

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

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

Will Play—

The La Grande Athletic club and the Orange and Black basketball teams will play this evening in the gymnasium of the athletic club in the Oddfellows' building.

Visiting Schools—

L. G. Avery, county agent, and E. A. Zayre, county school superintendent are making a tour of the county schools today in the interest of boys' and girls' club work.

Here Yesterday—

Robert Withycombe, manager of the state experimental farm at Union was in La Grande yesterday on a business trip.

After Potato Seed—

J. B. Weaver and Fred Katz of Union, were in this city yesterday. Mr. Weaver was here to get his allotment of the certified seed potato recently shipped in by the La Grande National bank.

On Business—

William M. Griffin of Baker was here yesterday on land office business.

Will Visit—

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Veal and Mrs. Veal's mother, Mrs. Klegg, will leave this evening to visit in Kelso, Washington.

Special Meeting—

A special meeting will be held at the Salvation Army hall tonight, beginning at eight o'clock, conducted by Ensign and Mrs. J. F. Purdy, former La Grande officers. Ensign Purdy is home service secretary for Oregon and is in La Grande on official business.

Speeders Arrested—

C. J. Peterson was fined \$15 and costs in the justice court on the charge of speeding. He was arrested by County Traffic Officer Holtbrook. Two cases of speeding are pending in the municipal court, according to Officer Dunn, who arrested J. P. Cruden and A. Pieher.

Carried Concealed Weapons—

Ben Belton, colored, who hails from Maxville, was arrested last night by the police for carrying a concealed weapon. He furnished \$50 bonds.

Baths Now Open—

The Elks steam baths which have been closed for several years have recently been re-opened and are now available to all members of the organization according to an announcement by Keller Brantner this morning. Besides the regular steam baths, hot and cold showers are an extra accommodation.

Local Rooks Win—

An article in the O. A. C. Barometer of recent date contains an amusing story about the exploits of the boys in the Sigma Nu fraternity house which lists many local boys as members. It seems that the rooks in the house and the upperclassmen had a wager on the ones making the highest grades and the rooks won with an average of 86.5, thus compelling the upperclassmen to pay their bet with a dinner. Lawton Stearns and Raymond Payton of La Grande were members of the winning side.

Personal Mention

J. E. Purdy, travelling auditor for the Union Pacific, was in La Grande yesterday on business. He registered at the Foley hotel.

J. C. Soule, Baker public auditor, who handles many accounts here in La Grande, was registered at the Foley hotel yesterday.

LINCOLN IS HONORED BY LA GRANDE

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public schools of La Grande observe the day in similar manner

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MISS KENNEDY HURT BY FALL

MEDICAL SPRINGS (Special)—Miss Lillie Kennedy met with quite a painful accident Friday morning when the horse she was riding to school fell on the ice with her, injuring her left leg quite severely.

Mrs. V. Hogg and Miss Iris Stone were overnight guests of Mrs. J. P. Kennedy recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Whitten entertained at dinner recently for Mr. and Mrs. Le Wilson.

The Medical Springs school children will celebrate St. Valentine's day with a valentine box. The teachers have planned a masquerade dance for the evening.

Miss Iris Stone spent the week end at Baker with her father.

Mrs. Wm. Duncan was reported on the sick list this week.

C. O. Bloom left Sunday afternoon for the Powder River section where he will count cattle.

NEW ANTISEPTIC CLAIMED TO HELP KIDNEY TROUBLE

BAITIMORE (AP)—The discovery of a new antiseptic, used recently in Johns Hopkins hospital here to clear up long standing infection of the kidneys and urinary tract, was elaborated upon at the Johns Hopkins school of hygiene and public health Tuesday, following a preliminary announcement of the discovery by a medical journal.

The new antiseptic, named hexyresorcinol, is said to be 50 times as strong as carbolic acid in its power to kill disease germs and yet so harmless to man that it can be swallowed without injury.

Dr. Veddar Leonard, chairman of the clinical committee on internal medicine of the National Research Council who developed the germicide in the Hopkins laboratories, said that he and his associates had spent 10 years in search to perfect it.

He first fed the antiseptic to rabbits, Doctor Leonard said. When the animals showed no ill effects, he swallowed some of it himself and was not harmed. Assured of its harmlessness, he and six men who were working with him began to take daily doses of increasing size to study its effects on the body.

It was then that the antiseptic was applied for the first time by Doctor Leonard to the actual treatment of disease. In some cases, infections of the kidneys which had been of long standing were cleared up in 48 hours, according to the records. The cures appeared to be permanent, he said, and the patients showed no signs of having been harmed in any way.

Doctor Leonard said that a committee of 15 has been appointed by the National Research council to work with him in further researches to determine how broad may be the application of hexyresorcinol to disease in general.

FARM CLIMB DURING YEAR WAS GREAT

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predicted the federal cooperative marketing board proposed in the bill would prove of substantial aid to the farmer in marketing his crops provided the "proper type of men made up its original membership."

The Hagen measure would amend the Capper-Volstead act to permit cooperative associations to organize and operate both terminal marketing and clearing house organizations without conflict with anti-trust laws so long as the membership was made up exclusively of producers.

At the senate meeting Mr. Jardine took up an analysis of the conference recommendations, emphasizing especially those dealing with "orderly marketing."

Chairman Norris, insisting that an "emergency program" was needed, declared the conference brought a new program "to congress in the last days of the session and the White House announces there is ample time for us to act" and asked if "that was just an effort to pass the buck."

"There certainly was no intention to embarrass congress," Mr. Jardine replied.

The advance of agriculture toward a closer balance with other industries was attributed by the reserve board chiefly to the readjustment of the general price level and the existence of larger marketable farm crops.

The growth and general activity of business which began in the late summer of 1924, it said, had continued without cessation, and this has served to maintain the high level of prices reached by farm products, which exceeded much more than the prices of other commodities in the slump of last summer.

Railro to Amuse Lawmakers. VIENNA (AP)—The onerous duties of caring for the country's west as member of parliament will be greatly lightened for Austrian lawmakers through the installation of railro in the House of Parliament. The service is to be powerful enough to permit of listening in on London, Berlin, Rome, and even New York.

It is predicted that attendance at sessions of parliament will improve greatly, but that the radio room will be much more crowded than the chamber.

Things change. And deciding what is right or wrong is like writing the time of day on a piece of paper so you will always have it.

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Hunt's Letter (Continued from Page 1)

"I'm home a round trip ticket."

"Where to? Where to?" demanded the ticket seller.

"Why, back here of course," blurted "foot."

The ticket man really wanted, they insist, was one that would bring him right back where he started from. And that's what he got.

Alex P. Moore of Pittsburg and Madrid, American ambassador to Spain, is the first of our major "diplomats" to arrive in Washington to attend the Coolidge inauguration, March 4.

"The most severe punishment dealt out by Spanish justice," Moore says, "is to be sentenced to jail over Sunday. That means the prisoner will miss the week's ball fight."

BOY, HURT, STEALS AUTO ASTORIA, Ore.—City and county authorities are searching for the young man who stole a coupe from Dr. Charles V. Prohn, local dentist, and later drove the automobile into the edge of Cullaby lake, south of Canarian station on the seaside highway.

The youth, covered with blood, entered the home of Fred Hurlbert near the scene of the accident. Hurlbert put him in a machine and drove him to Warrington for medical aid. While Hurlbert was trying to rouse the physician, the youth, although bleeding badly, managed to crawl into the driver's seat and drove away.

The Hurlbert automobile, covered with a mass of blood, was found in the front and rear seats was found near Fourth and Franklin streets in this city shortly before noon but no trace of the wounded youth has been obtained.

The reason dances break up when they do is because by that time the men all need a shave again.

TIFFIN OPEN FOR BUSINESS

One of the most attractive eating places in this part of the state makes its bow to the La Grande public this evening when The Tiffin, equipped with full restaurant and confectionery facilities, is to be opened in the former location of the Palace Confectionery across from the Foley Hotel.

The former proprietors of the Palace have reorganized and will own and operate The Tiffin. The interior of the building has been completely remodeled in order to provide restaurant service and it has been re-decorated in a most attractive way. A large arch has been cut through the former back wall of the room, permitting the addition of another room to be devoted exclusively to restaurant service.

The kitchens are richly equipped and the new room which accommodates a number of tables and which will be available for special parties, afternoon social entertainments, etc., as well as regular requirements.

Booths with thick leather cushions on the seats are provided along the wall of the larger room and larger tables are in the center. Chairs are covered with pretty topline in keeping with the attractive color scheme of the room.

Grey tones with rose tints in the wall panels provide the general color scheme in the decoration. Narrow gold and blue striping is an effective trimming. New lighting arrangements add to the general pleasing effect.

The Tiffin, as announced by its managers, will serve cafeteria luncheons and then will give table service at the evening dinner and other hours, the cafeteria equipment being movable. The confectionery service will be continued as formerly.

Walk, dispense and arrangements in The Tiffin are the work of Billy Galtier and the painting has been done by Charles Catching.

A general invitation to the public to see the new place has been issued for the opening beginning at seven tonight.

MYSTERY OF DEATH STILL ENTANGLED

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reply to the query was ever received here.

Brady's clothes were thoroughly examined by a number of people, including Warren Gilbert, local clothing merchant; Lloyd Scriber of the Standard Laundry, Dr. Itatston, coroner, and others and no clues leading to the man's identity or where the articles were bought were discovered.

Various theories on how the man met his death were run down one by one following the meager information the police were able to get and none proved feasible.

Autopsy Reveals Little. An autopsy performed on the body failed to reveal any marks of violence. The contents of the stomach are now in the hands of the state chemist and will be reported on within a few days but it is doubtful whether this examination will reveal anything of importance.

The coroner's jury decided that O. Brady died from death from unknown causes and turned the matter over to the district attorney and the county sheriff.

A railroad man wrote a letter to the local police which was received here yesterday. In this letter it was stated that the sender of the letter had heard a radio broadcast from Denver some

time ago describing a missing man whose description tallied closely with that of the body here. A wire was dispatched to Denver yesterday and a reply was received from the Denver police saying that no such man was known there.

The authorities are now waiting word from Toronto before taking further action.

Pineapples Find Favor

HONOLULU (AP)—Records of production in both quality and quantity were established by the pineapple industry of Hawaii during 1924, according to the annual report of the Association of Hawaiian Pineapple Canners, which showed a total production of 6,825,904 cases.

This yield exceeded by 538,922 cases the output of 1923, the previous high record year, and was 226,157 cases more than the 1922 production.

The end frequently justifies the means, but with bootleg booze the means may justify the end.

"Kaintuck" Reformed by Lincoln Statue's Face

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expected, but Smith didn't care. Ten days in the stock-holes and then Southampton. With money in his pocket and adventure in his heart he set forth, with his stoker mates.

These mates had nicknamed him "Kaintuck." And "Kaintuck," who had been reared in a bone-dry county, visited liquor emporiums and, for the first time in his life, tasted beer and "this here Scotch."

Sure, it had its effect and it's no wonder that a short time later he was on a train with his mates, bound for London.

More visits to liquor places—and then "Kaintuck" lost his friends in a fog.

The wee hours found "Kaintuck" leaning up against a fence. Inside the fence stood a statue. "Kaintuck" glanced up at it. Then he started—and blinked.

"Ole Abe Lincoln!" "Kaintuck's" thoughts went in to a whirl. A trip across the Atlantic? In London town? Maybe a dream.

A London Bobbie came along. "What's that building?" asked "Kaintuck."

"That's where Parliament meets" came the reply. "And what city is this?" "London."

"Mind if I look at that statue some more?" "Help yourself, Yank."

Yank! That cop didn't know

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