

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

Union Live Stock Show at Union, June 10-11-12.
 Union County Track and Field Meet at Union May 2.
 Eastern Oregon Track and Field Meet at La Grande May 9.

Ill—
 A. E. Blood is confined to his home because of illness.

Visiting at Hot Lakes—
 Mrs. Guy Lyons went to Hot Lakes this morning on No. 24 to visit her daughter, Miss Edna Lyons, who is in the hospital there.

Here from Weiser—
 Miss Gertrude Stringer was in La Grande this morning from Weiser, Idaho. Miss Stringer came to the city to have some dental work done.

Left for Elgin—
 Mrs. Charles Welch, accompanied by her daughter, Alpha Welch, and son Oscar, and Miss Gertrude Wheeler, left this morning on the branch line train for Elgin to spend the week-end visiting.

Speaker Caught—
 Officer C. P. Hollbrook nabbed E. H. Boulton, of Boise, Idaho, yesterday near North Powder for speeding. Boulton was taken before Justice E. J. Semerbox and furnished \$15 bail.

Went to Enterprise—
 Mr. and Mrs. John Hadmore and son, John, Jr., were aboard the branch line train this morning en route to Enterprise, where they will visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Hadmore formerly lived at Enterprise. Their home is now at Provo, Utah.

Returned This Morning—
 Mrs. Gilbert Hunter and Mrs. W. R. Jones returned to La Grande this morning from Portland, after spending several days there. They accompanied the body of the late W. R. Jones to that city, where he was interred in the Mortem at that place.

School Superintendents Here—
 William Rutherford, school superintendent from Dayton, Wash., L. W. Turnbull, superintendent of schools at Tillamook, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Creder, of White Salmon, Wash., are among those here today for the conference of school superintendents and principals. They are also calling on members of the school board in regard to their applications for the office of superintendent of La Grande schools.

Visiting at Hot Lakes—
 Mrs. H. C. Grady left La Grande last evening en route to Portland, where she will spend several days visiting her son and daughter.

Left Last Evening—
 After spending several days in La Grande in the interest of the Tractor department of the Ford Motor company at Portland, Dick Crane returned to Portland last evening.

Here from Baker—
 Frank Flynn and James Jackson of Baker, were visitors to La Grande Thursday evening. They attended the meeting of the R. P. O. Elks lodge here Thursday evening, when a large class was initiated into the order.

Left for Portland—
 Mrs. Nathan Grey, of Lower Cove, was a visitor to La Grande yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hug were visiting in La Grande yesterday from Elgin.

Lee Golding was in La Grande yesterday on business from Elgin.

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Returned to Nampa—
 John Abbott, of Nampa, Idaho, will leave Union today en route to his home after spending several days at Union. He accompanied by Mrs. J. E. McKinney, motored to La Grande yesterday and spent the day with friends. Mr. Abbott formerly made his home in La Grande.

Speaking of Baseball—
 "Regardless of what else we have over our way India has the best high school baseball team in western Oregon," remarked W. R. Led, factor of Indier when on a business trip to La Grande this morning. The Indier business men back up the activities of the high school in all its undertakings and are particularly proud of the record the ball team made last season.

Moves to Salt Lake City—
 Mr. and Mrs. David I. Stoddard and family, who have been residents of La Grande for many years, left today by car for Salt Lake City, where they will in the future make their home. Mr. Stoddard, who was formerly city commissioner of La Grande, announced that they expected to return often for visits in the "home town," even though they are changing their address to Utah.

Here from Atlanta, Ga.—
 Mrs. C. N. Downey, who is spending six months in the west from Atlanta, Ga., left La Grande this morning on the branch line train for Enterprise, where she will spend tomorrow. Mrs. Downey is southeast field secretary for the United Missionary Society of the Christian church and has been in Oregon for the past two months. This is her first trip to the west and she is delighted with the country and people here.

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Mrs. H. A. Hendrick went to Hot Lakes this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. R. D. Kreutz left La Grande this morning on No. 24 en route to Unity, where she will spend three or four days visiting her mother.

Louis Peck left La Grande this morning en route to Baker on business.

Sherwood Williams went to Baker this morning where he will spend the day on business.

Tex Knight, of the Perkins Motor company, sent to North Powder yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and son were visitors to La Grande yesterday from Cove.

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ARMY BENEFIT CONCERT HELD

The Salvation Army Hall was filled to capacity last evening when a benefit musical concert took place there. Several of La Grande's most popular musicians appeared and gave a program that was appreciated by everyone present.

The program follows:
 Piano solo, "Monnoths" (Jussner)—Eleanor Otto.
 Reading, "Mrs. Cadabour's Busy Day"—Miss Isabelle Miller.
 Vocal solo, (selected)—Kathleen Campbell.
 Violin duet (a) "Sonatina" (Webster); (b) "Chinese Dance" (St. Quentin)—Mrs. Leo Miller and Richard Lindsay.
 Quartet (a) "To a Wild Rose" (MacDowell); (b) "My Love is a Mistletoe" (Franchini DeNogues)—Mrs. A. L. Richardson, Mrs. W. H. Bohmkamp, Jr., Raymond Williams, Lawrence Dutton.
 Vocal solo (selected)—Mrs. Ilay Fuller.
 Reading, "Dumpling Bush"—Capt. I. V. Redifer.
 Chorus (a) "Father, Forgive Them," from "The Seven Last Words" (Dehahn); (b) "Schubert's Serenade" (Franz Schubert)—By Methodist Episcopal Choir.
 Duets, "Corned" and "Troutbone" (Saxette-Franz Lacie) (Dobizetti)—Andrew Loney and Frank Robinson.
 Chamber of Commerce Quartet, (selected)—Messrs. Dutton, Williams, Brink and Stoddard.

Markets

EGGS ONE CENT HIGHER
 PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Eggs one cent higher 24¢ 25¢ today. Butter 48¢, butterfat firm. Livestock nominally steady.

BARISTREETS
 NEW YORK (AP)—Bradstreet's today says:
 "Distributive trade shows little disposition to quicken the rather deliberate pace hitherto noted. Spring-like weather favors increased activities in farm work and in the building trades, thus tending to take up some of the winter slack in employment, while the nearer approach of Easter spurs preparations to meet the usual spring buying movement. Retail trade as a whole looks about fair, but there is nevertheless, still a feeling of disappointment that trade has not proceeded up to sanguine anticipations. Reflections of the recent jolts to speculation given by the slump of stock and wheat are still found in the reports of continued cautious buying from categories and goldsmen, and reduced marketing of grain in country districts. Open currents in various lines are reported in a dispatch from the southwest that lack of rain in wide areas of Texas and Kansas and parts of Oklahoma is affecting crop work, plant germination and complex buying, but that better prospects exist for better crops in the Indian states are indicating increased planting of spring wheat."
 Weekly bank clearings, \$8,748,214,000.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET
 PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—Hard white B. S. Dunn, March \$1.50; April \$1.50; soft white, March \$1.55; April \$1.52; southern white, March \$1.50; April \$1.47; hard winter, northern spring, March \$1.55; April \$1.50; western red, March \$1.50; April \$1.55; BBH, hard white, March \$1.75; April \$1.75.

Oats—No. 2, white foot, March no quotations; April \$26.50.
 Corn—No. 2 E. Y. shipment, March \$42; April \$42.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE
 NEW YORK (AP)—Stocks.
 Firm; Pan-American B recovered 2 points.
 Bonds—Steady; trading dull.
 Foreign exchange—Easy; sterling and francs slightly lower.
 Cotton—Higher; bullish visible supply.
 Sugar—Favorable.
 Coffee—Easy; lower Brazilian markets.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat—Weak
 poor export demand.
 Corn—Lower; large stocks.
 Cattle—Steady.
 Hogs—Lower; slow demand.

Oysters are famed for their alliance. And you seldom see one in the soup.

CARL MOSER OUTLINES CAMPAIGN

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He praised National Commander Deth for his work on the employment program and outlined at length the plan to use the income from the five million dollars to care for orphans of service men and help fight their battles for them.

Harold Warner, legion committee-man of Pendleton, upheld his reputation as a spokesman of the organization in a fine address which was one of the features of the after-dinner program. Mr. Warner devoted his time to the subject of good citizenship and law enforcement and predicted that the next few years would see law enforcement the great issue before the American people and therefore before the American legion.

Describing the issue Mr. Warner said it would not be a question of enforcing one particular law or upholding one particular part of the constitution but a question of respect and obedience to all laws and the entire constitution under which they are enacted. The duty of citizenship, he emphasized, is not only to elect officials who are pledged to that end but to back those officials up without personal exception and thereby make a proper example for the coming generation and for other nations of the world seeking democratic government.

Williams Given Jewel

Frank Appleby, publisher of The Observer, spoke briefly on the "Iowa Idea" in the region, and was followed by Jerry Owen, of the Pacific Legion. Mr. Owen emphasized the devotion of Oregon posts in community service. Community spirit, in spite of his hourness, was called on to present Ray Williams, former commander of the local post, with a jeweled emblem in recognition of the accomplishments of the post last year in membership. He complimented Mr. Williams and La Grande most highly for the excellent showing of the post year. Mr. Williams responded with the expressed wish that the record would be broken many times in future years.

Recovery of Body of Floyd Collins Planned

CAVE CITY, Ky. (AP)—Work on the recovery of the body of Floyd Collins in Sand cave will begin about April 1. W. W. Hunt, mining engineer of Central City, who accepted a contract to recover the body from Homer Collins, brother of Floyd, said here Hunt said he was going out to Sand cave to look the situation over and see what plan will be used in recovering the body from its "cave" tomb. He also said that he had received an initial payment on the recovery contract from Homer Collins.

MEXICAN RESORTS CLOSED
 MEXICALI, Lower California (AP)—Every house of pleasure in the northern district of Lower California was ordered closed and its foreign tourists departed, in a mandate issued late Friday by Governor Alvarado Rodriguez to the chiefs of police at Mexicali, Tijuana, Ensenada and all other cities and towns in the district.

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SENIOR PLAY STAGED AGAIN

Large Crowd Witnessed "Seventeen," at High School Auditorium Last Night.

The Senior play, "Seventeen," which was given at the high school auditorium last evening under the auspices of the La Grande lodge of Elks proved as big a success as its two previous presentations. Although the crowd last evening was not quite as large as for the showings last week the house was well filled.

One of the hits of the evening was the singing of Claude C. Pratt, accompanying himself on the banjo. Mr. Pratt sang a number of southern melodies which were much enjoyed.

The chamber of commerce arranged several numbers. Their first selection, "That Old Gang of Mine," pleased the audience particularly.

The high school orchestra under the direction of Miss Isabelle Miller played several selections.

Incidentally, although it has never been mentioned before in these columns, a good deal of the success of the play was due to the special notices which were constructed by Claude Wilcox of the high school with the advice and assistance of C. C. Snow.

EDUCATORS IN SESSION HERE

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"Improvement of Teachers in Services"

The hour from 10:20 to 11:20 was devoted to high school problems. Two addresses were made on this topic. Superintendent Elmer F. Goodwin of Milton talked of "Extra-Curricular Activities" and F. E. Allen of Pendleton gave a talk on the subject of industrial education in high schools.

J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction had been scheduled to give an address this afternoon but was unable to attend because of illness.

SNOW AND RAIN HERE

In La Grande the weather was spotty throughout the day. A heavy rain, turning to hail for a short time, was in progress early this morning. About noon a slight snow was falling, melting as fast as it reached the ground. The showers and snow fell intermittently.

GATEWAY MAN BOOSTS LAKE

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to direct the slight seeping towards the Wallawa Wonderland. His office at Ontario will also have a lot of the land in Oregon open for settlement, and will direct the home seekers to such tracts.

Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Oregon county chamber of commerce, has furnished Mr. Weston with a large amount of information on Union and Wallawa counties and Wallawa Wonderland, and it is the plan of the local organization to aid Mr. Weston in every way in directing the home seeker and tourist to this district of Eastern Oregon.

BIDS LET BY HIGHWAY BODY

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Plans of 12.3 miles to P. K. Corbett of Port Angeles, Wash., for \$172,851.25.

The commission ordered the grading of 7 miles on the Flom Enterprise highway, north of Elgin, before. When this is completed it will make about twenty-five miles of macadam highway from Enterprise north to Flom. The commission also ordered the re-surfacing of the section of the Old Oregon Trail between North Powder and Baker. Bids will be taken on these two projects at the next meeting of the commission, April 22.

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BAKER MEN ATTEND MEET
 BAKER, Ore. (Special)—A large number of local grangers left this morning to participate in the quarterly meeting of the Union County Pomona group at Elgin today and this evening. A heavy attendance is expected from Wallawa county also.

The session is in the nature of a home coming celebration in honor of Governor Herce, who plans to spend the entire day with his neighbors and other friends.

New Insurgent Bloc Is Formed; Borah Leader

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grouped under a Borah banner, there no longer remains any doubt but there is in the new Senate an insurgent group that can make itself felt effectively.

This group has now been indiscreetly named "the backbone of the Senate."

Before one qualifies for membership he must have proven the stiffness of his backbone by standing up unwaveringly, under the load of public criticism, social ostracism and partisan abuse resulting from voting his individual opinion against the party's mandate.

Borah himself says there is a dearth of stiff backbones in Washington. Particularly in the Senate. "It is much easier in Washington," says Borah, "to go along than it is to disagree. If there is any atmosphere in God's world that weakens a man's backbone, it is the atmosphere of Washington. The process is constant and drastic."

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