

# UNION LOCAL NEWS OF WEEK

**UNION.** (Special)—Jess Spencer, who for the past few years has conducted a book hall in the N. E. building, the first of the month moved into the Turner building which is now the property of George Baird.

The horseback riding party consisting of Tony Smith, Dave Van Houten, C. L. Caldwell, George Clark, Ralph Smith, and Dean Hutchinson, who started out into the hills last Sunday morning arrived in Cove Saturday and telephoned over for a car, as they desired themselves somewhat weary of riding in the middle. They all arrived home that same evening and declare that a bully good time was had.

The L. A. Wright Drug company has received its shipment of school text books and they find that the prices have been lowered from 10 to 25 percent on nearly all the books for this year, which is attributed to the mixup between the textbook commission and the state legislature.

With many of the ranches above Union in the middle. They all signs and the water below the town very low at this time of the year there is very little chance for fishing near here the rest of the season.

George Seibert, editor of the local newspaper, The Republican, accompanied by Mrs. Seibert, took a day off and attended the circus in La Grande Thursday. Raymond Pitt, science teacher and coach in the Union High School, returned a few days ago from Corvallis, where he was attending summer school, especially the course offered for high coaches.

**Truck Demonstrated.**  
A representative of a firm in Portland was in Union Wednesday

afternoon and gave demonstration of the work of a fire truck which he was trying to induce the city council to purchase. The local fire ladders were out keeping with the truck, which included pumping water from a hydrant and also from the creek at the bridge on Main street. Following this work the council will decide later about purchasing some such apparatus.

The mill pond of the Union Flouring mill has been drained and a force of workmen are tearing out the old pipe line which leads to the mill. This line will be greatly improved and with the installation of the turbine water wheel, the water power of the mill will be materially increased. At present the mill is running on electric power.

Miss Alice Caldwell, who has been visiting in western Washington for the past few weeks, arrived home Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. Albert Caldwell and son Harold of Karcenok, British Columbia, and Mrs. Lord of Everett, Washington, who visit at the Caldwell home here for a short time.

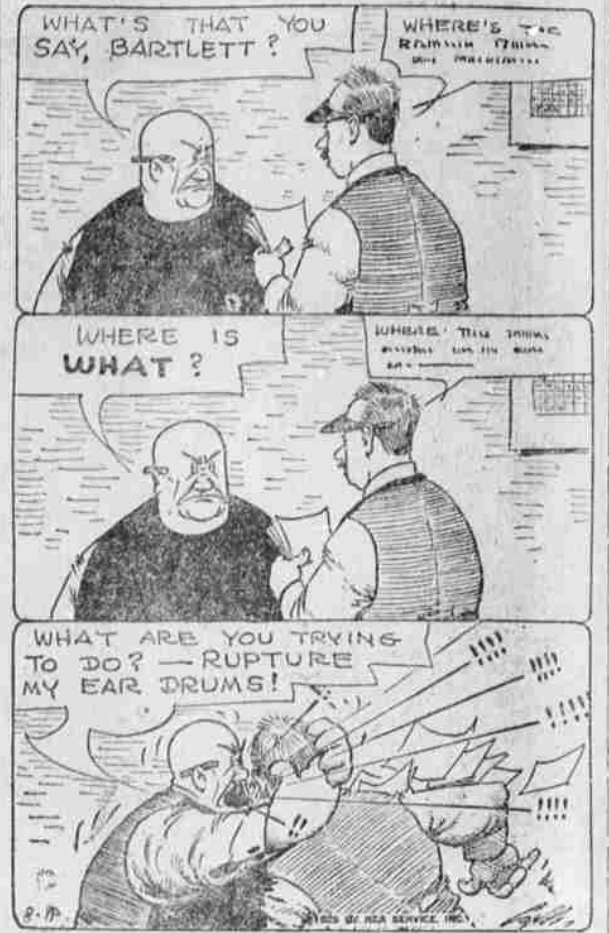
Thursday afternoon when Mr. Chinn was returning from the Reut ranch just west of town, his car from some reason which he is unable to give, went into the ditch and turned over. The three occupants, Mr. Chinn, and his two nieces, Misses Edith and Lora Scott, were thrown out, one girl jumping into the ditch and the other going through the windshield. Although all three were cut and bruised, Mr. Chinn was able to drive the car into town when it had been pulled out of the ditch.

Another auto brought the girls home and a doctor was summoned. The injuries were less serious than was at first thought. No apparent reason can be given for the accident, as Mr. Chinn is a slow careful driver.

**Picnic Veterans Union.**  
Thursday Governor Walter M. Pierce was in town shaking hands with old friends. He had been with the board of regents who visited the state farm and was on his way back to the ranch out in the valley.

Friday afternoon a number of the Junior Chamber girls very successfully carried out what had been planned as a surprise on their grandmas, Mrs. Ruby Knight. They went to her home in North Union and spent the afternoon in a pleasant social time, ice cream, cake, and other eats were on hand and the girls and their greatly surprised hostesses throughout

## OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE By Condo



By enjoyed themselves. The Missionary Society of the Methodist church had last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charley Kuhn in North Union.

Besides the regular members of the society, there was a program and the election of officers for the coming year's work. The following ladies will fill the offices of the society: President—Gracia Halvey, Vice—Maggie Van Houten, Secretary—Mrs. Homer Chorney, Treasurer—Edith P. Corbett, Mrs. D. H. Creator. Refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. Edith Connor.

The city council has finally decided to purchase the fire area which is installed at the city hall and make it a permanent fixture of the fire department.

Wheat harvest is getting under way and much grain is being brought in to the local flouring mill.

**Picnic Dated.**  
Next Wednesday is the day set for the annual old folks picnic at Goodrod lake in South Union. A number of local men and women are on the program, but the main address of the afternoon will be given by Donnan Wright of Medical Springs. The committee in charge will have autos on hand to care for all the old folks who do not have means of their own for getting to the lake.

Manager Loufidge of the Eastern Oregon L. and P. company was present at the council meeting



**THE IMAGE OF COOLIDGE,** many say of George G. Reed, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Keener Sr., Kingsport, Tenn. He has the Coolidge smile, a few freckles, and sandy hair. Picture was taken at the White House just after George Jr. had a led upon the president.

**SHOE STOPS SNAKE BITE.**

**HOOD RIVER, Ore.**—A party of young people motoring to The Dalles observed a rattlesnake leaving the roadside and crawling into a pile of loose rock.

Eager for rattler trophies, Lewis Hart, armed with a jack handle, rushed the snake, landing on the reptile to prevent its escape in the debris. He intended to land close to its head, but fell short and the rattler struck backward, its fangs puncturing the toe of his shoe. Hart killed the snake with a stroke from the jack handle and expressed his satisfaction that his shoes were not a snag for the rattler's fangs, did not reach his toes.

Yrnie, a brown roanuck which grows in Japan, is rich in potash and makes an excellent fertilizer.

## Farm Pointers

To keep the soil in maximum production in Oregon it has become necessary to rotate much of the crop land. This also requires careful handling and proper use of fertilizer on many Oregon soils. Definite amounts of plant food, especially nitrogen, sulfur, phosphorus and potassium are required for each crop and. These amounts are most economically retained and replenished by crop rotation and fertilizer.

The legumeberry is a rather luxuriant grower, and frequently its young shoots are from 18 to 20 feet in length by autumn. If allowed to grow naturally, these spread out on the ground in all directions and are in the way of pickers and tillage tools. During the growing season, therefore, they should be trained to run along the rows. Short sticks or wire hooks may be used to keep them in place three or four weeks, or hooks being sufficient for each plant.

Grinding small grains for pig feed showed a saving of 10 per cent over feeding whole grain in the average of all tests conducted at the Corvallis and the Union experiment stations. This saving resulting from grinding small grains over the United States was 12 per cent. The percentage is figured on the amount of feeding necessary to produce 100 pounds of gain.

Every rotation should contain a cash crop, at least one legume, a cultivated crop, manured and livestock feeding crop, so distributed as to give economical farm labor. Grain is raised in after a row crop. The land is seeded to clover and the clover turned under for a row crop. This makes plowing necessary only every third year.

Soil soils have a more or less characteristic vegetation. Common plants on sour soils are red sorrel, moss, golden rod, brim, and butter cup.

## Wins Degree



Sister St. Mary of Cyprian, a 72-year-old nun attached to a convent in a small Louisiana town, has finally received a bachelor of arts degree from Loyola University. She graduated with forty-two others at the college, all of them young and many of them of the "flapper" type.

the concession lapsed. Other American interests, it is understood, as well as some foreign companies, are now competing for the monopoly.

Persia is encouraging the investment of American capital for the building of railways, port facilities, and other public works.

There may be nothing new under the sun, but some mighty strange things happen under the moon.

## Local Rates to Be Reduced

SAL. EM. Ore. — Effective September 1 local rate charges on transcontinental shipments destined to branch lines in Oregon will be reduced from 20 to 25 per cent, the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company has advised the public service commission in a new tariff schedule filed here. The reduction is applicable to points on the Bend, Condon, Post Rock, Heppner, Shaniko and Joseph branches.



## LOW FARES

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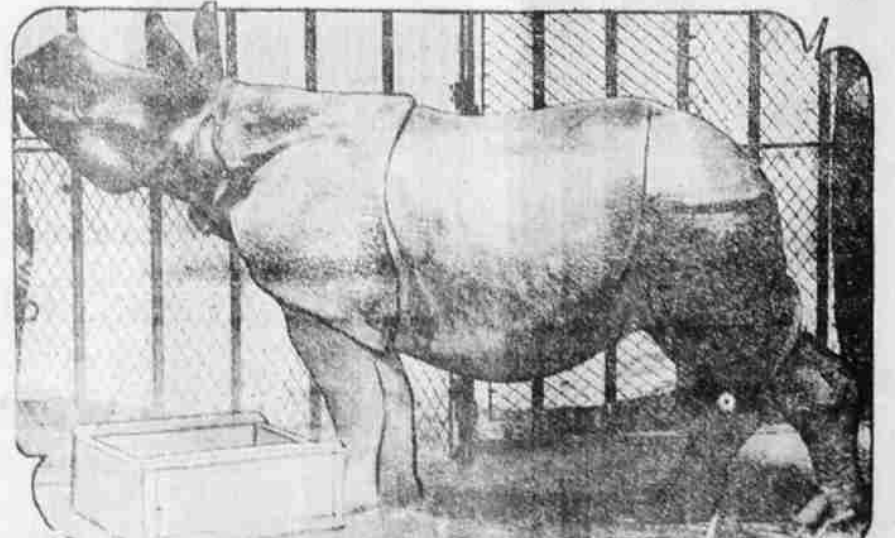
For complete particulars, folder and reservation apply to **Canadian Pacific Railway** W. H. Deacon - Gen'l Agent, Post Office, 55 Third St., Multnomah Hotel Bldg., Portland. For freight see O. R. Rules, District Traffic Agent.

## National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the District Forester, Portland, Oregon, up to and including September 10, 1925, for all merchantable dead timber standing or down, and all live timber marked or designated for cutting on an area embracing about 6,000 acres within T. 1 R. 36 E.; T. 1 S. 37 E.; and T. 2 S. 37 E., W. M., Firepoint and East Fork, Mounchin Creek watersheds, Umatilla National Forest, Oregon, estimated to be 22,000,000 feet B. M. of western yellow pine, 250,000 feet B. M. of lodgepole pine (P. flexilis), 100,000,000 cubic feet of Douglas fir, western larch, white fir, Engelmann spruce, and other species of timber. Cutting of other species than western yellow and lodgepole pine to be optional with the purchaser. No bid of less than \$225 per M. feet for yellow and lodgepole pine, and \$250 per M. feet for other species will be considered. \$5,000 must be deposited with each bid to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of sale. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Pendleton, Oregon, or the District Forester, Portland, Oregon.



**SHEEP ARE THE MOST PLAYFUL OF ALL ANIMALS,** and this includes the big horn specie of the Glacier National Park. This is just a friendly tussle by two while their seconds look on with calm interest.



**THIS BABY RHINOCEROS, BROUGHT OVER FROM INDIA,** has been sold to the Cincinnati Zoo for \$10,000. It is the first rhinoceros received in this country in 15 years. The "baby" weighs 1000 pounds, and is six feet and five inches long. The rhinoceros has a bad temper and inborn love for attacking other animals.

## Persia Would Grant Oil Concessions for Loan

**BAGDAD, (AP)**—American capital will be mobilized for the exploitation of the oil resources of Northern Persia if Dr. C. A. Millspaugh, formerly of the United States state department, now financial adviser to the Persian government, succeeds in his mission to the United States.

Dr. Millspaugh is returning from Teheran to the United States, where he will confer with American oil interests about the granting of oil concessions in Persia. These concessions, it is stated, will depend on the concessions making the Persian government a loan of \$10,000,000. At one time arrangements were practically completed with the Sinclair Oil interests to take over the concession on this condition. This agreement failed over some details and

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