

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

March 21—High school "Mer-cy-makers" show.

March 27-28-29—American Legion Auto Show.

April 4—April Antics entertainment by J. H. S. girls.

May 18—Eastern Oregon Track Meet at Union.

June 4, 5, 6—Union Live Stock Show at Union.

Back from Corvallis—
William Heughan, who is attending A. C., is home for the spring vacation.

Here for Vacation—
Foster Sims, who is attending school at Corvallis, is home for the spring vacation.

Local Women to Meet—
The Royal Women of the Christian church will meet in the church basement this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Grading Street—
Grading work is going on at the head of Washington avenue. A gang of about 12 men are doing the preliminary work.

On His Way Home—
Daniel Boyd was in La Grande yesterday on his way home to Knappton from a business trip to Portland.

Visiting Mother—
Miss Mabel Langley is in the city for a few days visiting with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Head. She is a student at O. A. C.

Goes to Pendleton—
C. W. Hunting returned yesterday from a hunting trip to Portland, Salem, Seattle and other coast points. He left last evening on a short trip to Pendleton on business.

Locates on X Avenue—
Ben Deaton, administrator of the Deaton estate, has sold the Frank Deaton home at 1509 X avenue to Fred Williams. The deal was made by the Pyramid Land company.

Ball Player Here—
Jerry Dolemann of Portland, arrived in the city today. He expects to remain here for the balance of the summer and play ball for the local team.

Judge Crawford Not Improving—
Judge Thos. Crawford, who has been seriously ill for some time, is reported as unimproved. Mr. Crawford is at the Hot Lake sanatorium and his condition is very poor.

Home from School—
Miss DeLoris Pearson, former La Grande high school girl, now attending University of Oregon at Eugene, is home to spend the next few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pearson.

Applications for Homestead—
Harry E. Coakwell of La Grande, Fred C. Eldred of La Grande and Arthur J. Butler of Robinette recently filed applications for additional homesteads with the government land office.

Working on Grounds—
Work on the athletic grounds, to be constructed adjoining the Central school, are under way. Men were yesterday grading the ground and making preparations for the actual construction.

Here for a Few Days—
Larry Taylor, who travels throughout Eastern Oregon for the Kilbuck Stationery company of Portland, is spending several days in La Grande. He is a guest at the Foley hotel while working his territory from this city.

Many Under Arrest—
Job Harri, a frequent offender, Dan O'Connell and John Blackenship are all held in the city jail today on charges of drunkenness. In addition to being accused of intoxication, Blackenship will face a charge of disorderly conduct.

Radio Man to be Here—
Dr. O. M. Henneck, who has been so successful with the manufacture and installation of radio sets in La Grande, has announced his intention of being at the H. & S. Electric company's store and Smith's garage on Friday and Saturday. Anyone can have his radio problems answered and his sets tuned up by calling for the doctor. He handles all kinds of sets as well as his own.

Building Permits Issued—
Building permits were issued to Susan Zuber for permission to build a dwelling on Washington between Fir and Greenwood at an estimated cost of \$3,500; one to Ed Hackman to alter and repair a dwelling on Main street at an estimated cost of \$2,000.

Oldtime Friends Meet Again—
James Shannon, of Jerome, Idaho, spent last night with his old friends, Henry Davis and family. Years ago when Jim and Henry were at the watermelon stand, age they lived in Miami county, Kansas. Both came west but they had not seen each other since the days of the district school. Mr. Shannon is leaving the Southern Idaho country and locating on the coast. His family is now at Springfield, Oregon.

Newsstand Officials Here—
P. W. Gray, general manager of the Gray News company, which maintains newsstands from Seattle to Salt Lake, G. P. Calvert, and for the company, Mr. Sazhinay from Chicago, general manager of the Union News company and several other company officials were in the city yesterday auditing and taking inventory of the local stand, which is under the management of R. P. Hummel, preparatory to the taking over of the Gray interests by the Union News company. Local managers will be retained all along the line and the same sort of business will be conducted by the new company. The gentlemen left last evening for western points.

Obituary

W. G. SYMONS
Death claimed W. G. Symons at 5:30 o'clock last evening, after several months of severe suffering. Mr. Symons was a locomotive engineer for the O-W. R. & N., having entered the service in 1910. He has established a comfortable home in La Grande for his family, at 501 Grandy avenue, at that place he passed his last days, surrounded by friends and relatives.

Wilford George Symons was born in England in 1880, and when four years of age he came to Canada with his parents. From there they moved to San Luis Obispo, Cal., where he began firing a locomotive at the age of 14 years. Besides his wife and three children, Grace, Robert and Isabelle, of La Grande, he leaves to mourn his loss his father, W. H. Symons, five sisters and three brothers, all of California.

Funeral services will be held at the Snodgrass-Zimmerman funeral service parlors at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, after which the remains will be shipped to San Luis Obispo, Cal., to a last resting place beside his mother.

NEW TODAY

NOTICE
Due to difficulty experienced in collecting charges for advertising that is listed under classified advertising and under the "new today" heading, the Evening Observer will hereafter take no classified advertising or advertising to be run as "new today" unless the advertising is accompanied by cash.

FOR SALE— Jersey cow, and fresh, four years old. W. P. Hollins, 1 mile north of 2-26-24

FOR SALE— One of the best rooming houses in La Grande. Well furnished, strictly modern. Ten rooms, close in. Bryant Lund 2-26-11p

LOST OR STOLEN— Dealer's automobile license No. 122-A, 1924, or please return to Tracy Hollister, 1115 Washington Ave. 2-29-24

WANTED— Girls to help with bookkeeping. Afternoons only. Phone 46-3 or Main 79.

MISSIONARY HERE TONIGHT

E. R. Moon to Deliver An Address in First Christian Church at 7:30 O'clock.

A program will be presented this evening at the First Christian church of La Grande that is expected to result in a large attendance on the part of the congregation and others.

The congregation will join at 6:20 o'clock at the church basement where supper will be served and at 7:29 o'clock E. R. Moon, missionary from Africa, will recount experiences he had in the dark continent.

Mr. and Mrs. Moon were in La Grande Tuesday and then went to Willowa, accompanied by Reverend O. W. Jones. They will return to this city this afternoon, accompanied by Reverend Patello, pastor of the Willowa Christian church, who will remain in La Grande in order to attend the meeting at the church tonight.

Allison to Speak
Reverend Allison, pastor of the Lebanon, Ore., Christian church and who has gained state-wide renown as an orator and speaker, will occupy the Christian church again here Sunday evening, according to announcements made today. Efforts are also under way to make arrangements for him to deliver a lecture Monday evening.

EVANGELIST HELPS MANY

Reverend Slaton of Cove Meets With Success in Evangelist Period at North Powder.

Glowing reports of the success of recent meetings held in the Meth-

odist Episcopal church of North Powder during the past two weeks have been received from Ira J. McFarland, pastor.

Mr. McFarland states: "We had engaged Reverend J. W. Slaton, Baptist pastor of the Cove, Ore., church and our first service was held March 2. Interest was good from the first and attendance was also very gratifying. On three different evenings during the progress of the meetings Cove Methodists and Baptists came with a delegation of from 25 to 40.

"During the meetings from 20 to 25 different ones came as seekers and there were many happy find-

ings. "We enjoyed the fellowship with our brother, Reverend Slaton, and heartily recommend him to any church desiring special help in evangelism. We expect to take a class into the church as soon as a result of his efforts."

TEMPORARY SETBACK IS FELT TODAY

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tee to deny that he was the man referred to in the records of oil stock transactions laid before the committee.

Louis Bond, the committee's investigator, followed him to explain how identification had been made and to further expand his report. When questioned about Daugherty's stock account, Bond said that the first transaction was the sale of 500 shares of Sinclair Consolidated and the next was an outright purchase of the same number of shares.

The details of oil stock transactions of Jesse Smith, as given by Bond, showed a net profit of \$11,521 in 1922.

Jennings to Testify
WASHINGTON (AP)—Al Jennings, once famous train robber in Oklahoma, is to be summoned by the oil committee to tell of a rumor that Jake Hamon, former Republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, put through an oil deal at the Chicago Republican convention in 1920.

Pendleton, La Grande Have Snowfall Today

PENDLETON, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—A heavy snow started here at 7:29 this morning and ceased about nine. The flakes

fell but melted almost immediately.

In La Grande citizens this morning awoke to find a white blanket about half an inch in depth but melted rapidly this morning. On the hillside, however, the white covering remained for a longer period.

MAY PLACE BONUS TO THE FRONT

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\$42,476,669 in the first year, if it was estimated, the figures gradually increasing to a maximum of \$147,583,360 in 22 years, after which it would sharply recede. The cost was estimated on the basis that 4,053,193 veterans would be eligible for the bonus.

Basis Held Same.
As in the house bill, adjusted compensation on the basis of \$1 a day for home service and \$1.25 a day for overseas service, exclusive of the first 60 days, and with maximums of \$500 and \$625, respectively, would be allowed.

MELLON RATES PUT FORWARD IN SENATE

WASHINGTON (AP)—The senate finance committee Wednesday rejected the house amendment to the revenue bill and reintroduced the Mellon provision for taxing profits on stock dividends redeemed in liquidation proceedings.

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its subject to the surtax rates rather than the average surtax. The house proposal than the capital gain tax of 12 1/2 per cent, a lower rate than smaller stockholders.



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ing mark the Schuman garments we are now showing for Spring. Here you will find sport wear—coats and suits—in a range of imported and domestic materials that appeal to the discerning woman. Here, too, you will find models for dress wear of an unusually distinctive character. Richness of material and design is the keynote of this showing—yet prices are surprisingly low. Come in and see this unusual showing.

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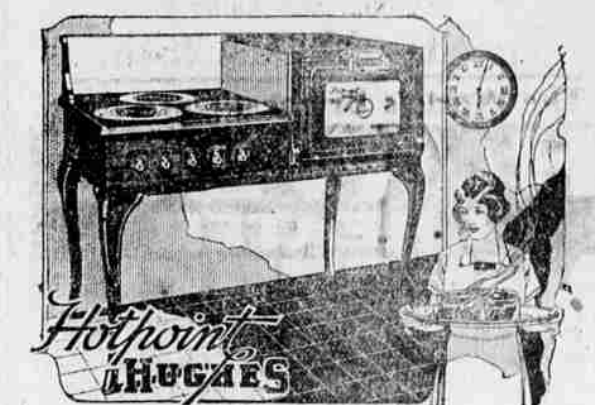
Seats on Sale Thursday, March 20 at Glass Drug Store

Doors Open at 8:00—Curtain at 9:00

HATS

You have the eggs
We have the ham—
Let's Get together!
You have the head on your shoulders and we have the hats on our shelves.
We've combed the world to please, enchant and beautify the head you comb every morning.
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