

# Local News In Brief

### COMING EVENTS

**H. S. Commencement exercises**—May 27.  
**Special municipal election**—June 2.  
**Union Live Stock Show at Union**, June 10-11-12.

**Home Son**—Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Read are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a ten pound son, Tuesday morning, May 19. He has been named Donald T.

**Visited Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Shirleigh Tucker and baby have left La Grande for their home in Malheur county, after visiting for some time here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Olson.

**Returned Home**—Miss Helen Henderson and small daughter, Rose, were in La Grande this morning on their way to their home at Wallowa, after visiting since Sunday in Portland, with Mrs. Ed Miller.

**Went to Joseph**—Mrs. W. P. Trumbull and small son, Bobby, went to Joseph, this morning on the branch line train to visit for several days. They are from Stanfield, Oregon.

**Returned From Portland**—J. H. Pearce, arrived in La Grande this morning after spending the morning from Portland, where he has been since last Friday, in attendance of a Knights of Columbus convention.

**Went to Wallowa**—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd P. Reynolds went to Wallowa this morning on the branch line train and expect to make their home there, where Mr. Reynolds will be employed by the Bowman Hicks Lumber Company. They are from Bend, Oregon.

**Here this Morning**—Mrs. Irvin Turner passed through La Grande this morning en route to Elgin, where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott. Her home is at Portland.

**Left for Portland**—Harold Robinson, manager of the Woolworth store here, left last evening for Portland, where he will attend a convention of managers of Woolworth stores. He will return to his home here Saturday or Sunday.

**Visited Sister**—After spending several days in La Grande at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. I. Shepherd, Mrs. H. J. Taylor returned to her home at Wallowa this morning on the branch line train. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have been living at Maxwell but have moved to Wallowa.

**Home from Portland**—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Happersett arrived in La Grande this morning after spending the week end in Portland visiting friends and relatives. They went to Portland Saturday evening.

**Returned to Wallowa**—After visiting since Sunday in La Grande at the home of her niece, Mrs. Thomas Short, Mrs. A. Tuttle returned to her home at Wallowa this morning. Mrs. Tuttle is a member of a prominent pioneer family of this section and is well known here.

**Returned Home**—After spending several days at Eugene, with her daughter, Miss Deloris Pearson, who is a student at the University of Oregon, Mrs. J. J. Pearson has returned to her home in La Grande. She also visited friends at Salem while gone.

**Left this Morning**—Mrs. J. L. Godden, and small son Maurice, of Lewiston, left this

morning for Baker, after spending the night here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hiatt. After a few days spent at Baker they will return to Wallowa, to visit for some time, after which they will return home.

**Refinishing Offices**—The offices of Cochran and Eberhard, attorneys, are being refinished this week. Men are busy now re-kalsmining and re-varnishing the interior of the offices.

**Home from Corvallis**—Mr. and Mrs. George R. Lyman, accompanied by Miss Betty Garrick, and Miss Winona Lyman, have returned to La Grande, after spending several days at Corvallis, with Miss Lea and Elwood Lyman, who are students of the Oregon Agricultural College there.

**Married**—Hugh E. Brady, Justice of the Peace, performed two marriages yesterday afternoon. Miss Thelma Brown, of La Grande, and Orval Smith, of Baker, were united in marriage and Miss Viva Blaser and Vaud Huntley, both of Union were married.

**Arrived from Salt Lake**—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bean arrived in La Grande Monday evening, by auto, from Salt Lake City, Utah. Mr. and Mrs. Bean were married at Salt Lake City last Thursday. She was formerly Miss Rose Ellis, of Ogden, Utah. They will make their home here at 1208 Third Street.

### Personal Mention

J. P. Morlock was a visitor to Wallowa the first of the week.

M. H. McLaughlin, representing Swift and Company of Portland, is registered at the Sommer Hotel.

A. Holland, of Portland, is a business visitor in La Grande. He is registered at the Sommer Hotel.

Chas. Holland, of Seattle, is registered at the Sommer hotel this week.

### Germany Makes Easier Movements of Tourists

BERLIN, (AP)—New instructions have been issued by the ministry of finance to German customs officers in frontier towns to facilitate tourist and other international travel as much as possible. Not only is there abandoned the practice which obtained during the first years after the war, by which every traveler must leave the railway coach with his baggage at the frontier and submit to a careful inspection of his belongings, but the officers have been told merely to require the occasional opening of a trunk by way of making a test.

Transit passengers who are merely crossing Germany are not to be molested at all. Through-out the customs officials are to be polite and accommodating.

The German section of the International Hotel Keepers' Federation has issued an appeal to its members to send in good photographs of German points of interest, so that these may be used for American advertisements. The federation points out that other countries of the continent, especially Switzerland and France, are spending much money on advertising in the United States, and urges Germany do likewise.

### Carnival Company Attached

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—Snapp Brothers' carnival failed to have Klamath Falls on schedule due to an attachment by Sheriff Hawkins on W. H. Snapp, reputed part owner of the show. The attachment was meant to satisfy a judgment of \$2000 obtained by Donald Stickney, Salem youth, who was injured by a carnival at Salem nearly six years ago. Snapp at that time was connected with another carnival.

## MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN 2 WEEKS

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 away with the trouble before it ever starts.

**Fire Equipment.**  
 The last measure calls for \$45,000 for new fire fighting equipment and housing room. The present organization, while efficient within its limits, is according to a state-wide survey, less equipped than any other department in a city of La Grande's size in Oregon.

It is said that in case of two serious fires the La Grande fire department would be unable to take care of both because of limited equipment. In most cities one or two combination chemical wagons and a large pumper are provided. Here only one combination wagon is provided.

All registered voters, whether they own property in the city or not, are eligible to vote at the June 3rd election. Those who have recently become eligible but have not yet registered may be sworn in at the polls.

## INAUGURATE MORALES IN CUBA TODAY

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General Jose Miguel Gomez, the Liberal presidential candidate, and when the latter was elected, he appointed Machado brigadier general and second chief of the Cuban standing army, creating afterward for his special benefit, the office of inspector general of the armed forces of the republic.

President Gomez then appointed Machado secretary of the interior, a post which he held for two years, solving many difficult problems, among which was the negro rebellion.

The racial question led him to resign the secretaryship and devote himself to organizing a great natural party, which he deemed necessary at that critical period of the republic's history. The Liberal Unionist party was the result. In 1912 many of his followers were elected to congress and provincial government offices, he being the unsuccessful candidate for governor of the province of Havana.

When the Liberals became re-elected in 1918, General Machado labored especially for the success of the vice presidential candidate, Colonel Mendieta, supported by Orestes Ferrera and other unconditional partisans of General Gomez. After the election, disastrous so far as the Liberals were concerned, General Machado was invited to rise up in arms against the government, but the troops failed him and he had to start the movement with prominent civilians of Santa Clara, among whom was Mendieta.

The revolutionary movement was defeated and General Machado was imprisoned at Camp Columbia until summoned before a court martial and released.

When General Gomez went to the United States shortly after 1920 he asked General Machado to protect the interests of the Liberal party, and Machado proved himself worthy of this confidence. He personally directed all the activities of the party, and to him was due the winning of five provincial governorships. He abandoned his business and opened the way for his recent triumph as presidential candidate.

### Chamber to Function as Community Organization

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ships shall be expected to subscribe to a service fund or for plural memberships in proportion to their interests and benefits derived.

"Annual dues for salaried men, wage earners and farmers shall be twelve dollars. The finance committee shall determine all rates for membership.

"Dues are payable quarterly, semi-annually or annually in advance. Failure to make payment of dues within thirty days after same are due shall deprive the delinquent member of the privileges of the chamber.

The above amendment, which will undoubtedly be accepted, in reality throws open the doors of the organization to all La Grande citizens who wish to join.

In many quarters, not only in the chamber of commerce, it is felt, according to reports, that this step is one in the right direction and which will prove of great benefit to La Grande as a whole.

### Thousands Spent on Homes

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**Markets**

**PORTLAND MARKETS**  
 PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Live-stock steady today. Eggs firm, butter 42 cents, buttermilk steady.

**BUTTERFAT**  
 SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Butterfat 45c here today.

**PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET**  
 PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—Hard white H. S. Bart, May, \$1.50; June, \$1.60; soft white, May at \$1.55; hard winter, May, \$1.60; June, \$1.65; northern spring, May, \$1.61; northern winter, May, \$1.55; June, \$1.58; HBB, hard white, May, \$1.60; June, \$1.58.  
 Corn—No. 2, V. shipment, May, \$1.25; June, \$1.25.

**MARKETS AT A GLANCE**  
 NEW YORK (AP)—Stocks—Strong; Nash Motors, double year's low.  
 Bonds—Steady; Polish 3c break as syndicate dissolved.  
 Foreign exchange—Irregular; sterling at new high, within 1c of par.  
 Cotton—Higher; larger exports.  
 Sugar—Firm; lower spot market.  
 Coffee—Lower; Brazilian factor conditions more favorable.

**CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat**—Irregular; bullish private crop estimates.  
 Corn—Higher; decreasing stocks.  
 Cattle—Steady.  
 Hogs—Higher; big packers buying.

**NEW YORK WINS**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—In the membership contest between the departments of New York and Illinois, American Legion, which closed on April 15, New York was declared the winner by a scant margin, according to announcement made by the organization and membership division at national headquarters here.

New York's winning percentage was 552 against 549 for Illinois. The basis of comparison was the actual figures entered on the books of the national treasurer at the close of business April 15, against the highest paid up membership ever attained in either department.

**"Wallingford and Blackie Daw"**



Thomas Hennessy, left, and Harry D. Hibbs, are held in jail in Los Angeles, charged with operating a "get-rich-quick" scheme. They are said to have swindled hundreds of persons of nearly \$500,000. They told their victims they were planning to merge several large railroads of the west and that \$10 would be returned for every \$1 invested.

**German Fair Promotes Business with Neighbors**

COLOGNE, Germany (AP)—The epidemic of fairs which is sweeping over Europe has struck Cologne, which has just held its third exposition in less than two years. Time was when German enterprise in fairs was limited to the old, established fair at Leipzig, with Frankfurt as a second rate contender. Now there are regular spring and autumn fairs in Leipzig, Frankfurt, Berlin, Koenigsberg, Breslau, Danzig, Cologne and several other cities.

Cologne argues on its behalf that it is the door to western Europe, the best emporium for the placing of export orders for Belgium, France, Holland and England. It argues further that it is the best clearing house for the industries of the Ruhr; that an exhibition of everything connected with modern heating. The Ruhr valley is the great coal and lignite basin of Germany, and many and diverse are the inventors and firms occupying themselves with the problem of rational heating. This year's fair abounded in heat-saving devices, such as small stoves producing heat economically.

The promoters of the fair say that this year's business was good. There have been numerous buyers from Belgium, Holland and England, and even some from France.

**\$100 Given for Road Work**

HOOD RIVER, Ore.—The directorate of the chamber of commerce authorized an appropriation of \$100 for application on the surface of the Cooper's spur lateral of the Mount Hood loop highway.

**Bill Hits AT FOREIGN REAL ESTATE BUYERS**

PARIS (AP)—Foreigners purchasing real estate in France would be subject to a real estate sales tax four times as large as that levied upon natives if a bill now in the hands of the finance committee of the chamber is approved by the French parliament.

The present law imposes a tax of 13 per cent of the price paid, while the new bill would amend the law by making it 52 per cent when the buyer is a foreigner, "even when such a foreigner has a legal domicile in France."

"The depreciation of our currency has incited a certain number of capitalists belonging to countries favored on the international exchange market, to invest their capital in France, in the hope of realizing heavy profits, when the franc returns toward its par value," the preamble says.

"The franc having lost 80 per cent of its value, the English and Americans are thus able to buy French property at prices much below those prevailing in 1914."

**Salem Buys Linen Mill Stock**

SALEM, Ore.—Citizens of Salem and vicinity at noon had subscribed for \$200,000 of preferred stock in the proposed \$400,000 linen mill to be established in or near this city. A campaign will now be launched in Portland to dispose of \$175,000 of the stock. An additional \$100,000 probably will be taken by citizens of Albany and Silverton. The remainder of the stock necessary to launch the project will be purchased by persons interested in the operation of the plant.

St. Louis society girl not only claims she jilted a count, but she really can prove she did.

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**Buy This Home**

5-room house with bath, South Side, \$1900.00. Terms.

**Exchange**

7-room house and bath, large lot, on North Side. Will exchange for good automobile.

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 REALTORS  
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**SPECIAL**

Ladies' Two-strap Kid, Comfort Pumps, \$2.95  
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 Turkish Towels, 18x33, 2 for 35c

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3 for \$4.00	3 for \$5.50	3 for \$7.00

SHIRTS OF QUALITY Values \$2.00 to \$4.50

SEE OUR WINDOWS!

**Clint's Clothery**  
 "The Store With a Conscience"

**MOTHER LOVE FIGHTS CHARITY**



Who will win here? Supreme court in Portland, Ore. must decide for social welfare societies want her and so does her mother. The welfare people say the mother is too poor, but the mother answers that poverty has nothing to do with mother love. So the fate of Joseph Pearl Blank, 2, is up to the court—mother love and poverty, or charity.

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**The WARRENS of VIRGINIA**

From DAVID BELASCO'S Stage Success  
 Adapted from the play by WILLIAM C. DE MILLE  
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