Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

April 25-26. Athletic benefit carnival in high school.
May 10—Eastern Oregon Track Meet at Union.
June 4, 5, 6 — Union Live Stock Show at Union.

Visit at Hot Lake—
Mrs. E. Conrad and Mrs. Joe E. Zweifel and daughters, Lois and Adelaide, were Hot Lake visitors Thursday.

Sells 6-Room House—
J. B. McNoun has sold his six-room house and his three lots on W avenue. The sale was culminated through the Pyramid Land company.

Miss Carney Here—
Miss Marguerite Carney, of Portland, arrived last evening on No. 15 and will spend some time in La Grande visiting at the home of Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Baby Girl Born—
Dr. and Mrs. Verne Johnson are receiving congratulations today upon the arrival of an eight pound baby girl at the Grande Ronde hospital yesterday, April 25. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Home from Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stange returned from Portland and Salem this morning from a brief pleasure and business trip combined. Mr. and Mrs. Stange left by motor Tuesday.

To Build Garages—
W. W. Allen and R. A. Shanks were both issued permits this morning to build private garages. Mr. Allen is to build a $150 garage on Monroe between R and Spruce and Mr. Shanks' garage is to cost $200 and will be built on Fourth street between Spring and Pennsylvania streets. J. E. Lane was issued permission to build a woodshed on Lane avenue between First and Second streets. The cost is set at $50.

Land Schooner Goes Through—
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Crossy of Hardington, Nebraska, went thru La Grande this morning en route to their home from California where they spent the winter. The car they are driving has been constructed in regular pullman fashion and is equipped with nearly every appointment or convenience to make for comfort in motoring. A bed and a modern gasoline cook-stove and a kitchen cabinet are among the features of the machine. This is their second round trip across the continent. The couple have been on the road for nearly two years and in that time have made two trips from coast to coast and one from Chicago to New Orleans.

Personal Mention

Mrs. E. M. Johnson returned to her home in Kamela after spending yesterday in La Grande.

Mrs. George Cochran and daughter, Miss Betty, were at Hot Lake today.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and children left last evening for Vancouver, B. C., on account of Mrs. Walker's brother who is very ill.

Miss Bernice Taylor, who has been employed in the Grande Ronde hospital, left for Boise this morning.

Miss Inez Hughes and Miss Iris Hughes left for Baker this morning. They will return to La Grande this evening.

Mrs. H. A. Sonne returned to her home in Salt Lake City last evening. Mrs. Sonne has been in Joseph attending the funeral of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Overly of Huntington arrived in La Grande last evening to visit with Eugene Birlew and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher of Crane were guests of the Sommer Hotel yesterday. L. C. Rockwood and wife, tourists from Shelby, Idaho, stopped at the Sommer yesterday on their way to Portland.

AMERICANS KILLED BY HONDURANS

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lutionary lines and enter the capital.

Other dispatches are to the effect that none of the political parties in Honduras cares to shoulder the responsibility of intervening with Sumner Welles, representing the American government, in an endeavor to bring about peace between the discordant factions.

Will Use Firm Hand

Lacking direct advices, administration officials declined to discuss the situation but there were indications that the government would deal with a firm hand with the situation in Honduras, if necessary should arise. For some time it has been known that both at the state and the navy departments the trend of affairs in the central American republic has been observed with concern.

A landing force from the Milwaukee was dispatched to the Honduran capital under command of Commander L. D. Causey at the request of Secretary Hughes after the Honduran ministry had proved itself incapable of maintaining order and protecting the American and other foreign citizens and interests in Tegucigalpa.

Drunken soldiers of the defacto government forces, according to official advices received here, have shot down many persons including women and children, in the streets of the capital and looted mercantile houses of property estimated at more than $1,000,000 in value.

Legation Fired On

The American legation and consulate in Tegucigalpa also have been fired upon by armed mobs composed chiefly of drunken soldiers mobilized to defend that city from the attack of revolutionary forces.

Recent reports from Commander Causey said the members of his command had narrowly escaped injury from bombs dropped by revolutionary aircraft flying over the city. The explanation, however that an air pilot probably had mistaken the bluejackets on the field and that time exercises for enemy troops.

The incident was satisfactorily adjusted by American Ambassador Morales and assurances were given him by revolutionary leaders that the practice of bombing the city from the air would be discontinued and the aircraft pilots would therefore confine the bombing to fortified sections of the city or military areas.

Athletic Stunt Show Opens Doors Tonight

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Zattum Fattum Fiduld, the Janitor—Jessoovitch.

Oski, the Russian Kreisler—Hurrski.

Wow Wow, the soldier bar tender—Hurovitch.

Morovitch, the messenger—Sherwoodsky.

Man-O-Wa-ski, a messenger—Hughesky.

Also a Russian army, dancing girls, and three carloads of equipment.

Act I.
Scene I.

Laid in a Russian Fort.

The Russian drama will be given in the auditorium but for the minstrel show the gymnasium has been utilized. The best minstrel talent in the school has been trained for this stunt and if the regular performances come up to the rehearsals the minstrel show will be one of the sensations of the carnival. James Coker, Jack Hiatt, Sheldon Brownton, Joe Funk and several others will apply the burnt cork for the evening.

The entire proceeds from the entertainment are to go for the benefit of the athletic field.

GIRL LAWYER RUNS AMUCK, ONE KILLED

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infatuated, was under guard while being questioned at the state's attorney's office to prevent an attempt by the woman on his life, and his wife, at whom the Stopa girl fired as Mrs. Smith lay ill in bed, was near a nervous collapse. Henry Manning, 55, caretaker at the Smith home, was the girl's victim.

Miss Stopa, a blonde, scarcely five feet tall, appeared at the Smith home in a dilapidated automobile driven by a man believed to be Glascow, was admitted by Manning and walking rapidly to Mrs. Smith's room, screamed, "I've come to kill you and your husband." She fired three shots at Mrs. Smith, then turned her pistol on Manning. She shot him through the head, killing him almost instantly, and plunged through a window to her waiting car, declaring "now, I'm going to get him."

Detectives and policemen notified of the slaying rushed to Smith's office in a downtown building and hurried him to the state's attorney's office under guard. The girl did not appear at Smith's office. Smith disclaimed any improper relations with the girl, declaring she misinterpreted his desire to help her.

Smith Tells Story

He said he had subleased an apartment formerly occupied by himself and his wife to her and that he had taken her to theatres and to restaurants on various occasions, sometimes accompanied by Mrs. Smith. A few months ago, he declared, she came to his office and gave him the alternative of obtaining a divorce and marrying her, or of paying her $1000. He threatened to kill him then, he said. Glascow also discussed her affairs with him, Smith said, and they agreed after an alienist had examined her and pronounced her "highly emotional" that she should leave Chicago. Smith said he agreed to pay her $150 a month for four months and that the girl went to Detroit and he believed from there to New York. He notified her a short time ago that payments would be stopped, he said.

After graduating from a law school here and being admitted to the bar, the girl obtained employment as a stenographer in the district attorney's office in 1921 and was sworn in as an assistant so she could take testimony before the federal grand jury.

HARMLESS MEANS OF REDUCING FAT

Many fat people fear ordinary means for reducing their weight. Here is an extraordinary method. Extraordinary because while perfectly harmless, no dieting or exercise are necessary. Marmola Prescription Tablets are made exactly in accordance with the famous Marmola Prescription. You reduce steadily and easily, with no ill effects. Procure them from your druggist at one dollar for a box or send price direct to the Marmola Company, 4612 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich.—Adv.

HUNT'S LETTER

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—unless they decide to make it 10!

Since his recent showing of strength in Wisconsin and elsewhere, backers of Smith are declaring that now is the time to settle for once and all two much-mooted questions.

First. Can an avowed "wet" be elected president?

Second. Can a Roman Catholic be elected president?

But why, the Smith opposition wails, make the Democratic party the goat in such a test.

Why, particularly, saddle both issues on the party in one campaign?

With a wet Tammany Catholic heading the Democratic ticket, all the advantage has been gained through recent disclosures affecting Republican rule would avail nothing, say the objectors.

As a result of this viewpoint Smith's nomination undoubtedly will be blocked.

But nothing short of death and disaster will prevent him getting the greatest ovation, measured by volume and duration of sound, ever accorded and "favorite son."

Why was it, politicians inquire, that five of the eight "presidential possibilities" slated to attend the Jefferson Day dinner at New York failed to show up?

Smith, Ralston, Copeland, Underwood and Joe Robinson were absent. John W. Davis, and Governor Silzer and Ritchie attended.

Some suggest they feared the comparative applause they might get.

REHEARSALS ARE UNDERWAY

WALLA WALLA, Wash. (Special) — Actual rehearsals for the Pioneer Pageant, "How the West Was Won," to be presented here May 28 and 29, were launched this week with a participants' mobilization meeting attended by nearly 1200 persons. The cast of the pageant is to include 2200 actors, singers, dancers and musicians, and rehearsals will be held nearly every night between now and the pageant dates.

Listed among the prominent persons who will participate in the pageant are Mayor Ben Hill of Walla Walla, candidate for the Washington democratic gubernatorial nomination, and Father Mutanie, beautiful and talented daughter of a Umatilla chief.

Call for Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 140, within the City of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of said improvement, now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications, which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful and returns same to this office.

Bids will be received to the hour of seven-thirty p. m. May 7th, 1924, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande, Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of ten per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of contract if awarded.

Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Commission April 23rd, 1924.

J. E. STEARNS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Apr. 25-10t

Call for Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 141, within the City of La Grande, Oregon according to plans and specifications of said improvement, now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications, which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful and returns same to this office.

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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 RENT — 3 modern housekeeping rooms. 2005 Second St. 4-25-2t

WANTED — Experienced night porter. Hotel Foley. 4-25-1t

FOR SALE—5-room modern house. Basement and garage. $3350. $1350 cash, balance terms. Close in. Call 1707 Jeff Ave. 4-25-2tp

FOR SALE—Piano near LaGrande. High grade piano, perfect condition. Big saving and terms. $12 monthly to reliable party. Write at once to Cline Music Company 84 Front street, Portland Oregon. 4-25-3t

SALE OR TRADE—King 8, good condition, good rubber, 5 tires for small car in good condition. Call 1502 Jeff or phone 298-W. 4-25-2tp

FOR TRADE—Fine 10 acre tract in May Park for good residence in La Grande. Pyramid Land Co. Phone Main 795. 4-25-1tp

FOR RENT—House with 5 rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 702 C Ave. 4-25-2tp

FOR SALE—Modern house, furnished or unfurnished. 1205 8th St. 4-25-3tp

FREE DIRT—Given away to those who will come after it. This is good black dirt for lawns. Call 125-J, or call at 503 Adams. 4-25-2t

That Nose of Yours Needs a Berg Hat $7.00.

Harmonize a man's hat with his nose and the rest of his profile takes care of itself.

Your nose is further advanced than the rest of your face—and once it is shaded under the brim of a Berg shape—your nose knows and everyone else knows that here is a man who won't take "No" to being becomingly hatted.

If you never had a Berg hat on your brow you have never placed the highest value on your own head.

Blocks here for Spring for men who think more of their appearance than to ruin it with the wrong headgear.

Berg Spring Hats $4.85 to $7.00
Spring Caps $1.45 to $3.45
Silk Hose with Clocks 95c the Pair
Irish Isle Sweaters $7.85 to $14.45
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The Store With a Conscience
Athletic Carnival April 25-26

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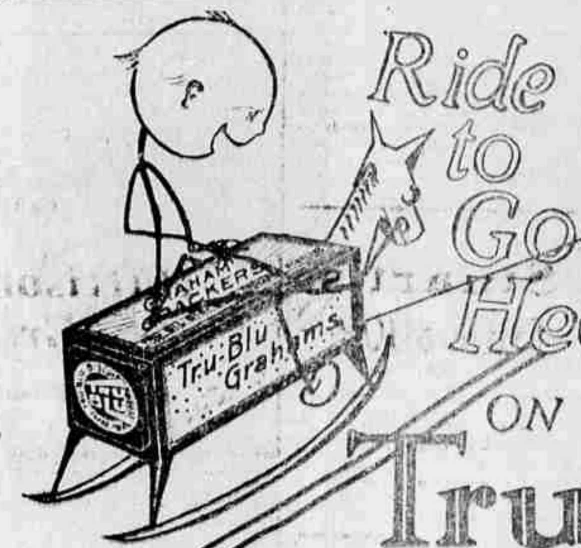

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They contain the bran that, like a good spring tonic, helps the system purify the blood.

Try lunching on Tru-Blu Grahams and milk for a week—you will be surprised how much better you feel.

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He has Tru-Blu Grahams in the famous blue and gold cartons and in wood boxes.

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Beginning and End of a Perfect Day ~ Preferred Stock Coffee,

New Stamped Goods

We have a great many new patterns on a great variety of articles—Centers, Luncheon Sets, Pillow Cases, Aprons, Bed Spreads, Scarfs, Buffet Sets, etc. Do not let the months slip by without some hand work.

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"Everything for the Baby"

Come to the BLACK CAT—SATURDAY And Get A CHICKEN DINNER

Lots of room—clean, cozy—food the best.

If you try our Cafeteria Service once, you'll come again.

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and I want you all to come and see me. It's the most thrilling story you've ever seen, lots of big moments, suspense and heart-throbs. Some of the greatest actors in pictures, including Sheldon Lewis, Gladys Brockwell, Max Davidson, Carl Stockdale, Minnie Steel, Frank Currier and others, are also in it with me. Please be sure to come and see how you like me in a real big picture.

STAR

Saturday and Sunday

TODAY—"THE BLIZZARD"