

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.

Raffle Tickets to Meet—
The Raffle tickets will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vincent Palmer.

North Powder Merchant—
C. J. Forstrom, prominent North Powder merchant, is in La Grande today transacting some business. During his stay he is registered at the Foley hotel.

More Demonstrations—
Mrs. D. W. Alney will make her celebrated pancakes and Kerr's Rolled Oats demonstration at the County Operative store on 295 Fir street Friday and Saturday.

Will Meet Friday—
The Parents-Teachers association of the Riviera school will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Elgin Lady in Town—
Miss Kate Conley, who makes her home in Elgin, arrived in La Grande yesterday and is stopping at the Sommer.

Here from Missouri—
S. A. Murr arrived in La Grande last night on No. 19 from Mountain Grove, Missouri. He will visit here with his brother, J. J. Murr, for about two weeks.

Back from Salem—
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haun and little son, Billie, returned from Salem last night and spent the night in La Grande en route to their home in Louisa.

Mrs. Tutley Returns Home—
Mrs. James A. Tutley returned to her home in Wallawa this morning after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McNeese on 2114 Adams.

To Visit Sick Mother—
Mrs. Stella Anthony and her son, John Anthony, Jr., left yesterday morning on a visit with relatives at the Dalles and also to be at the bedside of Mrs. John Wade who is dangerously ill and in a critical condition.

Back to Elgin—
L. Denham and daughter, Jean, returned to their home in Elgin this morning after spending a short time in La Grande on business. Mr. Denham is prominently connected with several enterprises in his home town.

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Kirkman of Enterprise—
W. H. Kirkman of Enterprise, is a business visitor in La Grande today. He is staying at the Foley.

Elgin Couple—
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris, residents of Elgin, are registered at the Savoy today.

Priesthood Meeting—
The regular monthly stake priest-hood meeting of the L. D. S. church will be held at the tabernacle here on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Go to Nampa—
Mrs. J. M. Buchanan left this morning for Nampa, Idaho, where she will visit with friends and relatives for a short time. She was accompanied by her little son, Buster.

Visits Son Here—
Mrs. O. W. Maccabe returned to her home in Boise, Idaho, this morning after spending a delightful visit with her son, Captain J. M. Buchanan of the local Salvation Army.

To Visit in Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Millering and their little daughter, Frances, boarded No. 17 this morning bound for Portland, where they will spend some time visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Todd of that city.

Returns from Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Brooks spent last night in La Grande en route to their home in Pleasant Valley. They have been visiting in Portland with friends and relatives and also attending to some business. Mr. Brooks is an engineer on the O.W.

Clerks to Play Union—
The Clerks are planning on journeying over to Union next Wednesday and doing battle with the Legion basketball team. It is possible that the H-Y basketball team will also make the trip on Saturday and contest the Union high school second team.

Leaves for Salem—
Mrs. M. M. Chapman and her daughter, Oda, left this morning on No. 17 for Salem, where they make their home. They have been visiting in Enterprise and Joseph for a short time and report a delightful visit.

Here from Wallawa—
Scott McClaran, prominent Wallawa resident, is spending the day visiting with Mrs. Albert Currey's sister. He will return to his home tomorrow morning. He registered at the Foley hotel last night.

Minister and Poikeman—
W. A. Hilderson comes to Portland from North Powder, where a minister has been made town marshal with the understanding that the preacher-policeman clean up the place. A standard industry of North Powder is the cutting of ice for the Union Pacific system. Mr. Hilderson is at the Imperial. Oregonian.

Fire Burns at Fruitdale—
This morning a barn, owned by Mr. Stanley, at Fruitdale, caught fire from some unknown reason and was practically destroyed. Only one end of the barn was saved. The cows and other stock were rescued but about 100 chickens and considerable feed was burned. The loss is not known as yet but will amount to several hundred dollars.

A DIVIDEND IS DECLARED

Dividend on their established basis of 8 per cent per annum was declared by the directors of the Union Savings and Loan association in a meeting held last week in the offices of the association, 89 4th street, Portland, the dividend being 4 per cent to cover the fiscal six month period ending on the 15th of this month.

Congratulations were exchanged by the officers on the progress made during 1921, which showed an increase of assets from \$181,878.11 on December 31, 1920, to \$401,928.65 on December 31st last. According to the most reliable statistics obtainable from state and national reports on the history of building and loan associations throughout the United States, this Oregon association has broken all American records for rapid and substantial growth.

The association is a strictly mutual organization owned and controlled by its members. The officers are: Conrad P. Olson, president; R. J. Kirkwood, vice president and general manager; L. C. Stidd, second vice president; R. F. Hanke, secretary; Opas E. Bowen, assistant secretary, and Anthon Ekern, treasurer.

The directors are: W. P. Child, J. P. Brown, Anthon Ekern, E. C. Anderson, D. S. Johnson, J. W. Hilderson, J. B. Lewis, R. F. Hanke, J. A. Dickson and R. C. Stidd.

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FIELD CROP LABOR NEEDS

All available data concerning the labor and material required for the production of the more important field crops thus far tabulated by the United States Department of Agriculture have now been summarized and published in Department Bulletin 1090. In bringing these data together the department has based its findings upon two sources of information: First, enterprise survey records covering the more important farm crops which have been obtained during the past ten years; second, a large number of detailed farm-accounting records which have been assembled in cooperation with several agricultural experiment stations.

Labor and material requirements in the acre are reported for corn, corn silage, cotton, wheat, oats, barley, rye, grain sorghums, field beans, soybeans, sugar beets, tobacco, apples, and hay, and a few miscellaneous field crops. In obtaining the original records from which the tables in the bulletin are prepared, representative areas or regions were selected for the studies. Thus the figures given for each of these regions are directly applicable to many other districts where agricultural conditions are similar.

The data given in the tables may be used in two ways. In the first place, by applying current prices for labor, seed, fertilizer, and other materials to the quantity requirements, the approximate cost of producing a crop may be calculated. The farmer who is conducting his work in a businesslike way frequently desires to make estimates of this character. If a crop which he has used extensively in the past does not promise well, on account of an unfavorable market outlook, a few calculations will enable him to estimate probable results with the new combinations which appear to be practicable.

In the second place, quantity requirements may be applied in readjusting the enterprises of the farm as a whole. With this information available, the operator can obtain a clear idea of his labor requirements at different seasons, and congestions may be avoided by developing the farm plan in such a manner as to distribute the man labor and horse labor uniformly. From a farm organization standpoint, therefore, these basic factors have proved to be exceedingly valuable.

The bulletin, which was compiled by L. A. Moorhouse and O. A. Jure, is now ready for distribution under the name, "Labor and Material Requirements of Field Crops." Copies may be had free by addressing a request to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

ALL MEMBERS OF BOXING COMMISSION HAVE NOW RESIGNED

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commission will in any way take part in any contest. The boxing commission took 50 per cent of the receipts of the last fight.

The following signatures were affixed to the petition: O. W. Parsons, Odas Dixon, S. H. Forwood, C. A. Stephenson, W. H. Allen, C. M. Cook, L. F. Young, W. G. Ellsworth, H. A. Green, A. C. Nelson, Chris Nelson, Win. W. Latham, O. W. Helvey, W. E. Graham, H. McInnis, P. H. Strangfins, C. A. Chisler, J. E. Lane, W. J. Moland, O. C. Hilton, T. H. Goussett, W. H.

Perry, Delbert Irwin, Geo. C. Parsons, Ray R. Wheeler, Battling Tiffany.

Mr. Grandy declared that Mr. Emabiser had told him at the time of the match "under fire" last night that he expected to get off the commission.

The petitioners did not prove their charges to the city commission and it was decided that in order to be fair in every respect the members of the boxing commission should be invited to appear at the next meeting to present the facts from his side.

Members of the city commission intimated this morning that they would drop the matter of the petition presented to them last night but have made no announcements as to whom they will appoint in the place of the retiring boxing commissioners.

HANDICAPPED MEN AT SCHOOL

(By Associated Press)

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 26.—Handicapped by either total or partial blindness, four men are obtaining a higher education at the University of Michigan, and despite their condition are making records envied by those with normal eyesight, according to University professors.

Although no special means are employed by the faculty to assist these students, the four are being aided by teachers and fellow students in devious ways. Friends read to them and take notes for them in the various lectures.

One of the most notable of the quartet is Germ G. Ensing, of Holland, Michigan. Mr. Ensing is totally blind, yet is obtaining an education in machine shop work. He has developed a point system for taking notes on lectures courses and expects to become a teacher at some school for the blind when he completes his course this year. He is aided in his reading by his wife, who has come here to reside.

Ned Smith of Detroit, a freshman, is preparing for law and is regarded as one of the most ambitious students at the University. He goes about the campus unassisted, feeling his way. Friends read to him and copy lectures. Smith's life ambition is to study medicine.

John Bezlock, of Detroit, a sophomore, is practically blind, being unable to read. His friends assist him in obtaining a literary education.

J. M. Caldwell, of Indiana, Pa., totally blind, entered the University last fall as a means of "passing the dark hours," as he expresses it to friends. He employs two readers in the academic course he is taking.

Each of the four entered the University after being afflicted.

General Kisses His Chauffeur in Paris

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 26.—Passersby on the boulevards were surprised recently to see a distinguished looking man fall on the back of a taxicab driver and kiss him on both cheeks, the regulation salutation between Russians. The passenger was a Russian admiral and the chauffeur was a former Russian general, celebrated during the first period of the war, now earning his living by driving a taxicab.

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LEADERS ARRESTED.

(By Associated Press)

Cairo, Jan. 26.—Four Nationalist party leaders who signed a manifesto urging Egyptians to adopt an attitude of non-co-operation against the English have been arrested. The arrest of the four other signatories to the manifesto has been ordered. The native newspaper Elomah, which published the document, has been suspended.

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