

Local News In Brief

Fined for Speeding—J. W. Borden of Baker, was fined \$15.00 and costs for speeding yesterday on No. 24 for Baker, where she will visit her daughter for a short time.

Marriage License Issued—A license to wed was issued from the county clerk's office yesterday to Claude M. Simon and Ella L. Foster, both of this city.

To Visit Daughter—Mrs. L. Garrick left this morning on No. 24 for Baker, where she will visit her daughter for a short time.

Feeling Much Better—Ed Wright, district attorney, in back in La Grande from Hot Lake, where he has spent several weeks taking medical treatment. Mr. Wright is feeling much improved.

John DeNoria Coming Here—John DeNoria, Jewett automobile representative, will be in La Grande this week to explain the Tracy construction, according to Tracy-Hollister.

Returns to College—Jean Taylor, a student at Washburn college, Walla Walla, Wash., returned to college today, after spending the holidays with his parents and visiting friends.

Visiting Grants Pass—Judge and Mrs. J. W. Knowles of La Grande, visited Grants Pass Friday. Judge Knowles has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for supreme judge in Oregon.

Daughter is Ill—Mrs. Frank Harris of La Grande, left last evening for Portland to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. L. K. Prael, who is to undergo a serious operation.

Missionary Society to Meet—The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Ella Doty, 1245 Tenth street. Mrs. Tully is leader and a good time is assured all who attend.

On Business Trip—Mr. and Mrs. F. D. McCully, who make their home at Joseph, arrived in La Grande last evening following a short stop here, left for Portland, where they will be for a few days attending to some matters of business.

Winter in Portland—Mrs. Margaret Martin of Union, passed through La Grande last evening en route for the Rose City where she plans to spend the winter in the hope that the Portland weather will be less rigorous than that of the Grande Ronde valley.

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To Attend Convention—Clark Price, president of the La Grande high school student body, and Miss Vera Beatty, editor of the 1924 L. H. S. Mimic, will attend a meeting of student body delegates and editors of high school publications to be held in Portland Friday and Saturday.

Sell Ford Sedan—Saturday the Perkins Motor company delivered a four door Ford sedan to Giles Harnden, salesman for the True Blue Biscuit company. Mr. Harnden states that his reason for buying this car is that he has owned a Ford since 1914 which he has driven 275,000 miles and he is still driving this car.

Called to Portland—Clint Haynes, La Grande chief of police, left this morning on No. 17 bound for Portland, where he has been called on a matter of official business. Clint has been busy, between his forages on the criminal element during the past week, with the preparing of his annual report. "I expect that the total amount of fines levied in the municipal court in 1923 will be over \$12,000," he remarked.

Appreciates Observer—That the Evening Observer fills a place in many a home that is of much value is illustrated again by a communication received today from Galena, Illinois. R. A. Kuller writes: "I was in La Grande all last summer and I surely miss the Observer. I must have it, that's all. As soon as you send me the price of the Observer for six months, I'll send the money pronto." Even in Illinois the Evening Observer is in demand.

Coasting is Fine Sport—Children of La Grande cannot appreciate the great things nature has done for them, according to one older person yesterday who witnessed the hills and streets of the residence section alive with coasting youngsters, and some grown-ups as well. On a half dozen paved streets the children can have fine times with their sleds. If they want a little more strenuous coasting they can go to Don's canyon and come bouncing down the incline at considerable speed. All over the city sleds are to be seen and with each sled is the ruddy face of a happy youngster who is enjoying that splendid recreation—coasting.

All Pleased With Show—"Six Cylinder Love" seemed to delight everyone of the large audience in the Arcade last evening. It was the first "rich and blood" show that has appeared in La Grande for many months, as prior to the rebuilding of the Arcade there was no place for the legitimate drama to show. Naturally last evening La Grande people turned out to regain the lost habit of attending a play when people actually talk and act. The drama is of three acts and it was well played. The moral of it was the danger of buying an automobile when finances do not justify. Thru-out the play one single machine wrecked two families, sent them from their comfortable homes to cheap lodging houses and almost jailed one of the husbands. But the end of the play was very refreshing and the crowd left the theatre admiring the story was true, but expressing pleasure with the manner in which the play ended.

Obituary

MRS. O. LEVINGSTON.
Mrs. O. Levingston, of Kamela, Oregon, aged 29 years, passed on in La Grande yesterday at the termination of a brief illness. Her remains are at the Bohnekamp chapel today and will be forwarded to Portland this evening for interment.

Mrs. Levingston leaves a husband and two children, all of Kamela.

Funeral Held.
Funeral services over the body of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker were held from the Bohnekamp chapel Sunday afternoon. Interment was made in the Masonic cemetery.

Strangler Lewis to Meet Italian Champ

CHICAGO (AP)—"Strangler" Lewis, world's heavyweight champion will meet Michael Romano, the Italian, in a finish wrestling match here January 15.

NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—Comfortable sleeping room, 807 Penn. Phone 415-J. 1-8-24

WANTED—To hire a bob-sled. Phone 258-W. 1-8-24

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FOR SALE—New set 4 vol. Wells "Outline of History." Cost \$19. for sale at half price. Inquire Observer office. 1-8-24

FOR SALE—Dry 16-in. wood. Phone 142-W. 1-8-24

SACRIFICE OF SLAVES VOGUE

Slaves Still Being Sold for Immolation in the Burmese Hills, Says a Report.

RANGOON (AP)—Human slavery and the practice of sacrificing slaves at religious festivals still exist in the Naga hills, according to a report recently issued by H. A. Thornton, government commissioner. This district, which is nominally under British rule, lies in northern Burma near the Assam border. The government has received authentic information of the sacrifice of six Naga slaves at different places during the past two months. These victims were bought from head-hunting villages by those inhabitants, though they do not themselves practice human sacrifice, do not wish to sell victims to those who desire them.

Slavery in the Naga hills has been decreasing during recent years, largely on account of the difficulty and danger involved in capturing recruits to replace those who die or who redeem themselves. The number found by census takers this year was 215, as opposed to 271 last year. Some have purchased freedom, and others have been liberated by their masters. A few have taken the yellow robe and become Buddhist monks. Those remaining in slavery are said to be either contented with their lot or too lazy and opium-addicted to work out their redemption.

Until recent years most of the slaves in this district were Indians who had been kidnapped in Assam but on account of the increasing hazards of this practice, the Nagas have lately confined their raids to maintain tribes nearer at hand. No Indians are known to have been sacrificed since 1921, when two authentic cases were recorded. In capturing new slaves, it is customary for the Nagas to search for victims about whom no inquiry is likely to be made.

The Naga tribes are not directly related to the more civilized Burmans who inhabit the plains to the south.

BOXER THANKFUL HE "SALTED" HIS CURRENCY DOWN

NEW YORK (AP)—Shades of a great pugilist have been revived by the return to the name of "Harlem Tommy" Murphy, lightweight star of ten to 20 years ago. He hasn't donned the gloves again, but is serving occasionally as a judge of the State Athletic Commission, at Madison Square Garden, scene of many of his triumphs.

Murphy, who battled "Paddy" McFarland, Ad Wolgast, Knockout Brown, Abe Attell and Young Ernie in his heyday, has turned on his ring earnings since retirement. He has ventured successfully in Long Island real estate. For three years he has acted as boxing instructor at the fashionable Crescent Athletic Club, of Brooklyn.

"Thank God, I have something," said "Tommy." "Just think of the boys who boxed in my time and who today have nothing at all."

Budget is Alibith

SILVERTON, Or.—Although risking an injunction suit the county court has decided to proceed with the 1924 tax levy under the old budget law and in doing so published the budget in Albany newspapers. A public hearing on the budget will be held January 26. This procedure is about a month overdue but unless someone enters a suit against extending the tax after the hearing the court will proceed under the old law.

The tax levy was being made under the new conservation and supervision commission law when

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Growers Buy Stock.

SILVERTON, Or.—Sufficient stock in the Silvertown Food Products company has been subscribed by local fruit growers to insure them the controlling interest. The company has been Silvertown's canning company for the past few years.

A new board of directors will be elected at a stockholders meeting in the near future. The plan of the canners under the new or-

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WALLOWA LODGES INSTALL DURING THE PAST WEEK

WALLOWA (Special)—Three of the local lodges installed ceremonies during the past week, state a local newspaper. Those installing new officers were the Masons and Order of Eastern Star and Knights of Pythias.

The Masonic officers for the coming year include: W. P. Popple, W. M.; J. D. Walker, S. W.; Stanley Shell, J. W.; Henry Spence, secretary; K. W. McKenna, treasurer; Leo Claffelter, S. D.; Rev. W. F. Shields, J. D.; Ross Hood, Tyler; Jap Templeton and George Cherry, stewards.

The Order of Eastern Star officers were installed, as follows: Elizabeth Cherry, Worthy Matron; Earl Rogers, Worthy Patron; Geo. B. McKinnis, Associate Matron; Mary E. Martin, secretary; S. T. Hallie, treasurer; Hattie Fisher, chaplain.

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THE PLAN IS BRIEF

Proposes.

I. That the United States shall immediately enter the Permanent Court of International Justice, under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

II. That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States shall offer to extend its present co-operation with the league and participate in the work of the league as a body of mutual counsel under conditions which

1. Substitute moral force and public opinion for the military and economic force originally implied in Article X and XVI.
2. Safeguard the Monroe Doctrine.
3. Accept the fact that the United States will assume no obligations under the Treaty of Versailles except by Act of Congress.
4. Propose that membership in the league should be opened up to all nations.
5. Provide for the continuing development of international law.

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