

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
August 2—K. O. M. Picnic at Riverside Park.
Sept. 8.—La Grande schools open 1924-25 term.

Speeding
Mrs. Roscoe Neal was fined \$10 by the municipal court for speeding.

Home
Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray have returned to their home here from a week's vacation at the beach, after spending the past two weeks there.

Engine Running
Jack O'Connell, who left his car on Adams avenue with its engine running, was fined \$10 in the municipal court for the offense.

To Repair Apartment House
John Allen took out a permit today to repair an apartment house on Fourth street between O and Pennsylvania avenues. The cost is at \$5,000.

Small Fire
Members of the La Grande fire squad made a quick trip to Island city today to assist in extinguishing a fire which had started in the John Lindsay garage. The fire was started by a spark from the chimney. Small damage was done and the loss was covered by insurance.

On Vacation
James Wynn, Robert Wynn, John Hoff and Joseph Whetstone of Pennsylvania were in La Grande this morning on their way home from California and other coast states. The four boys are making the trip in an antiquated flyover which has one singular feature which distinguishes it from all similar machines. Four wheel brakes. Three of the boys are from Wayne, Pennsylvania, and one is from Maryland. All are college students.

Ship Sheep
Thirty carloads of sheep purchased by the Union Sheep company of San Francisco were shipped today to Omaha, Nebraska, by the company's purchasing agent, G. D. Murdoch. Ten carloads were obtained in Walla Walla county and the remainder from La Grande. Mr. Murdoch said that the flocks in this section are in good shape for such dry weather. The flocks are in a whole lot better shape than in the past because the market is in such good shape at present that some think that the price will go higher.

To Make Geological Trip
J. H. Bretz, professor of geology from the University of Chicago accompanied by Mrs. Bretz and nine students of the university left this morning on a field trip into the Snake country, which is to last until the latter part of August. The students will be taught geology under actual conditions instead of from text books. At present the University of Chicago has several such classes in various parts of the country. These field trips are an annual event sponsored by the college. The party expects to return here on August 27.

Personal Mention
Miss A. E. Jones of Portland is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ben Ward left for Baker to visit for a few days, this morning.

Mrs. Bruce Dennis arrived in La Grande this morning from a trip to Seattle and other coast cities. She

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MANY IN CUBA DISAPPOINTED

Two Hundred Thousand Who Hoped to Enter U. S., Barred by New Law.

HAVANA (AP).—The new American immigration law, which became effective July 1, has barred the doors to approximately 200,000 persons from every land under the sun who had come to Cuba expecting to go to the United States, according to Vice Consul T. M. Fisher, in charge of passports in the American consulate general here.

The sharp decrease in quotas from Asiatic and southern European countries and the change in regulations make it improbable that more than 1 percent of the would-be immigrants can legally get into the United States during the next 12 months and many declare openly that under those conditions they will take almost any chance of being smuggled over to Florida or to any port. A few months in jail and forcible deportation is the only penalty. A few say they will go to South America, but the majority declare they will eventually return to their native lands.

Nearly three-fourths of the men, women and children who gather daily by the thousands and clamor for passport visas to "the States" are Spaniards. The next largest element consists of Italian, Greek, Polish, Turkish, Syrian and Armenian, and a scattering of others.

Many of the immigrants have lived for years in the United States without taking out naturalization papers and on visiting their native lands over-stayed the time limit and now cannot return. Most of the immigrants are persons who were refused American passport visas in their own countries and came to Cuba hoping to get into the United States under the provisions of the former immigration law which allowed free entry to Europeans after five years residence here and permitted a dash across the Florida straits to get in on their respective quotas after a year's residence. The new law contains no such provisions.

NEW TODAY

NOTICE
Due to difficulty experienced in collecting charges for advertising that is listed under "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—Furnished house, 4 rooms, bath, furnace, porch. Phone Main 10. 5-1-21

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment, 1206 N. Ave. Phone 464-R. 5-1-21

FOR RENT—5-room modern furnished house, inquire at 1312 W. avenue. 5-1-21

REWARD—\$10.00 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of party who has my black and white hunting dog in his possession. Mrs. Patty Hutchinson, 1124 Adams Avenue. Phone 282-R. 5-1-21

FOR RENT—August 15th 5-room modern apartment, furnished or unfurnished, 504 O. Inquire 502 O. 5-1-21

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FOR SALE—Cheap, 1923 Ford touring car. Call 965 Lake St. or Phone 151-J. 5-1-21

FOR SALE—Chevrolet chassis in good shape. Will make good bus. Inquire 1312 W. avenue. 5-1-21

FOR SALE—Royal typewriter. Price \$15.00. This typewriter has just been overhauled and is in fine condition. It is just the thing for someone that is taking typewriting. Call 150 W or Inquire of Observer. 5-1-21

FOR SALE—A Jefferson motor-bike model bicycle. Has a two-cylinder electric light and carrier basket. Also one tire is new and has new chain and pedals. Price \$18.00. Call 150 W or Inquire of Observer. 5-1-21

FOR SALE—1923 model Ford. In excellent condition. Has been run 2500 miles. Is 19 months old. This is a good buy for the money. Call 150 W or Inquire at Observer or 2702 N. Birch St. 5-1-21

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FOR RENT—Two 1-room houses furnished to order. Three rooms with bath. J. L. Mars. 5-1-21

Fans, Do You Remember Him?



As an acetylene welder, Eddie Foster is now battling over 400 in his own business league in Washington. Eddie is a former major league star who played with Washington, Boston and St. Louis. In his day he was rated as one of the best slug-hitters in baseball.

A few immigrants peddle small articles in the streets or work for a few dollars a week for residents of their own nationality, and a Jewish aid society extends what help it can to persons of that faith, but, according to Mr. Fisher, "literally thousands are being supported by relatives in the United States or are living on their savings."

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Accountants Ask Foreigners To Attend St. Louis Meetings

NEW YORK (AP).—Members of the American Institute of Accountants will hold their annual meeting this year at St. Louis, September 12-15.

The foreign societies invited include the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, the Society of Incorporated Accountants and Auditors in England, the Dominion Association of Chartered Accountants and Auditors in Canada, the Society of Accountants in Edinburgh, Scotland, the Institute of Accountants and Actuaries in Glasgow, Scotland; the Society of Accountants in Aberdeen, Scotland; the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ireland.

The program will be devoted to a discussion of accounting topics and subjects of public interest in which accountants have a part. The Institute is the body which sets up and maintains professional standards. Thirty-four states have adopted its examinations as the test for applicants for the designation "certified public accountant."

Roundup Film Promised.

PENDLETON Ore.—The Pendleton Round-up, for many years heralded on the motion picture screen, will be the background of a special picture this year which will be built around the show by the Universal Picture corporation. The contract, permitting the motion picture company to be on the grounds during the show, was signed today by officials of the Round-up and the corporation.

Hoot Gibson, who, with his director and scenario writer, has been here for several days making the arrangements, will be starred in the film. The company of 40 people will arrive here from California about August 12.

4 GRANGES HOLD PICNIC

BEND, Ore.—The annual Crook county grange picnic was held in the Radium area on the old Shanks-Francis stage road, 10 miles north of Prineville, with the four grange organizations of that county, assembling for the festivities.

George W. Wells, master of the Powell Grange, was master of ceremonies. The program began at noon, consisting of musical numbers, readings and recitations and concluding with a talk by George A. Palmer of Hood River, master of the state grange.

rupted Mr. Marshall several times to ask him to point out specifically how some of the decisions he was reading affected the present proceedings.

At the very outset of the day's proceedings Judge Caverly told the prosecution that among all the cases cited Wednesday he had found none applicable to conditions which faced him.

Darrow Clashes With Crows

Mr. Darrow found several opportunities to inject side remarks disparaging the competency of the state's argument. "Twice, too, he cited instances from Mr. Crows' previous activities which he said showed that the state's attorney while a judge, admitted evidence as to mentality in mitigation of punishment. In one of these cases Mr. Crows pointed out, the defendant had been hanged."

"Yes, but you sentenced him," retorted Mr. Darrow.

Again, in a formal address to the court Thursday afternoon, Mr. Darrow pointed out that Mr. Crows was chairman of a committee which backed a bill in the Illinois legislature designed to provide incarceration for prisoners of defective will, intelligence or emotions.

"I have never seen the same enthusiasm for the death penalty that has appeared in this case," Mr. Darrow said in his argument.

He declared the prosecution had halted at nothing to gain its end and added: "That end is death."

Mr. Darrow's voice, ranged in the quiet tone of a heart to heart talk to ringing vibrations that were heard in the corridors. At times he hooked his thumbs inside his suspenders. Again he shook an admonitory finger before Judge Caverly, used that finger to wave aside and erase from the court's mind the state's contentions.

Leopold and Loeb leaned forward to catch every word of their chief defender. Each flushed when Mr. Darrow reached the height of his eloquence, but when the argument turned to its strictly legal aspects they seemed to be soothed as though it were being delivered by a university lecturer.

Ohms Hearing Started.

SALEM, Ore.—Hearing of the suit filed by Josephine Ohms of Portland and others to compel the secretary of state to refer to the county clerks for certification approximately 4000 names contained in petitions looking to abolishment of the public service commission was started before Judge Bingham in circuit court here.

The secretary of state previously had rejected the petitions seeking to place this measure on the ballot for the November election for the reason that the required number of certified signatures was not filed in his department.

PUNISHMENT MITIGATION IS SOUGHT

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and a half of court procedure the prosecutor had maintained that evidence of alibi, offered by the defense as to the degree of mental responsibility of the youth, was not sufficient to warrant mitigation of punishment. Incompetent, prevalent and immaterial after a plea of guilty had been entered.

Argument of Defense

"We seek not mitigation of the crime, but only mitigation of the punishment, because of alleged condition of the mind," "constant in character but not amounting to legal insanity," was the argument of the defense.

"If a showing of mental abnormality, a showing of insanity, the existence of which must be determined by a jury, it can be brought in here only if the defendants withdraw their plea of guilty and rely upon insanity as a defense of the crime itself," responded the state.

Throughout the four sessions of the court the question was debated by the attorneys. Occasionally three or four of them would be on their feet talking at the same time, but for the most part Mr. Marshall held the floor, for the state and Mr. Darrow and Walter Buchrach for the defense.

Hundreds of citations given in this country and England, some of them a century old were offered, but Mr. Marshall and Mr. Buchrach had not finished his analysis and exposition of them when court adjourned for the day.

Friday will see a renewal of the legal engagement, but it was predicted Judge Caverly would rule after an hour or two of argument.

The court, who is holding in reserve a decision against the state which he gave Wednesday, inter-

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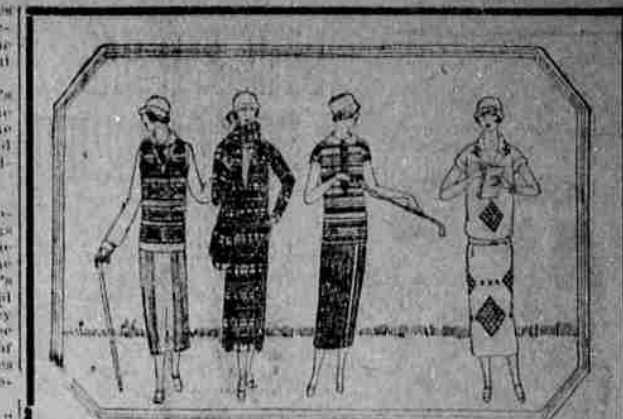
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