

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

May 10—Eastern Oregon Track Meet at Union.
May 25—Commemorative exercises for graduating class of La Grande high school.

Commission Meet Tonight

The La Grande city commission will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall building.

At Hot Lake With Daughter

Mrs. Elsie Conrad, of La Grande, is staying at Hot Lake to be with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Zwiefel, of Summerville, who was scheduled to undergo an operation today.

Sons of Veterans Will Meet

George W. Allen Camp 13 Sons of Veterans will meet in the K. of C. hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All sons and grandsons that are entitled to belong are urged to be there.

Buys a Lot

William Rollins has purchased, through the Pyramid Land Company, a lot from William Hubers, of Rock Island, Illinois, at the corner of K avenue and Eleventh street.

To Elect Officers

The Associated Girl Students, an organization of the girls of the high school, will hold its annual election of officers this afternoon. The nominations which were made last Friday are for president, Phyllis Seranton, Othella Gray, Dorothy Pank, vice-president, Wilma Smith, Mae Bean, Margaret Baker, secretary-treasurer, Margaret Golden, Viola Pries, Wilma Gashill.

School Funds Available

At the present time there are school funds available for loan in Union county from the school fund in amounts not exceeding \$2,000 to any one borrower on improved farms. The interest rate has been set at six per cent. Application for loans should be made to H. E. Dixon, attorney for the state land board.

Rural Carrier Examination

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at La Grande, Ore., on June 14, 1924, to fill the

position of rural carrier at Elgin and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from that post-office. The salary of a rural carrier on a standard daily wagon route of 24 miles is \$1,500 per annum, with an additional \$20 per mile for annual for such mile as major fraction thereof in excess of 24 miles. The salary on motor routes ranges from \$2,450 to \$2,500 per annum, according to length. Separate examinations for motor routes and wagon routes are no longer held. Appointments to both positions will be made from the same register.

Returns from Trip—State Commander Fred Kiddle returned this morning from attending several American Legion meetings in Portland and The Dalles.

To Build—W. H. Parlor obtained a permit today to build a \$4000 dwelling on Depot street between I and V avenues. Mrs. H. C. Metcalf will build a residence on the corner of First and Adams avenues which is to cost \$5000.

Students to Receive Medals—This month's contest in the typewriting classes of the high school found nine students eligible for the medals given by the Underwood Typewriter company for attaining in speed of 40 words or more in one minute. Edward Hatt passed the test with the greatest number of words written correctly and is to receive a silver medal for his efforts. The others are to be presented with bronze medals. Those to receive medals are Helen Williams, Audrey Nash, Jean Chandler, Gladys Gaudier, Helen Benson, Jack Hatt, Ruby Baker, Pearl Keenan, George Fulkerson, Lila Bean and Gladys Owen.

Personal Mention—Mrs. W. C. Lowe left for Meacham last evening. Mrs. H. P. Hill, of Tybecast, was in La Grande this morning. Charles DeForest made a business trip to Portland yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Straven left for Portland yesterday evening. Mrs. B. D. Campbell stopped at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Miller, of La Grande, yesterday.

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—Two, nearly new, 4-door Ford sedans.—M. J. Goss, Studebaker Dealer, 5-7-21p.
WANTED—By boy, work on farm. Good milk and can do any kind of work. Call 2462 N. Fourth, Ernest Barney. 5-7-21p.
FOR RENT—3-room, modern, furnished apartment. 1307 Adams. 5-7-21p.
FOR SALE—Young Holstein bull. Inquire W. L. Grandall, Old Town. 5-7-21p.
FOR SALE—Young pigs.—H. M. Korte, Phone Farmers 44. 5-7-21p.
FOR SALE—Fresh milk, goats, 2212 First St. 5-7-21p.
WANTED—Ironing and baking to do at home, call 432W. 5-7-14p.
FOR RENT—4-room, modern home. Phone 219W or call 2112 Adams avenue. 5-7-14p.
FOR SALE—3 lots near high school. Good ground, fine view. \$100 down. Five years term on balance. Also fine building lots, centrally located on paved street. Will sell at a bargain. 8-room home, some furniture, 2 lots, on paved street, close in suitable for roomers. Small payment down. Balance on easy terms. Deal with owner and save commission. Inquire at 2117 Oak St. 5-7-14p.
FOR SALE—Two bed-room suites and one dining room suite. A bargain.—Walter Reider, Main 775. 5-7-14p.
FOR SALE—Here's the bargain you've been looking for: Seven room, strictly modern home, good location, beautiful lawn, cement walks, full basement, cement floor and furnace, garage, large lot, north front, serviced in front and rear porches, newly painted and landscaped. \$2000.—Pyramid Land Co. 5-7-14p.
FOR RENT—Front sleeping room, 1911 Second St. 5-7-21p.
FOR SALE BY OWNER—Five room modern home on paved street, garage, wired for electricity, stove, direct improvements, paid down balance on terms. Also lot on 4th, paved street, improvements paid. Two lots on Ninth and 1, one block off paving. 4765 Oak St. Phone 1931. 5-7-21p.

on her way to Caldwell from Portland. Mrs. H. E. Knoda left for Boise this morning on a visit for several days. G. S. Levy went to Portland on No. 25 last night. He will be gone for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graves returned to their home in Union yesterday after spending the day in La Grande. Miss Helen Donnelly, who has been visiting in Nampa, returned yesterday. C. B. Larson, formerly of La Grande and now making his home in Eugene, was transacting business here yesterday. F. H. Conkey, of Minn, was registered at the Summer Hotel yesterday. William Pearce returned from attending a meeting of the State Jewelers' Association at The Dalles, this morning.

Next Friday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock on the public schools of La Grande will hold open house with an exhibition of work done during the year in each room. The public generally and the parents of children in school are particularly invited to attend. The domestic science and manual arts departments of the high school have planned special shows for this time also. The domestic art classes under the direction of Miss Virginia Haines are planning on giving a style show, displaying the various models made by the girls this year, at 3 o'clock.

Of 551 children who gave no history of exposure to tuberculosis, only 20 or 5 per cent gave a positive reaction to the Von Pirquet test for tuberculosis infection. In a group of 548, where a history of tuberculosis contact or exposure was doubtful, 8 per cent gave a positive reaction. But in a group of 44, where there was a positive history of exposure to tuberculosis in the family, 52 or 81 per cent responded positively to the tests for tuberculosis infection. "This emphasizes," says Doctor Stoddard, "the fact that it is practically impossible for a child to live in a home where there is an open case without becoming infected, especially where the patient has not been instructed how to take proper precautions to prevent the spread of infection."

SENIOR CLASS ENJOYED TRIP

Beyond any doubt, according to the seniors who went aboard the all-day class outing yesterday was the "best ever." The seniors accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Lindgren, Mrs. Glen Campbell and Miss Francis Campbell, went to a picnic site near Summerville. A few ducklings occurred but outside of one or two little features of that sort, joy reigned supreme. The seniors claim that the eats were good, the site was O. K. and the day, as a whole, was an unmitigated success.

National Tuberculosis Association in Session

CANOE ON PACIFIC—SAN FRANCISCO (INS)—Leland Spaulding came here recently from Nebraska. He glimpsed the Pacific ocean and decided to take a risk on it in a canoe. Spaulding was rescued by coast guards after his craft capsized. Lectures by Stoddard (Continued from page 1) abolished. It is the first government in the world established on natural law. When a mechanic or inventor makes a device for any purpose or soon finds if it will work or corruption. He adjusts the parts and soon finds if it can be made to work. A pop or safety valve is put out on a engine to regulate its motion. Infinite intelligence has no dispute with anything or anybody. Demonstrated knowledge is the one thing that will save us and that included true religion. The oneness of the faith is not a fantasy. All knowledge is relative. As is quoted from Pope: "All is but parts of one stupendous whole, of which the body, Nature is and God the soul." I will point out a few of the vital principles of our fundamental law that are so much ignored, avoided or set aside in practice. We start out with the theory that all men are created equal. That all just laws come from the consent of the governed. That the majority rules. That the fittest survive. Making it slow to adjust himself to his civilization. The unfit survive contrary to natural law because of certain practices and interpretations of men for their own selfish purposes. The combination that men construct in the conduct of elections aims to destroy the general average of public opinion, which violates not only all primary rights as citizens but changes the current of the votes. All combinations of this kind should be put in the same category as the combinations in the restraint of trade. The manipulators of elections do not want a fair field and no favors. The average citizen now believes that the ballot is a mere farce. Human laws are regarded and held up as a virtue. Antagonism is counted as one of the virtues. It is time for Justice to hang down her head and weep. It is time to ask the good citizen of the United States, "Whether are we drifting" in the dust and all the rules of our rights and liberties virtually destroyed.

BURNS TESTIFIES—WASHINGTON (AP)—W. J. Burns, chief of the department of justice investigation bureau, told the senate Duggerty committee today that although he had assigned an agent to shadow Gaston B. Means, this man was not concerned in the disappearance of Means' various documents and diaries.

The results of the examination of 1,465 school children in one prosperous farming county of Minnesota show that only a 10.6 per cent of these children showed positive signs of tuberculosis infection. This statement made by Dr. K. A. Stoffer, superintendent of the Southwest Minnesota Sanatorium at Worthington, Minn., is so pointed out by him, in sharp contrast with the result obtained by investigators in large cities where as many as 85 per cent of the

STYLE SHOW ON PROGRAM

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Two hundred twenty-one of the 2,409 precincts gave Coolidge 16,484; Johnson 2,509.

McADOO CARRIES TEXAS

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—McAdoo was assured control of the Texas Democratic convention May 27th by action of county Democratic conventions here yesterday.

McADOO ENDORSED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (AP)—Oklahoma Democrats, in convention last night, endorsed McAdoo, but declared no delegates to the national convention could support any candidate.

CORNER STONE FOR BUILDING LAID TUESDAY

The Baptist church, spoke in behalf of the La Grande Ministerial association and C. J. Black, city commissioner, represented the city of La Grande with a few words. Colonel W. H. Turner, of San Francisco, was then introduced and addressed those present. Following this speech the laying of the cornerstone occurred and then Major J. T. Winterbottom, divisional commander of the Oregon Salvation Army, closed the services with benediction.

RECORDS MAY BE BETTERED MAY 10 AT DISTRICT MEET

Several features between acts have been arranged for, among which will be vocal solos by Joe Funk, Ruby Robbs and Isabel Miller. Several songs by Mrs. Green's girls from the Greenwood school and drills by the girls of Central school. Records May Fall. If early season performances are any criterion records may fall in several events. Hope figures that Hatt and Newton, Pendleton, and Edwards, Milton-Freewater, all have a good chance to better the discus record, set in 1916 by Deers of Baker, with a throw of 111 feet 5 1/2 inches. Edwards, Milton-Freewater, Whiteman, Pendleton, and Taggart, Baker, all hope to break the 16 1-5 second mark in the century, first made by Carpe, of La Grande in 1910 and since tied several times. The broad jump record, 26 feet

Was a Good Judge of Liquor

"Since a young man I had a liking for liquor and was considered a pretty good judge of it at one time, but constant drinking gave me stomach troubles which became chronic. My stomach would have been a valuable addition to a gas factory. Doctors did not seem to relieve me. One day my druggist got me to try Mays' Wonderful Remedy, and I am now as good as new." It is a simple, harmless, preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allows the information which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At all druggists.—Adv.

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8 1/2 inches made by Greer of Wallawa in 1915, may possibly be lowered with Jacobson, La Grande, as a possible new record holder in this event.

Blacker, of Union, may go higher than the high jump mark that Kee, of Pendleton, set in 1916.

Sherwood, of La Grande, holds a Union county record of 1-5 of a second faster than the eastern Oregon low hurdle record of 27-2-5 seconds, made by Richards, of Cove, in 1916.

Pries, of La Grande, who holds a Union county record of 58 1-8 seconds in the 440 yard dash, faster than the eastern Oregon record of 53 1-2 seconds, made by Lundstedt, Baker, in 1915, may possibly place his name among record holders.

The La Grande relay team, composed of Steinbeck, Staata, Colver and Pries, has an outside chance of smashing the present mark in

this event—made by La Grande team in 1910, consisting of Stanley Carpe, A. Myster, N. Bolton and C. Bolton.

In addition to the above possibilities, there is always the chance of a darkhorse stepping forward with something monumental. Officials have been practically all chosen and everything is in readiness for Saturday.

Other Contests. In addition to the track and field contests to be held Saturday morning and afternoon students from high schools in Baker and Union county will also compete in the morning of that day. La Grande will enter teams in both.

The La Grande team are as follows: Senior division, shorthand, Ella Annas, Alice Hoffman; junior division, shorthand, Lenora Gibson, Thelma Brown; senior division typing, Edward Hatt, Mildred Fox; junior division, typing, Helen Williams, Ruth Scott.

Dainty Summer Frocks. In Printed Crepes, Voiles and Linens. French & Greene. Illustration of a woman in a dress.

Boys' Hats. A new shipment of Boys' Hats—not the ordinary wash hat, but something nicer. Art & Baby Shop. "Everything for the Baby".

ARCADÉ TODAY. Time is man's greatest asset. The Black Cat. Walling's Hat Sale. NOW PLAYING AT THE STAR. Zane Grey's "The Heritage of the Desert". And a Comedy DON'T MISS IT! And Kulolia and Her Chinese Hawaiians Native Songs and Dances.



The Young Men Are Attached to These Collar-Attached Shirts—\$2.65.

It would take a mighty force to persuade our young men customers to trade shirt styles or shirt stores. At \$2.65 we give them the style they like in a fabric value that is unlike anything else in this city.

And in the size of selections—well, just ask the first well dressed young man you know! In shirts, in neckwear, in caps— Nothing 1-1000th of an inch short of absolutely right ever opens its eye here.

We are not asleep at the switch— Michaels - Stern Powder Blue Suits \$25.00 to \$52.50 Arrow Shirts \$2.65 New Caps \$1.45 to \$3.45 Foulard Fore-in-Hands and Bows 50c to \$1.95

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