Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

Union County Fair at Elgin, September 23-26, inclusive.

Union County Annual Armistice Day Celebration — La Grande—November 11.

At Round-Up—
Jess Andrew is at Pendleton today attending the Round-Up.

Gone to Pendleton—
Robert Miller has gone to Pendleton, where he has accepted a position.

Home From Lake—
Mrs. Oscar Cutler has returned to her home here after several weeks' illness at Hot Lake sanatorium. She is much improved.

Returns to La Grande—
Max Cullen has returned to La Grande after spending the summer months at Seaside, where he was employed.

Here Yesterday—
Ted Gillenwater passed through here yesterday on his way to Pendleton from Baker. He will attend the Round-Up.

In Pendleton—
Mrs. C. W. Noyes is in Pendleton this week visiting at the home of her son, Ray Noyes. She expects to return to her home here Monday.

Have Baby Son—
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Greiner are the parents of a baby boy born to them September 12 at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Marriage License Issued—
A marriage license has been issued from the county clerks office to William Childer, of La Grande, and Miss Ethel Bennett, of Elgin.

To Leave Friday—
Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fitzgerald will leave Friday for Corvallis where they will make their home. It's winter and Mr. Fitzgerald will attend the Oregon Agricultural college.

Fined $10 and Costs—
Ed Hayes was fined $10 and costs in the Justice court yesterday by Judge Hugh E. Brady for leaving a camp fire burning. Mr. Hayes makes his home near Meacham.

About the Same—
Miss Maxine McNeal, who is at Grande Ronde hospital with a fractured skull, is reported to be about the same today. She is progressing nicely, but improvement is slow.

Drum Corps to Pendleton—
The American Legion drum corps went to Pendleton this morning and will spend the day there. They will march in the Round-Up parade. Twenty-six men made the trip by auto.

Went to Baker—
Miss Odessa George went to Baker this morning and will spend some time there with her mother. She has accepted a position in Baker and will also attend the Baker high school.

Attending Round-Up—
Routh McKennon and Mr. Bryant, of Alicel, left this morning for Pendleton, where they will spend two days taking in the Round-Up. While there Mr. McKennon expects to contract a number of Indians from the reservation to help harvest his potato crop.

Left Last Night—
John Robinson left La Grande last night for Pendleton, where he will attend the Round-Up, after which he will go to Eugene, where he will resume his studies at the University of Oregon.

Visiting Here—
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loney Sr., of Seattle, Washington, and Mrs. Ivy Loney, of Portland, are visiting in La Grande this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Loney Jr.

Suitcase at Station—
The police report that they discovered a suitcase near the railroad track, which they are now holding at the police station awaiting the arrival of its owner. The suitcase contains a pencil sharpener, sample oils, brushes and the like.

To Attend U. of O.—
Miss Fonda Hanks, Miss Eleanor Glass and Miss Thelma Kitchen left this morning for Pendleton, where they will attend the Round-Up, after which they will go to Portland. After a few days spent in Portland they will go to Eugene, where they will enter the University of Oregon this year.

Move to Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Mays and family will leave the last of this week for Portland, where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Mays have lived here a number of years, Mr. Mays being connected with the Red Cross Drug store here for some time.

Here Last Evening—
George Statton B. Y. P. U. president for the state of Oregon, spent last night in La Grande the guest of the Rev. G. A. Pollard. Mr. Statton left this morning for Baker to attend the B. Y. P. U. rally there this evening. He was accompanied by his little nephew, Larry Brown.

Markets

PORTLAND MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Butter, butterfat—Steady.
Eggs—Extras, one cent lower.
Cattle, calves, sheep—Steady.
Hogs—25 cents lower.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Butterfat 60½c here today.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—Hard white, B. S. Baart, September, $1.49; October, $1.49; soft white, September, $1.47½; October at $1.47; western white, September, $1.47; October, $1.45; hard winter, September $1.44; October, $1.45; western white, September, $1.45; October, $1.43; BBB, hard white, September, $1.50; October, $1.50.
Oats—No. 2 white feed, September, $29; October, $19; No. 2 gray, September, $28; October, $28.
Corn—No. 2 E. Y. shipment, September, $41.50; October, $41.50.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks — Heavy; many high priced shares decline 2 to 5 points.
Bonds—Irregular; trading activity centers in rail issues.
Foreign exchange—Mixed; French exchange — Mixed; French francs gain; Belgian francs decline.
Cotton—Lower; profit-taking by commission houses.
Sugar—Easy; lower spot market.
Coffee—Weak; lower Rio offerings.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat—Higher; [illegible]; export buying.
Corn—Steady; small receipts.
Cattle—Steady; yearlings in active demand.
Hogs—Strong.

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CLOVER CREEK HARVEST ENDS

CLOVER CREEK (Special) — The harvest is almost finished in this section. The crops were very good. Many of the farmers are seeding their summerfallow. Pasture and ranges are good after the recent rains. The stock that is being brought from the mountains is fat.

Mrs. Ruby Dahlstrom and Mrs. Ben Baise were recent La Grande visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dahlstrom have returned to their home at Baker after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Williamson and two children were recent visitors here. Mr. Williamson came on business and his wife and children accompanied him.

Mr. Ashbee, a former resident of this section, was a recent business visitor here. Mr. Ashbee first came to Clover creek 54 years ago.

J. F. DeVore was a recent La Grande visitor.

Mrs. B. C. Dahlstrom and two daughters, Ruby and Lillie, were visitors to La Grande one day the past week.

School began Monday of this week with Miss Berniece West as instructor.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Long, of Pomeroy, Washington, have been visiting at the J. A. McCanse home. Mr. Long came to hunt, but as everyone is very busy in this section at the present time he hopes to return later for a hunt with his nephew, Edison McCanse.

Two large bunches of sheep, one belonging to N. Gray, of Cove, and one to the Hale brothers, passed through this week on their way to the Grande Ronde valley where they will be pastured.

Edison McCanse was a business visitor Monday of this week to La Grande.

Thursday was the first day of open season on deer and grouse, and there not too busy harvesting went hunting.

Mr. and Mrs Stanley Shaw will take their little girl to and from school at North Powder until they complete their harvesting here so they can move in.

Mrs. Lamrkin was called east this week by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Tally were recent visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Shaw.

ELECTRICAL STORM HITS 2 COUNTIES

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nearby tree and the father unharnessed his horses and led them to the barn where he was when the bolt slew his son. The boy was getting his horses ready to drive to the barn at the time of the fatality.

The electrical storm was accompanied by a heavy rain and some hail. No serious damage was done to fruit crops but threshing was halted and farmers will be unable to continue putting up their grain for several days.

COVE FRUIT SUFFERS

COVE, Ore. (Special)—A severe hail storm struck Cove and vicinity about 2:45 o'cock yesterday afternoon and badly damaged many orchards. Hail stones, some as large as walnuts, riddled the trees, knocking fruit to the ground and breaking limbs. Shingles were battered from several houses, auto tops pierced and windows broken. The storm lasted about 20 minutes. Estimates this morning had not been made as to the extent of the damage.

UNION ESCAPES

UNION, Ore. (Special.)—The electrical storm that passed over Union county yesterday afternoon missed Union in its full fury. Some hail and rain fell here but no damage has been reported today.

STORM HITS LA GRANDE

La Grande out of the direct path of the storm, nevertheless received a large amount of rain, which continued for several hours. One bolt of lightning struck somewhere in the city but no reports of damage have been received, although work in the fields and orchards have been halted temporarily.

HAIL HITS POWDER

BAKER, Ore. (Special.)—One of the most severe hail storms experienced in Powder river valley in many years occurred yesterday afternoon between 1:30 and 2 o'clock in the Wingville and Pocahontas districts, a few miles west of Baker.

So large were the hailstones that a number of chickens on the farms were killed.

CAILLAUX IS ON WAY TO AMERICA

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agreement France may have with Great Britain.

He said the French will be given every opportunity to present their side of the question and that the American commission would look after the United States' interests.

CLYDE WATSON ARRAIGNED

SALEM, Ore.—Clyde Watson, who was arrested recently at Astoria, charged with being implicated in the robbery of Aurora State bank at Aurora last October, was arraigned in justice court here. The prisoner took his day to plead. He will be defended by Walter Crithchlow, local attorney. Three men were implicated in the robbery which netted them $500.

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TO BUILD ADD TO M. E. CHURCH

COVE (Special) — The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church was entertained by Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. Edith L. Pease at the home of Mrs. Anderson on Wednesday afternoon. The affair was in the form of a silver tea to raise money for the addition to the church, which will be Sunday school rooms, a kitchen and woodshed. The contract will be let to Jas. Rundell and work will begin at once.

Officers for the year were elected as follows: Mrs. A. A. Antles, president; Mrs. Cora Peterman, first vice president; Mrs. Ruth Baker, second vice president; Mrs. Lynn Chadwick, secretary and Mrs. George McDaniel, treasurer. A building committee was appointed consisting of the president, vice president and secretary.

The afternoon's program consisted of a solo by Mrs. Eleanor Towle, a piano duet by Mrs. Paul Ellis and Mrs. Wes Smith, reading by Mrs. T. C. Hefty and a vocal duet by Mrs. Edith L. Pease and Mrs. George Anderson. There were 24 members and four visitors present.

The ladies of the Cove M. E. church are doing excellent work. At the beginning of this year the membership totaled forty-seven. Last year they made $224, which has nearly all been expended for repairs and improvements on the rectory. They have on hand a little more than $200 to add to the building fund. They will give a bazaar in December, the proceeds from which will be added to the building fund.

Picnic Held.

Labor day a picnic was given for the people of Cove, who have passed their sixtieth milestone in their journey through life. S. Snedeker, 90 years old, was the oldest present, and Mrs. Mary Moa, of North Powder, who is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. G. Wilson, came second at 87 years. Mrs. A. B. Conley, 84, was the oldest Cove woman present. A short program was given, consisting of a vocal solo by Mrs. Lou Payne, a solo by O. Eckersley and one by H. H. Little. Miss Nelle Eckersley, of Portland, spent the week end here with her parents.

Mrs. Ethel DeHaas left Wednesday for her school in Warrenton.

School began Monday with a large enrollment.

To Teach Here.

R. R. Bresnehan, of Colville, Washington, arrived Wednesday and will teach in the high school here. He will assume the work in agriculture and science.

School began on Monday in the Frosty district, with Mrs. Eva Duncan as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Richardson of Pendleton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Laird.

Miss Clarice Conklin left early in the week for Walla Walla, Washington, where she will attend school this winter.

Miss Nellie Stevens and her brother, Earl Stevens, of Portland, have been visiting among their old friends in Cove this week.

Mrs. A. B. Conley, of La Grande spent a few days in Cove this week a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conley.

Many Guests at Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gray of Lower Cove attended the picnic Monday. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. O. Eckersley, Mr. and Mrs. F. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Koger, Mr. and Mrs. O. Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sills, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lund, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. S. Snedeker, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Little, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Malone, Mr. and Mrs. George McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conley, Mr. and Mrs E. F. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Wagner, Mrs. M. E. Lovan, Mrs. Abbie Gayette, Mrs. Eva Milman, Mrs. A. B. Conley, Mrs. Alice Allen, Mrs. Lou Payne, Mrs. Mary Moa, Mrs. Nellie Grace, Mrs. Anna Lorenz, Mrs. E. G. Richardson, Mrs. Margaret Wade, Mrs. Mary Hoffman, Mrs. Melissa Ego, M. O. Lawrence, E. D. Millard, W. A. Marten, T. P. Gardner, John Parker and W. W. Guthrie.

Miss Alice Marquardt, the county nurse, came over Tuesday for the tenth of her series of lessons in home nursing.

Mazamas at Cascade Locks.

CASCADE LOCKS, Ore. — The steamer Avadeline of Portland arrived in Cascade Locks today with 120 Mazamas aboard. They spent last night at Warrendale, coming on to Cascade Locks this morning. The majority climbed the mountains back of town, while others lounged about the government grounds and picnicked. The steamer left the locks at 2 o'clock bound for Portland. It is the first steamer excursion to Cascade Locks in several years.

27 YEARS AGO

Eastern Oregon Observer, September 16, 1898. — J. L. Hinman's fall wheat yield was 45 bushels per acre.

Editor Ed Pollack of the Wallowa Herald was in the city last week.

Union county according to the census made by the state in 1895 had 10,354 people in it, of these 6,697 were males and 4,768 females.

At a meeting of the council last Wednesday night an ordinance was passed prohibiting cook wagons from obstructing the streets and parties from holding meetings on the streets.

The Misses Nellie and Mae Stephens expect to leave in a few days for Chicago. Miss Nellie will take a course in journalism and Mae will continue her studies in music.

Miss Pearl Pennington, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pennington, has taken her departure for McMinnville to attend the state agricultural college.

A. B. Conley had shipped 37 cars of wheat to Portland up to Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Pike and Mrs. Liddy Richardson spent the first part of the week at Union.

Married—In this city Tuesday, September 13, by the Rev. Father A. Moore, Cecil Smith and Miss Laura Howett.

Married—At the residence of the bride's parents in Pine Valley, Sunday, September 11, N. L. Skiff and Miss Mary Leep.

Married—In Elgin, by the Elder G. E. Mayfield, William Childers and Miss Cora Morelock.

Married—In Athena, on September 6, at the home of Mrs. W. T. Koontz, the Rev. Ambrose Roberts, of Cove, and Miss Josslyn Koontz.

Born—In this city, Saturday, September 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burrough, a son.

J. E. Reynolds, who is interested in two big steam threshers, was in the city Saturday reporting that not more than one-half of the crop of the valley was harvested and that the yield was not quite up to last year, but was very good.

Alfred Peterson of Missouri, is in the valley purchasing winter apples.

Mrs. E. M. Anson and daughter, Miss Margaret, leave this week to visit friends in Omaha and Iowa.

Mrs. William Erickson, accompanied by Master Hal Bohnenkamp, left Tuesday evening for the east to visit friends and relatives.

Jesse Imbler, an old pioneer of this valley, passed through the county this week en route to Wallowa county from Hood River.

County School Superintendent E. E. Bragg, spent Sunday in the city, returning home Monday morning.

Miss Nellie Stevens is assisting Miss Bessie Worstell in the school room this week.

La Grande is daily receiving new additions to its population from all parts of the United States. Last Monday two families, including six persons, arrived from Timmer, Wyoming. Their names were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Farris and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Farris and family.

French Wheat Crop Is Larger Than Last Year

PARIS (AP)—Minister of Agriculture Rurand told the cabinet Tuesday morning that this year's wheat crop is officially estimated at 89,000,000 quintals. (A quintal is equivalent to 220.46 pounds.)

Forecasting an estimate of 85,000,000, L'Matin pointed out that this is nine million quintals more than last year's crop. France's needs amount to ninety million quintals, the paper added, so it would be necessary to import only five million.

Russia is beginning to export quantities of wheat to France.

TRADE BALANCE SHOWN

WASHINGTON (AP)— Exports from the United States for August were $383,000,000 and imports $375,000,000, leaving a favorable balance of $8,000,000.

The figures, made public by the commerce department compared with exports of $330,658,000 and imports of $254,542,000 in August, 1924, when the month's balance of trade favorable to the United States was approximately $76,000,000.

Imports for August, 1925 were larger than those of any month of the calendar year with the exception of March, when they were $385,000,000. They were also larger than those of any single month in 1924.

Exports for August have been several times exceeded by monthly records during the last year and a half.

The movement of previous metals was small during August, but at the same time the United States increased its stock of gold, with imports of $4,861,736 against exports of $2,135,699.

For the year 1925 to date, however, the gold imports have been $55,733,352, with exports of $197,488,601, making the loss of gold for the year $141,756,249.

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