

Local News In Brief

Any La Grande subscriber to the Observer who does not receive his paper by 8 o'clock in the evening, please call Western Union, Main 24, and a special messenger will deliver a copy.

COMING EVENTS.
Dec. 28.—Annual venison feed of Wing, Fin and Fleetfoot Club at Foley hotel.

Central Point Man.
Albert Murray of Central Point, registered at the Savoy last night. He will be here a short time.

Visiting in Portland.
Mrs. E. B. Brooks of La Grande is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Croup in Portland.

Elgin Man Here.
Fred Terpany, business man of Elgin, spent last night in La Grande on business.

At the Foley.
E. J. Couch of Olympia, Wash., stopped at the Foley last night en route to Wallawa where he will visit his folks during the holidays.

Back from School.
Miss Leila Elliot boarded the train this morning for Lostine where she will visit her family during the holidays. Miss Elliot has been attending school at Pendleton.

To Visit Sister.
Mrs. Arthur Spangler, of this city, left this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Jim Parker of Wallawa. She will extend her visit until after the holidays.

Scouts Meet Tonight.
The Boy Scouts will hold a meeting tonight at 7:30 at the Y for the purpose of transacting some business. The coming ticket sale will be discussed and also plans for the winter camp. After the meeting the rehearsal of the Scout play will be held under the leadership of Dave Stoddard.

DANCE REX HALL

Old Time Dances Thursday
Modern Dances Saturday
Couples selected each Thursday night to compete for prize waltz.

- 1—Mrs. Maxwell - Mr. Olaf Group
- 2—Mrs. Birnie - Mr. Leo Hanson
- 3—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Prior
- 4—Bertice Looker - E. B. Smith
- 5—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lane
- 6—Richard Osborn - Mrs. Beulah Dunbar
- 7—Mrs. M. H. Mitchell - Mr. C. Freeman
- 8—Mrs. Norris - Mr. Buffington
- 9—Mrs. Hiatt - Mr. Williams
- 10—Mrs. Johnson - Dr. Woodall

FIRST PRIZE \$30.00
SECOND PRIZE \$20.00

N. A. Desilet, Manager

Judge Knowles Leaves.
Judge Knowles and wife left today for a visit with Everett Knowles and wife of Eugene. Everett Knowles is a student of the U. of O.

From Union.
Mrs. Charles Rich and baby were in La Grande today doing some Christmas shopping. They make their home in Union.

Stanfield Visitor.
E. H. Snyder, well-known man of Stanfield, was in town yesterday looking over the business prospects in this city.

To Buy Ranch.
Mike Kraul left last night for Stanfield where he is expecting to invest in a ranch or some other attractive proposition.

To Visit Husband.
Mrs. George Cochran went over to Hot Lake to visit Mr. Cochran, where he is convalescing from an operation performed recently.

From North Powder.
Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Robertson, of North Powder, left for Enterprise where they will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hooper.

After Short Visit.
After a short visit in La Grande, Mrs. A. C. Iler and Miss Lillian Henderson left this morning for their home in Enterprise.

Elgin Lady to Visit Coast.
Mrs. L. A. Rose, of Elgin, left last night to visit her son in Portland, after which she intends to make several visits along the coast.

Christmas Carols.
The Junior League of the Methodist church will sing Christmas carols at the hospital Sunday afternoon.

Goes to Salt Lake City.
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hodgins and their young daughter, Sylvia, left today for Salt Lake City where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

Spend Holidays at Olympia, Wash.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Payne, who make Enterprise their home, left last night for Walla Walla, Wash., to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. C. S. Bradley.

To Portland for Holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Craig, prominent people of Enterprise, left yesterday evening for Portland, where they expect to visit relatives during the holidays.

To the Coast.
Ed Hook and wife of Wallawa, left last night for Portland to visit their son in that city and afterwards they expect to tour through the state of Washington.

Teacher Returns Home.
Miss Margaret Johnson, who lives in Union, returned to her home to spend the holidays with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson of that place. Miss Johnson has been teaching school at Starkey during the past year and is taking advantage of the holidays to visit her folks.

Enterprise Man Here.
A. K. Parker of Enterprise, registered at the Foley hotel last night.

From North Powder.
Mrs. Emma Clark of North Powder, arrived in the city today for a short visit with friends.

Back on Vacation.
Lora and Mildred Schnore, who have been attending college in Walla Walla, returned to their home at Elgin. They will remain at home until after New Year's.

Tumbling Class Today.
The older boys tumbling class will be held today at 1 o'clock. At 2 o'clock the graders will have their class. Both classes will be held at the Y.

Back to Enterprise.
Mrs. Inez Brown and daughter Betty, returned to their home in Enterprise last night. They have been visiting with Judge Knowles and family of this city.

From Baker.
Mrs. George Huntington Curry, of Baker, arrived in La Grande last night accompanied by Mrs. Helen Curry Farley to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Curry of this city.

To Visit Son.
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Rappaport of Monmouth, Oregon, arrived in La Grande to visit their son, A. C. Hampton, superintendent of schools in this city. They will stay during the holidays.

Back to Spokane.
Mr. and C. A. Dows boarded No. 24 yesterday for Spokane where they make their home. They have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rosamond of this city for a short time and report a splendid visit.

People from Medford.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnston, who make their home in Medford, arrived in La Grande last night en route to Enterprise. They intend to visit Mrs. Holston's sister, Mrs. Bert Hall, of Enterprise during the Christmas holidays.

Funeral Today.
This afternoon at 3 o'clock the funeral of Carrie Johnson, who was killed in the auto wreck night before last, was held at the Bohlenkamp chapel. Stacey Johnson, brother of the deceased, arrived from his home in Jerome, Idaho, to attend the funeral.

Christmas Trip.
Mrs. O. E. Silverthorn of La Grande, left today for Portland, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Marjorie Silverthorn, who is librarian at Reed college, and her son William Silverthorn who is a student at the University of Oregon. She will stay until after the holidays.

Dr. Bacon Very Low.
Dr. C. T. Bacon, prominent physician of La Grande, is in a very serious condition and is gradually sinking lower. Dr. Bacon was stricken with paralysis several weeks ago and failed to rally from the effects.

Leaves Today.
C. W. Corber, accompanied by his wife and son, left today on train 17 for a visit with friends and relatives in Portland. They expect to spend about a week there.

Hilgard Man Here.
O. Scott, of Hilgard, is registered at the Savoy hotel today.

At the Sommer.
M. J. Conkelman, Enterprise plumber, is registered at the Sommer hotel en route to Portland.

Stopping at Savoy.
Mrs. Joe Lasser, who resides in Enterprise, is in La Grande today. She is staying at the Savoy.

Baker Man in Town.
Fred White, who lives at Baker, is visiting La Grande today and while here is stopping at the Savoy.

Returns to Boise.
Mrs. J. D. Randall, who lives in Boise, returned to her home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. N. J. Sheffield of this city.

To Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wiltshire and their son, Lewis, left today for Portland where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Forstrom for a few days.

From Perry.
Elinora Lore of Perry, stopped over-night at the Savoy, enroute to Union, where she will spend the Christmas holidays.

From Imnaha.
Ben Johnson, well-known citizen of Imnaha, is looking things over in La Grande today. During his visit he is located at the Savoy.

To Spend Xmas at Nampa.
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Autry and their daughter, of Perry, left today for Nampa, Idaho, where they will spend Christmas with friends and relatives.

SAY GRANTED

SALM, Dec. 23.—Execution of Dr. H. M. Brumfield of Roseburg, set for January 13, was automatically stayed Wednesday night when Judge Bingham of the Marion county circuit court, who sat in judgment in the Brumfield case in Douglas county, signed a certificate of probable cause, following the filing of a bill of exceptions by Dexter Rice, attorney for Brumfield. Arguments in the case will probably not be reached until early in March.

OYSTERS FROZEN OUT

(By Associated Press)
OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 23. — A freezing north wind, coupled with extremely low tides, is causing severe damage to the Puget sound oyster beds near Olympia. The recent flood water is said to have damaged dykes at several beds, making it impossible to keep water over the oysters at low tide to protect them from the freezing temperatures.

SUIT TO BE STARTED

(By Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23. — Suit attempting to prove the Kansas industrial court act unconstitutional and invalid will be brought shortly in Kansas, at the instance of the International Headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America, John L. Lewis, international president, announced late Thursday. He said Judge J. T. Clarkson of Albia, Iowa, general counsel of the United Mine Workers in the Iowa district, No. 11 of the union, had been directed to prepare such action.

After being in a trance for nine years, a South African girl recently awoke, in possession of all her faculties.

NEW TODAY

FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.
In the Matter of Frank V. Bowman and Catherine Bowman, husband and wife, Bankrupts, in Bankruptcy No. B. 6083.

To the creditors of Frank V. Bowman and Catherine Bowman, husband and wife, of Joseph, Wallawa County, Oregon, in the State and District aforesaid, bankrupts.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 20th day of December, 1921, said Frank V. Bowman and Catherine Bowman, husband and wife, were duly adjudicated bankrupts and the first meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of H. E. Dixon, Referee in Bankruptcy, at La Grande, Oregon, on Friday, January 6th, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

H. E. DIXON,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
(All claims must be sworn to on bankruptcy blanks before filing.)
12-23-21

NOTICE.

The U. of O. students and alumni will meet at the George Palmer resi-

Old Tyme Dance
EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT
\$200.00 PRIZE
given to the best old style waltzing couple between La Grande, Baker, Pendleton and Walla Walla. Governed by same rules as in the past.
P. J. Powers

dence, 708 O avenue, at 8 o'clock tonight. All students and alumni are requested to be present.
12-23-21tp

FOR SALE.—Pure bred shepherd pup. Reasonable price. Phone Red 381W.
12-23-21

WANTED.—Three or four milk cows. Will pay cash. Call Farmers 8x.
12-23-21tp

FOR RENT.—Furnished house, modern, with garage. Inquire 2122 Adams.
12-23-21tp

SPECIAL NOTICE.
All drug stores in La Grande will be closed after noon of Sunday and Monday, December 24th and 25th.
12-23-21

ESTRAY NOTICE.
Have taken up one brown mare aged 4 years. One bay mare with black necking calf, old and no brands. Owner may have same by calling and paying expenses.
G. I. WADE,
Hilgard, Ore.
12-23-21

Victor Records at 20 per cent discount.—Eastern Oregon Music Co.
12-21-21

THRIFT SHOP OPEN.
The Red Cross Thrift Shop is open daily now in the New Foley Building, off the Adams avenue entrance. Thursday will continue us to be Thrift Day and on this day all who have donations for the shop are asked to have it ready to be delivered, that being the day collections are made.
12-16-21tp

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(1921 MODEL)

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In order to clean up all of our felt slippers before X-mas you can have your choice of any felt slipper in the store for \$1.95. Values up to \$3.00, all colors, comfy soles or leather soles. Come early while we have your size.

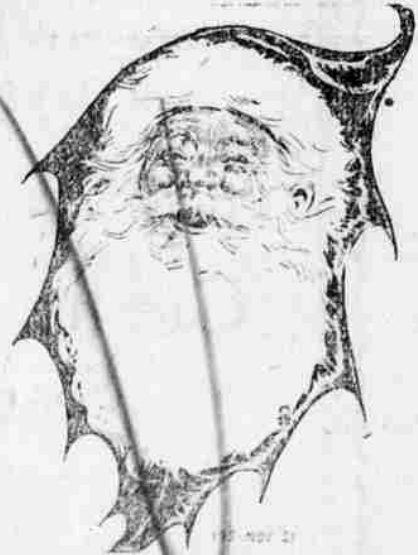
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Pendleton and Oregon City Robes, Indian Robes, Bath Robes Bed Robes, Papoose Robes.

NEW SHIPMENT JUST ARRIVED BY EXPRESS

Cheney Neckwear—Crepe De Chine and Jersey Silk Shirts for Men and Boys. Ladies Silk Hose in X-mas Boxes.
Let us help you select your Present