

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
Sept. 25-29—Union County Fair at Elgin.

Left Saturday Night—

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Traynor and family left on No. 18 Saturday evening for Idaho Falls, Idaho, where they will reside.

Hikers Making Time—

"Yes, we have no car!—but we will ride if you ask us!" Two hikers, both men, one of them carrying a pup he bought in Cheyenne, Wyoming, boarded a car near Bager bound for La Grande yesterday afternoon and rode into this city.

Car Wrecked Near Kamela—

A car is reported to have left the grade three miles this side of Kamela Sunday afternoon between five and six o'clock and rolled to the bottom, a distance of about 100 feet, damaging the car and injuring the occupants.

Ladies Aid to Meet—

Mrs. W. J. Carr, Mrs. Frank McRennon, Mrs. Harry Fisher, and Mrs. Thomas Walsinger will entertain the Allied Ladies Aid Society on Thursday afternoon, August 16 at the Walsinger home.

Deputy Sheriff Pro Tem—

Claude Holbrook has been appointed to the office of Deputy sheriff of Union County to take the place of Fred Huffman who is acting field manager of the exhibits of the Union County fair association.



IT'S 6 OF ONE AND 1/2 DOZEN OF THE OTHER!

One of the best dresses on the screen hands along this hint— He said, "Three times a year, December, March and August, I buy 1/2 dozen shirts and 1/2 dozen scarfs to match—all at one time so that no matter what comes up, I am never caught napping." Economical as well as convenient! Six of our new August patterns in Arrow Shirts at \$2.45 and six scarfs at 95c and you are thru with the biggest part of your furnishing goods buying until the sleigh bells ring. True Shape cool hose for ladies and men. Schol Will cool oaps for men and boys. Jantzen Bathing Suits for the whole family. Clint's Clothery The Store With a Conscience.

Returned Home— Mrs. E. D. Steincamp, in company with her brother and wife G. L. Lindsey of Seattle, motored to Spokane two weeks ago, where they visited another brother who resides at that place. They visited Tacoma, Puget Sound, Portland and other points, returned home by train last evening, and reports the trip to have been delightful.

Here with Oregon Trail pictures—

James C. McCellan, with the Old Oregon Trail pictures which will be shown tonight and tomorrow night at the Star theatre, arrived in La Grande a few days ago from Portland, and with his wife, has been stopping at the tourist camp ground. Mrs. McCellan left this morning on the branch line train for Joseph, where she will visit Mrs. Reta White.

Body Shipped to Canada—

The remains of Buedley Duane, who met a tragic death by drowning Friday near Vincent, was forwarded to Salmo, British Columbia by the W. H. Bohnenkamp company where interment will take place. His wife, who made her home in Baker, Oregon, accompanied the body. In addition to his wife, Mr. Duane left to mourn his demise a sister who makes her home in Texas.

Wallowa Lake Visitors—

Among the La Grande people who were registered at Wallowa Lake Park Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ware, Tex Knight, Miss Ware, Mr. and Mrs. L. Day, their two sons, William Heughan, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fitzgerald and two sons, and several other local people.

Sells four Passenger Coupe—

B. E. Vanderpool, local Rickenbacker dealer, has sold a four passenger coupe with four wheel brakes to John Allen, of the Club Cigar Store. Mr. Vanderpool announces that he will soon have sedans and other makes of the Rickenbacker on exhibit in the building where the Oregon Hardware and Implement company was formerly located.

Grain Fire—

A minor grain fire occurred between Union Junction and La Grande last evening near the right of way of the O. W. railroad, according to reports. Ostensibly the fire originated from sparks. The damage was very small and the fire was soon under control.

Escapes Uninjured—

Parley Price and Ray Sommers yesterday escaped injury when the car they were riding in was wrecked. The car, which was driven by Mr. Price, was damaged to some extent, the windshield, fender, lights, radiator and top being injured.

Returned Home—

Mrs. Fugate and daughter, who have for the past three weeks been guests at the home of Mrs. Sueate's sister, Mrs. Ida Moats and family, left for their home in Walla Walla Sunday morning.

Will Attend Dokkie Convention—

Bruce Cox, now of Wallowa but formerly a resident of La Grande, left this city last evening bound for Portland where he will attend the convention of D. O. O. K. now being held in Oregon's metropolis.

Returns to Boise—

Mrs. R. M. Crawford returned Sunday to Boise, Idaho, her home, after two years in La Grande as pianist at Sherry's theatre. She leaves many friends who regret her departure from this city.

Has Returned Home—

Miss Colleen Foster of Baker, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lindsey of Island City for the last two weeks returned home last evening.

Goes to Portland—

Oney Crawford, a resident of Enterprise, passed through La Grande last night en route for Portland, where he will spend several days in attendance at the D. O. O. K. convention.

Returns to Walla Walla—

Senator D. H. Sox and family returned to their home in Walla Walla Saturday after spending some time in Eastern Oregon, spending several days here visiting friends and also several days at Wallowa Lake.

Leave for Seaside—

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wright, left last evening for Seaside, where they will spend several weeks. They will be joined in Portland by Mrs. Ernest Velrs.

Marriage License Issued—

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Glen J. Patton and Velma Fern Miller, both of Elgin.

On Streets Again—

John Stricker, who has been ill for some time is again out on the streets greeting his friends.

DANIEL SOMMER CALLED BEYOND EARLY SUNDAY

(Continued From Page One.) of skill and wisdom that places him in the front ranks of our capable business men, having gained a brilliant success by his industry and wise management, but at the present time being retired from the greater activities of life and managing his property while he enjoys the rewards of faithful toil. In Absce, Germany, on January 1, 1850, Mr. Sommer was born, his father Joshua Sommer being a merchant at that place and there remaining until his death in 1884, while the mother passed away in 1882. Our subject came to the United States in 1868, and in November of the same year to Oregon, entering the employ of Boskowitz & Sommer as salesman in La Grande and Union for a short time. Then the brother formed a partnership known as Sommer & Bner and for this house he worked as bookkeeper for one and one-half

years. In 1871 our subject opened a general merchandise store for himself in La Grande, and the following year was burned out; then went to Summerville in the same business with A. Sommer and L. Bner. About one year later the business was closed out and Daniel opened for himself in Summerville, later taking in his brother, also starting an establishment in La Grande. In 1887 the brother took that store and he retained the one in Summerville. He soon bought land where Elgin now stands, there being only a long cabin there then, under a manager. In 1896 he retired from the mercantile business, selling his stock. In 1898 his oldest son, Julius, with two cousins, the Levy, opened a store in the father's old stand, known as the Sommer and Levy Mercantile Company. When Joe, a younger son, arrived of age, the father bought the nephew out and installed this son as partner and the firm is known as Sommer Brothers. For a length of time he handled real estate and made loans, besides looking after his property interests consisting of a large tract of land immediately west of La Grande known as Sommer's addition and numerous buildings in the city, while he had an elegant dwelling. He was also director and stockholder in the Elgin Bank and in the Farmers & Traders Bank of La Grande. He always took an active part in educational affairs, laboring for their advancement as well as for general progress. Mr. Sommer married Rachel, daughter of Joseph and Diana Wertheimer natives of Germany. She came to America in 1874 with A. Sommer and sister, the former having gone to Europe on a trip. To this happy union were born three children, Julius, Joe A., and Henry S. Mr. Sommer was a member of the Masons, Elgin Lodge, No. 28, also of the Scottish rite and the Shrine in Portland, of the I. O. O. F. Elgin Lodge No. 142, of the K. of P. Orion Lodge, No. 73 and of the Blue Mountain Chapter No. 52 O. E. S.

A. T. Hill is a Fisherman Who Sizes His Fish Just To The Right Dimensions

There are fishermen and fishermen, but there are few fishermen who can catch just the size fish they wish to. A. T. Hill belongs to that class. He was over on the Mt. Hood, accompanied by Mr. Thomas and wife and while there the party were guests of Mayor and Mrs. Joe Tripper of Cove who spend their summers in the mountains. When the Hills left the camp they had more fish than a pack horse could carry and they were the most sizable lot of trout one nearly ever saw. The editor of the Observer has testified in the great manner on Mr. Hill's fish and a testimonial is in order that they were of the choicest that could possibly be caught in the Mt. Hood river.

Asks Cut in Gas Price.

OMAHA, Neb. (AP)—Governor C. W. Bryan, telegraphing the heads of principal oil companies throughout the state, has requested that they reduce the price of gasoline to the minimum price existing in the state of South Dakota, according to a special dispatch from Lincoln to the Omaha World-Herald. According to this source, a refusal to so reduce prices will meet with state competition through the establishment of state-operated filling stations.

Will Not Permit Strike.

GLOUCESTER Mass. (AP)—President Coolidge will not permit a coal strike, it was said here Sunday after a conference between John Hays Hammond, chairman of the coal fuel finding commission, and Dr. George Otis Smith, a member of that commission, who had hurried to Mr. Hammond's Gloucester home after a conference with the president in Washington Saturday. Doctor Smith returned to Washington Sunday night.

Millions Spent for Gum.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12. (AP)—The people of the United States pay more than a million dollars a week for their chewing gum according to statistics brought together by the National City Bank and given out by this institution. The habit of chewing gum evidently is growing, for the output has doubled since 1914. The export sales of gum are large, and increasing. The product goes to practically every country in the world.

Carnation Home Cooking Lessons Mrs. Mary Blake. Conducted by Lessons

This series of lessons on milk cookery is appearing weekly. Mrs. Blake's counsel will be helpful and stimulating, because of her practical experience in home cooking. She will answer any question on cookery asked by her readers. Address Mrs. Mary Blake, care Carnation Milk Products Co., Stuart Building, Seattle, Washington.

Lesson No. 3 New Recipes for Milk Breads

THE foundation of almost every American meal is bread—"the staff of life," as it has been called for ages—so that it is most essential that everyone who aspires to be a good cook should be able to make several kinds of this important food. In the making of bread, as in many other kinds of cooking, the use of milk adds both to the quality and nutritive value, and here, again, the richness and convenience of Carnation Milk are of advantage. Light bread is given a finer texture and a more delicious flavor when it is made in this way. Try this recipe for

tion Milk diluted in 1/2 cup water. Sift flour, graham meal, Indian meal, salt and baking powder together; add the molasses and the Carnation Milk mixed with the water. Beat well and steam in buttered mould for three or four hours.

Another warm bread quickly prepared and very delicious when properly made is muffins. Try them made by this recipe.

Muffins 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 1/2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1 egg, 3/4 cup water, 1/2 cup Carnation Milk, 2 teaspoons melted shortening. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add milk diluted with water to well-beaten egg, and add to dry ingredients, then add the melted shortening. Bake in greased muffin tins from 15 to 25 minutes. This recipe makes ten muffins.

For something different from the ordinary kinds of bread—one that will be especially popular with the children—try this recipe for

Nut Bread 1 teaspoon salt, 4 cups flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 2 eggs, 1 1/2 cups water, 1/2 cup Carnation Milk, 1 cup English walnuts. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Beat eggs well, add milk diluted with water and mix with dry ingredients. Beat well, add nuts, put into two greased bread pans and bake in a moderate oven 30 to 45 minutes. This recipe makes two loaves.

Questions and Answers

What precautions are taken to keep Carnation Milk pure?—Mrs. R. D. T. From the time the milk leaves the dairy until the can is finally labelled it is under constant inspection and is subjected to the most rigid tests. Not only must the fresh milk from which it is made measure up to a high standard of quality and cleanliness, but during every stage of the process experts test it continuously to make sure that the evaporating, sealing and sterilizing are all properly done.

Mary Blake Domestic Science Dept. Write for free booklet of 100 tested milk recipes. Address Carnation Milk Products Co., Hillsboro, Oregon.

An small portion of the public we wish to say that we ask none of the dividends paid by the railroad. All we ask is that the conductors keep out of our eyes and that the trains move faster than a walk. But it Does How doth the gentle grapefruit Arise in righteous wrath. And give the helpless water. A morning shower-bath.

Summer Dresses We still have a few summer dresses, which we are offering at greatly reduced prices, just the thing for now. French & Greene Ready-to-Wear and Shoes

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STAR--TODAY The Old Oregon Trail Pagent PICTURES TAKEN JULY 3rd and 4th COMING WEDNESDAY "THE CUSTARD CUP"

immediate delivery a good used BUICK TODAY'S BUICK is the choice of the American market. It took yesterday's Buick to make this condition possible. For much less money than a new one, you can own the same car that helped establish Buick's accepted supremacy. All the built-in qualities by which new Buicks are judged—dependable operation—smoothness of lines—all are yours at a price no more than asked for a cheap new car, too small for your needs. SOUTHARD & SHINN