

# Local News In Brief

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**COMING EVENTS.**  
Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2.—District meeting of M. E. Church at First M. E. Church in La Grande.

**Visitor from Perry.**  
C. A. Swenson, from Perry, is registered at the Foley hotel today.

**Takes Position.**  
Miss Mary Fitzgerald has taken a position as stenographer in the offices of H. E. Dixon, attorney.

**Enterprise Gentlemen.**  
G. N. Franklin and N. P. Warnock, two prominent Enterprise men, arrived in La Grande last night and are stopping at the Foley.

**Back to North Powder.**  
Mrs. J. L. Metcalf, who lives at North Powder, returned to her home this morning after spending a few days visiting with Mrs. Henrietta Metcalf of this city.

**Goes Through.**  
Herman Thannhauser went through La Grande yesterday en route for Union. He returned in the evening and after spending the night in our city left for eastern points.

**Returns to Walla Walla.**  
Mrs. C. B. Wrenshaw returned to her home at Walla Walla this morning. She has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Fred N. Fox at Union for a few days and also with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilton at Imbler. She reports a very delightful visit.

**Marooned Here.**  
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Litter are guests at the Savoy at present. They were touring through from Lewiston to Payette and struck some impassable roads necessitating their coming on to La Grande by train and shipping their car. They will resume their journey as soon as their car arrives, which will probably be in about two days.

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**Summerville Man.**  
Eugene Oswald, resident of Summerville, arrived in La Grande last night and is stopping at the Savoy.

**At Foley.**  
W. A. Bartlett, geologist from Portland, is in La Grande at present. He is registered at the Foley.

**From Alibel.**  
T. McKenyon, who hails from the little city of Alibel, is in La Grande today transacting some business. He is at the Savoy.

**Left for Imbler.**  
Misses Cecelia Batrick and Alpine Hobert left this morning for their home in Imbler. They have been visiting here for a short time.

**Back to Durkee.**  
Mrs. J. P. Wrenn, resident of Durkee, returned to her home this morning after spending a short time in La Grande on business.

**At Sommer.**  
J. F. Galloway and wife of Elgin, are visitors in La Grande today and are stopping at the Sommer.

**Cave Lady in Town.**  
Mrs. L. M. Conley, prominent in leading circles at Cove, is visiting in our city today. She is registered at the Sommer.

**Wells from Starkey.**  
John W. Wells, who lives at Starkey, arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Sommer hotel. He is here on business.

**Athens Man Here.**  
R. B. McEwen, who hails from Athens, is in La Grande today on business and is stopping at the Sommer.

**Returns Home.**  
C. W. Glick, proprietor of a lumbering concern at Minam, spent yesterday in La Grande attending to some business and returned to his home this morning.

**J. P. Morelock Here.**  
J. P. Morelock, prominent resident of Walla Walla, is a visitor in La Grande today. He is registered at the Sommer.

**Minam Couple.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Orr, who live at Minam, arrived in La Grande yesterday and are staying at the Savoy.

**To Visit in Portland.**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Koeter left this morning for Portland, where they will visit with friends and relatives for about two weeks. They make their home in La Grande.

**To Seattle.**  
Andy Ross, Union contractor, is in La Grande today attending to some business. He will return to his home in a short time.

**Kid Terry Leaves.**  
Kid Terry, local lightweight, left this morning for Baker. He will fight Ray Woodward, of Portland, there on Friday.

**Union Barber in Town.**  
James M. Johnson, owner of the Johnson barber shop at Union, was a business visitor in La Grande today. He returned to his home on No. 24.

**To Seattle.**  
Mr. and Mrs. George Fassett and their two little children, Vivian and Wendell, left La Grande this morning for Seattle, where they will visit for some time with relatives. Mr. Fassett is a machinist in the O-W shops.

**Bible Lecture.**  
A bible lecture will be given at the Adventist church tonight by Mr. Ritzhouse, who is holding a series of lectures in the city. Armageddon will be his subject.

**Meeting Tomorrow.**  
The regular monthly business meeting of the Baptist church will be held Thursday at 8:30 in the evening, the early hour being necessary because of the services at 7:30.

**Leaves for Alaska.**  
Chris Miller left Saturday for Seattle and will mail from there this morning for Anchorage, Alaska. Mr. Miller will be gone for several months and will go to the interior of Alaska to trap and invest in furs.

**To Speak Tomorrow.**  
Rev. J. Q. Austin of Portland arrived here today and tomorrow afternoon of three and again in the evening he will speak at the Baptist church. Miss Lucille Withers, a missionary of China, will be with him and will have a place on the program both morning and afternoon. The public is general as well as members of the Baptist church are invited to attend.

**Bible Class Tomorrow.**  
The Bible class, which will meet in the Sunday school room of the Observer at 7 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The entire afternoon will be spent on a general review of the book of Genesis which the class has completed from a synchretic viewpoint. The superintendent of the Moody Bible Institute is here.

Chicago. All interested in the work are cordially invited to attend the class, according to announcement.

**Oscar Hopper Still Very Ill.**  
The friends of Oscar Hopper will regret to learn that he is very ill in the hospital and no improvement is noticeable. His wife is at his bedside. Recently she nursed her aged mother through the final illness and now that her husband is also in a dangerous condition, it would seem that her cup of sorrow is full and overflowing.

## WOMAN SAID TO BE SUICIDE

(Special to the Observer)  
ELGIN, Feb. 1.—Grandma Hills was called to Idaho last Tuesday to attend the funeral of her grandson. He was employed at Mare Island by the government. On Sunday morning he and his companions were found dead in their beds, asphyxiated by escaping gas.  
Later reports are to the effect that Mrs. Myrtle Fleece of Moscow took her own life by hanging, instead of taking chloroform as was at first reported. Her funeral was conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Catholic church in Elgin by Rev. J. J. Brown. She leaves a husband and son, besides her parents, and a large number of relatives and friends.  
A son was born Monday morning, January 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernal D. Hug. He has been named Philip Edward, and weighs seven and a half pounds.

The county librarian, Miss Mary Nichols of La Grande, was in Elgin Monday to consult with Mrs. Willis and also to visit Elgin high school.  
J. A. Chandler of La Grande, with his son, Lloyd, were in Elgin Monday on business.  
Lee Warnick, county sheriff, had a sale to conduct in Elgin Monday. He missed the train by a few minutes and started overland by other means. These failed also, and he came in from near Alibel on foot. Even in the best of weather it would be a two-day walk, but under conditions we now have it was really a test of endurance.  
Frozen pipes have been the cause of a great deal of inconvenience to Elgin people here. Hardly any household is without some trouble in that line.

A fire broke out in the C. E. Bean residence Tuesday about one o'clock in the afternoon. It was thought to have been caused from effects of a blow torch used to thaw out pipes that were frozen. Due to the cold, effective fire-fighting was difficult but the greater part of the damage was limited to the roof and second story. The furniture was removed to the Hug apartments, where they will live for the present. It was only through the prompt action of O. W. Barlow, who saw the fire and hurried to the house with a hose from the greenhouses, that the house was not entirely destroyed. The snow on the roof also retarded the flames. Mr. and Mrs. Bean were away from home at the time, as they are both working in the G. M. and S. store. The damage will perhaps amount to about \$1000.

People coming in from the Flat report that high winds have blown the snow from the ridges, but that sleighing is still good.  
Much wood is being skidded into town. Any hauling that is required is being done on sleds, to take advantage of the excellent sleighing.

Uncle Billy Witty, who had the misfortune to have some of his chickens stolen the other night, found that they came home when the snow blew away from his neighbors' washes. They had wandered in out of the storm and the snow had covered up their entrance. Uncle now has his chickens at home and is going to try to keep them there.

Nothing has been heard of late of the road contracts on the highway south of here through the river canyon.

Automobiles are nearly entirely absent from our streets during this weather. Dr. Butler still keeps his in order for trips about town but on country roads a sleigh is almost a necessity.

J. A. Roseberry, who has a contract on the Minam hill grade, was in Elgin Monday from that place.  
A wedding of interest to Elgin people was that of Miss Spray and Henry Fisch. Mr. Fisch for a number of years has been associated with his brother-in-law, the late Jack Patton, in the Patten pool hall. Since Mr. Patton's death last winter, Mr. Fisch and Glenn Patten have carried on the business.

Mr. Trull, who recently purchased the Hug Garage here, was a passenger to La Grande this week.

Among the Elgin residents going to La Grande this week and next are: H. H. Hug, Dick Shoemaker, Lee B. Tuttle, Henry Sommer, and Miss Elsie Laughlin.

Rev. W. A. Winters went to La Grande Monday evening to attend the big Methodist convention that is being held there for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Adams were passengers to Hot Lake Monday night. They expect to be gone several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris have been at Hot Lake for several days, taking the treatments there.

Clasie Seraxton was a business visitor in Elgin Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham came back to their home in Elgin on Tuesday morning's train.  
Gas-tar workers are said to be engaged from the "city" small in which they

## TESTIMONIAL FOR THOMPSON

War Finance Corporation Honors Portland Banker in Recognition of His Services.

PORTLAND, Feb. 1.—W. L. Thompson, vice president of the First National bank, Monday received a testimonial which he prizes highly. It is a resolution engraved on parchment, drawn and signed by the directors of the War Finance Corporation, in recognition of his service in assisting the directors in conducting the affairs of the corporation.

Thompson was instrumental in the reorganization of the War Finance Corporation so as to give financial assistance to the livestock and agricultural interests of the country. He later was called to Washington to assist the directors in allotting funds to those industries and remained at the capital for three months, giving the corporation his undivided attention. Due to the demand for his services in the bank he found it necessary to resign his position with the corporation and return to his duties here. The directors signing the resolution are as follows: Eugene Meyer, Jr., August W. McLean, Geo. Cockney and Dwight P. Davis.

### AUTOMOBILE BANKRUPT SALE

The undersigned will sell, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on February 20th, 1922, at La Grande, Oregon, to the highest accepted bid for cash, all the remaining stock, fixtures, parts, accessories, office fixtures, etc., as shown by the inventory of same, belonging to the bankrupt estate of the Inland Motor Company. Said property is located at La Grande, Oregon, and a branch place of business at Enterprise, Oregon. An inventory and inspection of all said property can be seen and made at places of business of said company, at La Grande, and Enterprise, Oregon, by applying to the undersigned.

### Terms of Such Sale

An intending purchaser shall send to the address of the undersigned at La Grande, Oregon, a sealed bid, for either the separate property at either Enterprise or La Grande, Oregon, or the entire property at both places, to be received not later than ten o'clock in the forenoon of February 20th, 1922, accompanied by a certified check of not less than 40 percent of such bid, payable to the order of the undersigned, the amount of such check to be applied on purchase price of bid, if accepted, and forfeited to the estate of said company, if the bidder fails to comply with terms of sale, on demand. If bid is not accepted, check to be returned to bidder. It is a part of the condition of any bid that the

successful bid shall be credited with the appraised value of any item or items named in said inventory, that may have been disposed of prior to date of acceptance of bid. Undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and the acceptance of any bid shall be subject to approval of creditors, and confirmation of sale by referee.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon January 30th, 1922.  
H. A. BODMER,  
Trustee Bankrupt Estate  
Inland Motor Company, a  
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2-24-22

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**POULTRYMEN, ATTENTION!**  
Every member of the Eastern Oregon Poultry Association is asked to be present at the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. at 10 o'clock Saturday. Important matters will be discussed at that time. 2-1-22

### OBSERVER WANT ADS

**CREDITOR'S FIRST MEETING.**  
In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.

In the Matter of Eugene F. Hug, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy No. B. 6145.

To the creditors of Eugene F. Hug, of La Grande, Union county, in this State and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 30th day of January, 1922, the said Eugene F. Hug was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of H. E. Dixon, referee, in the Foley Building at La Grande, Oregon,

on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1922, at 10 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 might properly come before the said meeting.

H. E. DIXON,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

(All claims must be sworn to on bankruptcy blanks before filing.) 2-1-11  
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Allender, Mrs. A. C., r. 1502 Jefferson	572-J
Anderson, S. A. Jr., r. 908 N. Ave.	196-W
Ainsworth, Jennie, r. 106 Greenwood	571-M
Beaman, W. A., r. N. 8th St.	401-W
Bowman, F. V., r. 2315 N. Second St.	350-R
Brokaw, Jas. B., r. 132 Greenwood	433-J
Brown, Dr. H. O., Chiropractor, room 3 West-Jacobson bldg.	251-J
Bacon, Mrs. C. T., r. 1804 Second St.	148-M
Crawford, Vio., r. Apt. 14 New Foley Apts.	501-W
Cochran, Mrs. Addie, r. 1501 T. Ave.	221-M
Chenault, E. F., Farm R. P. D. No. 2	Farmers 2X1
Clark, John H., r. 791 Main St.	421-J
Counsell, H. E., Farm R. P. D. No. 2	Farmers 143
Couch, Mrs. Willard, r. 1510 Third St.	198-W
Chenault, I. E., r. 1410 Second St.	252-W
Dixon, L. W., r. R. No. 3 La Grande	492-M
Depot Pool Hall, (G. R. Robinson, Prop.) cor. Depot and Jeff.	493-M
Deallat, Norman A., r. 5th floor New Foley	503-M
Ehbel, Zula, r. Sommer Bldg.	498-J
Ellsworth, E. E., r. 2902 N. Second St.	213-R
Empire Filling Co., Jeff. and Hemlock	Main 571
Fager, Geo. R., r. 1905 Lake St.	317-J
Frederick's Cafe, E. C. Fredericks, Prop. 218 Depot St.	Main 796
Ray Harris	Main 599
Hart, Oscar A., r. May Park	293-R
Heim, Carl G., r. 1807 Fourth St.	342-R
Hollinger, S. L., r. 801 Penn Ave.	429-W
Hendricks, H. S., r. 2709 Harrison and Alder	142-M
Hill, A. T., r. 1608 First	160-J
Hawes, J. L., r. 1704 N. Willow	504-M
Jordan, Marion E., r. 1705 Cedar St.	246-W
La Grande Messenger Service, 405 N. Fir St.	Main 597
Lyon, F. S., r. 1705 1/2 Washington	309-R
Mays, Hattie J., r. 906 Main St.	361-W
Mesina, Chas., r. 902 K Avenue	438-W
Moore, W. E., r. 1914 Second St.	242-J
Metcalf, Mrs. H., r. 2011 Second St.	470-R
Newlin, Mrs. Beulah, r. 702 Spring St.	Main 18
Mrs. Newlin	Main 570
Quality Market, M. A. Stillwell, Mgr. 1111 Adams Ave.	Main 32
Red Cross Thrift Shop, New Foley Bldg.	Main 579
Russell, A. J., r. 1405 Fifth St.	378-M
Red Cross Society, rooms 24-25 New Foley Bldg.	Main 125
Richtman, L. C., r. 2511 Second St.	162-M
Robbs, Thos., r. Albany Street	273-M
Ringo, E. B., Atty., room 12 West-Jacobson Bldg.	Main 73
Shaw, Clyde C., r. 2013 Second St.	282-R
Shiff, Nolan, Real Estate, P. O. Bldg.	Main 758
Swart, Walter E., r. 2805 N. Fir St.	475-J
Scriber, Lloyd, r. 5th floor New Foley Bldg.	503-J
Thompson, Riley, r. 2097 N. Maple	323-J
Trollinger, Allen, r. 1903 Thirteenth St.	324-M
Vandermeulen, Mrs. Annie, Farm R. P. D. No. 1	Farmers 115
Woodell, Dr. J. E., Chiropractor and Naturopath	497-W
Room 26 Sommer Bldg.	
Weeks, L. S., Collector, Room 23 New Foley Bldg.	219-J
Whiddon, Slater, r. 2702 Birch St.	150-W
Watkins, H. E., r. 1805 Third St.	365-J

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