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THE WEATHER Portland (AP) — Oregon: cloudy tonight and Sunday with probable light rains near the coast.

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Hunt's Daily Letter

(By Harry B. Hunt) WASHINGTON (NEA Special) — "Uncle Joe" Fordney, co-author of Uncle Sam's last tariff bill, has been "born again."

HUGHES RESIGNS; KELLOGG NAMED

WASHINGTON (By Associated Press). — Charles Evans Hughes has resigned as secretary of state and will be succeeded by Frank B. Kellogg, of Minnesota, now ambassador to Great Britain.

4 HOLDUP MEN TAKEN BY POLICE

Six armed men visited the rooming house of Jimmy Woo, Chinese, on Fourth street, last evening about ten o'clock and proceeded to rob the establishment of about \$500 in cash and a number of articles of jewelry.

May Appoint Lady Judge In California

WASHINGTON (By Associated Press). — The appointment of Mrs. Walker Willebrandt, now assistant attorney general of the United States, to a vacancy in the federal court for northern California is understood to be under consideration by President Coolidge.

COUNTY COURT SESSION ENDS

After a three day session, the Union county court, consisting of Judge U. G. Couch, of La Grande, John Wells, of Alsea, and W. W. Stevens, of Union, adjourned yesterday after handling a great deal of routine business.

BASEBALL'S BRIBE CASE IS REVIEWED

WASHINGTON (By Associated Press). — The official records of Baseball Commissioner Landis' investigation of the New York Giants' bribery scandal of 1924, made public today, disclosed nothing involving any baseball officials.

STENOGRAPHER'S RECORDS PUBLIC

CHICAGO (By Associated Press). — The stenographic records of Landis' investigation of the players named as alleged participants in the attempt to "throw the game" revealed that the commissioner found no evidence against anyone except Cozy Dolan, Giant coach, and Jimmy O'Connell, Giant outfielder.

IRVING VINING TO BE GUEST OF COMMERCE CLUB

WASHINGTON (By Associated Press). — Investigation of the conditions in the Honolulu customs office has resulted in the conviction of one customs agent named Billings, and the indictment of four others.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RIGBY FAILS TO OPEN

POCAHELLO, Ida. (AP) — The First National bank of Rigby failed to open its doors Friday morning, according to a special dispatch to the Pocatello Tribune and after a meeting of board of directors the institution was turned over to a national bank examiner.

Millinery, Dressmaking Classes Attract Many

The new classes in dressmaking and millinery, to be started here Monday and Tuesday by Marie Thompson, Eastern Oregon head of the vocational class work, are attracting much interest and a large number of ladies are expected to attend both.

Major Thornton Mills, pastor of New England Congregational church, Chicago, is defying efforts of his church council to remove him from his pulpit.

All On Board Were Removed Safely



Two hundred and seven passengers and the crew of 80 were removed from the liner Mohawk, after she caught fire in Delaware Bay, 12 hours out of New York. The boat was bound for Jacksonville, Fla.

COOLIDGE TO NAME WARREN

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press). — There were increasing indications today that Charles P. Warren, of Michigan, would be President Coolidge's choice for attorney general.

OFFICE HEAD IS CONVICTED

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HOLMES READY TO QUIT POST

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press). — Another vacancy on the bench of the supreme court in the near future was indicated in unconfirmed but undoubted reports that Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes was preparing to resign.

SCHOONER REPORTED LOST REACHES TAMPAIC SAFELY

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — The four-masted schooner Deering, reported Thursday to have been lost with all hands in a storm off the Mexican coast on December 27, arrived safely at Tampico, January 6, according to word received in shipping circles here Friday night.

Program from WOAW Heard in La Grande

W. H. Perry received first prize among the local people for being the first to send a telegram back to radio station WOAW that he had received the first program given from the new Union Pacific Broadcasting Station at Omaha, Nebraska.

10,000 SHEEP IN COUNTY BEND, Ore. — Approximately 40,000 sheep, mostly ewes and feeder lambs, are being fattened and wintered on hay grown in the Deschutes county, according to W. T. McDonald, county agriculturalist.

Cold Wave In Caucasus Is Fatal to 100

TIFLIS, Ga. (By the Associated Press). — One hundred persons and a thousand cattle have frozen to death during unprecedented cold weather now prevailing throughout the Caucasus district.

WILD ANIMAL CENSUS TAKEN

WALLOWA, Ore. (Special to the Observer). — According to a forest service census recently taken on wild animals in the Wallowa National forest 412 elk are now living in this district, mostly in the Billy Meadows and Bear creek regions.

EXPRESS ZONE IS INCREASED

Just as a reminder that La Grande is growing, the American Express company, beginning with the first of the year, enlarged the zone within which it will deliver packages from its office to include about all of the paved streets of the city.

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MARKETS TODAY

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Live-stock nominally steady. Eggs firm to one cent higher. Butter 49c. Butterfat steady.

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TOM LEM IS DEAD; SLAIN BY TONGMEN

Chinaman, Who Was Sent to Pen for Tong Killing, Succumbs. SALEM WARDEN GIVEN REPORT Chicago Tong Enemies Murdered Lem After He Had Been Released from Penitentiary.

SALEM WARDEN GIVEN REPORT

SALEM, Ore. (By the Associated Press). — Tom Lem, alias Ching Lem and Chin Lim, pardoned from a life term at the penitentiary here in December, 1922, is dead, a tong victim in Chicago, according to a letter received by Warden Dalrymple from the Chicago police.

ECLIPSE WILL BE RECORDED

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press). — When the moon edges its way into position a position between the sun and the earth for a few minutes January 24th, radio operators, laboratory specialists and radio-casters working with the bureau of standards will be taking top speed records of the phenomena which affects other waves.

NORTH WOODS TRAPPER FACES MINOR CHARGE

BAUDETTE, Minn. (AP) — Tony Reamer, north woods trapper, charged with slaying Mrs. Elsie Wheeler, in the northwest angle, was bound over to the grand jury of Lake of the Woods county at the conclusion of his preliminary hearing Friday. Bond was fixed at \$15,000 and he was remanded to jail at Baudette.

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F. KERR HEADS UNION HOTEL

UNION, Ore. — F. N. Kerr, formerly of the Dewey Palace, Nampa, Idaho, has taken charge as manager of the Union Hotel. Mr. Kerr comes highly recommended, states a local newspaper. He is now busy looking after the pipes that were frozen in the building during the severe cold weather. He has a full force of plumbers now working and repairing the broken water pipes and the work will be completed this week.

Powell to Speak to Men's Forum Sunday

An special invitation to fathers of La Grande is extended by the Men's Forum of the Methodist Church, to an address to be given before the Forum next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Powell is the speaker and comes before the Forum with a long and remarkable experience in boys' work which will be his subject. Reverend Powell spoke before the recent Fathers and Sons' banquet, and officers of the Forum and members of it, are exerting themselves in impressing upon the fatherhood of this city to be present Sunday. Dismissal occurs in time to allow visitors to reach their own churches in time for the morning services.

Wallowa, Union Install New Municipal Heads

WALLOWA, Ore. (Special to the Observer). — A new City Council assumed office here recently, states a local newspaper. The business of swearing in the officials was taken up after the old Council had wound up the year's business. The new names on the roster are: C. A. McClaran and L. P. Allen, Councilmen, South Ward and Henry Spence, Recorder, C. A. Hunter, changing from South Ward councilman to Councilman-at-large, Mayor Edwin Marvin, Councilman of the North Ward.

VETERANS' SONS NAME OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR

At the last meeting of the Sons of Veterans officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Commander, Ed. J. Brown; Sergeant, vice commander, Geo. W. Wilson; Junior vice commander, Chas. Woagel; Camp council, Perl Stiles, William Coalwell and Ralph Huron; Patriotic instructor, Eugene Ashwell; Chaplain, James V. Solder; Secretary, Treasurer, August P. Nelson; Guide, G. H. McLaughlin; color bearer, Bruce Dennis and Guard, L. A. Stoop.

Clark Goes to Portland

N. K. ("Patsy") Clark, who has been manager of the big Union Hotel for many months, leaves very soon for Portland, where he expects to remain for the winter at least. Since he has been in charge of affairs at the Union Hotel, Mr. Clark has made many friends here about and among the travel in general through this part of the country, who will be sorry that he has closed his engagement at Union. Wherever Mr. Clark may go, he may rest assured that many friends in this part of the State will wish him "good luck" in abundance.

In Limelight



Major Thornton Mills, pastor of New England Congregational church, Chicago, is defying efforts of his church council to remove him from his pulpit. He incurred the council's displeasure by his alleged "radicalism." He made soap-box orators and other liberals just as welcome as those communists who were paying pew rent, it is charged.

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