

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
 July 5.—Old Oregon Trail Pageant at Top O' Blue Mountains.
 Sept. 25-29.—Union County Fair at Elgin.

Deputy Sheriff Here—Deputy Sheriff Chris Jensen, of Green River, Wyoming, arrived in La Grande today for the purpose of taking Ed Sied, recently arrested by the La Grande police, back to Green River to face a charge of grand larceny. Sied is now in the custody of the city police and will be turned over to Deputy Jensen this evening, who will probably leave on No. 12.

Go to Alaska—Miss Allen Priest, who has made her home at the Hotel Foley in this city for the past two years, left recently for Alaska on a three weeks pleasure trip. Miss Priest was one of the largest stockholders in the Georgia Palmer Lumber Company and will return to this city after her trip.

To Increase Air Force—LONDON, June 26.—Premier Baldwin announced today in the House of Commons that the government had decided to establish a home defense air force sufficiently strong to defend the country adequately from attack by the strongest air force within striking distance.

May Fly Around Globe—WASHINGTON, June 26 (AP)—A survey of the air route around the world has been authorized by Secretary Weeks, primary to the decision as to whether an attempt will be made by the army air service to circumnavigate the globe.

FARMERS WELCOME PLANS—(By Associated Press)
 COPENHAGEN, June 26.—Plans for a direct steamship line from Scandinavian ports to Petrograd have been made by Norwegian, British and Danish capitalists, and is to be opened this summer. The new line is being established as a result of the preliminary Russian-Danish trade agreement which was signed in Moscow recently.

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SULTAN DISLIKES HEAT—(By Associated Press)
 LONDON, June 26.—Mohammed VI, at one time Sultan of Turkey, wants to get away from Egypt, where he finds the summers too hot. The British will not permit him to live in Palestine or Cyprus, so he is considering Switzerland.

The present Turkish government is said to be willing to allow Mohammed's wives, who are now in Constantinople, to join him, but he does not want them to come to a European non-Moslem country, so in Switzerland he will be alone with the exception of his 12 year old son, his physician, and his personal attendants.

WESTERN RAILROADS AUTHORIZED TO PUT FREIGHT RATES UP

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Railroads operating in the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Coast states were in effect authorized today by the Interstate Commerce commission to increase by 10 per cent freight rates on corn and cereal products usually classified as coarse grains.

The increase, which does not affect wheat, was authorized in shipments from the Mississippi Valley to the Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast area.

BOMB THROWING IS ADDED TO TERRORS IN RUHR VALLEY

WEISBADEN, June 26.—Bomb throwing has been resorted to in an effort to deter German civilians from patronizing trains controlled by the French.

A bomb was thrown today in the waiting room of the Wiesbaden station, where a large number of German citizens were awaiting trains. The ensuing explosion wounded two persons seriously.

SIBERIAN FLAX TO COMPETE

(By Associated Press)
 VLADIVOSTOK, June 26.—Energetic steps are being taken by the government to increase the number of acres under flax in Primoria. The country is pre-eminently suited for this fibre, and it is hoped thus to win back the markets which Russia once had.

The Russian authorities state that three fifths of the former flax used in the markets of the world was exported from Russia and, with the vast amount of land at present lying uncultivated in the Russian Far East, flax can be produced so cheaply here that it will be able to compete favorably with the output of all other countries.

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There is one nice thing about being a nobody. You can get away with it without consulting your attorney.

BOY INJURED WHEN HUNTING

SUMMERTVILLE, June 26.—Mrs. Sarah Fisher and daughters, Mrs. Archie Ingram and Mrs. Etta Whitcomb were shopping in La Grande Wednesday.

Mr. Webb of Portland is a visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. Hannah Webb and sister, Mrs. O. H. Slams.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Neiderer, local business visitors in Imbler Thursday evening.

White Lloyd Woodell and cousin Marshall Woodell were in the woods hunting Sunday, the gun which Lloyd was carrying went off and shot Marshall through the leg. Lloyd had it up as best he could and carried Marshall to the nearest house which was a mile and a half miles distant. He was immediately rushed to La Grande for treatment and is getting along as well as could be expected. Dr. Moore is the attending physician.

Mrs. Effie Chasman and children who have been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Billie Baker, is now visiting at the home of Elmer Baker who lives in La Grande.

Mrs. P. T. Pugh is on the sick list this week.

Ed Logan is papering and painting the home of Mrs. Mary McNamee.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Gray have rented the parsonage and will make their home there for the present.

Miss Ruth Litteral spent Tuesday night visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mattie Wise.

After spending a few days at the home of her father Ed Combs, Mrs. Richard Lane returned to her camp at the mill Friday morning.

J. E. Woods was a business visitor in Imbler Tuesday morning.

Charlie Hensley and son, who are working on east Mountain near Imbler, came over Tuesday and visited until Thursday morning at the home of Jim Hensley.

Mrs. J. J. Wagener was shopping in La Grande Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Park were business visitors in La Grande Wednesday.

After spending the first part of the week visiting her friend Ruth Prior of Imbler, Dorothy Whitcomb returned home Thursday.

Ross Irvin motored to La Grande Thursday. Mrs. Jim Hensley went to La Grande Monday evening to visit her husband who is in the Grande Ronde Hospital.

Bertha Pfefferkorn returned to her work in La Grande Wednesday evening.

Edgar Hensley of Monroe, Washington, is now at the home of his father, Jim Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker were business visitors in town Friday morning.

John Wagener and son Carol were transacting business in La Grande Thursday.

Mrs. V. Dodson of Pleasant Grove was shopping in town Friday.

Mr. Buckley of Elgin was calling on his light customers Thursday.

Charlie Johnson, who is tending a sheep camp on the mountain, came down for supplies the first of this week.

The Market.

PORTLAND, June 26 (AP)—Livestock steady but unchanged. Eggs steady, first 24 to 25 cents. Butter steady but unchanged.

FUEL BOARD WILL HELP U. S., HARDING

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seemingly incomparable riches. Let us hope the genius of statesmen and the common sense of business men be combined to solve the problems of transportation, and that distributing your wealth may be made an asset to the nation as well as to the state.

Coal Problem Pressing.
 "It may seem a far cry to talk about the coal problem in Wyoming, but it is one of the pressing problems of the country. In New England today there is an anxiety about next winter's fuel supply, traceable to the experienced hardships of last winter. That severe trial, to New England in particular, followed the coal and railway strikes, when winter came on with inadequate supply and insufficient transportation facilities.

"The government is not blind to the situation and is deaf to appeals. It is doing everything possible, so far as authorized by law, to dispel public apprehension. Under the authority of an act of congress, the United States coal commission, made up of able and earnest men, has been engaged in a thorough investigation of this vital problem, and will report to the congress next December. It is going thoroughly into the labor controversies, studying living conditions and the community life in the mining regions ascertaining facts about the inequalities which prevent prompt distribution, inquiring into engineering problems and the economic errors incident to over-development, looking to the excesses in profits reflected in inordinate charges for coal, and preparing an exhaustive report on the entire industry. It will be revealing, and, we hope, remedial. We shall know the facts about a basic industry which is the source of peril to the nation's industrial life, and a more or less continuous threat to our domestic comfort, sometimes a menace to life and health.

"It is too early to say whether the commission will suggest plans of permanent cure which the congress will adopt.

Legislators Greet Harding.
 CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 26.—The executive and legislative branches of the government met Monday in the plains city of Cheyenne and for a few hours almost as much of the United States government was centered here as in Washington.

President Harding and his party, including two cabinet members, Secretary Wallace and Work, Speaker Gillett and Admiral Rodman, arrived here at a 6 o'clock and found greatly to their surprise, that three hours earlier the congressional party returned from Alaska had reached Cheyenne. Immediately there was what might be termed a homecoming between the two groups of travelers, one group en route to Alaska, and the other returning from that territory.

President in Salt Lake City.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 26.—President and Mrs. Harding and their party arrived here for a 12-hour visit shortly before noon today after an automobile ride from Ogden through a fertile valley lying between snow capped mountain ranges.

The chief executive, accompanied by Governor Mabey, Senators Smoot and King, was given almost a continuous ovation during the forty mile ride. He will speak tonight.

FOREIGN SHIPS TO SAIL HOME WITHOUT BOOZE

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quor would be served on the return trip except on prescription from the ship's surgeon. This will be done on the Berengaria in accordance with the liner's manifest, which listed all the liquor as "for medicinal use only."

At the line's offices it was said late Monday that no advices had been received from abroad as to what course would be followed. There was some doubt as to whether the cases would be taken to the United States supreme court, inasmuch as the public health surgeon, Dr. E. K. Sprague, had allowed the vessels more than was required under law for hospital room use. It was pointed out that this is the first time a ship's stores have been broken, some allowed and some seized.

The officers contend that if any of the liquor was subject to seizure, all should have been taken.

The seized liquor is being stored in government warehouses, and will be kept under seal until the cases have been definitely decided.

MEMBERS HEAR FINE TALKS AT THE LUNCHEON

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and Indians to win the Oregon country.

"No page in history tells of such a costly venture," said Mr. Day, "in every other great movement of the people who moved, or congested, which caused them to hunt new homes. But in this great movement over the Oregon Trail it was a voluntary effort on the part of sturdy American men and women who had sufficient courage, wit, foresight and admirable sportsmanship."

A. A. Smith of Baker, who is here on a law case before Judge Knowles, was called upon for a talk. Although several could hardly be restrained from tearing the white collar from Attorney Smith, friends succeeded in quieting them until the speaker was fairly under way after which time wrapped attention prevailed and the collar was lost sight of.

Pleads for Immigrant Spirit.
 "I plead for the spirit of those hardy pioneers to imbue everyone of us during this Oregon Trail pageant," he said. "If we could but catch the great and audacious devotion of those patriots who were forced to bury loved ones on the old trail and trek on to conquer a new country; if we could but partake of that courage possessed by the pioneer who knew no such word as fail, who encountered no obstacle that he could not overcome, then we could go to the top of the mountain at Meacham and more properly partake of that celebration which means so much to America."

Larison Compliments Committee.
 President Larison complimented the work of the different Chamber of Commerce committees, and reviewed in brief some of the things accomplished. He stressed the need of rendering every assistance possible during the summer vacation period to the Agriculture committee which will do most of its work before the next meeting of the Chamber.

Following his remarks Bruce De-

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FOR RENT—One small three-room furnished house, \$16.00. 1707 Jefferson avenue. 6-26-23

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment for light housekeeping; newly painted with electric stove. No children. Phone 464-J, or call 1395 M avenue. 6-26-23

LOST—3 horses and one colt, probably headed for Imbler. Finder notify Harrison Day at Hagar, and receive reward and expenses. 6-26-23

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