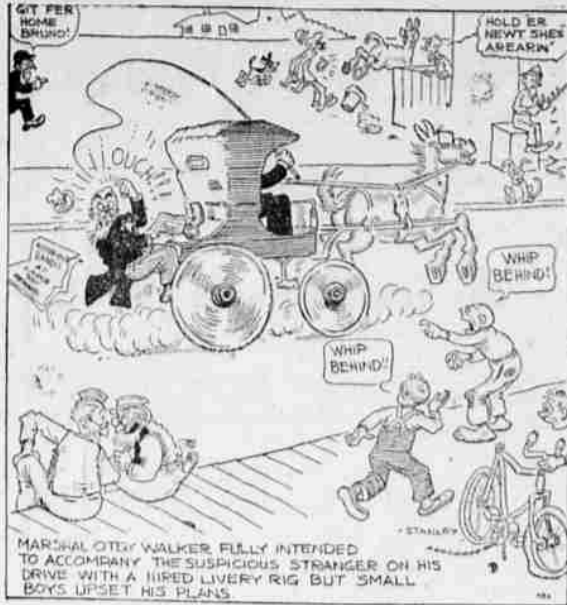


THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



MARSHAL OTIS WALKER FULLY INTENDED TO ACCOMPANY THE SUSPICIOUS STRANGER ON HIS DRIVE WITH A Hired LIVERY RIG BUT SMALL BOYS UPSET HIS PLANS

Local News In Brief

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Aug. 1, 8 p. m. La Grande Municipal band concert at corner of First and Washington.
Aug. 4-6, K. O. M. picnic at Riverside Park.
Sept. 1-2 Northwest convention of D. O. K. K. at La Grande.
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Visitor from Union—
Otis Snook, prominent business man of Union, was a visitor in town yesterday on matters of business.

Over from Union—
Mrs. James Wells of Union, spent yesterday in the city shopping, returning to her home in the evening.

Accepts Position—
Byrill Anderson has accepted a position at the Carr Furniture company. Mr. Anderson has been in the service of Mr. Carr before.

Huckleberrying—
B. C. Snider is spending a few days at Tolocast gathering huckleberries. He will return sometime this week.

Visiting Friends Here—
Mrs. R. E. Hayshurst, who makes her home in Haines, is spending a few days in La Grande visiting at the home of Mrs. John McEwan.

On Shopping Tour—
Mrs. Joe Hanson and daughter, Clara, returned to their home in Perry last evening after spending the day in the city shopping.

Visiting Parents—
John Bennett, who makes Portland his home, is here for a few days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bennett.

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.

Dance

Wednesday Night
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Admission 75c
Loney's Novelty Orchestra

Tom Sawyer

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Returns Home—

Miss Alta Robertson returned this morning from a few days' visit to Boise, where she visited friends.

Gets Children—
Mr. and Mrs. Abe Harris motored down from Walla Walla to get their children who have been visiting at the home of relatives, returning in the evening.

Son Arrives—
Mr. and Mrs. Elani Briggs, of Starkey, are the proud parents of an eight pound son, born Thursday evening in La Grande. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Leaves for Portland—
J. T. Richardson, owner of the Palace Confectionery, left last evening for Portland to transact business matters. Mr. Richardson will return the latter part of the week.

Over from Union—
Dr. T. M. Gilmore, accompanied by Miss Eva Wilson, drove to La Grande this morning and spend a few hours here before returning to their homes.

Back on Job—
Arthur Sanford, candy maker, is again back on the job after a few days' vacation in Salt Lake. Mr. Sanford returned leaving his family there for a few days longer visit.

Out on Street Again—
Slater Whiddon, who has been confined to his home for some time as the result of an auto accident, is again able to be out on the streets.

At Imperial Sunday—
Nelson Skiff, who has been in the land office at La Grande as receiver under the Wilson administration, is among the arrivals at the Imperial. —Oregonian.

Visiting Parents in La Grande—
Mrs. J. E. Benson and son Lewis, who make their home in Pendleton, arrived here last night to spend a couple of days with Mrs. Benson's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Nehergal.

Passes Through La Grande—
Lester Imbler and family, of Enterprise, arrived in the city last evening on the branch line train on their way to Portland to visit friends for a few weeks before returning home.

Purchases Land—
J. G. Green yesterday purchased \$50 acres of land on the Wallawa river adjoining some land that he already owned. The purchase was made through the C. J. Black Realty company.

Spends Day in City—
Miss Ruth and Mildred Fulp, Cove ladies, spent yesterday in the city shopping and visiting friends, returning home in the evening.

Band Members to Meet—
All band men are requested to meet this evening at 7:45 at the corner of Washington avenue and First street.

Spends Day in City—
Mrs. Henry Reid and son of Enterprise, were in La Grande yesterday spending the day shopping and visiting friends. They returned to their home this morning.

Kamela People in City—
Misses Harriet and Ada Neilson, of Kamela, arrived in La Grande last evening and spent the night here as guests at the Savoy. They are here on a shopping tour.

Leaves for Home—
Mrs. E. K. Strowbridge, who makes her home in Alameda, California, left last evening after spending several days here at the home of Dr. Veira and other friends.

Will Visit Parents—
Mrs. Bernice Jones and children left last evening for Melba, Idaho, to spend a few weeks visiting with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Comstock.

Spends Day in City—
W. R. Hindman, retired farmer of the Elgin district, spent yesterday in the city, attending to a few business matters, returning to his home in the evening.

At Stearns Home—
Miss Mildred Trimble is visiting a few days as the guest of Miss Mae Stearns. Miss Trimble will return to her home in Salem the last of the week.

Leaves for Convention—
C. H. Finn left last evening for San Francisco, where he will attend the annual convention of the American Bar association, to be held there August 7th.

Home to Nampa—
Miss Lucy Comstock, who has been visiting at the home of Miss Mae Stearns for the past week, returned to her home in Nampa Saturday night.

To Live at Seattle—
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chapman, who have made their home in La Grande for the past few months, left this morning for Seattle, where they will permanently locate.

Business at U. S. Land Office—
Applications filed at the U. S. and office today for homesteads were Geo. S. Brooks, of Wallawa and Jeffrey W. Yates, of Portland filed an application for desert land claim.

New Water Today—
The Y swimming tank was refilled today so that the girls' and ladies' swimming classes this evening would have fresh water for their evening classes which will take place at 7 and 8 o'clock, respectively.

Left for Baker—
Mr. and Mrs. M. Bondy, accompanied by their children, Norma and Melvin, left this morning for Baker, where they will spend the day on business. They will return to La Grande this evening.

Over from Union—

Guy Cox, of Union, motored to La Grande this morning and spent the greater part of the day here arranging some business matters, returning to his home early this afternoon.

Back to Baker—
Miss Clara Fries, of La Grande, who has been taking a nurse's training course at the Baker training school, returned last evening to Baker after spending a couple of weeks here visiting friends and relatives.

Home from the Orient—
Alanzo Dunn, son of W. D. Dunn of this city, returned this morning after his discharge from the army. Mr. Dunn has traveled over the Orient and for the past year has been stationed at Manila. He says the Orient is all right but give me the good old U. S. A.

Negro Pleads Guilty—
Henry Stark, colored, charged with assault against Henry Pailman, colored, and with disorderly conduct, was tried in the municipal court last evening at 7:30 o'clock by Judge R. J. Kitchen. Stark pleaded guilty to the charges and was fined \$25 and costs.

Passed Through City—
Dale Beach of Portland, was a passenger on No. 24 today, bound for Union, where he will spend a few days visiting with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kuhn and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Beach. While in eastern Oregon he will also visit with friends and relatives in Wallawa county.

Leaves La Grande—
Mrs. V. D. Dygart and her four children left La Grande this morning bound for Portland, where they will make their future home. Mrs. Dygart's husband, who is a train dispatcher on the O-W, will leave for Portland about Thursday or Friday after closing his business affairs in this city.

Returned Home—
Mrs. C. M. McFatrige, a resident of Enterprise, who spent the evening and afternoon in La Grande shopping and looking over some business matters, returned to her home this morning on the branch line train. During her brief visit in La Grande she was a guest at the Foley.

Goes to Enterprise—
Mrs. Roy O. Shelton and Miss Blanche Tompkins, both residents of Echo, arrived in La Grande yesterday and after spending the evening here, left this morning on the branch line train for Enterprise and other Wallawa county points, where they will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives before returning to their home.

Fireman Returns—
J. W. Crowley, foreman of the woods for the Palmer Lumber company, with headquarters at Vincent, returned to his home this morning on the branch line train after spending the week-end in La Grande on business. "Everything is getting along fine," he remarked this morning preliminary to boarding the train.

Passed Through—
L. E. Burbridge and family of Weiser, passed through the city on their way to Seattle. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ina-dore Smith of Boise and while in the city spent a few hours visiting with Mr. Burbridge's mother, Mrs. J. J. Burbridge. On their return trip they will remain in the city several days.

Preparing for Harvest—
Frank Wright, wheat raiser of the Elgin district, is in town today making purchases preparatory to the grain harvest which will begin tomorrow. Mr. Wright states that the standing grain is very good and that it will bring a nice price which will not disappoint the grain growers, he believes.

Methodist Ladies to Meet—
The Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. church will hold their monthly division meeting August 2nd in the following homes: First division, Mrs. J. C. Henry, 1503 Fourth; Second division, Mrs. Sherwood Williams, 791 Washington avenue; Third division, Mrs. Abbie and Claude Cooper, 792 Main; Fourth division, Mrs. O. T. Utley, 2796 North Ash. A good attendance is requested.

Back to Manhattan—
"Jimmy" Stoddard left this morning for New York after spending a few days here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stoddard of Pringle. Mr. Stoddard is employed in New York with the Standard Oil Co. "Jimmy" says that it is sure fire to get back in Oregon again even if it is only for a few days.

Funeral to Be Held in Elgin—
The funeral of Mrs. J. C. Austin, who died on Sunday evening following an accident near Hot Lake when the car her son was driving left the road, rolling over and bruising her severely, will be held at Elgin tomorrow afternoon. Her demise was the result of shock as she had a heart ailment and was 62 years of age. The W. H. Bohnenkamp Co. forwarded her remains to Elgin this morning which were accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Brown, who makes her home in La Grande.

Roasting Ears That Are Superfine—
Roasting ears were presented to the Evening Observer today by Shirra and Berry, who own one of La Grande's finest small fruit farms. Roasting ears that vary in size from mouth water to vitalizing the finished product after having passed through the hands of culinary artists such as the mothers of La Grande are, fresh from the kettle and teamed with most delicious condiments well seasoned with butter. One thing that La Grande and the surrounding community may be justly proud of is the wonderful quality of garden vegetables and small fruits that are raised. Corn, etc., as the above, of the sweet variety, will match favorably with

some of the best products the state has to offer and not only corn, but other vegetables are produced here that rank with the premier productions of the small fruit and vegetable fancier. Shirra and Berry are also known throughout the state for their new type of cherries, called the New Giants, which are a cross between the Lamberts and Blings.

Inspecting Highway Work—
The members of the county court and R. H. Baldock, division engineer of the State Highway department, left this morning on an inspection of the Joseph-La Grande highway section that runs through Union county. The members of the county court are, County Judge U. G. Couch, C. C. Galaway and J. F. Hutchinson. The party will return this evening making their reports on the road.

NEW TODAY

WILLOW GLEN NURSERY, 908 Kaler Avenue. Planting season starts the first of October and lasts until the end of November. Get your plants here. All kinds of fruit and shade trees, berries, shrubbery, vines, peonies, hedging, etc. ALFRED MILNE, Prop. 8-1-2t.

DO THE DEAD LIVE? Cecilia Gustaf, a Swedish princess, scientific prophetess, who is now in the city will speak on scientific thoughts at the lecture to be given at the Odd Fellows hall Wednesday evening August 2, at 8 o'clock. At this lecture messages from this world and other worlds will be given. 8-1-2tp

FOR RENT—A very desirable room for rent at 1303 Ninth street. Gentlemen preferred. Phone 423W. 8-1-5t.

FOR SALE—New up to date 5-room house and furniture all new; must sell. See Mrs. Zuber. 8-1-2tp.

WANTED—Young male dog. Inquire 1903 First street. 8-1-3tp.

LOST—Bunch of 6 keys on ring. Leave at Observer office. 8-1-2tp.

WANTED—Woodchoppers. Call 1403 N avenue or Phone 434L. 8-1-1tp.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment—Ground floor, 1403 S avenue. 8-1-2tp.

WANTED—An experienced clerk. Phone Main 43. 8-1-1t.

LOST—Black pocket-book containing ten dollar bill and some silver. Return to Observer office and receive reward. Jos. S. Grant. 8-1-3tp.

LOST—Ladies' gold wrist watch. Generous reward for return. Leave at Observer office. 8-1-1t.

FOR RENT—Two furnished houses—keeping rooms. Phone 396R. 8-1-1t.

RAILROAD MAN BEATEN. PORTLAND, Aug. 1.—George Leschenko, employed by the Union Pacific shops here, was beaten by three men today. He is in an emergency hospital.

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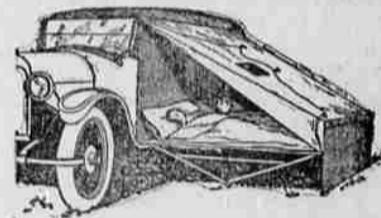
Priced at \$3.25 and \$3.75

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Ready-to-Wear and Shoes

TENTILE WORKERS ON STRIKE. (By Associated Press.) BOSTON, August 1.—The textile strike in Lawrence, in its ninetieth week Monday, appears to have settled into a grim test of endurance. Mill owners and operatives alike have announced that they would maintain their ground to the bitter end and neither side appears to show signs of weakening. The number of workers idle in Lawrence because of the strike and the closing of the Arlington mills is estimated at 18,000. The tie-up is over wage cuts ranging from 12 to 20 per cent.

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