananas

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Collected in Marriage
Leo Emmitt, Greiner and Miss Trilby Rose May were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the Christian church parsonage. Rev. H. H. Coker officiating. The ceremony was performed about 2:30 o'clock.

Accident Victim Better
R. L. Lowe, who was injured in an automobile accident Sunday, and Robert Ludwig, who was kicked by a horse Monday, resulting in breaking his left leg above the knee, are both reported to be much-improved today.

Meeting at Egin
Graingrowers and farmers of the Egin district will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon, at which time the co-operative grain grower's marketing project will be discussed. C. C. Payne, field man, will be at the meeting.

Washington Land Sold
Leonard J. Smith sold his 20 acre tract of land near Aberdeen, Washington, to J. C. Buntin, of La Grande. The deal was made through the Pyramid Land Co., by F. N. Ford.

Will Play Sunday
The second game in which La Grande will participate in the newly organized baseball league, will be played in this city next Sunday afternoon, when the locals will meet Cove. La Grande played Cove last Sunday, at Cove, and were defeated 14-4. The prospects are much brighter for this coming game.

Scouts to Have Track Meet
A track meet is to be put on by the local Boy Scouts next Wednesday afternoon at 4:15 at the fairgrounds, according to announcement made yesterday. The events that will be put on are a 50-yard dash, 100-yard dash, one-half mile relay, shot put, running broad jump, and running high jump.

Alumni Reunion Held
The Alumni Association of the Sacred Heart Academy held its 10th annual reunion at the Academy last evening and elected the following officers to serve for the coming year: President, Stella Destlet; Vice-President, Ireta O'Connell; Secretary, Luella Walgaunood; treasurer, Louise O'Connell. The young ladies served light refreshment, and had a pleasant reunion.

Leaves for La Grande
Mrs. Richard Landis, who has been a guest the past week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wood, and family, and other relatives and friends in this city, her former home anticipates leaving tonight for Portland to spend several days with her friends in that city. She is enroute to her home in La Grande, Eastern Oregon. Mrs. Landis was Miss Mabel Wood, a Corvallis girl. Dr. Landis, who is a well-known graduate of O. A. C., has become one of La Grande's most popular physicians since the couple located in the eastern Oregon city a few years ago.

Improvement Work is Interfered With
City Officials Ask All Motorists to Stay Off Roads Being Repaired Now.

City Manager George Garrett today issued a second warning to drivers of trucks and motor cars, asking them to remain off Adams avenue where the macadam roadway is being repaired. Barricades have been placed on both East and South Adams avenue and motorists are asked to detour in order not to interfere with the work, but, Mr. Garrett states, many disregard the barricades.

"The city commissioners have been criticized for a number of years for not making repairs that are being made now and now that we are doing the work, we will be unable to do a good job, as we want to do, because a few owners of machines refuse to stay off the road where it is being repaired," he declared. "Many owners of cars are co-operating with us in every way, some of them going so far as to park their cars on side streets instead of taking them to their garages at their homes along Adams avenue, but others are flagrantly disregarding orders to remain off the street."

If the weather were dry, he said, it would be possible to allow the side of the street to be used, but under present conditions this is impossible. The macadamized portion of the road has all been scarified and re-graded, and must now be rolled down. Then, whenever it is necessary, the voids in the rock are filled with small rock and it is then wet down good and rolled again. If the road is used while this process is unfinished the surface will not be as good as it should be, Mr. Garrett declared.

Nothing has been done with the Hilgard road. It was at first intended to scarify the portion of the road in the city limits but the rain interfered, the road being wet and pools of water making it impossible to do anything. If possible the county scarifier will be secured again later to work over that portion of the road.

Better progress will be made during the next few days on the work on Adams avenue, as Mr. Garrett expects to put a truck to work hauling rock away to fill the voids. At present a wagon hauls the gravel, hauling 2 yards a load. The truck will haul 4 yards a load.

PENDLETON FAVORS CITIZENS OF U. S.
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The ordinance in which it is assured that preference shall be given to American citizens was passed after a suggestion to this effect was made by the Pendleton Post No. 23 American Legion. The ordinance provides that every contractor and sub-contractor who is in charge of public work for the city shall be compelled to keep a roll of his workmen and the time they were naturalized, if they are not native citizens and it is also provided that city officials shall have the right to see this list at any time. Citizens of Pendleton shall be given the preference over outsiders, according to the ordinance.

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HARTWIG TO TALK TONIGHT

LABOR LEADER TO TALK ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Will Discuss Serious Situation Confronting Hundreds of Unemployed in County

At 8 o'clock this evening, in Eagle's hall, O. R. Hartwig, president of the state federation of labor, will address a mass meeting on labor conditions, laying special stress on the local situation in regard to foreign labor, which he declared to be very serious after making an investigation this morning, immediately following his arrival.

While Mr. Hartwig is a strong union man he expects to analyze the situation from the standpoint of the community and it is expected that a large gathering will be out to hear him. The men out of work in the county are in the majority of cases men who belong to trades not affiliated with the labor council, but the union men are back of them in their demands that the foreigner be kept out of Union county so long as local men are suffering from want of work.

CLUBHOUSE CONTRACT LET FOR BUILDING
PENDLETON, Apr. 22.—The contract for the Red and Gun clubhouse at Collins park was let yesterday afternoon by the directors of the club to Durham, Brownlow & Payne, and the construction work on the building will begin as quickly as possible. The contract calls for a \$2,000 building which is expected to be completed by the middle of May or the first part of June at the latest. A big school is planned for the early part of June, and every effort will be made to have the house done for this event. The building will include an office, kitchen, dining room, cloak room and wash rooms. The lobby will be large enough to permit of dancing. Hard wood floors are provided for.

REDUCE LARGE WASTE IN CELERY SHIPMENT
Transactions Indefinite Because of Lack of Grading.

Establishment of Two Grades of Rough Product Would Enable Dealers and Receivers to Work on More Profitable Basis.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
"Rough celery" is the market term applied to celery that is taken from the field and packed in crates with little or no trimming. Transactions in rough celery always are more or less indefinite, because of the lack of grading. The bureau of markets, United States Department of Agriculture, has been conducting investigations in the celery markets of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Ohio, to learn if it will be practicable to establish standard celery grades. In 1919, the railroads reported that 1,900 carloads of celery had been moved from the states mentioned, and that most of it was shipped in the rough.

The establishment of two grades of rough celery would eliminate much waste and would enable dealers and

receivers to place their orders and sales on a more definite basis. The first grade, as contemplated by the specialists who are conducting the investigation, would include sound stock that is practically free from plant stalks that have gone to seed or is damaged from disease or insect. A minimum diameter for this grade of 1 1/2 inches would be fixed. The second grade would include any celery that did not meet the requirements for the first grade.

Temp. of Weed
The plants which are the American Enemy Maggot are always constructed from the wood of the Japanese ash tree or birch.

TEXAN ALIGHTS FROM TRAIN TOO SOON AND IS HURT
Joe Reed, who hails from Texas, jumped off No. 24 this morning and not having judged well where he would alight, collided with the water tank. He had some bad bruises on his body, a few scalp wounds, and is recovering from the nervous shock of the sudden contact with a tank of water. He will recover.

Leslie Ill
Ross Leslie, manager of the Inland Motor company's garage, is confined to his home because of illness.

They Can't Beat La Grande
L. P. Ostlund, of 1507 X street, who has been spending the winter in Walla Walla, Washington, where he stayed with his daughter, returned home this morning. Mr. Ostlund is one of the old-timers of the Grande Ronde, and the first remark that he made was that he had come home to stay, so much better does this country suit him than Washington.

NEW TODAY
LOST—Lady's gold watch. Initials F. E. S. Reward. Mrs. J. D. Lynch. 4-21-2t

WANTED—Household furniture to store for use. Will furnish references. Write "X", care Observer, 4-21-1tp

FOR SALE—16 Model Buick 6, in perfect condition. Priced at \$400. Phone Black 1832 or call 2112 First St. 4-22-4tp

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment May 1st. No children. Phone Red 561. 4-22-1f

FOR RENT—1 housekeeping room. Dariaud Hotel. 4-22-3tp

FOR RENT—Five-room house, unfurnished, with bath. \$20.00. Call Red 1472. 4-22-1f

WANTED—Strictly modern furnished house. Will pay \$50.00 per month. Call Black 822. 4-20-6tp

NOTICE
The dance which was to be given in Peebler's Hall at Ladd Canyon Saturday, April 23, has been postponed to Saturday, April 30th. 4-22-1t

FIND IT HERE
Have your rugs and carpets washed with the celebrated Hamilton-Beach Electric Carpet Washer. Phone Red 102. 4-9-5tp

Ten pounds of lard for \$1.75 at the People's Market. 4-9-1f

Bacon—20c to 25c, People's Meat Market, phone Main 747. 4-5-1f

Combs made into switches. Call Red 1891. 4-18-2tp

Have your rugs and carpets washed on your floors with the celebrated Hamilton-Beach Carpet Washer. Phone Red 102. 4-18-6tp

Call the La Grande Employment Office for your help. Always at your service. Phone Black 801. 4-10-1f

FOR HOUSE RAISING or moving, see Blue Mountain Marble & Granite Works, 1562 S. Avenue. 3-4-1f

If you will examine the attractive prices on our fishing tackle, you will be as eager to bite at it as the fish are. —Newlin Book and Stationery Co. 4-14-1f

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.
All persons owing debts to Sam Harris, bankrupt, are hereby notified to pay the same to the undersigned, or to C. L. Winsor, his representative, at the office of H. E. Dixon, Rooms 20-22, Foley Bldg., La Grande, Ore. G. W. INGRAM, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 3-26-1f

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See our assortment of Jungle Cock Flies, \$1.50 per dozen. —Newlin Book and Stationery Co. 4-14-1f

Vanity Fair Beauty Shop, 12 Depot street. Phone Red 1761 for appointments. 3-311f

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Expert Piano Tuning and Repairing. Residence corner North 4th and La Grande streets. Phone Black 1171. La Grande, Oregon. 3-4-1f