Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

Neighborhood Club Union county flower show—September 2.

La Grande Public Schools open—September 14.

Accepts Position—
Mrs. Ray Leibelter has accepted a position at the Black Cat.

Accepts Position—
Miss Evelyn Cullen has accepted a position at Norton's Kiady shop.

At Union This Week —
Robert Koyle is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Tom McBorde, at Union this week.

Here Over Week End—
Mrs. Arch Conley, who lives on a farm near Cove, visited relatives in La Grande over the week end.

Returns to La Grande —
After a year spent at Cour de Alene, Idaho, Mrs. J. J. Andrew, has returned to her home in La Grande.

To Visit at Enterprise—
Mrs. O. E. Matheus of Nampa, Idaho, passed through La Grande this morning on her way to Enterprise, where she will visit for two weeks with Mrs. Whitmire.

Returns From Spokane —
Miss Mable Smedberg returned to La Grande this morning after visiting her parents at Spokane, Washington since Saturday.

Left on Vacation—
Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Moore and family left today, by auto, for a two weeks vacation trip to Portland and Seaside.

Left For San Francisco—
Charles Ash left this morning for San Francisco, California, after several days in La Grande visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ash.

At Couch's Sunday—
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bacon, Mrs. Marjorie Francis and Mrs. McCall visited Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Couch.

Accepted Position—
Miss Cleo Taylor has accepted a postion at Silverthorn-Wrights drug store, taking the place of Mrs. Charles Moran, who recently left for Yakima, Washington.

Conference Here Sunday—
The second ward M. I. A. held a conference here Sunday for reorganization. The organizers were: Mrs. Holger M. Larson, Henry Maxfield, of Mt. Glenn, Walter Bean and S. F. Andrew.

Home From Trip—
Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper and family have returned to their home in La Grande, after a two weeks motor trip to various points in Oregon, Idaho, and Washington.

At Cove Sunday—
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maloney and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Talbott motored to Cove Sunday and enjoyed the afternoon at the Cove swimming pool.

Here Saturday —
Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Pryor, telephone operator at Joubler, visited in La Grande Saturday with her daughter, Miss Marie Pryor.

Passed Through City—
The Rev. Shields, of the Presbyterian church of Wallowa, passed through La Grande Saturday en route to his home after a business trip to Halfway, Oregon.

On Vacation —
Mrs. Alice Vinson, who is employed at the state highway offices here is taking a two weeks vacation. She will go to Baker on a few days to visit friends there for several days.

Home From Baker—
Miss Louise Nelson and Miss Mabel Gerulll returned to La Grande last night after visiting relatives at Baker for the past two weeks.

Motored to Baker—
Mrs. Mat Coatwell, Mrs. George R. Lyman, Wilfred Johnson and Miss Winona Lyman motored to Baker Sunday to attend the M. I. A. Conference there.

Visits at Baker—
L. Garrick, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Garrick, drove to Baker Saturday evening and spent Saturday night and Sunday wit hanother daughter, who lives there. They returned to La Grande Sunday evening.

Back From Vacation—
Miss Chloe Taylor is again at work at Hill's Department store after a two weeks vacation. Miss Taylor visited in Portland and Salem during her vacation. She attended buyers' week in Portland last week.

Conference Sunday—
The Mt. Glenn M. I. A. held a conference Sunday. The organizers from La Grande, who attended were: Mrs. S. F. Andrew, Mrs. C. J. Black, Lester Stoddard and Elmo Clegg. Miss Bessie Andrew appeared on the program with a vocal selection.

From Chicago, Ill.
Mrs. Eva Keeper, accompanied by her son, C. N. Keeper, were in La Grande this morning on their way to Wallowa and Troy, to visit relatives there for about two weeks. Their home is in Chicago, Illinois.

Left For Arizona—
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lund were in La Grande this morning on their way to Phoenix, Arizona, where they make their home after visiting for several weeks with Mr. Lund's parent's, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lund at Cove.

Returns From Portland—
Mrs. W. Y. Stoddard returned to La Grande this morning and will visit here for some time with friends before returning to her home in Quincy, California. Mrs. Stoddard formerly lived here and has many friends here. She visited at the home of Mrs. Grace E. Molitor here last week.

Visiting Here—
Mr. and Mrs. Ray V. Diehl and daughters, Helen and Myrna, are visiting here with Mrs. Diehl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harper. They will also visit Mrs. Diehl's sister, Mrs. L. B. Purdy and Mrs. Walter Price. Mr. Diehl is a Piggly Wiggly operator at Durante, Colorado, where they make their home. He is a brother-in-law of Mr. Price of the local Piggly Wiggly store.

Jumping Beans in Window—
While in Seattle, Washington, where he attended the Knights Templar Triennial Conclave, Clint Van Fleet procured a half a dozen Mexican jumping beans and they are now in the display window at Clint's Clothiery. These little beans jump around as if alive. They are grown in the driest part of Mexico and it is a favorite sport of the Mexicans to bet on them. They are placed in a ring and the first bean to jump out is the winner.

Gloved Hands Needed in South

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The United States had South America sold on the Monroe Doctrine right then, without an effort on the farmer's own part, which is about the only way the United States ever does sell anything in South America.

Just at this point the then secretary of state, Charles Evans Hughes, took occasion to state that the doctrine was customary North America's and nobody else's—that it was also customary in North America's interest and anybody else's only incidentally—that it was immaterial whether the South Americans liked it or not—it was none of their business.

That spoiled everything. It reawakened all the South Americans' original suspicions, only this time they had ceased to harbor them as mere suspicions — they considered that Secretary Hughes had confirmed them in their worst form. And straightway they went to tying themselves as tightly as they could to the league of nations.

WHEAT YIELD IS ESTIMATED BY GRAIN MEN

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tion in favor of regulation the actions of the speculators are expected to play an important part in the wheat prices this year. However, this is regarded with favor by many of the experienced wheat traders.

SALEM, Ore.—Milne McBride, convict, abandoned a flax truck which he was driving on South Twenty-third street here, and escaped.

The last seen of McBride by prison officials was when he left the main institution to drive the truck some distance down the road to weigh a load of flax. Instead of stopping at the institution scales he drove some distance toward the business district and later turned on to the street where the truck was later found by officials.

McBride was received at the penitentiary from Clatsop county on June 28, 1924, to serve not more than five years for assault with intent to rob. He is 27 years of age.

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CARNIVAL MEN THRILL CROWD

Snapp Bros' carnival, stretching nearly three blocks in length, which is here this week under the auspices of the La Grande baseball club, opened last night and lived up to advance notices of being a clean, entertaining exposition.

The high diving act, featured twice each evening at 7 and 10 o'clock, proved a great attraction. It is one of the best of its kind ever seen in La Grande.

Among the sideshows several are of special merit, including the snake show and the motorcycle riders. Cannonball Bell, trick rider, does many gasps from the crowd with his dare-devil stunts.

Plenty of riding devices, merry-go-rounds, the whip and the ferris wheel, provide amusement galore for those who desire action.

Besides the evening performances, the carnival stages an afternoon show. The attendance last night was exceptional for opening night.

Grain Yield Below Average.

ST. HELENS, Ore.—Due to dry weather in June the grain yield in various sections of the county is not up to average. D. E. Freeman of the Scappoose section threshed 3336 bushels of barley and oats from 93 acres, an average of 34 bushels to the acre. This seems to be about the general average in that section, though in the Warren and Yankton sections there is a slight increase.

SALEM, Ore.—Plans for establishing a municipal water system will be considered at a public meeting to be held here. The first step will be the appointment of a committee to determine the cost of taking over the distribution system now operated by the Salem Water & Light company. When these figures are available, the question of voting bonds to cover the cost will be submitted to the voters at a special election.

MILL CITY, Ore.—Berry pickers are beginning to make their way into the immense huckleberry patches southeast of the city, a number being camped there now. The berries are not all ripe yet, but small quantities are being picked daily. It is reported that there is a fairly good crop this season and no doubt large amounts will be brought out for private use and some put on the market for sale. They usually bring $1 a gallon at Mill City.

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Markets

PORTLAND MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Cattle and hogs steady today, sheep strong.

Eggs—Weak, current receipts 29 cents.

Butter—Firm, prime firsts 48 cents.

Butterfat—Firm.

VISIBLE SUPPLY.

NEW YORK (AP).—The visible supply of American grain shows the following changes in bushels:
Wheat increased 1,927,000.
Corn decreased 1,083,000.
Oats increased 3,641,000.
Rye decreased 242,000.
Barley increased 148,000.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP).—Wheat—Hard white B. S. Baker, August $1.58, September $1.55; soft white, August $1.57, September $1.56; hard winter, August $1.56; September $1.56; northern spring, August $1.54, September $1.53; western red, August $1.52, September $1.51; B B B hard white, August $1.60, September at $1.60.

Oats—No. 2 white feed, August $31, September 31; No. 2 gray, August $30, September $30.

Corn—No. 2 E. Y. shipment, August $46.75, September $46.75.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

NEW YORK (AP).—Stocks—Irregular; General Railway Signal soars 11¼ to record top.

Bonds—Mixed; Poland 5s at new low.

Foreign exchange—Steady; lira up 6 points.

Cotton—Lower; bearish crop reports.

Sugar—Easier; increased offerings of raw sugar.

Coffee—Higher; firmer Brazilian market.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat—Barely steady; poor foreign demand.

Corn—Higher; bullish visible.

Cattle—Strong.

Hogs—Higher.

MEDFORD COUNCIL BUSY

MEDFORD, Ore.—Record breaking was the legislative work of the city council in passing 16 ordinances and adopting regulations pertaining to the special election called for October 5, at which the voters will be asked to vote $375,000 in bonds for the construction of a new city water system with the Big Butte spring as the source of supply.

Other matters to be voted on at this time will include the annexation of territory adjoining the city and a bond issue proposition of $50,000 for a new city hall.

Thresher Saved Team; Injured

BROWNSVILLE, Ore.—In order to save his team and a threshing machine from destruction, George Cox of this city risked his life and is now laid up at his home here from injuries sustained. Cox was unloading bundles from his wagon. A spark from the engine set his load on fire, but Cox drove the wagon away from the thresher, jerked his team from their haunches so they could be unhooked then sprang from the flaming load. By jumping to the hard ground he broke some bones in his foot.

This Picture Saved His Life

This picture helped save the life of Arnulfo Valles, who killed a policeman in El Paso, Tex. It lay on the desk of Gov. Mariam Ferguson. She looked at the snapshot of Valles and his little sisters and, at the last moment, decided Valles should not hang. His sentence was commuted to life imprisonment.

President's Son a Soldier

John Coolidge, son of the president, is a soldier now! This photograph shows him with Gen. Malvern Hill Barnum at the citizens' military training camp at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

Celtic Congress Fears Irish Language Dying

DUBLIN (AP)—There was recently concluded in Dublin an interesting congress representing all sections of the Celtic age, delegates attending from Gaelic Scotland, from Wales, and from Brittany. The discussions were largely concerned with the preservation of the Irish language. Eamon De Valera said that emigration from the Irish speaking districts of Ireland was the greatest difficulty to be contended with. He was satisfied, he declared, that those at the head of affairs, could, if they wished, get money to establish industries to keep the Gael at home.

Other speakers said the language was dying because the native speakers set no value on it. Professor Gruffydd from Wales said that any amount of teaching of the language in the schools was of no more use in saving it "than a Bahang cymbal" unless another were put into it something that gave dignity to the person who spoke it.

It was urged that emigration from the Irish speaking districts should be stopped. A resolution was adopted unanimously declaring that Irish should be essential in the final examination for degrees in every college for doctors, lawyers and engineers, and that laws should be passed accordingly.

POLICE IDENTIFY WOMAN

SALEM, Ore.—A young woman who was brought to the police station apparently suffering from excessive indulgence in liquor or drugs, was identified by the police as Frances Alcorn of Seattle. Friends of the girl in Seattle were notified of her condition.

Two men, who picked up the girl on the Pacific highway eight miles north of Salem, said she had staggered along the road and had narrowly escaped being run down by automobiles. She was released from jail when bail was furnished for her in the amount of $25. Miss Alcorn gave her age as 25 years.

Group to Collaborate With League, Report

GENEVA, (AP)—Word has been received of the formation of the American National Committee on Intellectual Cooperation, which is to collaborate with the League of Nations permanent International Committee on Intellectual Cooperation. Similar national groups exist in other countries which are members of the league.

Inazo Nitobe, assistant secretary general, received a cablegram from R. A. Millikan, California, who is a member of the League's Central Committee, that the American group is headed by Elihu Root.

It also includes George E. Hale, honorary chairman of the National Research Council; Charles H. Maskins, chairman of the Council of Learned Societies; Herbert Putnam, librarian of Congress; Virginia C. Gildersleeve, president of the International Federation of University Women; Lorado Taft, member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters; James H. Breasted, American Philological Organizations; Charles W. Eliot, Vernon Kellogg, secretary of the National Research Council; Augustus Trowbridge, International Education Board; C. R. Mann, director of the American Council on Education, and R. A. Millikan.

FOUR ACCIDENTS FATAL

SALEM, Ore.—There were four fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending August 6, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission.

The victims were Conrad Erickson, Plush, farmer; Edward L. Davis, Portland, chaser; Charles Benson, steel worker, and Harry Stiles, Klamath Falls pile driver.

Of the total of $18 accidents reported $14 were entitled to the protection afforded under the workmen's compensation act, 163 were from firms and corporations that have rejected the law, and three were from public utility corporations not subject to the provisions of the act.

Veteran of Frontier Retires After Long Police Service

LOS ANGELES (AP).—Thirty-eight years of faithful service as a member of the Los Angeles police department were culminated recently with the retirement of Charles W. Moffatt, a colorful figure in early western frontier life. Moffatt rose from patrolman to inspector of detectives.

In the 68 years of his life he has been printer, newspaper reporter, miner, sheep rancher, broncho-buster, Indian fighter, prospector, poet and author of outdoor life. He was in Alaska during gold rush days. There were 87 members of the Los Angeles police force when he entered it. Two years later he assisted in forming the first detective division. It consisted of four plain clothes men.

The veteran' secret hobby is cultivating the flowers and shrubbery that surround the old-fashioned house in which he has lived for nearly 40 years.

Crawfordsville Home Burned

BROWNSVILLE, Ore. — The dwelling of George Ward at Crawfordsville was burned to the ground. The fire fighters kept the blaze from spreading to other buildings. The loss to the Wards, partially covered by insurance, was about $3000.

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