

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

District high school basketball tournament at Union, March 5, 6, 7.
 Wallawa-Union County Basketball Tournament, here, February 27-28.
 Annual Chamber of Commerce banquet, March 3.
 H. S. Senior play, March 20-21.
 Union County Agricultural Economic Conference, Elgin, March 12; Union, March 13; La Grande, March 14.

Motored to Baker—
 Herman Skala and Mat Kurro motored to Baker yesterday on a business and pleasure trip.

Shopping Here—
 Mrs. J. L. Maxwell and Mrs. Ed Hook of Wallawa, were shopping in La Grande Thursday.

Going to Huntington—
 Mrs. Oscar Olson left this morning on No. 24 to spend the day at Huntington visiting friends and relatives.

Left for Baker—
 Mrs. E. Larkin and son, Dick, left this morning on No. 24 to spend the day visiting at Baker.

At Pendleton Today—
 R. H. Baldeck, of the state highway commission, went to Pendleton this morning on an inspection trip.

To Be Married—
 Eldon A. Rush and Edna Teter, residents of Elgin, received a marriage license from the county clerk yesterday.

Fined—
 E. H. Ford was fined \$10 and costs for speeding by Hugh Brady, justice of peace, H. N. Falk paid \$15 for a similar offense.

Here On Business—
 Harry Weimer and Jonas Weimer, owners of the Weimer Garage and truck line of Coxe were in La Grande yesterday on business.

Leave This Evening—
 E. R. Ringo will leave this evening for San Francisco, California, where he will spend a week on legal business.

Going to Wallawa—
 Louis Pergantian, of Portland, passed through La Grande this morning going to Wallawa, where he will wrestle this evening with Jim Noregard.

Left for Lostine—
 Mrs. H. A. Fox and son, Glenn, left this morning on the branch line train to spend the week-end visiting relatives at Lostine.

Returned Home—
 Mrs. T. H. Rutter and Victor Cronin left this morning for their home at Enterprise, after spending several days here, where Mrs. Rutter came for medical aid.

Visiting Here—
 Mrs. Rowena Dobbin, of Union, arrived in La Grande last evening. She will spend several days here visiting with Mrs. Clarence Green.

Here from Enterprise—
 Guy Skaggs, of the Kotner and Skaggs Hardware store at Enterprise, was a business visitor to La Grande yesterday.

Here Yesterday—
 Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lyons and son, Dale, were in the city yesterday, where they brought Dale to a physician.

Returned Home—
 After spending the past two weeks visiting at the home of her father, Mrs. Sam Campbell, Mrs. Minnie Johnson left this morning for her home at Baker.

Went to Haines—
 Mrs. A. W. Wall and two children left this morning for Haines, where they will spend the day and return to their home here this evening.

Return to Baker—
 Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nichols of Baker, returned to their home today after spending several days here. Mr. Nichols, who is an attorney of Baker, has been representing H. N. Gamble in the circuit court trial.

Returned from Colorado—
 Elmo H. Dyer returned to La Grande this morning from Grand Junction, Colorado, after an absence of two and a half years. Mr. Dyer was an employee of the railroad company when here.

At Land Office—
 Among the out-of-town people who transacted business at the land office yesterday were: Miss Sadie Steers of Elgin, Oregon, and Miss Lillian M. Littlefield of Minam, Oregon.

Giving Examinations—
 Civil service examinations for general clerical work were taken at the post office this morning by a number who are seeking government positions. The examinations were supervised by C. L. Mackey of the local post department.

Home from East—
 J. F. Raveneroff, whose home is at Enterprise, stopped over in La Grande a short time this morning on a route home after spending three weeks in Kansas City and Chicago. Mr. Raveneroff is sales manager for the East Oregon Lumber company.

In Hospital—
 Henry McGoldrick of Imbler, was operated on at the Grande Ronde hospital a few days ago and is doing nicely at the present time. Mrs. McGoldrick is in La Grande with her husband from their home at Imbler.

Fire Call—
 A fire call was turned in shortly after four o'clock yesterday afternoon from the Mount Emily Timber company. A fire had started in a tar kettle which was being used in treating the roof of one of the buildings. A lot of smoke was made, but no damage was done.

Will Close Polls—
 Polling for the election of 12 chamber of commerce directors for the ensuing year will close at five o'clock this evening. The directors are being elected from a list of 24 members of the chamber of commerce recently nominated for the position.

Motored to Pendleton—
 Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Scranton and daughter, Phyllis, motored to Pendleton yesterday, where they took several members of the girls' basketball team for the game last evening. They will return this evening.

Formed Club—
 The members of the commercial class of the high school have formed a commercial club. One feature of the club is to do work outside of school that will help them in their business course. Several girls of the class are already working in offices in the afternoon after school hours.

Mrs. Barrie Better—
 Word has been received from Mrs. Louise Hughes, who was called to Salt Lake City, Utah, by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Gus Barrie, that Mrs. Barrie is much better.

Booking Talent Here—
 Helen Elizabeth West, who has been here for the past few days booking talent for next winter for the Elison White celebrities and the Wolfson Musical company, left this morning.

Home for Week-End—
 Gustav Barkwell arrived in La Grande this morning from Corvallis to spend the week-end visiting friends and relatives. He is a student at the Oregon Agricultural college.

Going Home—
 Miss M. Alexander left this morning on the branch line train for her home at Elgin, after spending several days in La Grande visiting at the home of Mrs. George McVey.

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ORCHESTRA TO BE HERE SOON

Arrangements have just been completed that will result in the bringing of Walt Allen's Lewis Clark hotel orchestra of Lewiston, Idaho, to La Grande for two special dances at Zuber hall here February 24-25. This orchestra, which has just completed a very successful winter engagement in Lewiston's new million dollar hotel, has for its director and trumpeter, Walt Allen, of national fame as director of the national champion D. O. K. band. Mr. Allen and his brother, Bobby, late of the St. Francis hotel, San Francisco are both singers and entertainers and have a program of up-to-the-minute dance music which promises a real treat for La Grande. Dancing will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to attend. Courteous floor managers and the peppy orchestra insure all a fine evening of dancing, according to announcements.

Markets

MARKET STEADY
 PORTLAND, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—Livestock nominally steady today. Eggs steady. Butter 47c. Butterfat firm.

BOISE EGGS DROP
 BOISE, Ida. (Special)—A new low price for retail fresh eggs was established on the Boise market Friday, when one dealer dropped his price to 28 cents. The market is weak and dealers expect further declines.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET
 PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—Hard white H. S. Baart, February, \$1.88; March, \$1.83; soft white, February, \$1.79; March, \$1.82; western white, February, \$1.78; March, \$1.81; hard winter, February, \$1.78; March, \$1.81; western red, February, \$1.76; March, \$1.79; BHB, hard white, February, no quotations; March, \$2.19.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE
 NEW YORK (AP)—Stocks—Strong; Baldwin highest in five years at 145.
 Bonds—Firm; brisk demand for speculative rails.
 Foreign exchange—Steady; sterling and francs gain.
 Cotton—Easy; southern hedge selling.
 Sugar—Futures firm.
 Coffee—Steady; short covering.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat—Barley steady; favorable crop reports.
 Corn—Lower; large county offerings.
 Cattle—Firm.
 Hogs—Higher; fair shipping demand.

MUSICAL CLUB TO ENTERTAIN
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 Music by "The Colored Orchestra"—Mrs. A. E. Kinnam, Miss Mae Stearns.
 Spanish-California Folk Song—Florence Lynch Miller—"I Know Not If You Love Me."
 Virginia Reel—Arranged by Miss Imogene Russell—Music by "The Colored Orchestra."
 Francis Hopkinson Songs—Mrs. Ray Fuller.
 (a) "My Days Have Been so Wondrous Free."
 (b) "O'er the Hills."
 Patriotic Songs—Led by Edgar Stoddard.
 Plantation Songs—Florin Slapp, Salamander Jones.
 (a) "Dip Me in the Golden Sea."
 (b) "Golden Shippers."
 Music by "The Colored Orchestra."
 Stephen Foster Songs—Neighborly Club Sextette.
 (a) "Old Folks at Home."
 (b) "Nellie Was a Lady."
 Civil War Songs—Chamber of Commerce Quartet.

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Building Permits
 Union county received a permit at the city offices this morning for building a garage. The structure will be used to house the county cars. It is to be built on the courthouse plot of ground. The cost was set at \$500.

Gamble Found Not Guilty of Killing of William Wigglesworth
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 by the state law which provides capital punishment for first degree murder.
 The second decision the judge

presented to the jury was to find the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree but with a recommendation of life imprisonment.
 The jury might also have returned a verdict of second degree murder or of manslaughter. The jury brought in its decision at 11:20 last evening after having been out a little more than five hours.
 Judge Knowles was called and a regular session of court was held for the official dismissal of the prisoner. The members of the jury were each asked in turn whether or not the verdict of not guilty was satisfactory and each replied in the affirmative.

Prof. Spach was the foreman of the jury. Other members of the jury were Eita M. Brasel, John Schmitt, A. L. Berry, John Allen, Al Fuller, John Christensen, D. A. Carbine, J. E. Trippe, Dan Westenskow, George H. Chapman and August Erickson. But one woman was on the jury.

17 BODIES ARE TAKEN FROM MINE
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 town and surrounding communities. A signal to the holding engineer was received within three minutes after the explosion but one of the cages was caught on the bottom by wreckage and miners were forced to climb into the shaft to the bottom and cut away the wreckage before the holding engine could be used. But one cage was being used as a result in the work of bringing the bodies to the surface. A row of waiting ambulances removed the dead to the city.

Heroism Shown.
 Sheer courage and heroism marked the work of the rescuers who braved the deadly fumes of gas and descended time after time into the mine to bring out the dead.

Many were overcome and several were carried from the mine. Organizations of women of Saffell were early on the scene and had established a food station for the relief of rescue workers and others. The Red Cross erected a tent early in the afternoon.

Most authentic reports of the disaster were that the explosion occurred when miners either cut into abandoned workings, or a slight cavern opened off entries in which gas had collected, the miners' lamps setting off the pocket of gas.

Death in all instances was caused by burns or suffocation, according to reports.

COMMERCE BANQUET IS ARRANGED

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 No tickets will be sold at the door.
Tuesday Luncheon.
 "Are you an ex-president of any commercial organization? If you have served in that capacity in La Grande at any time during the last 24 years you will have an opportunity to be the guest of the chamber of commerce at the regular weekly luncheon next Tuesday noon and perhaps tell a few things about the old times.

The La Grande Athletic club, the forerunner of all civic organizations in this vicinity was organized just 24 years ago, February 26, and Earl Reynolds, secretary of the chamber of commerce is inviting all the former presidents of commercial clubs and similar organizations since that time to the banquet next Tuesday.

Some interesting things about the early history of La Grande will be told at this time. Just to give you an idea, Mr. Reynolds has located a man to tell about the opening of the La Grande Athletic club some 29 years ago. F. L. Meyers, cashier of the La Grande National bank was one of the preliminary fighters on the hill!

Frank Doremus Gave U. S. "Standard Time"
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 patent office.

In addition to "standard time," Doremus gave to Uncle Sam the idea of the street-corner letter boxes and himself designed the first of such boxes issued by the postoffice department.

A more recent treasury clerk with an inventive mind was Francis Jenkins, who is just now perfecting a process for transmitting pictures by radio and who is experimenting hopefully with "radio vision."

Jenkins already has transmitted pictures over a considerable distance by radio. His radio vision, which experts of the United States bureau of Standards radio laboratory declare "hold much promise," may enable us in the future to witness any given scene or performance just as today we listen in our home to radioed sounds.

Jenkins came to the treasury department as a clerk, from Hicoum, Ind. He decided his inventive bent

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should either make or break him, and resigning his job, set seriously to work as a professional inventor.

Probably his most successful invention, financially, was the device by which he took the "flicker" out of moving pictures. That not only brought big royalties to him, but many millions of dollars in increased business to the movies.

Visitors to the Coolidge inaugural will save many thousands of dollars in the cost of reserved seats for the inaugural parade. For this they may thank "Coolidge economy."

They'll save the money because there will be no seats. And there'll be no seats because there'll be very little parade.

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