

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

June 29-July 2 — La Grande Chautauqua.

To Build Home— Mrs. E. C. Harding took out a permit this morning to build a home on Jefferson avenue between Third and Fourth streets. The cost of construction will be in the neighborhood of \$2,000.

To Spend Day at Lake— Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stange and daughters, Ann and Jane, accompanied by A. H. Stange drove to Wallawa Lake this morning to spend the day.

Revival Meetings Continue— Revival meetings at the Church of God Chapel at the corner of Y and Spruce streets are gaining interest. Evangelist Ridgway will speak this evening on the subject of "Jesus the Life of the World." On Saturday evening his theme will be "The First Resurrection" and on Sunday "The Kingdom of God and the End of the World" will be his topic. The public is cordially invited by the pastor to attend the services.

Former Pastor to Preach— The general public is invited to welcome a former minister of La Grande this coming Sunday morning when Rev. Jas. Alkin Smith of Portland will preach in the Presbyterian church. The Rev. Wm. Crosby Ross, this morning in speaking of Mr. Smith's visit here, said: "His many friends will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear a minister who once labored here," he continued, "and we will prepare for a large congregation on that day." Mr. Smith served as the pastor of the Presbyterian church prior to the coming of Mr. Ross and left here to take up church work in the Rose City and this is his first visit here since leaving for the larger field. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are here to attend the commencement exercises of their son from Whitman College next week.

Personal Mention
Harold Pierce and Oscar McFarland were guests at the Sommer hotel yesterday. Their home is in Lostine.
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Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Arthur of Centralia were in the city yesterday. They stopped at the Sommer hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Priddy of Walla Walla, who are touring were stopping at the Sommer for a day's rest yesterday.
F. L. Anderson and E. G. Pope of Ruby, Wash., are in La Grande on business. They are registered at the Sommer.
Mrs. J. M. Cummings of Elgin stopped at the Sommer hotel last evening. She went on to Portland this morning.
E. H. Hayes, city manager, and J. E. Stearns, city recorder, spent this morning in Baker.
Clark Fitzgerald, who recently returned from La Grande from Pullman, Wash., where he was attending W. S. C. has accepted a position with the Warren Construction company.
Jean Taylor arrived in town Thursday evening on No. 18, from Walla Walla where he has been attending Whitman college.
Mrs. F. L. Bouquet and mother of Enterprise, were in La Grande yesterday on business. They stopped at the Sommer hotel.
Victor Morgan of Kamela, was in La Grande this morning.
Miss Mabel Miller of La Grande and Miss Violet Bloom of Cove returned this morning from Mouth, where they have been attending the state normal school.
Miss Beulah Smith, who has just completed her freshman year at Oregon, arrived in La Grande this morning.
John Robinson, student at University of Oregon, is in La Grande again after spending his first year at the college.
Mrs. E. E. Bentley returned to La Grande this morning from a three weeks trip to Cleveland, Washington, D. C. and New York City.



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—we want to tell you something that just happened.
A local grocer walked in — we greeted him cheerfully as follows—
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He replied, "I have a pain in the front of my head and an idea in the back of it—I want to buy three of your Allen A Union Suits at \$4.50 because I want to sell this headache!"
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HUNT'S LETTER
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of the national committee of the Conference for Progressive Political Action.
Briefly, as his keynote for the occasion, he will outline the situation that caused the gathering to be called. He will analyze the platforms of the two old party conventions, both of which will have been completed for that time. He will present for their dissection the two old party candidates—provided the Democrats

have decided on one by that time. Then he will ask the "conference" what it proposes to do about it.
That is as far as the proceedings can be pictured at this time. From that point on, it will be "up to the conference."
A progressive independent platform, shaped to appeal to the average individual, the white collar worker as well as the man in overalls, the farm worker as well as the city toiler, will be attempted. And on that platform La Pollette will be asked to stand for election.
Among the organizations which have been invited to send delegates to the conference are the 16 railroad brotherhoods, the most influential and numerically powerful organized labor group in the country; the typographical and printing trades unions, clothing workers, metal workers, telegraphers and the whole field of organized labor.
Farmers will be represented through various state and national farm organizations, such as the Farmers' National Council, the Progressive Party of Idaho, the Nonpartisan League of North Dakota and state farm bureau groups.
Women will have a direct representation through the Woman's National Trades Union league and the Woman's Committee for Political Action.
All told, approximately 1,000 delegates will be on hand—a number comparable to the delegate representation of the G. O. P. and Dem. conventions.

Company E Enjoying Life at Camp Lewis
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camp where you can buy most anything and also there is a town called Green Park just about three miles away. Some of the boys took in the show last night.
They call lights out at 10 o'clock and everything has to be quiet by 11. Snoring is overlooked, however.
The camp here is so big that it is about five miles from one end to the other and about two miles wide. The streets are all paved.
By the way, Company E is enjoying itself in a great shape so far. All the boys send their greetings to La Grande.

DARING GAS ROBBERY IS A SUCCESS
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and there was a red trail from there to Buckley road.
"The robbers then forced their way into the second car but escaped unscathed from the rain of lead the guards and clerks fired. As in the first car they succeeded in overcoming them.
The robbers did not go into any of the other cars for they found 40 notices of registered mail in the first three cars.
"One of the bandits was killed by the bullets fired by his band. It was also settled that the bandit broke the window of the coach throwing gas inside. The fumes of the acid nearly overcame the clerks and the guards for they finally surrendered.

NOMINATION ACCEPTED BY GENERAL
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forces had passed the word that the administration men desired the nomination of Theodore E. Burton of Ohio and in the voting which followed the supporters of Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, ran away with the nomination for their man, only to have him decline it. The nomination of Dawes came as the climax of one of the most spectacular scenes in Republican party history in which the convention once having nominated a candidate, was obliged to undo its work and find another.
While the Dawes people worked like Trojans to line up the delegates for the general, some of the convention managers, not to risk another declination, put in telephone calls for the general to acquiesce in the situation and to make sure that he would accept the nomination if it were tendered. After some continued conferences on the platform the group leaders favorable to Dawes were hurried back to the floor to give order and do missionary work among the delegates.
Hoover Men Busy
Secretary Hoover's friends were not idle working to take advantage of the emergency to try out his name before the convention. There was a good deal of talk about the hall indicating that his name would be brought out on the first ballot of the night session and tested to see what response was found among the delegates.
The Kenyon boom was being pushed in the meantime. In the turmoil and confusion of the wait for the convention to come to order, Senator Reed of Pennsylvania and William M. Butler had a short and pointed conference.
"It can't be Dawes, it must be Hoover," explained Mr. Butler.
"It can't be done, it must be Dawes," replied Senator Reed and with that the two men parted.
Apparently Mr. Butler had communicated some word favorable to Mr. Hoover to the Massachusetts delegation for Speaker Gillette, a member, confided to friends that some of the members of the delegation were going to vote for Hoover on the first ballot after the reconvening.
At 9:50 o'clock Chairman Mondell began rapping for order and the delegates were calling "vote, vote, we want to vote!"
Mr. Mondell read the convention

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NOTICE.
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the telegram he had received from Mr. Lowden. It was the same as given in other dispatches of the Associated Press. Then the chairman recognized Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois. In behalf of the Illinois delegates he moved that Lowden's declination be accepted.
The convention adopted the motion with some scattering "noes." The clerk then began calling the roll on the third ballot for vice president.
How They Voted
Alabama, first on the list, brought in Hoover and gave him 14 votes, throwing 2 to Dawes.
Arizona gave 9 to Dawes and Arkansas gave 14, all she has, to Hoover.
California, Hoover's native state, gave him 23 votes and Colorado's 15 votes went to Dawes.
Connecticut's 17 were divided, 1 going to Dawes and 16 to Hoover.
Delaware gave her 9 to T. Coleman Dupont.
Florida's 10 went to Secretary Hoover.
Georgia divided her vote, giving Hoover most of them, 13.
Idaho gave 19 to Dawes and 1 to Watson.
Illinois gave 53 to Dawes, 2 to Hoover and 3 to Sanders of Indiana. At that stage Hoover and Dawes were running neck and neck. Indiana struck back for Jim Watson and gave him all the 22, and Iowa stood solid for Kenyon with all her 29 votes.
Kansas gave her 23 solidly to Dawes and put him in the lead.
Kentucky divided between Watson and Dawes.
Louisiana's 12 were divided 7 for Hoover and 6 for Dawes.
Maine gave her 15 to Dawes and increased his lead over Hoover.
Maryland gave 15 to Dawes and 2 to Hoover.
Massachusetts cast 39 for Hoover and Michigan gave 32 for Dawes and Hoover 1.
Minnesota gave 25 for Dawes and 2 for Kenyon.
Mississippi's 12 went for Hoover and raised his total a little nearer the rapidly rising Dawes column.
Montana gave 6 to Governor Dixon and 5 for Dawes.
Nebraska's 19 went to Dawes solidly.
Nevada's 9 votes for Dawes followed.
New Hampshire gave Hoover 1 and Kenyon 2 and 7 to Dawes.
Dawes Gains Rapidly
New Jersey's 21 cast for Dawes ran his total away up over Hoover's. At that time official count stood, 288 for Dawes and 162 for Hoover.
New York's 91 were divided this way: Four absent; 1 Sanders for Hoover; 22 for Kenyon; 64 Dawes; that ran Dawes' column up to 357.
North Carolina gave 15 for Dawes and North Dakota gave him 6 more.
Ohio polled 1 absent; Dawes 25; Hoover 25.
Oklahoma added 22 for the general. Oregon's 13 formerly pledged to Lowden went to Hoover.
Pennsylvania's 79 went 1 for Kenyon; 73 for Dawes. That brought Dawes to 509.
Rhode Island added 13 to Dawes.
South Carolina went 11 for Dawes.
South Dakota gave 12 to Kenyon.
Governor Cox of Massachusetts moved that the nomination of General Dawes be made unanimous. The news from the Wisconsin side of the house were the only voices in dissent.
The unofficial totals were: Dawes 682; Hoover 234; Kenyon 85.
After the nomination of General Dawes had been announced and Senator James E. Watson had moved it be made by acclamation, Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, took the platform and offered a resolution to appoint Chairman Mondell of the convention, chairman of the committee to notify President Coolidge of his nomination and to appoint Theodore E. Burton chairman of the committee to notify General Dawes of his nomination.
Adoption of miscellaneous resolutions and motions concluded the business of the convention. The new national committee was called to meet Friday for organization and the convention adjourned. The great show was over.

COOLIDGE CONGRATULATES WASHINGTON (AP)— President Coolidge Thursday night sent a message of felicitation to Charles G. Dawes, selected as his running mate on the Republican national ticket.
"It will be a pleasure," the president said, "to be associated with you in the public service. Best wishes to you and Mrs. Dawes in which Mrs. Coolidge joins.

LOWDEN ENDORSES DAWES OREGON, III. (By the Associated Press) — Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, who Thursday night was nominated as vice president and declined to accept it, issued the following when he learned that Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes was chosen: "I congratulate the party on

OPERETTA IS SATURDAY EVE
An operetta in which 30 La Grande children will participate will be given at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in the high school auditorium. The operetta, "Cinderella in Flowerland" being staged by the L. D. S. primary stake board.
The children have been very well drilled in their parts and the piece is expected to have unusual entertainment value. The children are all appropriately costumed and the scenery and other special effects have been built for the occasion.
General Dawes' nomination, I have known him intimately for almost 20 years. He is a man of unusual ability and of undaunted courage. He is a man with a great breadth of vision. He is capable of filling the highest office with credit to himself and his country."

FLARE-BACK OF BIG GUN TAKES TOLL
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first class, Adriansville, Ga. Silvester Bridges of Brixton, Mass.
The men were all from the battleship New Mexico, doing observation duty. It was the interchange of officers and men between the various ships of the fleet when firing practice was being held.
Lieut. Jack Kennedy, the athletic officer of the Pacific fleet, was among the first to help remove the injured and dead. He was at first reported killed.
Three-quarters of an hour elapsed after the fire in turret No. 2 was observed from the quarter-master's deck before entrance to the red-hot chamber containing the charred bodies of the entombed men could be made by Ensign Smith.
Flareback Cause.
A "flareback" from one of the 14 inch rifles in the turret ignited the powder supply, which practically wiped out of existence the entire crew of the turret room and also killed several men in the upper handling room.
Four powder bags containing 450 pounds of explosive each were inside the rifle turret, according to one of the surviving sailors in the handling room above, where several were also killed.
Of the injured, several sailors in the passage spaces and handling room above the turret were terribly burned by gas and from the explosion.
The 14-inch rifle that lent the turret powder supply was practicing extreme elevation firing at the moment of the explosion, the idea being to take advantage of the battleship's roll or list to the opposite for maximum altitude and efficiency of the gun.

HIGH GRADE BONDS A BUY
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ent swing, exactly as they did in the last century, and have now started on a sidewise movement exactly as they did in the early eighties.
"If the swing is completed, and both history and the action of our current market indicate that it will

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When asked about the immediate outlook for bonds Mr. Babson replied that he would give us the facts and let us draw our own conclusions.
"Bond prices," says he, "are dependent upon several factors but react most quickly to changes in money rates and in the levels of commodity prices. Business, for instance, is slowing up at the present time (the Babsonchart shows present activity at 13 per cent below normal) and the demand for loans by high grade commercial firms is small. Money that is ordinarily loaned to business men is sitting up in banks. Further than that all the interest on the banks' loans put it into bonds temporarily. This buying by the banks increases the demand for good bonds. At the same time the business man finds that his operations do not require additional investment as they do when things are booming. He in turn buys bonds with his surplus and the demand is again increased. Later when business picks up and the banks again have a demand for commercial loans they sell their bonds to supply the cash to their commercial borrowers.

Business men likewise liquidate part of their holdings to invest more money in their business and the bond market suffers temporarily from too many sellers and not enough buyers.
"If business gets worse, the demand for good sound bonds for surplus funds of banks, trust funds and private enterprises will increase proportionally and prices will tend to strengthen. Later when things begin to boom again money will flow back into industry and the bond market will show signs of softness. Whether bonds rise or fall, they hold present levels, or recede slightly, will depend upon the severity of the present dullness in general business.
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When asked about the immediate outlook for bonds Mr. Babson replied that he would give us the facts and let us draw our own conclusions.
"Bond prices," says he, "are dependent upon several factors but react most quickly to changes in money rates and in the levels of commodity prices. Business, for instance, is slowing up at the present time (the Babsonchart shows present activity at 13 per cent below normal) and the demand for loans by high grade commercial firms is small. Money that is ordinarily loaned to business men is sitting up in banks. Further than that all the interest on the banks' loans put it into bonds temporarily. This buying by the banks increases the demand for good bonds. At the same time the business man finds that his operations do not require additional investment as they do when things are booming. He in turn buys bonds with his surplus and the demand is again increased. Later when business picks up and the banks again have a demand for commercial loans they sell their bonds to supply the cash to their commercial borrowers.

Business men likewise liquidate part of their holdings to invest more money in their business and the bond market suffers temporarily from too many sellers and not enough buyers.
"If business gets worse, the demand for good sound bonds for surplus funds of banks, trust funds and private enterprises will increase proportionally and prices will tend to strengthen. Later when things begin to boom again money will flow back into industry and the bond market will show signs of softness. Whether bonds rise or fall, they hold present levels, or recede slightly, will depend upon the severity of the present dullness in general business.
"My advice to the investor, however," concluded Mr. Babson, "is to disregard all these slight intermediate fluctuations and to buy good sound bonds with his funds just as fast as he accumulates funds, depending on the broad swing over the next twenty years, rather than trying to catch a two penny profit on some minor fluctuation. Buy good bonds for steady income and for a substantial increase in equity between now and the time you will need the money."

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