

THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



MANY HEATED ARGUMENTS AROSE OVER THE COAT AND HAT FOUND ON THE CREEK BANK YESTERDAY - IT IS NOT DEFINITELY KNOWN WHETHER THEY BELONG TO THE MISSING MARSHAL, OTEY WALKER OR NOT

Local News In Brief

Union Visitors - W. E. Dearing and Jack Donavan, both of Union, are in the city today on business.

Flora Visitor - B. D. Davidson of Flora, is in the city today on business. He arrived in La Grande yesterday and registered at the Savoy.

Were in Union - Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Steward drove to Union yesterday afternoon and spent a short time there before returning to their home in La Grande.

Enterprise Man - Y. K. Joe, who hails from Enterprise, spent the evening at the Foley. He is in La Grande on business.

Elgin Visitor - Fred Tracy of Elgin, is a La Grande business visitor today. He arrived in the city yesterday and is registered at the Savoy.

Back from Portland - Albert Curry, who has been in Portland on business for the past few days, returned to La Grande yesterday morning.

REWARD - The Evening Observer will pay a suitable reward for information leading to the arrest of "hoodlums" who have been entering this office at different times in the last three months stealing papers, wrenches, screw-drivers and other tools. All persons are warned not to buy such articles if they are offered to them for sale by the thieves. - 10-11-22

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

Saturday Night Rex Hall

Loney's Novelty Orchestra

Hunting Clothes FOR THE HUNTER

China Season Opens Sunday, October 15th.

- Waterproof Hunting Coats and Hats. Waterproof Hunting Pants, laced knee and regular length. Wool Pants, lace knee and regular. Leather Vests and All Wool Mackinaws. Lanpher Brand. Light weight Rubber Boots for Duck Hunters. High Top Shoes. Russell and Chippewa Paces. The Best Made Paces. Ball Band Wool Sox. Let Us Help You Select Your Hunting Outfit At Lowest Prices.

Clint's Clothery

"The Store With Conscience"

in La Grande yesterday and registered at the Savoy. Mr. Butler returned to his home today.

Lostine Man - C. Childers, a resident of Lostine, returned to his home this morning after spending Sunday in La Grande on a combined business and pleasure trip. While in the city Mr. Childers was registered at the Savoy.

Down from Kamela - Bob Ross, who makes his home in Kamela, spent yesterday in La Grande visiting friends. Mr. Ross returned to his home today and while in the city was a guest at the Savoy.

Few Days in City - Carl DeShazer, a resident of Enterprise, returned to his home today at the conclusion of a few days business visit in La Grande. Mr. DeShazer was a guest at the Savoy while in La Grande.

Returned to Enterprise - Ray B. Floyd of Enterprise, returned to his home this morning on the branch line train after spending yesterday in the city. He was a guest at the Savoy.

Ladies Aid Meet - On Wednesday, October 18, at 2:30, the four divisions of the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist church will meet in the Ladies Aid room in the basement of the church for a social meeting. The first division will have charge of the social entertainment and refreshments. All are welcome.

Special Service - There will be a special service conducted Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. at the Salvation Army hall. Rev. Starmer of the Baptist church will be the chief speaker. A good attendance is desired. Come and bring your friends.

Baker Ladies Visit in City - Saturday afternoon Mrs. Wattles, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Edgar Hanna and Misses Cima Sonnemeyer and Eunice Patterson, of Baker, spent some time with La Grande friends, returning to Baker in their car later in the evening.

Motored to Baker - Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wright, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jan Nelson, motored to Baker yesterday and after spending a few hours there, returned to La Grande in the evening.

Car Caught Fire - A car, belonging to Jack Harlan, caught fire last evening about 9:40 o'clock and a fire alarm was turned in. However, the fire was extinguished before the fire department could reach the scene.

Union Visitors - Gerald Spencer, accompanied by Oliver Turner, Reid Blacker, Harlan McCann and another gentleman, all of Union, drove to La Grande this morning and are spending the day here on business.

Will Leave for East - Mr. Lewis may go to Arizona for a few days for New Jersey where she goes to the bedside of her father and mother who are both quite ill. Mr. Lewis may go to Arizona for a few months in the hope that the mild winter climate will benefit him, while Mrs. Lewis is in the east.

Left for Wenatchee - Saturday Dan McClelland and family left in their machine for Wenatchee, where they will make their future home. They carry the best wishes of all La Grande people.

Drove to Enterprise - No longer is the trip to Enterprise to be considered a hard trip, in the assertion of Ward Fowler and wife, who yesterday about noon decided they would go to the county seat of the neighboring county. Accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Stafford they drove to Enterprise and visited C. W. Amey and family for a short time returning home in the evening.

Series of Dances Guaranteed - After working out details of the plan whereby a series of dances will be held at the Country club this winter, the entertainers to be chosen each time by lot, the club's management today announced that members had signed up guaranteeing the social events for the season under the plan as originally outlined. The first dance under this system will be held October 23rd. This, like all others during the winter, is to be wholly informal.

Love of the Pheasant Gets Him - "Bill" Stewart, who is sometimes called "William" by those who do not know him so well, arrived in La Grande yesterday hungry for the sight of the Grande Ronde valley, wishing to get his kin and go after China pheasants and incidentally with a longing desire to see the faces of La Grande people with whom he has associated for many years. "Bill" is out after the pheasants and promised John Walden that he would not go above the limit. With his family he is spending the winter in Portland and it was from that city that he came with the opening of the pheasant season.

On Their Way Home - After attending the teachers convention at Baker, State Superintendent J. A. Churchill and wife stopped in La Grande Saturday to visit E. K. Bragg and family. A. C. Hamilton and family and other friends. Mr. Churchill is recognized as probably the best school superintendent in the west. Under his supervision the schools of the state have advanced and the work has been put on a much higher plane. He, before he has been unopposed, the objection to this office, but this year some one down in the lower country decided to take a swing at the office. When country people will let Mr. Churchill be the best, Mr. Churchill's wife, Mrs. Mary, is a native of the Willamette valley and she was the

Queen of Chicago's Stenos



Miss Edith Schwabauer is winner of a contest held to pick the most beautiful stenographer in Chicago. And she says she'll stick to her

votes are counted the opposition to Mr. Churchill will only be in the "also ran" class.

Baker People in City - Albert Geiser, Miss Louise Geiser and Mrs. William Follman, of Baker, spent yesterday afternoon in La Grande. Mr. Geiser is one of the men who made Eastern Oregon famous in days gone by when he developed the old Bonanza gold mine in the upper country. Of late he has been with a large mining company operating in British Columbia and Old Mexico.

Mrs. Morrison will hold her hair display at the Andrews' Variety Store Tuesday and Wednesday. She is stopping at the Stultz Apt. on 1620 Sixth st. 10-16-22

NEW MARK BY O. A. C. HEN

(Special to the Observer) OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, CORVALLIS, Oct. 14 - Another world egg laying record has been made by a hen of college stock. This time it is a record for the White Leghorn breed of 324 eggs - the same number laid by the college bird K-24 when it established a world record for the Barred Rock breed. White Leghorn hen number 28, belonging to Alexander Stewart of Santa Cruz, won with 324 eggs in the year. Mr. Stewart's pen, of which number 28 is a member, was first place. Number 28 had the greatest individual record ever made in an egg laying contest for any breed, K-24, an O. A. C. Barred Rock hen, made a world record last year for any breed, laying 324 eggs. K-24 was entered in the California farm bureau egg laying contest last year, but she did not begin laying when the contest began on November 1. Her year began on November 1. Her year was counted from December 14, so her record was not made in a contest. K-24 had the world record for any breed at the time, but since then a black Langshan has laid 335 eggs in a year at the Hawkesbury agricultural college in Australia.

Number 28, who now holds the world contest record, was bred from stock obtained from the college. Mr. Stewart bought two sets of eggs from which he hatched 24 chicks three years ago, raising 12 pullets and five cockerels from the 24. The 12 pullets averaged 239 eggs each their first year.

NEW TODAY

A good many of the boys and girls now working are planning to attend Link's Business College. Come as soon as the harvest is over. 10-16-11

FOR SALE - 49 one-year-old thoroughbred White Leghorn hens. Phone 253-R. J. P. Steinbeck. 10-16-22

FOR RENT - Light housekeeping rooms. Phone 212-W or call at 1480 Jefferson. 10-16-11

MEN WANTED - To qualify for firemen, brickmen; experience unnecessary. Transportation furnished. Write W. Burgess, Dept. 21, St. Louis, Missouri. 10-16-11

FOR SALE - Alfalfa hay, in stack. Phone 258-W. 10-16-22

WANTED - Two or three experienced apple box makers. Apply 123 Depot St., La Grande, or Phone Main 1. 10-16-11

FOR RENT - Storage rent for apples. Inquire Oscar Hart, Maypark, Oregon. 10-16-22

FOR RENT - Sleeping rooms and furnished apartment. Close in. 498 1/2 North Fir St. 10-16-22

LOST - Check book and small purse, between C. track and X avenue, on Fir st. Finder return to Observer office and receive reward. 10-16-11

FOR SALE - 16 in. wood and frame post. Phone 377-R. 10-16-11

two birds laying more than 400 eggs in 21 months. A male bird was obtained from the college in 1920 and another one last year by Mr. Stewart. From this stock he bred the pen that won the California contest, and hen number 28.

Birds Carrying Water - How birds breeding in dry places supply their young with water is illustrated by the habits of the European sand-grouse as observed in aviaries by the British naturalist, Mr. Meade-Waldo. "The male rubs his breast violently up and down on the ground - a motion quite distinct from quacking - and when his feathers are awry goes into his drinking water and saturates the feathers of his underparts. When soaked he goes through the motion of flying away, nodding his head, etc. then remembering his family is close by, he would run to the hen, make a demonstration, when the young run out, get under him, and suck the water from his breast - the appearance being that of a mammal suckling her young. The young pass the feathers through their bills, and keep changing places until the supply becomes exhausted. Until the young can fly they take water in no other way, and the cock alone gives it to the young. This practice has also been attributed to the red grouse, and it is quite possible that other birds whose young are reared far from water may adopt it."

The Ear's Capacity - The most practiced ear cannot distinguish in one second more than from five to twelve successive sounds.

J. H. Kilby, 1806 Y., is taking orders for your fall and spring delivery for the Guaranteed Nursery Stock, Washington Nursery Co. 10-4-1m

NOTICE O. E. S. - There will be a special communication of Hope Chapter No. 12, O. E. S., Monday evening, October 16, at 8 p. m., in honor of the Worthy Grand Master's official visit.

By order of the Worthy Master, 10-14-22

Observer Advertising will bring results

TODAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

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