

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



ED SIMPSON'S BIRTHDAY. HE CELEBRATED HIS BIRTHDAY IN A Buggy and had changed the wheels on his buggy.

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
 * March 6—Annual Union County Ad Club dinner.
 * March 10—Seven Eastern Oregon County Legionnaires Convention in La Grande.

Returns Home
 Mrs. A. J. Maguire of La Grande returned from Baker last evening after a week-end there visiting with friends.

Here from Vincent
 S. H. Halston, of Vincent, is in the city on a short business trip and is stopping at the Foley.

Bound for Coquille
 Mrs. M. Keeney, of La Grande, left last evening for Coquille, Oregon, where she will visit for about a week.

Business Visitor
 Victor Holmes, of Perry, spent yesterday in La Grande on business, returning to his home in the evening.

Will Visit Here
 Mrs. J. M. Dolan, of Union, arrived in La Grande last evening and will spend the following week with relatives and friends.

To Portland
 Mrs. J. H. Flint, of La Grande, left last evening for Portland, where she will spend a short time visiting.

Home to Enterprise
 Mrs. O. L. Neal returned to her home at Enterprise this morning after stopping a short time in this city as a guest at the Foley.

Summerville Man Here
 V. W. Dodson, who makes his home at Summerville, is in La Grande for a few days transacting business. Mr. Dodson is registered at the Foley.

Baker Man Here
 B. L. Harvey, who makes his home at Baker, is in La Grande on business for a few days. Mr. Harvey is registered at the Foley.

Goes to Vincent
 J. M. Horton arrived in La Grande yesterday from North Carolina and left this morning for Vincent, where he will be employed in the future.

To Visit at Wallawa
 Mrs. Dora Beecher left this morning on the branch line train for Wallawa, where she will spend several days visiting friends and relatives.

Goes to Island City
 Mrs. Ada Walters, of Corvallis, left this morning on the branch line train for Island City, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Peter Rosner, for some time.

To Visit at Joseph
 Miss Beattie McMillan, of Halfway, Oregon, left this morning for Joseph, where she will visit with relatives for some time. Miss McMillan was registered at the Savoy last evening.

Returns from Baker
 Mrs. E. J. Kitchin and two daughters, Thelma and Etta Bell, accompanied by Misses Lois Lyman and Velma Switzer, returned from Baker after spending Saturday and Sunday visiting with friends and attending the basketball game.

Returns to Elgin
 Mrs. Dan Sommers returned to her home at Elgin this morning after accompanying Mr. Sommers to Hot Lake.

this city returned to Pleasant Valley this morning.

Committees to Meet
Tomorrow evening all committee heads and members of the newly-formed activities program of the Episcopal church will meet at Hoan hall. All committee members are urged to be present.

Here from Huntington
John Ilevins, who makes his home at Huntington, is in this city for a short time and is registered at the Foley.

Small Fire Today
This morning about 10:30 o'clock a fire broke out in the offices of the H. & S. Electric company and was quickly extinguished by the fire department. Fire Chief C. O. Murchison believes that the blaze was due to defective wiring and is unable to estimate the damage, which is small, and which was caused mainly by the smoke and chemicals used in putting out the fire.

NECANICUM BRIDGE PLANNED
ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 20.—The Clatsop county court announced today that it will open bids about the first of next month for construction of a wooden bridge across the Necanicum river on Broadway at Seaside. The structure will be about 40 feet long and have a 50-foot roadway. A movement had been launched to postpone construction of the bridge until next year, when a concrete one would be built, but as the Seaside authorities have taken no action in the matter the court decided to proceed with the erection of a wooden structure.

OIL QUEST FAILS
ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 20.—The well drilled by the Lower Columbia Oil & Gas company on the tidelands about three miles from Astoria has proved to be a "dry hole." Saturday evening the well was shot by the explosion of 120 quarts of dynamite at the 3700-foot level, and while the explosion was followed by a great onrush of gas, billows made yesterday and today failed to bring any oil.

COVE VISITOR
Karl J. Stackland, of Cove, is in town on business for a short time and is stopping at the Foley.

HERE FROM VINCENT
Otto Hunter is here from Vincent for a few days and is stopping at the Savoy.

RETURNS FROM ENTERPRISE
Fred Hartley returned last evening from Enterprise where he has been visiting friends for some time past.

GOES TO HOT LAKE
J. K. Wright went to Hot Lake this morning where he will spend a few days taking treatments.

TO LOCATE IN PORTLAND
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hendricks left this morning on No. 17 for Portland where they expect to make their home in the future.

GO TO JOSEPH
E. H. Hays and sister, Mrs. E. H. Hays, left this morning for Joseph, where they took the body of their mother for burial.

AT THE FOLEY
Frank Golden, who makes his home at Baker, is in this city on a few days' business trip and is staying at the Foley.

ATTENDING FARM BUREAU MEET
E. H. Mink, a member of the Union County Farm Bureau, proprietor of a farm a few miles east of Union on the main line, arrived in La Grande this morning and is here today attending the annual farm bureau meeting.

OVER FROM UNION
E. B. Hays and J. B. Weaver, Union fruitmen, are in La Grande today on business. They arrived in the city this morning and will return to their homes tonight.

BIBLE CLASS TO MEET
The Ladies Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Robert Miller, 1296 B avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

HERE FROM NORTH POWDER
Mrs. Elmer Jacobs came down from North Powder yesterday and is stopping a short time here shopping and transacting business.

GO TO PORTLAND
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Clinton went to Portland last evening on a combined business and pleasure trip. Mr. Clinton is manager of the Standard Oil company of this city.

TO PORTLAND ON BUSINESS
Fred McKennon left yesterday for Portland where he will spend several weeks transacting business. While there Mr. McKennon will also visit relatives.

RETURN HOME
Mrs. P. J. Yoder and son returned to their home at Oregon City this morning after visiting about ten days in La Grande at the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mcas.

TO RESIDE HERE
Raymond O. Williams, wife and baby, recently of Portland, have come to La Grande to make their home. Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Happersett. Mr. Williams will be associated with his brother, Sherwood Williams, in the La Grande Investment Company.

REVIVAL MEETINGS
The series of revival services that are being conducted in the Methodist church since this week are meeting with very satisfactory success, according to the pastor, the Reverend A. J. Starnier, who extends an invitation to all to attend who have not yet heard J. M. Johnson, the visiting preacher, deliver his sermons. Services are being held every night this week excepting Saturday, while a special service will be held in the afternoon at two o'clock for the children.

HOME TO PLEASANT VALLEY
Mrs. C. P. Brooks and Mrs. J. B. Brooks after visiting several days at

THE MARKET
(Portland, Feb. 20.—Cattle were steady, choice steers \$7.25 to \$7.75; hogs and sheep steady, butter also steady. Eggs one to two cents lower with the buying prices 23 and 25 cents and selling prices 24 and 30 cents.

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the second division of the O. W. notified Mr. Lottridge that the railroad will use their steam compressor 15 hours daily instead of the 100 h. p. electrical compressor in order to conserve and light consumption of the Baker company. Flouring and lumbering mills of both Baker and Grande Ronde valleys are also participating in every way possible, according to Mr. Lottridge.

Annual Dinner Announced
Before adjournment, Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Ad club, announced that the annual Ad club dinner would be held in the Methodist church on the evening of March 6th. At that time, with their wives and sweethearts seated beside them, the members would install new officers and attend the other matters of business that take place at the annual meeting. The next Tuesday noon-day luncheon will also be held in the Methodist church with the American Legion in charge and with Fred Kiddle chairman of the day.

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