

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

April 17—April Antics in high school auditorium.
 Union County Track and Field Meet at Union May 2.
 Eastern Oregon Track and Field Meet at La Grande May 3.
 Union Live Stock Show at Union, June 10-11-12.

To Drive Our Home—

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Perkins left yesterday for Portland. They will drive a new Lincoln car back to La Grande.

Has New Car—

C. E. Lilly has purchased a new 1922 model Chevrolet touring car from Avery Harrison, local Chevrolet dealer.

Returned Yesterday—

Mrs. Clara Hanson and daughter Amelia, returned from Baker yesterday after spending several days there with Mrs. Hanson's mother, who has been ill at her home.

Left Last Night—

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanna and small daughter, LaVelle, left last evening for Miami, where they were called by the death of Mr. Hanna's father.

Spent Week-End Here—

Kathy and Helena Bergstrom arrived in La Grande this morning from Pendleton and will spend the week-end here visiting with their father, Mrs. Glenn Estes.

Here for Easter—

Miss May Webster, who is taking a teaching course at the Baker Walker Business college in Portland, is at the home of her parents here for an Easter vacation.

Went to Baker—

Miss Deanna went to Baker this morning on a business trip. Her main object is to get grain permits from the forest officials at that place.

Left for Armap—

Donald Boyd passed through La Grande this morning from his home at Malheur on route to Armap, Idaho, on a business trip. Mr. Boyd is an attorney of Malheur.

Here Last Evening—

Gladya Brundage, Emma Morrison and Miss Livingston returned to La Grande from Pendleton yesterday and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee, returning.

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out of the schools of Caldwell, Idaho, were also passengers on train No. 24 en route to their homes, after attending the meeting at Spokane.

Brought to La Grande—

Mrs. George Huntington Curry, who has been ill at Astoria, Oregon, was brought to La Grande this morning on train No. 24 and will be taken to the Grange Home hospital. Mrs. A. W. Nelson, who has been ill for several days, and Geo. H. Corry, Sr., who drove over yesterday, returned to La Grande with Mrs. Curry this morning.

Personal Mention

Henry Phillips, of Wallawa, is here today on business.

Babe Bennett was a visitor to La Grande yesterday from Wallawa.

Mrs. Gay Tittle of Tualuma, was shopping in La Grande yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Bradford of Union, was in La Grande yesterday.

Lois Keener was in La Grande from her home at Egira yesterday.

Mrs. H. Heiska and baby left this morning for Baker to spend the week-end visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Phil Thompson went to Baker this morning on train No. 21 to spend the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weight were visitors to La Grande yesterday from Hot Lake.

Mrs. W. M. Harrison went to Egira this morning to spend the day with friends.

MASONS TO GO TO PENDLETON

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 Those were told in their praise of the Sumnerville hospital and in the general good fellowship resulting from the gathering.

To Attend Easter Services.
 Twenty-five Knight Templars of Eastern Oregon Commandery No. 5 will go to Pendleton tomorrow to observe Easter Sunday with commandery No. 9. The services were held here last year.

The Knights will be enabled to attend church services here before going as the Pendleton program does not start until three o'clock in the afternoon.

Next week will be entirely devoted to visiting of grand lodges in Portland.

Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons will meet Monday, the Grand Council or Royal and Sublet Masters Masons will meet Tuesday, and the Grand Commandery of Knight Templars will convene Wednesday.

La Grangers To Attend.
 The principal officers of the La Grande Royal Arch chapter, Knight Templars, and of the commandery will be in attendance. George T. Cochran, Grand Royal Arch Chapter in the Royal Arch Masons and Deputy Grand Commander in the Knight Templars will be present.

10 DAYS AT LAKE ON BEACH MOVIE

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 The Avuka sold ranch of 97. Man who would like to work as extra should get in touch with Earl Reynolds of the chamber of commerce office.

\$57,000 IS TOTAL FOR LA GRANDE

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 The total total \$117,225 is 2 1/2 per cent above February's total, 106 per cent above March of last year and 200 per cent above March 1922.

La Grande Leads Many.

Of the 78 cities, La Grande, with \$47,000, led the list higher than March, 1923, and 479 per cent higher than March, 1922—both Annand, Cotton, Oyston, Timponeville, Lenwood, Motobella, National City, Torman and Walling, Coltrane, Twin Falls, Idaho, Leona and Provo, Utah, and Hamilton and Walla Walla, Wash.

Los Angeles, with \$14,714,802, had all come off in building permits issued during March.

Other cities in Oregon, were as follows: Eugene \$139,720; Salem \$75,480.

MCCARTHY SPEAKER

HOT LAKE, Ore., April 10.—A very interesting entertainment was held at the auditorium last evening. Dr. McCarthy of the sanatorium here gave a talk on a number of "hidden" ailments from X-ray pictures which were under active as well as unobtrusive. The pictures were all taken in Hot Lake sanatorium. Dr. McCarthy explained the slides and told the nature of the various diseases and ailments, and which they showed very clearly.

Two minutes by Mrs. Leland of Astoria, Oregon, pleased the large audience very much. The usual company singing of all-time songs concluded the program.

VIGOROUS CAJONES HELD GROUND FOR DIVORCE

(CHICAGO, IAP)—What he called "spirit" was named by Judge Smith as grounds for a divorce granted by him Friday to Mrs. Emma Marie Peiff. The woman said her husband gave her kisses so intense that her lips became numb and even told that his hugs were so arduous that they bruised her ribs.

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REPORTS OF AGENCIES

BRADSTREET'S, NEW YORK IAP—Bradstreet's today says:

"The best pre-Easter weather conditions for several years past, coupled with intensive advertising of 'Sales', has made for the most active week of retail stores last year. Hence a little more cheerfulness among distributors who because of the late date of Easter last year, and the unfavorable weather then ruling, had made better than a year ago at this date. A like report comes as regards retail trade in March, this both by reports, mail orders, and clean sales, as well as department stores, which latter, it will be recalled, reported small decreases from a year ago in both January and February. Combined retail sales for these three months undoubtedly made a better showing in March than they did in earlier months."

"It is true there are some discordant notes, these may especially be in the southeast and the northwest, where the good of rain to give the crops a good start is stressed, and it is doubtful if retail trade, although better, is fully up to expectations."

Weekly bank clearings \$4,749, 27,000.

College Locates seed source.

"The college has taken pains to locate reliable sources of Oregon seed and this information is passed out to county agricultural agents. In many counties farmers have cooperated in handling seed that is known to come from an absolutely reliable source. The trend toward pure seed has been aided by the fact that county agents encourage their growers to send seed samples to the experimental station at Corvallis where purity and germination tests are made free of charge."

They conclude by pointing out the rapid introduction of this pure seed. The high price of seed, ranging around 16 cents a pound retail, and the rather widely prevailing practice of using a large amount of alfalfa seed on soil insufficiently prepared, will be 20 pounds of common alfalfa are placed on an acre by most growers. Some use 10 pounds and occasionally 15. There are 22,000 seeds in a pound of alfalfa.

Membership Goes to Jail.

ALBANY, Ore.—Holding difference, which was carried by Ruddy Gleason and Deputy Sheriff Lillard, was fined \$100 and sentenced to six months in the county jail on a charge of spreading a poisonous still on his farm above Hot Lake. Sumner has no paid the fine and will be required to serve 120 days in lieu of payment in addition to his jail sentence.

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GIRLS CHARGE JAILS IN SALEM, Ore.

With the arrest of one 14th man, police here believed they had rounded up the entire gang responsible for a series of wild parties held in the Salem district. The man arrested was the name of Jess Wade, and with others, was held on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of minor girls.

The men arrested were Dick Sherkman, Walter Glickert, Clifford Willard, Percy Dittmar, Max J. Carney, John Bolton, Bert Peary, Rudolph Harris and William Cook. Five of them were released on \$500 bonds and the other five were held in the county jail, following the testimony of a 14-year-old Silverton girl.

The five charges were declared to be the worst ever brought before the local court.

Norwegian Women Start For Washington Convention

OSLO, Norway (AP)—Norwegian delegates to the meeting of the International Council of Women, to be held in Washington May 1-14, will start shortly on the steamer Stavangerfjord for Halifax, under the leadership of Mrs. Helga Klöpper, chairman of the Norwegian branch of the organization. They will make a short tour of eastern Canada before proceeding to the United States.

Mrs. S. Backer, secretary-general to the international council, took by way of England to join the president, the Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair, and sails with her on the Mauretania in April.

SALEM PRISONER FLEES

SALEM, Ore.—Ray Hill, who was arrested here last night charged with the theft of checks representing the weekly payroll of the Cook Bay Stevedoring company of North Bend, Coos county, escaped from the city jail. Frank Mintz, chief of police, said the door of the jail apparently had been left unlocked.

Hill's escape will be investigated. When arrested Hill had 23 checks in his possession.

Backfire Destroys Auto.

REDF, Ore.—Set afire by back-firing, the automobile owned by Roy Peterson, was destroyed at the Redfish-Cullerville highway near Clifton. A considerable sum of money in Clifton's coat, left in the machine, was also lost.

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Sargent Takes Capital By Surprise with Jokes

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 administration has been threatened.

Up to the time of the Sargent appointment, such rumor as there was supplied almost wholly by the president himself. But even that was rather a lack of color. It was done mostly in amber tones. The president's severity, his New England conscience, his fragility, his caution, his common sense.

Nowhere in the cabinet—particularly after the withdrawal of Secretary Hughes—was there a personality flashing color or individuality. Not one of the cabinet could afford a splash of brightness or contrast to relieve the oppressive lines in the picture's composition.

Then along came Sargent. He accentuates the New England theme provided by the president himself. But he brings something besides an accession of Vermont economy and common sense.

He brings a sense of humor, which the cabinet has sadly lacked. He brings the gift of knowing how to turn a story with point and effect. Abraham Lincoln doubtless would have been a great man without his ability as a story teller, but it was his knack of pointing his decisions with an appropriate anecdote that popularized his greatness. Sargent has something of the Lincolnian gift in this respect.

Imagine, if you can, Hoover or Mellon or Weeks approaching the president as Sargent did the day of his arrival here, with the query:

"Where's Dawes?"
 "At his hotel, I suppose. Why?"
 answered "Goodie."
 "I want to look him up and give him a dinner."
 "What do you want to give him a dinner for?" asked Cal, puzzled.
 "Well—didn't he get me the job?" said Sargent.

Only one not overweighted with the sense of his own importance and having an irrepressible sense of the humor would at that time have risked joking with the president about having won appointment to the cabinet because the vice president had been asleep on the job.

Again, on that same day, Sargent admitted he was not a Republican and didn't mind as one who, under a fire of questions by newspaper men he said:

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