

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.

Arrives from Union—

Mrs. J. M. Johnson arrived in La Grande this morning. She will be here for the day on business.

Union Man Here—

Steve Harn, who makes his home in Union, is a La Grande business visitor today. He arrived here this morning on No. 7.

In from Joseph—

F. J. McCully came down from Joseph last night and is spending today in La Grande on business interests. During his visit here he is a guest of the Sommer hotel.

Enterprise Lady at The Sommer—

Mrs. Ray C. Chastee arrived in La Grande last night on the branch line train and registered at the Sommer. She is spending the day in La Grande on business.

Summerville Man Here—

Clarence Goodwin, a resident of Summerville, is in town today attending to some business interests. During his visit in La Grande he is a guest of the Foley.

Enterprise Attorney Here—

Daniel Boyd, one of Enterprise's prominent attorneys, came in last night on the branch line train and will be here for a short time on business. He is stopping at the Foley during his visit in La Grande.

Real Estate Transaction—

C. R. Bull sold his home yesterday to Engineer Charles Payne. Mr. Bull is expecting to build soon on his property at Second and Adams. The sale was made through the George H. Currey real estate agency.

Joseph Couple in Town—

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hamilton arrived in La Grande last night on the branch line train for a short visit here on business. They are registered at the Savoy and will return to their home in Joseph tomorrow morning.

In from Idaho—

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hendy and family stepped off of No. 19 last night and are registered at the Foley. They come from Fruitland, Idaho, and are here for a short time looking the town over.

Down from Imbler—

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Billings, residents of Imbler, came in last night on the branch line train and will spend a few days in La Grande visiting with friends and attending to some business matters. During their stay they are guests of the Savoy.

Funeral Wednesday—

The funeral of Maxene Virginia Cantrell, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cantrell, who passed on at Othello, Washington, will be held in La Grande tomorrow afternoon from the Bohnenkamp Chapel at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will take place in the Masonic cemetery.

To Attend Taxpayers' Meeting—

The register at the Foley Hotel today contains the following names: I. N. Day, C. A. McKenna, Ralph Watson, with the Oregon Journal; John W. Kelly, with the Portland Oregonian; and C. C. Chapman, editor of the Oregon Voter, all of Portland. They arrived in La Grande last night and

were here in the interests of the State Tax Investigation Committee. Mr. Day is chairman of this committee.

Pot Luck Supper—

The Epworth League will hold a pot luck supper at their regular business meeting tomorrow night.

Ill With La Grippe—

Mrs. Charles Binger is confined to her home with a serious attack of the grip.

Teacher Ill—

Miss Jean Marion Whitney was unable to attend school yesterday on account of illness. She is head of the English department.

Returns to Union—

Albert Brown, who has been in La Grande for several days, returned to his home in Union today on No. 24.

Loyal Sisters to Meet—

The Loyal Sisters of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. W. Bunting on 1806 Adams avenue Wednesday afternoon at two thirty o'clock.

Returns to Elgin—

R. A. Ohns returned to his home in Elgin this morning on the branch line train. He has been spending some time in La Grande visiting with Miss Ethra Carnes, who is seriously ill at the Grande Ronde Hospital.

Goes to Washington—

Mrs. Bertha Weeks left on No. 23 Saturday evening for Othello, Washington, where she was called by the sudden illness of her granddaughter, Miss Maxene Cantrell.

Two Marriage Licenses—

County Clerk C. K. McCormick issued two marriage licenses over the week-end. One to Andrew E. Johnson and Anna M. Harmon on Saturday and one to Ole Holand and Dolly P. Shader Monday morning. All are local people.

Funeral Today—

Keno June Hensley, the six-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hensley of Summerville, passed on last Saturday at the home of her parents. The funeral will take place at Summerville this afternoon and the remains will be laid to rest in the Summerville cemetery.

Married Yesterday—

Cecil McKinnis and Miss Georgia Marshall, two popular young people of Imbler, were united in marriage yesterday evening at the Methodist parsonage by the Reverend G. H. Quigley. They were accompanied by the mother of the groom and the mother and brother of the bride. They will make their home in Imbler and registered at the Savoy last night.

Regular Meeting Wednesday—

The Lady Macabees will hold their regular meeting at the K. P. hall on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Those in charge promise a good time and plenty of delicious refreshments.

Ladies to Telocaset—

Mrs. George Kennedy and Mrs. Roy Foster left La Grande this morning on No. 24, bound for Telocaset, where they will visit for a few days. Mrs. Kennedy will visit with Mrs. C. H. Read and Mrs. Foster will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. V. Hatt.

Union Farmer Here—

W. W. Bennett returned to Union today after spending a short time in La Grande on business. Mr. Bennett owns a farm in High valley and is well known in the Grande Ronde valley.

Back to Baker—

John Hansel returned to Baker last night. He has been here visiting with his family for a short time and is employed as master mechanic for the Oregon Lumber company at Baker.

General Manager Arrives—

J. P. O'Brien, general manager of the O.W., came in this morning on No. 24 for a short visit in La Grande. He makes his headquarters at Portland.

Old Fashioned Literary—

An Old Fashioned Literary program will be presented in the Christian church on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A very interesting evening is promised and the public is cordially invited. A small admission will be charged.

Ball Family Remains—

H. F. Ball of Detroit is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ball, after an absence of 28 years from La Grande. Mr. Ball moved away from here 28 years ago and has not seen his parents since nine years ago when they visited him in the east. He has been spending the winter in Los Angeles and is now in his way home. Last evening a family reunion was held at the home of Clint Ball, his brother.

Wrong Impression—

According to J. MacPherson's bakery some La Grande people have the wrong impression regarding the price of bread in Portland and in this city. The seven cent loaves of bread which were raised to eight cents in Portland this week are unwrapped and made of inferior material, by dealers. Portland bread

now retails for 10 cents a loaf, the price will be effective for La Grande Thursday, he says. The cheaper bread of Portland, he said this morning, was put in the market to meet the competition of a firm that has now gone out of business.

Business Visit—

Mrs. George Macdonald returned to her home in Imbler this morning. She spent yesterday in La Grande attending to some business affairs and doing some shopping. She was a guest of the Savoy.

Ladies' Aid Will Entertain—

The Ladies' Aid of the First Methodist Church will entertain their friends in the parlors of the church on Wednesday afternoon, March 15th, at two thirty o'clock. All ladies are cordially invited to be present and bring a friend.

Haywood is Soviet Magnate

I. W. W. Leader Secures Huge Concession In Russia

(By Associated Press) MOSCOW, Mar. 14.—Wm. D. Haywood heads a group of American I. W. W. whom Premier Lenine has granted a concession to operate the big Nadejinsky Iron Works in the Ural Mountain region, part of the coal mines in the Kuznetsk and auxiliary factories. Forty-eight hundred American workers are to be brought from the United States, each bringing \$100 worth of tools and agreeing to observe the Soviet labor code.

NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Ten acres in Fruitland. Highly improved, good buildings, conveniences, irrigating pump and engine. P. O. Box 220, La Grande, Oregon. 3-14-1tp

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FOR SALE—Eggs, White Leghorn, single comb, for hatching, at 60c per dozen, f. o. b. Cove, C. M. and K. G. Stackland. 3-14-6tp

COME TO CHURCH Thursday evening and hear the new trial of Fling Wing at 8 o'clock. 3-14-1tp

NOTICE The Pythian Sisters entertainment for Thursday has been postponed until March 21st. 3-14-3tp

WANTED—Woman or girl for general housework. Phone 448-J. 3-14-1tp

FOR SALE—Barrels. Oak and soft wood. Call McPherson's Bakery. 3-14-3tp

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to express our sincere thanks to the kind friends who helped to care for our beloved daughter and little son during their sickness and death, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baker. MR. and MRS. R. I. BARKER and CHILDREN 3-14-1tp

FOR SALE—640 acres, price \$1000. Sec. 36, 2N., 26E., in Wenaha Forest, 4 miles from R.R. at Duncan. Grazing land, with some timber. Address, Owner, P. O. Box No. 377, Portland, Ore. 3-14-1tp

Masonic Lodge Meeting There will be a special meeting of La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M., Wednesday, March 15, 1922, at one o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother Eugene Crippen. By order of the W. M., ERNEST R. RINGO, Secretary 3-14-1tp

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Laura L. Stults, deceased, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers to said administrator at his home at 1620 Sixth Street, La Grande, Ore., or at the office of Ed Wright, his attorney, at La Grande, Oregon, on or before six months from date hereof. Dated this 14th day of March, 1922. CLARENCE M. STULTS, Administrator of the estate of Laura L. Stults, deceased. Mar 14-21-28, Apr. 4-11.

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COVE FAMILY GOES TO BATES

Special to The Observer COVE, Mar. 14.—The Higginbothams are all recovering. There are three families in quarantine and should there be no new cases, school will open next Monday, the 20th.

Mrs. H. Otfedal has gone to her new home in Bates, Oregon. Her son and daughter are in La Grande, where the son will attend school.

Mrs. Roy Jewel and daughter, Evelyn, are spending the week in La Grande.

Miss Mildred Payton, the primary teacher, is spending the week with her parents near Baker.

Mrs. Robert French and son, Stewart, left Saturday to spend a few days at North Powder, where Mr. French is wintering his sheep.

P. A. Conklin and Mrs. Roy Lay were in La Grande visitors last week.

R. Z. Baxter and Roy Jewel left yesterday for an outing in the mountains.

Misses Esther Saunders and Leona Hausen spent the week-end in La Grande shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Orton are located in their new home on the Duffy place.

Chas. Duffy of La Grande spent a few days with his parents in Cove last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Duffy have purchased Mae Stearn's residence and are now domiciled there.

ICE FLOES ARE A HINDRANCE

(By Associated Press) REVAL, Estonia, Mar. 14.—The provisioning of starving Russia has become a task of battling with ice in the Baltic. Reval is now the only port accommodating deep draft steamers which is comparatively free from ice and it is expected that many of the big freighters bearing grain from the United States will bring their cargoes here to be distributed in Soviet Russia by the American Relief Administration. The American Relief Administration increased its personnel here to handle this traffic.

Other ships of lighter draft are discharging at Windau, Latvia, whence a wide-gauge Russian railway makes direct connections with Moscow.

Petrograd has been ice-bound for several weeks and a number of ships, mostly German freighters, have been caught by the ice in the Finnish gulf. In the waters about Reval itself frequently light ships are surrounded by the ice and extricated only with difficulty by the big ice-breakers.

Efforts to keep Petrograd open failed, even with the aid of ice-breaking reinforcements. Sometimes the ice-breakers themselves are caught in the ice and have to call for others to push or pull them out.

Particular people are pleased with the service at the Palace Confectionery as well as with the articles served. 3-14-1tp

Market News (By Associated Press) PORTLAND, Mar. 14.—Livestock and butter were steady today. Eggs were weak.

(By Associated Press) PORTLAND, Mar. 14.—Wheat was \$1.21 to \$1.26 today.

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MOISTURE IS LACKING IN SOME SECTIONS

page is suggested. Shipments and marketing of the crop in Northern States is retarded by low prices and bad condition of roads. An increased interest in seed potatoes is manifested in Oklahoma and Mississippi.

Sweet potato beds are being planted in Florida. An increased acreage in South Carolina is expected. New storage houses are being planned in Arkansas and Louisiana.

The prospect of the orchard fruits is generally favorable. Some injury to fruit buds in southern Wisconsin has resulted from heavy ice coating following mild weather. Some fruit blossoms are reported in Mississippi and Tennessee, and almond trees are beginning to blossom in California. Increased interest in strawberry growing is reported in Arkansas and the coastal counties of Mississippi.

Live stock is generally in good condition and health. Losses have been light. A good demand for stocker hogs and brood sows is reported in many sections. Prices are generally higher and sales of sheep and hogs are more profitable. Interest in co-operative marketing of dairy products is manifested in Louisiana, and a better grade of dairy cattle is being shipped in. A considerable increase in the number of poultry is reported in Arkansas.

Seeding of clover is in progress in some parts of Illinois, and a heavy demand for high-grade clover seed is reported. Some injury to clover and alfalfa fields is reported in Indiana and Wisconsin because of the unfavorable weather conditions. Pastures and ranges are improved generally by increased supply of moisture. The supply of farm labor is generally plentiful at lower wages. The

Old Tyme Dance

EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT The Lucky Lady draws the Dress on Thursday night at Zuber Hall. P. J. Powers

NOTICE OF SALE

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Alvin Snapp, bankrupt.

The stock and fixtures of Alvin Snapp, being business as the La Grande Pharmacy, will be sold by the undersigned to the highest bidder on Thursday, March 16, 1922.

Stock inventories, \$7,870.81. Fixtures estimated \$2,500.00. Bids must be presented at the office of H. L. Dixon, Rooms 29 and 31, Foley Building, La Grande, Ore., on or before 4 p. m. of the said date. Certified checks of 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid must accompany the bid. Right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

C. L. Winsor, Trustee in Bankruptcy of Alvin Snapp Estate, Room 29, Foley Building, La Grande, Oregon. 3-11-3tp

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