

Local News in Brief

COMING EVENTS

March 5, 6, 7—District high school basketball tournament at Union.

Back from Trip

Floyd McKennon arrived in La Grande this morning from Portland where he was called on business.

To Sell Apples

Hilbert Anderson is now on route to Texas with two carloads of Grande Ronde valley apples which will be disposed of in the low star state.

Evangelical Meetings

O. W. Jones, pastor of the Christian church, has occupied the pulpit at Wallawa during the past week during an evangelistic campaign. According to reports, the meetings are very well attended.

Check Artist Taken

Joe M. Law, check artist for whom the police have been searching for some time was taken into custody, by Jess Freshers, county sheriff recently. He was extradited to Kearney, Nebraska, by Frank H. Tracey, sheriff of that city.

Salvation Army Services

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., Holiness; 8 p. m., Salvation; 9:30 p. m., People's meeting. The eight o'clock service will also be held Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights; Evoy J. T. McKay, from Portland, has charge of the Salvation Army work at La Grande. Adjutant and Mrs. Peterson have been transferred to California, hoping Mrs. Peterson will regain her health.

A Few Good Seats Remain

There are a few good seats left for "Blossom Time," which will be presented at the Arcade Theatre Monday evening. This show has just finished a three day run at Spokane, Washington, where they had a sold out house every night. The company will arrive in La Grande here Sunday evening and be ready for their performance Monday evening. Messrs. Shubert's "Blossom Time" is of much interest to the theater-going public.

Return from East

Mr. and Mrs. John Speckhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knautz and daughter, Lillian, have returned to their homes here after spending the past two months in the east. Mr. and Mrs. Speckhart spent most of that time visiting at Quincy, Ill., with relatives, and Mr. and Mrs. Knautz visited at Chicago for some time. They report an excellent trip.

Wells Given Post

At the annual convention of county judges and commissioners held in Portland, association committee appointments included: Road legislation committee—Irwin A. Taft, commissioner, Multnomah county; Victor Durack, commissioner, Jackson county; John Wells, Philip, Columbia county; Allison Fletcher, commissioner, Hood River county.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Claude Kennie and Mrs. Hogan of Enterprise, are guests of Mrs. Emma M. Fowler.

Mrs. W. G. Robertson of Telocast, et, was in La Grande this morning on a shopping trip.

Raymond, Grey of the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company left for Baker this morning.

Miss Wilma Gasfill left on the branch train this morning to visit her home near Imbler over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hutchinson of La Grande were in Telocast today attending to some property interests.

Mrs. Jess Hammonk and children of Hermas, Idaho, will visit in Joseph for a few days. They were in La Grande this morning between trains on their way to Joseph.

Miss May Nell of La Grande, who has been in Portland since last

year, returned to La Grande this morning, and expects to resume teaching next semester.

Mrs. Adolph Nowlin, who has been visiting for some time with her daughter, Mary, in Victoria, B. C., returned to La Grande this morning.

William Bled of Baker is in La Grande for the day. He is registered at the Sommer hotel.

Mrs. E. R. Whallon, Mrs. H. L. Taylor and Mrs. H. D. Robinson, La Grande ladies left on the branch train this morning to visit in Maxville.

Miss Mildred Lovett spent the day in Baker. Miss Lovett is taking instruction on the piano in Baker.

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WHALE, TRAPPED IN NETS, WRECKED THEM, DEPARTS

CHITKANAW, Alaska (AP)—A whale, blowing a school of herring into a lagoon during high tide at Kachemak Bay, Sedolva, found himself trapped and, before he followed a gullion back three weeks later and the lagoon toward the north Pacific ocean, damaged more than \$5000 worth of fishing nets being wound by hundreds of bullets. Fish commissioner William B. Stoddard commented on his return here. The lagoon, noted as one of the finest herring banks on Cook Inlet, lying crowded with fisherman during the season, is four miles long and two miles wide. It is connected to Kachemak Bay by a narrow, shallow channel. Twelve nets were destroyed the first day the whale made his appearance. Fishermen, aided by Commissioner Stoddard, trained every shotgun in camp on the whale as he sped from one end of the lagoon to the other without finding an exit. Hundreds of nets were ruined before he followed a small boat through the channel.

FARM BUREAU IS ACTIVE

PENDELTON, Ore.—Work along many lines was done during the last year by the Umatilla farm bureau, according to reports made at the annual meeting of the body. A cooperative purchase agency organized by members purchased \$75,000 worth of goods and effected a saving of \$12,000 to members. Construction of a new warehouse has been started. Marked reductions in the numbers of cases affected by contagious abortion and tuberculosis have been effected under the plans of the organization. Boys and girls club work is a feature of farm bureau activity that has been pushed energetically. Pig, calf and chicken clubs had big memberships and the members made profits on their work. The report of leaders showed

SCHOOL BOY HURTS WRIST

UNION, (Special)—Elder Wagner of Boise, who has been in Union holding meetings at the Adventist church for several days held a baptismal service at Cove the last of the week, at which time nine converts were baptized. A number of Union people were present at the service.

Onjala Richards, a sophomore in the local high school met with a very painful accident Wednesday afternoon while working in the manual training department. A chisel which he was using slipped and gouged into his wrist, mistaking the large artery, but striking the bone and cutting it slightly.

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after bath, bringing their wounded to ease their pains in the mineral water. It is from Washington Irving, graphic description of that first white expedition to the west, that we learn of Hot Lake as it was in the 19th century.

The covered wagons came. After the weary, disheartening miles of plain and sagebrush the springs were an oasis and here the travelers were wont to stop, pitch camp and rest. The first trails back to the Idaho gold camps led over the same route and with the increase in prospectors and freighters the mineral springs grew more popular. It was natural that the railroad should follow the path marked by man and that when it was built it should run within a few rods of what is now the Hot Lake sanatorium.

Many Subjects Before Editorial Convention

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Obituary BAKER, PIONEER DEAD

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