Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
September 20-22 — Pendleton Round-Up.
Sept. 25-29.—Union County Fair at Elgin.

Twin Boys—
Twin boys were born to Mrs. Frank Cook of Kamela Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Cook are receiving a double amount of congratulations from their friends.

Visiting Here—
Miss Purcelle Peck, Pendleton Red Cross secretary, arrived in La Grande yesterday afternoon on official business. She returned to her home in Pendleton this morning.

Truck Off Bridge—
A Security Construction truck went through the bridge at the corner of Third and Grandy yesterday. No one was injured, although the flooring of the bridge was damaged to some extent.

Visiting Cousin—
Horace Huron of Rock Island, Ill., cousin of Ralph Huron, postmaster of La Grande, and Hugh Huron, of Imbler, has arrived in this city, and will spend several weeks here before returning to his home.

Loyal Sisters Will Meet—
The Loyal Sisters of the Christian church will meet at the park tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All are requested to be at the church at 2 o'clock.

Christian Picnic—
The Christian church will hold a picnic at the park tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock. Everyone is invited to come and bring their baskets. A good attendance is expected, and no doubt an enjoyable evening will be spent.

Motor to La Grande—
Several parties of local folk motored over to La Grande and back Sunday, including Senator Henry J. Taylor and party, and B. F. Trombley with his family and a group of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neagle and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forrest formed another motor party which made the Union county metropolis their destination Sunday.—Pendleton Oregonian.

Warrenton Manager Here—
Mrs. Barrett, city manager of Warrenton, stopped off in Pendleton for breakfast this morning on her way to Hot Lake sanitarium for treatments. Mrs. Barrett is thought to be the only woman city manager in the country. She is in the real estate business in her home city. She first showed her executive ability when she put through a deal bringing Montana hard wheat to Astoria mills.—Pendleton Oregonian.

Maker Milk to Texas—
According to F. L. Hill, manager of the Commercial Creamery company, the first carload of condensed milk to be shipped from the local plant went out yesterday for distribution in Texas. Mr. Hill stated that there was 60,000 pounds in the shipment, and was made from approximately 300,000 pounds of milk.—Baker Herald.

Hot Lake Arrivals—
The recent arrivals at the Hot Lake sanatorium include: Miss Helen Dunbar, Ontario, Ore.; Mrs. R. E. Barrett, Seaside, Ore.; Wm. Giles Harnden, La Grande; Fred L. Blessinger, Dayton, Wash.; W. W. Day, Dayton, Wash.; J. L. Wallace, Dayton, Wash.; Judd Gear, La Grande; S. V. Degerstedt, Portland, Ore.; Jack Speed, Umatilla, Ore.; M. H. Bailey and wife, Caldwell, Ida.; H. G. Meyers, Boise, Ida.; C. T. Barringer, Boise, Ida.; Mrs. W. M. Hall, Walla Walla, Wash.; Mrs. T. C. Elliott, Milton, Ore.; Jas. Morfitt, Boise, Ida.; Mrs. Martha Munsell, La Grande, Ore.; Fay Hutchinson, La Grande.

To Appear Before Commissioners—
According to an announcement today by a citizen of La Grande, a number of water users of this city are to appear before the city commissioners Wednesday evening at the city hall for the purpose of discussing with the commissioners the water situation in La Grande. One citizen stated: "Citizens and water users are urged to appear before the city commission tomorrow night, August 29th, at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock, and discuss the water situation, fully, fairly and fearlessly along constructive lines. If you are interested in a sufficient supply of good water, come out. If not, be content with river water for domestic use, and stay home." It is believed that quite a representation of citizens will attend the Wednesday night meeting.

WAR AREA CLEARED OF DEADLY SHELLS

By Charles A. Smith, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON. The battlefields of Northern France are returning to their pre-war appearance, and green fields are now taking the place of the battle scarred and "trench-furrowed countryside, according to Fred N. Pickett, who has organized the breaking up of the huge dumps of ammunition and war material in France and Belgium.

The whole of Northern France has been cleaned up, says Pickett. Poison gas has been dissipated, and some 350,000 tons of material have been returned to commercial use.

"Each month for the past three years," Pickett said in an interview, "5,000 men have dealt with 1,000,000 shells, half a million grenades, and three-quarters of a million fuses representing the breaking up of 20,000 tons monthly.

"My organization's primary object in breaking up the ammunition was to extract the fuse from the shell.

"The shells were put in a crude cubicle," he said, describing breaking up operations, "buttressed with sandbags and railway sleepers, through which the end of the shell protruded, so the workmen could operate with special fuse tools. The fuse, having been extracted, the charge was then either washed or burnt out.

"Millions of rounds of ammunition and belts of charges for quick firing guns were dealt with by an appliance which ripped out the bullets and separated the brass case from the copper attachments, while a water sluice swept away the power."

Picket think that the Allies and America produced much superior ammunition during the later part of the war, but says that Germany's TNT was perfect and never equalled.

Three Killed in Storm.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., (AP) — Three persons are dead and property damage estimated at more than $100,000 was done Sunday night and early Mondy by a heavy rainstorm, accompanied by lightning, throughout the state.

Vengeance

Major Fatina Hanin is the onl woman officer in the Turkis army. She enlisted in the rank after her son was killed in fightin with the British and won sever promotions for bravery.

Market News

Portland Wheat Market.
PORTLAND, (A. P.)—Hard White $1.06; Western Red $1.01.

Portland Markets Today.
PORTLAND, (AP).—Cattle weak; choice steers, $7.00 to $7.50. Hogs and sheep steady. Eggs steady at 30c to 35c. Butter firm.

Portland Grain Market.
(Yesterday)
PORTLAND, (AP).—Wheat—Hard white, Bs. Baart, August, $1.08; September, $1.07; soft white, August, $1.07; September $1.05; western white, August, $1.07; September, $1.05; hard winter, August, $1.02; September, $1.00; northern spring, August, $1.02; September, $1.00; western red, August, $1.02; September, $1.

Oats—No. 2 white feed, August, $26; September, $25; No. 2 gray, August, $25; September, $24.50.

Corn—No. 2 E. Y. shipment August, $37.25; September, $37.

Fruit Market.
(Yesterday)
BOISE, Ida. (AP).—Bartlett pears, 80 cents per basket.
Pears, 4 pounds for 25 cents.
Cantaloupes, $ 1-3c to 15c each.
Peach plums, 35c per basket.
Peaches, 25c per basket.
Green apples, 4 to 6 pounds for 25c.
Watermelons, 1½c to 2c per pound.
Strawberries, choice, 10c a box.
Blackberries, 12½c to 15c per box; $1.75 to $2.00 per crate.
Dates, bulk, 40c a pound.
Lemons, 43c to 60c.
Oranges, 35c to 70c a dozen.
Raisins bulk, 15c and 17½c a pound.

Boise Retail Market.
BOISE, Ida. (AP).—Flour, high patent, $1.35 to $1.50.
Alfalfa, first cutting, baled, 90c to $1.00.
Alfalfa, second cutting, baled, 90c to $1.00.
Wheat, $1.50 to $1.75.

Grain Exports Decrease.
WASHINGTON. (AP).—Grain exports from the United States last week totaled 4,430,000 bushels as compared with 4,764,000 bushels for the week previous.

The falling total was due principally to a decline in the amount of wheat sent abroad. The totals for the past week as compared with those for the week previous, as made public by the commerce department, follow:

Wheat, 3,271,000 bushels against 3,901,000; corn, 126,000 against 320,000; flour, 276,200 barrels against 223,400; barley, 922,999 bushels against 383,000; oats, 22,000 against 12,000.

Portland Market.
(Yesterday)
PORTLAND, (AP).—Cattle—Sluggish, 25c lower. Bulls and calves, steady. Receipts 4,505. Choice steers, $7.00 to $7.75; medium to good, $6.50 to $7.00; fair to medium, $5.50 to $6.50; common to fair, $4.50 to $5.50; choice cows and heifers, $5 to $5.50; choice heifers, $5.00 to $5.50; medium to good cows and heifers, $4.75 to $5.25; fair to medium, $3.75 to $4.25; common cows, $2.75 to $3.75; canners, $1.50 to $2.00; bulls, $3.00 to $4.00; choice dairy calves, $9.00 to $10.00; prime light, $8.00 to $9.00; heavy, $5.00 to $8.00.

Hogs—About 50c higher. Extreme top, $10.50; Receipts, 1,537. Prime light, $.775 to $10.25; smooth heavy, 250 to 300 pounds, $8.50 to $9.75; 300 pounds and up, $7.50 to $8.50; rough heavy, $6.00 to $7.50; fat pigs, $8.75 to $9.75; feeders, $8.75 to $9.25; stages, subject to dockage, $2.50 to $5.00.

Sheep—Active. Receipts, 1,435. East of mountain lambs, $10.00 to $10.75; choice valley, $10.00 to $10.50; medium, $9.50 to $10.00; common, $8.50 to $9.50; culls, $7.00 to $8.50; light yearlings, $7.50 to $8.00; heavy, $6.00 to $6.50; heavy, $5.50 to $6.00; ewes, $1.50 to $5.50.

If you have dandruff or your scalp itches or your hair is falling out, you will be surprised to know within a week, dandruff and itching of scalp will be practically stopped and in a month your hair will stop falling if you use germicide and dandruff eradicator. Sold only by Silverthorn - Wright's family Drug Store. 8-28-tf.

NEW TODAY

STRAYED—Jersey Bull. Dehorned, Black, no brand. Nose ringed. Phone Main 749. 8-.8-2t.

LOST—A traveling bag between La Grande and Lone Pine. Return to Observer. 8-28-2tp.

LADY wishes work by day. Fully experienced in laundry, cleaning or housework. Phone 360 W. 2-28-2tp.

FOUND—Wool scarf, between Perry and La Grande, Owner may have same by identifying scarf and paying for ad. Phone 335 J. 8-28-2t.

FOR RENT—Bedroom for Lady. Call 434 J. 8-28-3tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A bulk grain bed. Call Farm 158. 8-28-1tp.

Dated this 22nd day of August 1923.
J. E. Stearns, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.
Aug. 25. Sept. 1-8-15.

FOR RENT—Attractively furnished four-room modern apartment. Phone 153 M. 8-28-3tp.

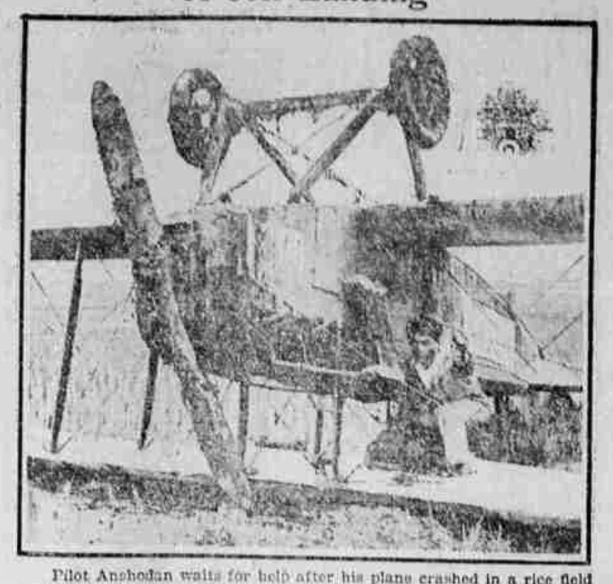
LOST—Half-grown bird dog black and white. Call 240 M. 2-28-1t.

FOR SALE — Four-room modern bungalow on Y ave. Inquire 2705 N. Fir or Phone 409 M. 8-28-1tp.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. No children. Farmers 12x1. 8-28-1tp.

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6 Room modern house, furnished or unfurnished, Address, P. O. Box 920. 8-28-tf.

A Soft Landing



Pilot Anshodan waits for help after his plane crashed in a rice field near Tokio, Japan. The mud saved him from injury, but what a job he will have scraping his plane!

MAN MIGHT BE A MERE MACHINE; CRILE'S BELIEF

By F. A. Wray, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON,—Professor Crile, of Cleveland, Ohio, has given the International Congress of Surgery, in London, the shock of its life.

He put to those present a question that had never before entered their heads. He asked:

"Is man a mere electrical machine, controlled by his own chemistry?"

The query startled his audience. For one thing they had never expected the professor to abandon surgery for physiology. Also, such a suggestion had never occurred to them.

"I invite you," said Crile, "to regard the brain as the 'positive pole' of the human electric machine. I ask you to look on the liver as the 'negative pole' and the nerves as the connecting wires.

"The 'driving power' of the body," continued the professor, "must depend on the difference in brain and the liver. If this is diminished the 'driving power' will become less."

Dr. Crile went on to suggest that during sleep a diminished difference of potential— and hence a diminished driving power— is corrected. Emotions such as fear and anger, on the other hand, reduce driving power.

The actions of the 'human machine,' in fact can be corrected and regulated at will whether by means of chemicals—that is, anaesthetics, soporifics and stimulants—or of shocks that is, fright, insults, etc.

These circumstances of life and [illegible] of mechanism [illegible]

Dr. Crile [illegible] his theory explains many otherwise inexplicable phenomena of life. His belief is that examination of his conclusions may lead to an entire revolution in the practice of medicine.

The address was heard with the closest [illegible] Crile's researches during the war and the conclusions he reached were the talk of every hospital in Europe. All the distinguished surgeons present were anxious to hear mor of his method of rendering operations "shockless."

DENVER, (A. P.)—The police today that Mrs. Roy McGlone, slain yesterday with her chum, Miss Emme Vascovic, lived in fear of death. Two attempts were made to kill hre.

Newspaper Plant Burns.
WATERFORD (AP)—The offices of the Waterford News were destroyed by fire Monday. The newspaper has been vigorously Republican in policy.

RECORDS ARE SMASHED BY AVIATORS

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and made contact with Smith and Richter's craft, lowering the pies and some sandwiches. Richter, standing in the cock pit, had grasped the bucket containing the pies when a sudden guest of wind caused the upper plane to nose up. For a few seconds Richter, clinging to the bucket, was literally suspended in midair. Captain Robert G. Ervin, piloting the contact plane, quickly whipped the nose of his plane downward and Richter settled back in his seat with the blackberry pies and sandwiches in his hands.

LOCAL BAND GETS PENDLETON JOB

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and Salem in Pullman cars, which will house the band throughout the two weeks' trip.

Details of the consideration are not yet known as the contracts have not arrived here.

But, at any rate, with the selection of the La Grande Municipal band for the two most important jobs in Oregon in 1923, the state fair and the Pendleton Round-Up, it appears that the "band boys" have reached an attainment of perfection above other Oregon — and other northwestern bands.

BOOSTERS OFF TO WALLOWA CO.

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is the second during the past week, are being made prior to the resuming of the Tuesday noon-day luncheons which will be held on September 4 and on following Tuesdays until next summer. The main object of the booster trips is to create a feeling of friendship and co-operation with business men and their commercial organization.

BAND FUND IS PROGRESSING BUT SLOWLY

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Oil Co. $5; Tap Shoe Shop $1; French & Greene $5; Sawyer-Holmes $5; Crecent Meat company $5; Nelson Printing company $2.50; Hooverized Grocery $5; Dr. A. L. Richardson $10; Smith's Garage $5; Blue Mountain Creamery $5; John Eggers of the Pastime Pool Hall $5; N. K. West Co., Inc., $10; Home Independent Telephone Co. $10; Shannon Harness Shop $10; Silver Grill $5; United States National Bank $10; La Grande National Bank $10; Oregon Hardware and Implement Co., $10; Macpherson Bakery $10; La Grande Grocery company $10; La Grande Evening Observer $10; Red Cross Drug Store $5; Putman's Ready To Wear $5; La Grande Electric company $5; Hill's Department Store $10; H. & S. Electric company $5; Holm's Grocery $3; Eastern Oregon Light and Power Co., $10; Grande Ronde Meat Co. $10; Glass Drugs $10; Eastern Oregon Music Co. $5; Newlin Drug Store $2; Currey Press $2.50; Anthony's Restaurant $2; Cherry's Florists $10; Southard & Shinn $10; Dr. H. S. Brownton $5; W. H. Bohnenkamp Co. $10; Art's Plumbing Shop $1; Clint's Clothiery $5; Pattison Brothers $10; Stiles and company $5; J. C. Penney Co. $5; Zweifel Plumbing $2.50; Perkins Motor Co. $5; Jap Stevens Soda Factory and Bottling Works, $2.50; Dr. E. P. Mossman $2; Grande Ronde Valley House $2.50; (By J. Taylor). Liberty Grill $1; La Grande Investment company $5; La Grande Barber Shop $2.50; Dr. F. L. Ralston $5; The Club Billiard Parlors $2.

The treaty with Turkey leaves the Armenians free to choose the particular from of tyranny they prefer.

Heat, Like Love, Goes Where It's Sent.

—but humidity stops the minute a pair of Allen A Union Suits are sent home.

Try this today — we wouldn't print what was not true any more than Allen A would make a Summer Suit that wasn't cool.

Conservatively speaking, this stock of underwear is capable of turning 1,500 hot, tired, mouth-drooping men into that many heel clickers and teeth showers.

The Union Suits are
95c to $1.45
or two-piece if you draw a line at the equator
95c to $1.75
True Shape Silk Hose
60c to $1.45
Faultless Silk Pajamas
$2.45 to $9.85
Hickok Initial Belts
$1.00 to $2.00
Nettleton Shoes
$12.00 to $13.00
Berg Fall Hats
$7.00 to $10.00

CLINT'S CLOTHIERY
The Store With a Conscience.

An Invitation to the JOYMAKERS' PICNIC

It's RED CROWN for the EXPERIENCED MOTORIST

RED CROWN GASOLINE

Regularly, thousands of other motorists seek the woods, mountains, seashore playgrounds out-of-town —and make week-ends a pleasure —playing or loafing as they choose. But this week-end why not make it *your* fun for a change? There are hundreds of nooks delightfully secluded, ready and *inviting* —within range of a few gallons of "Red Crown." Make up the party for your week-end picnic—over the phone *tonight;* the "Red Crown" you can get as you need it, uniformly good, economical and powerful wherever you go.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
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CLASSES IN ALL COMMERCIAL SUBJECTS FORMED SEPT. 4th

Our assistance in helping find living quarters given without charge. Enroll Sept. 3rd if possible, and lose no time on the opening day. Write what train you will arrive on if you wish us to meet you at the station. If you cannot start with the early classes, enroll at any later date. LINK'S GRADUATES receive good salaries and are in demand. LINK'S is Accredited by the National Association. It pays to attend an Accredited School. LINK'S TRAINING means increased earning power for those who take it.

LINK'S BUSINESS COLLEGE
BOISE
Catalog sent free on request.

"ASK THE ENVELOPE" AND KNOW THE TRUTH ABOUT

One home run didn't make Babe Ruth. It took a whole flock of over-the-fence hits to win for him the title of the "swat king" of baseball. One good automobile doesn't ripple the surface of public prestige. It takes many cars and many models and many years to win the public's "O. K." Buick's acclaimed leadership has been well earned. Hundreds of thousands of cars and many models over a period of many years has established the new 1924 Buick as the Babe Ruth of the automobile industry. If you can't quite reach a new one, by all means choose a good used one—any model any year—there's no blanks— they all helped to accumulate the prestige that Buick today enjoys.

Southard & Shinn
Used Cars
1416 Adams Ave.

Frock Notes

It's hard to choose the most interesting new style notes about new Frocks. They are all so interesting. But we will say this:

COLLARS
—include fascinating Catherine de Medici ones — that embellish trig coat frocks or shimmering afternoon affairs!

SLEEVES
—wear many a frill on their wrists, varying from frilly undersleeve to narrow pleated frills that extend up the sleeves themselves.

French & Greene
Ready-to-Wear & Shoes

Last Week of Special Sale

Our "Factory-to-You-Sale" for August ends Friday evening. We still have quite a few items at Special Prices.

Stationery - Toilet Preparations - Medicines
Coffee - Coca - Jam - Jelly - Combs
Brushes - Shaving Articles - Etc.

GLASS DRUGS PHONE MAIN 20
IF ITS SOLD IN A DRUG STORE WE HAVE IT

The Rexall Store

STAR TODAY ONLY

KATHERINE MacDonald
In
"REFUGE"
and
HARMONY DOCTOR'S QUARTETTE

WEDNESDAY ONLY
Roy Stewart in
"BURNING WORDS"
A Thrilling Story of the Mounted Police