

Local News In Brief

Here Over Week-End— Dorothy Kirby is visiting with her father and mother here over the week-end. Mrs. Kirby is a freshman student in Willamette college at Walla Walla.

Visiting in Enterprise— R. Goodenough, H. Pratt and H. Hartman of La Grande, are spending the week-end in Enterprise. They are at the Gutter.

Attended Funeral— Uncle Fountain Wright and Mrs. P. J. Powers of McRae Springs were among those who attended the funeral of Judge Thomas H. Crawford yesterday.

Charged With Assault— Joe Brown is being held by the police today owing to a warrant sworn out against him, charging assault, by a lady who, according to information today, has left town. Brown is alleged to have thrown a billiard ball at her.

Latham Goes to Portland— After having appeared for the United States government in the preliminary hearing of Madden, who is charged with dope peddling, E. W. Latham left last night for Portland.

Building Permit— A building permit was issued this morning to Mrs. Julia B. Horton for permission to build a brick business building on Jefferson avenue between Depot and Elm at an estimated cost of \$1200.

In Penitentiary— Mr. and Mrs. Everett Knowles and small son left for Penitentiary yesterday evening. Mr. Knowles has been employed with the government income tax board in La Grande for a short time. He will continue his work with headquarters in Penitentiary in the future.

Evangelist Speaks Tonight— Amanda Blake, evangelist who has been speaking in the La Grande hall this week under the auspices of the Salvation Army, will address the public tonight at eight o'clock. Sunday afternoon a social service will be held at the hall and in the evening a salvation service is planned.

Daughter Born— Notice has been received in La Grande by friends of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Menzies, of this city, that a daughter, a small child, was born at the birth of a baby daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Menzies have been spending the winter in California and are expected to return to La Grande some time in the near future. They find that after all "La Grande" has them all beaten.

To Huntington— A gay party of shoguns and their families left this morning on No. 24 for Huntington to attend a dance and banquet to be given by the Sleep Craft association in that city this evening. Among those from La Grande who will be in attendance are Mr. and Mrs. George B. Menzies, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leuk and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Whitely, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook, R. G. Dunning and Miss Marie Duffee.

LAW MEETING HELD FRIDAY (Continued from page 1) and the need of carefulness of electing men of this kind. An interesting feature of the afternoon session was the presentation of some of the candidates for County offices. Mr. MacKeon's candidature for sheriff on the republican ticket, announced as his platform, "Duty without fear or favor." A letter was read from Gov. C. C. Cochran, candidate for nomination in the 2nd Congressional District for House of Representatives, in which he declared unequivocally for the eighteenth amendment and its upholding, for the absolute enforcement of the prohibitory laws and for every man to stand

MRS. REX HAS A NEW SONG

Today the Eastern Ore. Music company is featuring in window displays the new song written by a La Grande lady—Mrs. Hazel Stone Jones—who is well known in musical circles and was for some time a fine grand at a local theatre. The new song is entitled, "Our Aeroplane Homecoming," and runs "With a bang and a boom the music that is bound to make it popular. Mrs. Jones says the advance sales on the sheet music have been very satisfactory and now that it is on the market she doubts it will be a flop. "It is in his personal relation to the law," Dr. J. A. Llewellyn, Federal Probation Director, was present in the evening session. He spoke of the activities of his office and stated that he had always had the highest cooperation from the various enforcement officers of our county and city. The foreman, he said, is the biggest problem in the enforcement of the prohibitory laws.

CONDITIONS IN EUROPE BETTER

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Douby have returned from a 90-day trip abroad comprising to America via New York. Dr. Douby arrived in La Grande and will immediately resume his professional work but Mrs. Douby has come to Fresno, California, where she will visit relatives for a while. While in Germany, Dr. Douby took a post graduate course in his special medical work. Speaking of conditions "over there," he states that Europe is undoubtedly coming ahead and that "America must face that possibility that Europe will soon be able to resume her former status." Dr. Douby sees a marked improvement in German conditions since his last trip there and also states that both France and Australia are developing rapidly.

HUNT'S LETTER (Continued from page 1)

continues to Underwood's 22. To prevent the duplication of the Georgia results in other states, if possible, Underwood's candidature has been placed in the hands of an office manager, C. C. Carlin, "Candy Charlie," former congressman from Alexandria, Va., who managed A. Mitchell Palmer's 1921 campaign, is now directing the Underwood fight. Oliver G. Newman, former newspaperman and commissioner of the District of Columbia under President Wilson, has assumed command of Underwood's publicity campaign. As "Bill" was not only a thorough reporter in his day but also a master of artifice in the late war, some hot shots from his batteries may be expected.

Despite the fact that William Jennings Bryan announced in Omaha that he might consent to run again for the presidency, it is doubtful if he has little chance for the nomination. They might be an investigation and secondly, if he did run, Bryan would speak in a whisper. William Jennings Bryan has a thorned interest in the democratic cause. "Where chickens from the Bryan crowd, one from Bill himself, one from his wife and one from his daughter, were recently received at democratic headquarters. Doubtless they could be produced under subpoena from an investigating committee. The chickens were—yes, for example, 25 each!"

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.

FURNITURE—Furnished modern 2-room apartment, Phone 222-2, 2300 North. 2-25-24 WANTED—Woman for general housework on farm, Phone Cove Farmer 1921. 2-25-24 FOR SALE—Milk cow, Good milk, for family. Call 405-J. 2-25-24 FIRST—Banded rose color, hand-laid on, Thursday, Howard, Call 226-K. 2-25-24 WANTED—To hear from owner of good ranch for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. P. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 2-25-24 WANTED—250 ft or farmhand six or seven foot fence posts. Phymore Farm, Hot Lake. 2-25-24

Obituary

George E. Wells—George E. Wells died at Post Falls, Idaho, March 25th, according to news received here. Mr. Wells has made his home in Idaho for the past four years but prior to that time was a resident of La Grande and is very well known in this vicinity. Mr. Wells was born in Ohio, November 3, 1859 and was married to Minnie Buchanan August 4th, 1888. His wife passed on April 23, 1907, and he was again married to Margaret Miller, July 25, 1910. He leaves to survive him his widow, two children, Ralph of Post Falls, and Fred J. of Portland, two sisters, Anna Wells Baker, of Portland, and Elmira Curtis, of the Dalles. He became a member of the I. O. O. F. in 1872 and is past grand of the La Grande lodge No. 16, of the I. O. O. F. Mr. Wells freighted from Umatilla Landing to Boise City, Idaho, many years ago. He will be buried in the Odd Fellows cemetery tomorrow afternoon. Funeral services will be held at the Bohlenkamp chapel at 2 o'clock with the I. O. O. F. tolled at La Grande in charge.

ROBBERS SHOOT LADY. Chicago, (AP)—Four robbers, who held up and robbed the Howard State Savings Bank of about \$2,000 today, shot Mrs. South in her leg as they fled. Although no resistance was offered, the robbers fired several shots and then escaped in an automobile.

Bank Robbers Escape. HAZLETON, Kentucky—Two unmasked men robbed the Wells state bank at Hazelton, a small village 14 miles from here, of between \$10,000 and \$14,000 Friday and escaped on foot to hills.

T. H. CRAWFORD LAID TO REST

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spoke in a most tender way of the tributes which he held for the departed member of the Eastern Oregon bar and reviewed some of the early experiences of the lawyer when this section of the state was new. Judge Smith did not lose sight of the Elk's principles which were straight and upright, and he told how Judge Crawford had made his daily life to fit those principles. When this address had been finished and those assembled had taken the last look at the earthly form of their friend and neighbor, officers of the Elk's lodge closed the funeral ceremony and the funeral cortege formed on its way to Union, where interment was made in the Crawford family plot of the cemetery of that city.

MANY ENJOYED ENTERTAINMENT

(Continued from page 1) at the piano, gave a comic musical reading "Speak for Yourself Yola" and received much applause. The Koon Quintet then appeared and sang "If I Was What I Ain't Instead of What I Is." This group of small boys consisting of George Berry, Leo Munson, Stanley Koffer, Wallace Bradshaw, were accompanied by Mrs. Dallas Green at the piano, and received many laughs and much applause from those present.

TORNADO IS FATAL TO 9 IN OKLAHOMA

(Continued from page 1) school were dismissed about 20 minutes before the building crashed to the ground. The only person known to have been inside was the janitor, who was unhurt. The known dead are: W. P. Day, Mrs. John Payton, unidentified man about 50 years of age, two girls about 14 and 16 years of age, believed to be granddaughters of the unidentified man, Collins baby, Ellsboro aged man. Mrs. Payton, an elderly woman, was said to have been frightened to death when her home crashed under force of the wind. Her body bore no external injuries. The unidentified man and two girls were crushed to death when the wall of a home in which they were seeking shelter fell on them. The Collins baby was found dead in wreckage of another home. This was killed by a flying timber. Relief measures are well under way. Civic organizations have united to care for the injured.

Two Dead at Noble, OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (AP)—Two persons were killed at Noble, Okla., about 25 miles south of here, by a tornado that struck that little town late Friday, according to information received by the telephone company here.

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—A freak snowstorm hit Portland early today. Snow and sunshine occurred intermittently.

HEACOCK MET COMPETITOR

Enterprise Man Contests With Highest Priced Radio Machine and Wins Honors.

The contest with one of the highest priced radio machines on the market of America, and to win a decision which resulted in the high priced radio set going into disrepair and the Heacock radio set being installed in one of the local Oregon homes, was the result of a recent experience of Dr. O. M. Heacock when he sold the latter of both a set when another set of national reputation was in the town home competing.

An entire evening had been spent by Dr. Dorn trying out the two sets. Each of the owners set on the proverbial "red-hot" stove awaiting the decision. It came this following morning in the form of a letter stating that Heacock was the winner.

The fame of the Heacock radio is spreading rapidly and set after set are being installed around as rapidly as they can be made. To show how radio, and especially the Heacock radio, is taking hold of the Eastern Oregon public, here is a list of sets now in use. La Grande—A. J. Stange, L. E. Smith, Dr. R. P. Landa, Lawton Stewart, William Starch, Charles DeForest, John Sturtevant and Bruce Dennis. Perry—Lester Stoddard, Hot Lake—Dr. W. T. Day, Union—M. S. Levy, P. M. Sturmitt, George Ferguson. Cove—Frank Conley, Sumnerville—A. C. Glenn, Clyde McKnight, Elgin—Myron Hing, Merle Allen, Wallawa—Hed Cox, Maxville—Roy Tompkins, M. Nantz.

Lostine—Mrs. J. P. Hann, Fred Edwards, Leo Hanson, George Wood. Enterprise—Dr. J. H. Thompson, J. A. Baird, Daniel Cheever, Clair Johnson. Joseph—Dr. O. E. Patterson, Zimweld—M. M. McNail, Lewiston—Jack Lowry, Wenatchee, Wash.—W. A. Lumley, Reno—Dr. Dorn.

VANDERLIP NON-COMMITTAL

Whether he thought any other members of the cabinet should go, said "that will develop late. If I said yes you would want to know the name, and if I told you that it would shock you."

POLITICS AND BUSINESS ARE CLOSE MATES

(Continued from page 1) found a similar balance between Republican and Democratic parties. "The sound prosperity" of 1921

seem to give way to an average basis and by November of 1922 business men generally had a feeling of uncertainty. Fundamental business was normal but the change from prosperity to normal business had very much the same effect as depression. The decline in the election of 1924 brought in President McKinley with a Republican Congress. Unsatisfactory business conditions and large unemployment had again dictated change.

Cities Improvement. "General business improved rather rapidly during the Spanish American War and the period of prosperity following it. Business was active, confidence ran high and employment was good. In November of 1920, under the circumstances it was natural that the party in power should be voted out and that a new administration should be installed. President Harding and a Republican Congress came into office as a result.

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1907 Money Panic. "In 1907 another money panic developed and proved to be more serious than that of 1892. If the election had been held in the fall of 1907 there is little doubt that the Democrats would have won. By 1908, however, business had recovered to a certain degree and was just about normal at election time. The general balance of conditions was reflected in the election of that year which brought in President Taft on the Republican ticket but returned a Democratic majority in the House of Representatives.

Four years later in 1912 business conditions were very uncertain. Labor troubles were developing and wages generally were low. Business conditions favored a change. Woodrow Wilson was elected in November and took up his duties the following March with a Democratic Congress.

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ected in November and took up his duties the following March with a Democratic Congress. "The World War very naturally colored the campaign of 1916 but business was enjoying very fine prosperity. Wages were good and profits were increasing. From a business point of view conditions were highly satisfactory and this situation argues for a continuance for the present administration. The Democratic party was put in to office for another four years.

Pool-War Boom. "The pool-war boom broke in January of 1920 and that year saw a decline in commodity prices unparalleled in history. Business was on a lull and the blackest sort of depression had settled down by election time. Under the circumstances it was most natural that the party in power should be voted out and that a new administration should be installed. President Harding and a Republican Congress came into office as a result.

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period of prosperity, when employment is good and wages are high, the party in power will in all probability be maintained regardless of its policy. "With this situation in mind we are facing the election of November, 1924, and it is rather more pertinent to ask 'What effect will business have on the election?' than it is to ask 'How will the election affect business?' The first two years of Mr. Harding's administration saw business depression, but we averaged about normal and this year so far business is sticking very closely to our average line of growth. In fact the current reading of the Watson chart shows business at just 2 per cent above normal.

Economics Are Power. "Fundamental economic conditions will continue to govern business," concluded Mr. Hanson, "but if you are interested in the success of this year's election I would suggest a careful study of those fundamental economic conditions between now and next November. Any tendency toward greater prosperity, wider employment and increase of confidence will strengthen Republican chances for reelection while any slowing up or decline, any increase in unemployment or general unsatisfactory business, will tend to bring about a change."

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