Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

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

Held Practice—

The American Legion Drum Corps held a successful practice Monday evening at Riverside park.

Returned from Portland—

Mrs. Ray Murphy returned to her home here this morning on train No. 24, after spending several days in Portland.

Leave This Evening—

Mrs. John Adelin and small son, Pryor, will leave this evening for Spokane to visit relatives for several days.

Have Baby Son—

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson are the parents of a baby boy born to them this morning at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Commission Meeting—

The regular weekly meeting of the city commission will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall building. The meetings are always open to the public.

Left for Union—

Mrs. C. N. Gibson and daughter, Phyllis, left this morning for their home at Union after spending several days here with Mrs. Gibson's mother, who has been ill.

Returned Home—

After spending several days visiting with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Perks, at Elgin, Mrs. H. E. Hunt and two children passed through La Grande this morning en route to their home at Parma, Idaho.

Visiting Here—

Mrs. Robert M. Pyper arrived in La Grande this morning from Portland and will spend a short time visiting here before going to her home at Boise, Idaho. She will be a guest of Mrs. C. E. Miller while here.

Here from Cheney—

Miss Mildred Fix is visiting in La Grande at the home of her parents from Cheney, Wash., where she is a student at the Washington State Normal School. She will return to school Sunday evening.

Home from Visit—

After an absence of two months Mrs. L. E. Wheeler has returned to her home here. While gone Mrs. Wheeler visited her daughter, Mrs. Bert Deane, at Portland, her son, Harold Wheeler, at Pendleton, and another daughter, Mrs. Fred Stadfield, at Walla Walla, Wash.

Tickets Out—

Complimentary tickets for the sermon, "The Seven Last Words of Christ," which will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening, may be obtained at the La Grande Investment company offices or the Nelson Printing company according to announcement this morning. These tickets will be good until 7:45, when the seats vacant will be given to those who first arrive.

Baby Scored 99 Percent—

Mrs. J. T. Harvey, Jr., has returned from a month's visit to Portland with her parents. While in Portland Mrs. Harvey had her son, Gifford Ray, examined at the Parents' Educational Bureau and he was found to be 99 per cent perfect. He is now seven months old and weighs 17½ pounds, the exact weight for a baby of this age, according to Dr. J. R. Steagall, who made the examination.

Tells Detour Route—

Hal Bohnenkamp, who recently drove from Portland to La Grande, states that if one wishes to avoid the oiled portions of the Oregon Trail, west of Pendleton, the following detour can be used—The Dalles to Centerville, Wash., back by Marysville ferry, Arlington Heppner Junction, Heppner, Pilot Rock and then Pendleton.

Leave for Baker—

C. B. Hall of San Francisco and Captain E. T. Allworth, who were here the first part of the week in interests of the O. A. C. drive for the Union Memorial building, left for Baker this morning. Prof. E. C. Bell of O. A. C., who was here with them went to Baker last evening. Their itinerary for the remainder of the trip includes Enterprise, Spokane and other northwest points.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Douglas was shopping in La Grande from Wallowa Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Fisher was a visitor to La Grande from Elgin yesterday.

Daniel Boyd, attorney from Enterprise, was a business visitor to La Grande yesterday.

Miss Ruth Housley returned to her home at Elgin this morning after spending a short time here shopping.

Mrs. E. A. Hendricks went to Hot Lake this morning for medical treatment.

I. W. Bryant of Portland, was in La Grande yesterday on his way to North Powder. Mr. Bryant owns property at that place.

H. S. Chapman, merchant of Enterprise was registered at the Seufer hotel today.

McNARY BACKS RECLAMATION

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tion directly from the treasury."

"Such a policy," he said, "would encourage log rolling, incite jealousies among the advocates of the various projects, with the result that all would fail by reason of the unscientific methods used."

A scientist finds they had quack doctors in 1600 B. C. You would expect them then. But not now.

Building Permits

A permit for the erection of a modern home was issued at the city offices this morning to G. Hoppenstein on N avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets. The work is to cost in the neighborhood of $3,500.

PREPARING FOR TAKING OF SCENES

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To Show Gold Rush.

The scenes are to show the rush of the prospectors to get to the gold territory and portray the hardships and handicaps under which they labored in their efforts to get to Fort Reliance in order to stake out their claims.

Miss Viola Dana, famous motion picture actress is to play the leading feminine role opposite Victor McLaglen. Other members of the cast to be brought here are Ben Lyon, Anna Q. Nilsson, Claude Gillingwater and William Conklin.

The company is scheduled to arrive here about the first of May and will proceed directly to the lake. The filming in this vicinity will last about ten days or possibly two weeks.

RAILROADMEN BACK SPORTS

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ent investigating and inspecting various buildings about the city which could be adapted for use as a gymnasium. W. Bollons is chairman of this committee.

To Secure Rifle Range.

The rifle range at Kamela has been procured for use by the members of the association and will be used by the sportsmen who enjoy a day with their guns.

A dance is to be given by the association on April 17 to raise funds for the work. Dick Lindsay is chairman of the committee with Eugene Barlow, Carl Cook, Sax Bruce and W. C. Neff as assistants.

RESIDENCE BUILDING PICKING UP

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George R. Lyman, two $3,500 homes; Mrs. Susan Zuber, $3,000 home; H. F. Nelson $7,000 business building; P. B. Dade $1,500 business building; H. A. Fager, $2,100 home; C. D. Goodenough $3,500 home.

April: Bryan Harlow $1,000 home.

Other Large Permits.

Of the remaining 56 permits, seventeen called for estimated costs ranging from $300 to $750.

Pirates to Play Baker Nine Here Next Sunday

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infield as lined up at present looks like an airtight proposition. Several new ball players have located here this season and some of them show real class with the ball.

The diamond is in good shape. Manager French has a crew of men working on the field at present and will have the entire lot smoothed off in the next few days. The rough sections of the outfield which handicapped the fielders last season will be ironed out in order to make the entire lot adapted for fast baseball.

SERVICE AT SUNRISE TO START DAY

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tion of Miss Mildred Lovell. Besides several numbers by the vested choir in the evening Mrs. Leo F. Miller will render a solo.

Rev. Keith to Speak.

Reverend Elmer Grant Keith will return from his trip to California sometime before Sunday and will give the main address at the Methodist Episcopal church. The choir will sing "Love is the Greatest of All," from the Cantata "Living Christ" by Wildemer, and Mrs. Leo Miller will appear as soloist at the morning services in addition to the musical services.

At St. Peters Episcopal church there will be a special musical program, directed by Miss Kathleen Campbell and an Easter message by Rev. S. W. Creasey.

The receiving of new members will be featured at the Methodist Episcopal church, South, in addition to a special musical program.

Easter programs will also be given at the Lutheran church, the Church of God and other churches in the city.

Mellon "Out of Shell:" "New Bible" Discussed

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winds have claimed his attendance. And while these are understood at first to have been the cause of his ills they are so no longer. Where he most enjoyed them, he now actually enjoys them.

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Friends who have watched this metamorphosis in Mellon declare that he is today a younger and happier man than he has been for years. The icy reserve of the prim capitalist has melted. The hard exterior of the chilled-steel connoisseur has softened. He is smoking cigars with men. He is getting to like folks and affairs. And—what in Mellon's case is regarded as final and conclusive proof of the change that has taken place in him—he is even making public speeches!

Within a week, this month, Mellon spoke at a banquet at Richmond, Va., was guest of honor at a reception at the Cosmos Club, Washington, and officiated at the burning of the mortgage on the National Press Club here. No one can imagine the Mellon of four years ago participating in any such festivities.

In the light of Mellon's apparently increasing interests in life, few folks here feel that he is even considering resigning his job, as it is rumored from time to time. While admitting that he was reluctant to enter public life, they believe he would leave it now with even greater regret.

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Anti-Prohibitionists are up in arms over what they term "sacrilegious" changes made in the Holy Bible in a recent "shorter version" of the Holy Writ recently issued.

The effort, according to wet advocates, has been to make a Bible to conform to what a prohibitionist thinks the Bible should be rather than to represent the true teachings of the biblical sages.

"In every instance where the word 'wine' is favorably mentioned in the Bible," says Captain W. H. Stayton, "it has been distorted or the meaning completely changed in the 'Shorter Bible.'

"But in every instance where wine and strong drink are mentioned unfavorably, these references are retained. All references to the marriage feast at Cana, including Christ's first miracle, the changing of water into wine, has been suppressed by these censors of the Lord's works.

"Undoubtedly," says Stayton, "it is the plan of the drys to replace the Holy Bible in the home with the censored Bible. But if that is true the drys are doomed, for the original Bible says in the last chapter of Revelation: 'If any man take away from the words of the book of this prophecy God shall take away his part out of the Book of life.'"

Markets

PORTLAND MARKETS

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Cattle and hogs nominally steady; sheep weak. Eggs and butterfat steady. Butter 46c.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Butterfat 46½c.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—Soft white, April, $1.53; May, $1.56; western white, April, $1.53; May, $1.54; hard whites, April, $1.53; May, $1.54; northern spring, April, 21.53; May, $1.55; western red, April, $1.46; May, $1.47; hard white, April $1.50; May, $1.46.

Corn — No. 2 E. Y. shipment, April $42; May, $42.50.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK (AP)—Stocks—Irregular; Chicago & Northwestern at new 1925 low.

Bonds — Steady; pressure on French loan relaxed.

Foreign exchange—Mixed; Norwegian krones at new high.

Cotton — Steady; continued drouth in southwest.

Sugar — Quiet; refined at new low for year.

Coffee — Easy; more Brazilian markets.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat—Firm; higher cables.

Corn—Strong; better cash demand.

Cattle—Steady to weak.

Hogs—Lower.

Coos Health Officer Quits.

MARSHFIELD, Ore.—Dr. J. A. Burket, county health administrator for the 18 months he has been in the work, on his resignation, with no strings attached to the action. Dr. Burket stated that the extra work thrust upon the county health department and his office in particular makes it impossible to serve. He expects to enter private practice.

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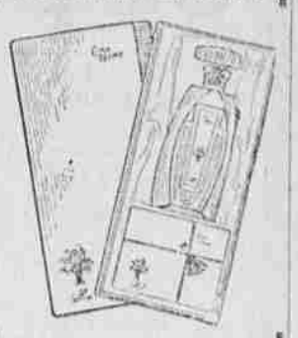

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Madam Tamura, wife of the second secretary of the Japanese embassy, Teijire Tamura, with her little daughter Sumi are carried back to old Japan with the aroma of their native blossoms which surround the Tidal Basin in Washington.

House Members' Offices May Cost U. S. $3,000,000

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congress has left up to David Lynn, architect of the capitol, the problem of a survey for a new building to house the offices of representatives. It has given him $2500 for the job and expects him to report by the opening of the sixty-ninth congress next fall.

Senators already have two, three or four office rooms apiece, but house members have but one room each, in which to receive visitors, hold conferences, and house three or four clerks. To give each representative two rooms is the object of the survey which Mr. Lynn is called upon to make.

Two definite proposals have been advanced. One is to build within the court of the present house office building a structure nine stories high at an estimated cost of $2,000,000, to provide 275 rooms. This plan also contemplates raising the present building one story. The other proposal would be to construct a new building nearby.

In the old days only chairmen of committees had offices provided for them at the capitol. Other members had their offices scattered all over the city, in their hotels and in downtown business buildings.

MILITARY TOURNEY SET

O. A. C., Corvallis—Captain T. C. McCormick, assistant professor of military science and tactics, has been appointed tournament officer in charge of the 12th annual military tournament of the cadets, scheduled for May 20 on Bell field, declared H. G. Crooker, also an assistant professor of the military department, will assist Captain McCormick, according to announcements of Colonel G. W. Moses, commandant of cadets.

More than 1000 students and nearly members will take part in the affair, planned to be the most elaborate military display ever put on here. Men taking military courses enrolled in gymnasium and riding classes and faculty members of riding classes will be units participants.

Richmond Dines Informally

LONDON (AP)—The fair virgins, both attendants, the town clerk and the garbage man and 400 other employes of the Corporation of Richmond, a suburb of London, were entertained at a dinner recently at which the aldermen acted as waiters. The dinner was given by Mayor Arthur Howlett to encourage good feeling among employes of the different departments the mayor himself acting as head waiter.

Can Talk Again

Charles L. Flagstad of Superior, Wis., is able to speak again after being deprived of that faculty for three years. In 1921 his larynx was removed when cancer had set in. A short time ago Flagstad used an automatic larynx, a new invention, and has so mastered the use of it he can carry on an audible conversation.

BLAST WRECKS POWDER PLANT

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the same women, sought refuge from the flames by jumping into a small river which flows by the plant.

The explosion occurred immediately after the resumption of work for the afternoon. In the mixing shed the work of blending power in 300-pound lots for the manufacture of fireworks had been done by hand, but Tuesday a machine was introduced as a labor-saving device.

The plant is situated in a wooded area in North Hanover and the sheds are placed from 50 to 60 yards apart among the saplings and brush. Abrush fire discovered soon after, a mile from the spot, was believed by firemen to have started from the same explosion. Many other brush fires were started by sparks.

DR. TIKHON DEAD

MOSCOW (By the Associated Press.) — The Most Reverend Dr. Tikhon, former patriarch of all Russia, died of angina pectoris here today after three days illness.

TRIO TO FIGHT BIG MONOPOLY

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ford Edison are bending their efforts to produce rubber in this country on large land holdings in Florida.

"Rubber restrictions this year will cost American car owners at least $150,000,000 and it very likely will be nearer $200,000,000," Firestone says. "Every 10-cent advance in the cost of crude rubber means an additional burden of about $75,000,000 loaded upon the American people.

80 Per Cent in Tires

"About 80 per cent of the world supply of rubber is grown in the British possessions in the Far East. America consumes 75 per cent of the world's supply. Eighty per cent of the rubber consumed in America goes into automobile and truck tires.

"Rubber was around 14 cents a pound when the restriction act became operative. Today it is 206 per cent higher and indications point to further advances."

Ford, Firestone and Edison have been carrying on extensive investigations in Florida. On the Ford and Edison estates in Fort Myers, Fla., some very promising rubber trees are growing. On the Ford farm near Labelle and on the government experimental farm near Cocoanut Grove some varieties of rubber trees, plants and shrubs are growing in a very encouraging manner.

During a recent conference of the three men in Florida, Edison made several important suggestions regarding new processes of extraction — something different from the methods now in vogue in the Far East.

It is believed by Edison that a greatly improved method of extraction is possible and that it may be advantageous in hastening yields of latex and greatly reduce cost of production.

Firestone is determined that Americans shall produce their own rubber. He was instrumental in having congress vote an appropriation two years ago, giving $400,000 to the department of commerce for investigation of new sources of rubber supply, and $100,000 to the department of agriculture for experimental purposes.

He now has a complete organization in Liberia, on the west coast of Africa, operating a rubber plantation and preparing to plant rubber on an extensive scale.

"The British restriction act limits production and exportation to just one-half the normal crop," Firestone says.

"Americans must awaken to the necessity of doing something to relieve the grip now held by foreign interests on a commodity so important to our welfare and prosperity."

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