

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
 March 6—Annual Union County Ad Club dinner.
 March 10—Seven Eastern Oregon County Legislators convene in La Grande.
 March 20, O. A. C. Cadet Band in concert here.
 March 24, Superintendent and Principals Conference in La Grande.

Continued to Home
 Mrs. Ed Ford is confined to her home today with a slight cold.

To Idaho
 Mrs. Frank Trunk returned to her home in Moulton, Idaho, last night after visiting in Elgin for several days.

Here from Baker
 J. H. Shinn, of Baker, is spending a short business trip in this city. Mr. Shinn is registered at the Foley.

Enterprise Man Here
 T. O. Shirey, an Enterprise resident, spent last evening in La Grande as a guest at the Sommer.

Pendleton Man Here
 C. O. Flannett, of Pendleton, is visiting in this city for a few days and is at the Savoy.

Goes to Portland
 Mrs. W. G. Sawyer left this morning on No. 17 for Portland, where she will visit as the guest of her mother, Mrs. T. R. Butler.

To Locate at Milton
 Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beaumont, who have been visiting in La Grande and Elgin for two weeks, left this morning for Milton, where to live here for a few days. While

they expect to make their home. They have been living at Enterprise.

Visited Here
 Mrs. Willard Baird, of Baker, returned to her home last evening after spending several days in La Grande visiting.

To Aberdeen
 Frank Barker, of La Grande, left last night for Aberdeen, where he was called on account of the death of a relative.

Baker Visitor
 Freeman Linder, who makes his home at Baker, is in the city on a short business trip and is stopping at the Foley.

Return to Elgin
 Misses Orpha and Hazel Barnes returned to their home at Elgin this morning after spending a couple of days in this city shopping and visiting.

Back to Alsea
 Mrs. M. A. Brown returned to Alsea this morning after spending the past few days in La Grande visiting with friends and relatives.

Leaves for Visit
 Mrs. M. H. Benson, of La Grande, left this morning for Pendleton and Weston, where she will visit friends and relatives for some time.

Baker Visitor
 John Barker, of Baker, is in this city for a few days on a combined business and pleasure trip and is registered at the Savoy.

Spends Here
 Mr. C. R. Smith, proprietor of the Star, has been visiting in La Grande and Elgin for a few days. He is a guest at the Sommer.

injured, the condition of the injured member is not serious.

In from Elgin
 Mrs. Arthur Hallgarth, who makes her home at Elgin, is in La Grande shopping for a short time. She is registered at the Savoy.

Here from Joseph
 Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dawson came down from Joseph last evening and is stopping in this city as guests of the Foley.

Back to Rose City
 James Cates returned to his home in Portland last night after spending several days in the city visiting friends.

To Cedar Falls
 Mrs. H. Whitehead, of La Grande, left last evening for Cedar Falls, Ia., where she will visit for several weeks.

Passes Through
 J. R. Cole, of Baker, passed through the city last night enroute to Portland, where he was called on business.

Lady Shopper
 Mrs. W. A. Ingerson, of Kameh, returned to her home last night after spending the day in the city shopping.

To Cave
 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Byshean, of Elgin, left for Cave yesterday, where they will visit for several days.

Goes to Pendleton
 Floyd McKennon left this morning on No. 17 for Pendleton, where he will spend the next few days.

Visited Over Week-End
 Miss Bess Scriber spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William Condit at their home above Hilgard.

Baker Man in City
 F. E. Schafer, a citizen of Baker, is stopping in this city on business for a short time. He is at the Foley.

North Powder Visitor
 L. M. Daugherty, of North Powder, was registered at the Foley last evening. He is in La Grande for a few days on business.

Returned from Bend
 Mrs. Hattie Kingsland has returned from Bend where she has been visiting her daughter for some time past.

At the Sommer
 John Bing was a Pendleton guest at the Sommer yesterday. He was transacting business in La Grande.

Much Improved
 Mr. Chas. Beddingfield, who recently underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital, is according to today's report, doing fine.

Reports Sale
 George Curry reports the sale of the M. M. Murphy property at the head of Fourth street to Walter A. Swart.

Daughter is Born
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Speckhart of Alsea, are the proud parents of a daughter born to them Saturday, February 24, at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Here from Pendleton
 Mrs. A. R. Thompson was a Pendleton visitor in this city yesterday. She stopped as a guest at the Sommer.

Employee is Injured
 Rex Green, an employee of the O. & W., met with an accident while at work, caused from a steam explosion. He was burned slightly but his condition is not serious.

Enterprise Visitor
 H. W. Beecher, who hails from Enterprise, was among the guests at the Savoy yesterday. Mr. Beecher is transacting business in La Grande for a short time.

To Spend Day at Baker
 Colin R. Eberhard left this morning on No. 24 for Baker to spend the day attending to legal business. Mr. Eberhard is District Deputy of the U. P. O. E. and will also visit the Elks Lodge while in that city.

League to Hold Meeting
 The Island City Epworth League will hold its monthly business meeting at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Rev. Wallace. Everyone who is a member of the league is urged to be present.

Returns Home
 Mrs. Earl Balles, accompanied by Mrs. Martha Miller of Spokane, returned to her home in Joseph this morning after visiting friends and relatives in Spokane for some time. While stopping over in La Grande last evening they registered at the Sommer.

Returns from Salem
 Miss Annetta Johnson has returned from Salem where she acted as stenographer to Senator Ellis, chairman of the judiciary committee, and has resumed her position in the office of Cochran and Eberhard of this city.

Returns to Wallawa
 C. A. McClaren, Wallawa merchant, returned to his home this morning on the branch line train after spending a couple of days in La Grande visiting friends and relatives. He was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry.

CLOTHING EXPERT TO BE IN COUNTY
 Miss Esther P. Cooley, clothing specialist with the Oregon Agricultural College Extension Service, will be in Union county for a week's demonstrative work, March 2-8. While here she will hold a series of millinery and dressmaking schools under the auspices of the Union County fair bureau, which will be without charge.

The schools are scheduled to be held as follows: March 2-3, at Elgin; March 5-6, at Imbler; and March 7-8, at Union. The meetings in Imbler and Elgin will be devoted to millinery and the one at Union will feature dressmaking.

NELSON-BARRIE GO IS WEDNESDAY

Both Fighters are Confident of Victory; Kid Sarp vs. Mickey Dempsey is Semi-Windup.

Although this battle, scheduled to meet Alie Nelson here at the Star theater Wednesday Evening, February 28th in the ten-round main event of a 24-round boxing card to be held under the auspices of the La Grande boxing commission, is training out daily at the Y. M. C. A. building, Alie Nelson will not arrive in La Grande until just before the fight. Alie is fighting this evening in Walla Walla and will not be able to get here much sooner than to give it a time to don his ring togs and step into the fray.

Both Boys Sure
 Nelson writes that he is "feeling fine enough to lick his weight in wild cats" and that he is expecting "to defeat Barry Wednesday evening." Barrie believes that he can repeat his victory won last week over Nelson and is working hard to get into the best possible condition.

Dempsey-Sarp Go
 Mickey Dempsey, who fought considerably in La Grande last winter and who has been fighting in Seattle during this winter, will meet Kid Sarp, who has been knocking them around this year, in the six-round semi-final. Both boys have been before La Grande fans many times and are each confident of victory. Sarp is an older man in the ring game but Dempsey believes that youth will tell and is expecting to "glue" get the decision or knock out the Kid.

The preliminaries are promised to be fast by Manager Ed Ford, two four-round goes acting as curtain-raisers on the evening's card. Tickets are obtainable at the Imperial Billiard Parlor.

TO PLAY OFF CHAMPIONSHIP
 Clerks and M. I. A. to Meet Tomorrow Night in Titular Contest; Perry Plays Imbler.

The last basketball game of the La Grande Amateur Basketball league, scheduled for 1922-23, will be played tomorrow evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the second game of which will decide the championship. As has been the custom, a double-header will be played, the Perry team playing Imbler in the first game and the Clerks meeting the M. I. A. squads in the last game for the M. I. A. B. championship. The Perry-Imbler contest will begin at eight o'clock.

The Clerks, who played the Purple Giants recently for the independent championship of Eastern Oregon and lost, have an otherwise clear string of victories, having defeated every team in the M. I. A. League that they have met. Incidentally the M. I. A. team has also moved down their opponents in similar fashion and both teams go into the game with a perfect league record. An early season exhibition game between the two squads was won by the Clerks by a margin of four points, but since that time both teams have improved and basketball fans are looking forward to a first class exhibition of the court sport.

LONG TO HOLD MEETING HERE
 C. L. Long, O. A. C. extension service horticulturist, will be in La Grande on March 5th and 6th to attend a meeting of Union county orchardists at La Grande and Imbler. The subject of the meeting will be to devise plans for the eradication and control of orchard pests. Soils and soil improvements will also be discussed.

The meetings will be held March 5, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the city hall in La Grande, and March 6th at Imbler, at one o'clock in the afternoon in the Imbler Amusement hall.

SOLON TAKES PART IN ROW
 (By Associated Press)
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Gowes were exchanged today by Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, and an unidentified passenger on a Washington street car after the man had been accused of jostling the senator and using abusive language. The senator, who was on his way to the city, was struck on the nose, the senator retreating with a blow with his umbrella on the man's back.

TO ABANDON MARINE AID
 (By Associated Press)
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The administration will abandon efforts to obtain government aid for the American Merchant Marine with the failure of the shipping bill. The white house indicated that no effort would be made next session for such a bill.

INCOME TAX MEN HERE
 Walter S. Shanks and E. C. Shafer, deputy collectors of the internal revenue department, are now at the federal building, in the office of the forest ranger on the second floor. They will remain in La Grande until Monday evening and are ready to assist all taxpayers in filing their income tax returns.

MR. CANTRELL LAID TO REST

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son, on June 23, 1823, and during the Civil War he was drafted into the southern army. After serving six months he contracted a fever from which he suffered for several months, finally being discharged from the army. He then went west to Texas, where he was married to Sarah McDonald. To this union was born eight children, of which three boys survive him, William Cantrell, of Hilgard; Amos Cantrell, of Huntington; and Albert Cantrell, of La Grande.

Mr. Cantrell joined the Texas Rangers, serving four years during the Indian wars, then, with his family, he moved to Nevada and a few years later he came to Oregon, settling on a farm near Lime, Baker county, in 1850. Mrs. Cantrell passed away in 1887 on the thirteenth of September, and in September, 1904, he was married to Jane Curtis, who survives his death.

In July, 1922, he gave up his farm and came to live with his son, William, of Hilgard, and on December 3, 1922, came to La Grande with his son, Albert. Mr. Cantrell, in addition to leaving his widow and three sons, is survived by 25 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

NOMINATIONS MADE FOR AD CLUB HEADS

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found for their employment. A. W. Nelson announced the annual dinner and election of Ad club officers next Tuesday evening in the basement of the Methodist church. Elmer Stoddard, who is chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following nominations for officers to be filled by the club at the election next week:

- Good Roads and Scenic Highway—G. L. Larson.
- Entertainment—C. H. Scranton.
- Finance—George Chase.
- New Industries—Ben. Deacons.
- Legislation—C. J. Block.
- Social Welfare and Civic Affairs—E. E. Drugg.
- Ready Board—Geo. H. Curry.
- Auto Tourist—W. C. Perkins.
- Lumber—A. J. Stancie.
- Hallways—J. H. Keeney.
- Good Roads—A. W. Nelson.
- Trade Unionism—R. D. Platten.
- Petty—Eugene Barnes.
- Phon.—C. W. Foster.
- Civility—W. Foster.
- Agriculture and Live Stock—Floyd McKennon.
- Education—A. W. Thompson.
- Trade Unions—John Stoddard.
- Sanitation and Health—R. P. Jan.
- Industry—C. E. Short.
- Pen. Committee—Elmer Stoddard.
- Transportation and Freight Rates—H. K. O'Brien.
- Stocks—C. H. O'Brien.
- Portland—C. H. O'Brien.
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LARGE TAX CUT IS SEEN BY GOVERNOR

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he says, and has not yet decided who they will be. Of similar importance he considers the bill creating tax supervising and conservation commissions in all counties, similar to the one that has been operating for two years in Multnomah county.

The governor was in favor of the measure that increased the tax on gasoline by 1 cent a gallon, making it a total of 2 cents, but also wanted enacted legislation to lower the license tax on motor vehicles. This latter was not granted by the legislature. The

NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Choice residence lot on First street, on paved street next to alley. Inquire of J. D. Myers, Arcade Theatre. 2-27-27

WANTED—Second hand used baby buggy. Inquire 1714 Sixth street. 2-27-27

WANTED—Widow with girl 8 years old wants work, city or country. Write Box 427. 2-27-27

WANTED—Cooking on Phone 313-W. 2-27-27

FOR RENT—240 acre farm, 160 cultivated, equipped. See ads references, etc. J. J. Hawley, 1519 Adams. 2-27-27

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bill, favored by the governor, to give the county courts control of market tenths of 1 per cent, on the revenues of public utilities to make the public service commission self-sustaining, but the governor and the legislature were in accord with the executive and the legislature. The governor backed up the action was followed in the withdrawal of appropriations for four years of state aid for two years from the 1st propaganda and for maintenance of state industrial accident commission of the state exhibit at Portland. Among important things that the legislature upon a self-sustaining basis as governor wanted and received water from a legislation upon a foundation of the office of state market food, legislation also favored by the governor, the plan of the governor and treasurer. An appropriation of \$10,000, state treasurer on the irrigation and was made for administration, but drainage securities commission, enacted it is said that hereafter no appropriation of drastic legislation against them whatever will be needed. The governor tried hard to have the land bill.

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