Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

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

Visiting Here Sunday—
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith were visiting in La Grande Sunday. Their home is at Wallowa.

Left Sunday—
Mrs. Roswick A. Clark left Sunday for Garfield, Kansas, called by the death of her mother.

Here From Merrill—
A. H. Stange, of Merril, Wisconsin, is visiting in La Grande at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stange and Mr. and Mrs. Kenzel.

At Ontario Today—
H. G. Smith, district highway engineer, left this morning for Ontario on an inspection trip. He expects to be back tomorrow night.

At Meacham Today —
E. G. Bickford, employed by the state highway department here is at Meacham today surveying and setting stakes for a channel change at the Meacham overhead.

Mr. Hayden Better —
Guy Hayden is much improved and is able to be up again after a weeks illness. He will probably be back to work at the Bootery tomorrow.

Visiting Here—
Mrs. Charles DeForest, of Portland, is visiting in La Grande the guest of Mrs. H. S. Brownton. Mrs. DeForest formerly lived here and has many friends here.

Went to Baker—
Mrs. C. E. Happersett accompanied Mrs. Ida Warnock, a missionary from Central America, to Baker yesterday, where she was to speak at the Baptist church. Mrs. Happersett is district superintendent of Baptist Missions.

Attend Barber School —
Floyd Hameke and Leon Baird, both of Wallowa, passed through La Grande this morning on their way home after two months spent in Portland, where they attended a school for barbers.

Will Build Snow Fences —
Oscar Cutler, local highway engineer is at Emigrant hill this afternoon inspecting maintenance work there. The highway department expects to build additional snow fences in a number of places along this section this fall.

Left For Weiser —
James Henry, of this city, left this morning for Weiser, Idaho. Mr. Henry, an employ of the Harvey Foster Advertising company, was transferred to the new plant at Weiser and will take charge immediately upon his arrival there.

Goes to Portland—
Mrs. George Williams, of La Grande went to Portland this morning.

Out Again—
Col. F. S. Ivanhoe is able to be out again after being confined to his home for several days because of illness.

Returning to Wallowa—
J. F. Wamsford returned this morning to Wallowa, from where he accompanied a car of livestock to Portland a few days ago.

Returning From Illinois—
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kidd, Portland, are at Sommer hotel, stopping for a short time on their way home from Sterling, Ill., where they have been visiting.

Here on Business —
James J. Shea and Bert Leo, Portland, representing the Continental Casualty on Railroads, were in town today transacting business for the company.

Guests in La Grande—
Mrs. L. A. Swallish and son, Bobbie, are guests this week at the Clyde Zimmerman home. Mr Swallish is expected to join them here and go on.

Buys Wallowa Ranch—
C. E. Johnson passed through La Grande this morning on his way from Walla Walla, Wash., to Wallowa county, where he has purchased a ranch.

Licensed to Wed—
Marriage licenses were issued Monday to Fred L. Creason and Violet Kyllo, of La Grande, and Leland W. Phillips and Edith Olive Nelson, of Island City.

To Demonstrate at Fair—
Mrs. Inez Boggs was in La Grande this morning on her way from Salt Lake City to Enterprise, where she will demonstrate sewing machine attachments at the Wallowa fair.

Left For Home —
Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Savage and their daughters, Helen and Wilma, who have been visiting at the D. H. Proctor home here over the week end, left today for their home at Enterprise.

Returns Home —
Mrs. B. A. Benham and daughter, Miss Viola Benham, have returned to their home here after two weeks spent at Portland and Astoria, where they visited relatives. They report an excellent trip.

To Visit at Enterprise —
Miss Irene Merton passed through La Grande this morning on her way to Enterprise, where she will visit friends. Miss Merton's home is in Portland. She expects to be at Enterprise for about a month.

Granted a Divorce—
Mrs. Fern W. Rizor was granted a divorce from Clarence B. Rizor to whom she was married at Pendleton in 1914, yesterday in Judge J. W. Knowles court. The charge was cruel and inhuman treatment.

Bankers in Town—
W. T. McDowell, Tacoma, president of the Pacific Savings and Loan Association, and D. A. Baker, special representative for Oregon, are here today to confer with Charles H. Reynolds, agent for the company.

Attended Grand Lodge—
Mr. and Mrs. James Moss, William McClure and Mose Elliot, returned last night from Portland, where they attended the grand lodge sessions of I. O. O. F. Mrs. Moss made the trip by train, the men motoring through.

Will Judge at Enterprise—
E. R. Jackman, and Miss L. O. Case, from Oregon Agricultural college, who will be judges in the farm and women's departments at the Wallowa fair this week, are registered at Hotel Sommer.

Begins Meetings Sunday—
Elder Charles Watson, of Port Falls, Idaho, will begin meetings at the Church of God Chapel Sunday to continue for two weeks. Mr. Watson is a good speaker and a large number of people are expected to attend.

Ends Six Weeks Visit —
Mrs. Anna Clausen, of Portland, who has been visiting here with a daughter, Mrs. M. W. Courtney, for about six weeks, returned this morning to her home in Portland. Mrs. Clausen lived at Baker until three years ago.

Letter Received Here—
A letter has been received here at the state highway offices here from F. F. Bohling, county clerk of Mills City, Custer county, Wyoming, inquiring about the cost and method of instructing oiled macadam roads. Mr. Bohling recently traveled through this state and was favorably impressed with the oiled roads of Oregon. He plans to try and persuade the county commissioners of that county to construct oiled roads there.

Represent Railroads Here—
J. I. Purdy, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Union Pacific railroad, and R. D. Farrell, Seattle, who fills a corresponding position with the Wabash road, are here on official business for their respective companies.

Senator Stanfield on Train —
Robert N. Stanfield, junior United States senator from Oregon, was on board an eastbound train through La Grande yesterday, going to Salt Lake City in the interests of the movement to curtail the opening of government lands to settlers.

Attending Oregon Fair—
A. E. Sayre left last evening for Salem, where he accompanied Helen Nedeker, Mt. Glenn, Edna Gilkison, Wolf Creek, Allen Mills Cove, and Lyle Ledbetter, Imbler, representing Boys' and Girls' clubs of Union county, and a girl from the clubs in Wallowa to the state fair.

Visits Former Home—
After a three weeks visit with relatives she had not seen in 26 years, Mrs. William Pieper, who lives at Summerville, returned this morning from Columbus, Neb., her former home. Besides her father, Henry Rehbock, 82 she saw two sisters, Mrs. Charles Watzmer and Mrs. August Fickel.

Radio Program Tonight—
The Salvation Army Staff Band, of San Francisco, California will broadcast from Oakland, California tonight. Through the courtesy of the La Grande Electric Company a loud speaker will be installed in the local hall on Fir street and the public is invited to come and hear the program.

Takes Son to Hospital—
Mrs. Arch Stephensen, of Perry, went to Seattle this morning, where she is placing her small son, Archie, Jr., in a hospital for treatment for several months. The youngster, who has been spending the summer with a grandmother at Yakima, suffered an attack of infantile paralysis last year, and was slightly crippled, but the trouble seems to be yielding to treatment.

Plane En Route East—
A plane thought to be a Boeing pursuit plane which has been at Pendleton awaiting better weather, passed over La Grande this morning en route to McCook field at Dayton, Ohio, via the southern route. The machine was pressed into service by the big fleet of airplanes that visited Pendleton for the Round-Up and is piloted by Lieutenant G. P. Tourtellot, accompanied by B. Jones, navigation engineer.

Takes Mother to Portland—
Miss Florence Bacon, county treasurer, returned Monday morning from Portland, where she went Saturday to accompany her mother, Mrs. Sarah E. McCall, who will spend the winter there with another daughter, Mrs. Kan Smith. While in Portland, Miss Bacon called on Mrs. W. S. Parker, formerly of this city, who is recovering from a fall that resulted in a broken hip last June. Mrs. Parker has not yet been able to go downstairs, but is up and about her room for a few hours each day.

Minister To—
The Rev. F. E. Waelchli, New Church minister from Cincinnati, O., is in La Grande this week on his return trip from his annual itinerary among members of the denomination through states of the Pacific coast. While here, Mr. Waelchli will deliver a series of lectures on the doctrines of the church he represents for the benefit of New Church members and friends in this community. Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 2:30, he will speak at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Neiderer, 1605 Washington avenue. Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., he will deliver a lecture at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McKennon, 1002 Third street. He will speak Wednesday at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pine, 1421 U avenue. At 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, he will give a lecture at the Baptist church auditorium. Thursday evening, Miss Susannah Deal, 402 Fourth street, will open her home to the meeting and lecture. Everyone interested in the services is welcome to attend.

The name, "Puretest" means literally "Pure by Test." And nowhere is that name more full of meaning than on

Puretest Aspirin Tablets

They are made from TRUE aspirin, disintegrate promptly and give almost immediate relief.

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Markets

PORTLAND MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Cattle—Steady, at 25 cents decline late yesterday.

Hogs, sheep—Steady.

Eggs—Top grade one cent higher, firsts 36½c@37c; extras 39½c@40c.

Butterfat, butter—Steady.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Butterfat—62 cents here today.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Wheat—BBB, hard white, September, $1.31; October, $1.31; hard white B. S. Paart, September, $1.30; October, $1.30; soft white, September, $1.30; October, $1.30; western white, September, $1.29; October, $1.20; northern spring, September, $1.24; October, $1.23; hard winter and western red, September and October, $1.25.

Oats—No. 2 white feed, September and October, $28.50; No. 2 gray, September and October, $27.50.

Corn—No quotations.

WEEKLY GRAIN EXPORTS.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Exports of grain from the United States last week were 4,858,000 bushels as compared with 6,837,000 the previous week.

Commerce department figures Monday gave the following comparisons between last week's exports and those of the week before:

Wheat, 2,100,000 bushels against 5,294,000; rye, 8000 against none; oats, 1,205,000 against 1,334,000; corn, 300,000 against 218,000; barley, 1,274,000 against 2,021,000.

Canadian grains exported through United States ports last week amounted to 1,424,000 bushels against 628,000 the previous week, while total exports of North American wheat flour were 334,000 barrels last week against 155,000 the previous week.

VISIBLE GRAIN SUPPLY

NEW YORK (AP)—The visible supply of American grain shows the following changes in bushels:

Wheat increased 3,855,000.
Corn decreased 721,000.
Oats increased 547,000.
Rye increased 1,195,000.
Barley increased 723,000.

MITCHELL LAMBASTS ARMY, NAVY

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ant Colonel Foulois had testified, reiterated his demand for a department of national defense which he declared should be established by the next congress.

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press).—The policy forming body of the war department, the army general staff, was blamed for handicaps placed upon the army air service today, by Lieutenant Colonel Benjamin D. Foulois, commandant of Mitchell Field, L. I., pioneer in the army air service.

TWO-DAY FAIR AT WALLOWA SUCCESS

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event. Charles Johnson of Lower valley had the winning team. A stone-boat loaded with 30 sacks of wheat and several large men was used for loading the teams.

One display of general interest was a forest display exhibited by the Wallowa national forest service, with cards showing some interesting facts regarding the extent of the forest products and grazing areas of the county, including the following: area of Wallowa county, 2,612,800 acres, of which 1,120,913 acres comprises the Wallowa national forest. The total of the standing timber is estimated at 1,800 million board feet, with the average cut yearly ranging from six to 2 million feet. Cattle and horses grazed on national forest, 17,986; sheep, 60,039. Total receipts for year ending June 30, 1925, $57,926.76, 25 per cent of this amount going to county. Wallowa county receives from forest service from $15,000 to $25,000 annually. Roads built since 1920, 41 miles; trails, 70; cost of roads and trails placed at $77,550. Wallowa national forest range produces four million pounds of beef, two million pounds of mutton and one-quarter of a million pounds of wool annually.

Editor's Note—A list of prize-winners will be published in The Observer at a later date.

CHARGE MISSING JURIST

DALLAS, Ore.—Carl Frakes of this city last night entered the office of the Dallas garage and fired a shotgun at E. C. Kirkpatrick, ex-county judge, who was but a few feet distant. The shot missed Mr. Kirkpatrick, and Frakes was disarmed by Graham Glass of Portland, Mr. Kirkpatrick's brother-in-law, and P. J. Walton, proprietor of the garage.

The shooting was said to have been the outgrowth of ill feeling that existed between Kirkpatrick and Frakes' father, a well-known hop grower, who died recently. Frakes was not arrested. The case probably will be investigated by the Polk county jury, which convenes today.

Slashing Fire Permit Required

SALEM, Or.—Although the law provides that slashings shall be burned during the month of September, it does not exempt timber owners from the formality of obtaining a permit before burning, according to a legal opinion handed down by the attorney-general. The opinion was sought by F. A. Elliott, site forester. It was said that many timber owners have been burning their slashings without permits.

Patient Sues Dentist For $2000.

SALEM, Ore.—James Ingles filed suit in the circuit court here to collect $2000 damages from Dr. A. O. Olsen, prominent Salem dentist. Mr. Ingles charged that in pulling nine of his teeth Dr. Olsen allowed the roots to remain in his mouth, with the result that he suffered physically.

He Wins 'Em

Meet Mr. Ralph Powell, six times winner of the Nebraska state tennis title. He's also annexed the Omaha city championship on nine occasions and the Missouri Valley classic three times. He's now gone in for golf, where he hopes to acquit himself just as brilliantly.

Overcoats For Fall $16.95 to $25

You will find these coats tailored from smooth finished fabrics; the patterns and styles are the newest plaids and plain colors, made up in plain or belted backs. Our coats have been selected from thousands of garments in many, many New York wholesale houses; they have been chosen for their appealing styles, warmth and service.

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MAN, 77, KILLS HIMSELF

PENDLETON, Ore. — Ill health was attributed by neighbors as the cause of the suicide of R. S. Moyer, 77, Weston mountain man, who was found dead in his home. Death was caused by a gunshot wound, and was self-inflicted, according to N. Berkeley, acting coroner, and C. C. Proebsted, district attorney. No formal inquest was held.

The man lived alone. He had been suffering fro mill health during recent months, according to neighbors.

LA GRANDE BUDGET IS APPROVED

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money for 1926, include: miscellaneous, officials, engineering, fire, library, street, sewer, water, band and street lighting. The larger increases were made possible without swelling the budget's total by the elimination of the deficiency fund and the various cuts in other departments.

The budget, with comparisons with 1925, follows:

Officials — $12,110.50, 1925 — $10,802.50.
Engineering — $1,500, 1925 — $1,000.
Fire—$11,855, 1925—$8,140.
Health—$3,560, 1925—$4,023.
Riverside park—$1,400, 1925 — $1,800.
Auto park — nothing, 1925 — $900.
Police—$11,100, 1925—$11,110.
Library—$8,150, 1925—$7,500.
Street—$14,000, 1925—$5,920.
Sewer—$5,000, 1925—$600.
Water—$21,400, 1925—$14,020.
City building — $1,660, 1925 — $1,760.
Band—$1,400, 1925—$1,300.
Street lighting—$8,500, 1925 — $8,000.
Sinking fund—$15,000, 1925 — $17,500.
Miscellaneous — $5,000, 1925 — $1,190.
Emergency—$2,050, 1925—$2,400.
Deficiency of budget last year —$19,600, this year 0.

CHINESE ROW CAUSE GIVEN BY STODDARD

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that the chamber of commerce go on record as being in favor of elimination of the "Welcome" arch on Depot street and installing of archways on the Oregon Trail highway where it enters La Grande. The chamber voted unanimously in favor of such a resolution.

The meeting was called to order after the Rev. W. C. Hoss returned thanks.

ARCADE Saturday Matinee - Night Oct. 3

PRICES:
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NIGHT—Balcony, 85c; Lower Floor and Loges, $1.10
Matinee at 2:30; Night at 8:30

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The Paris
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"A WOMAN'S FAITH"
With
ALMA REUBENS and PERCY MARMONT
THURSDAY—"THE PACE THAT THRILLS"

Shreveport Fire Makes 1200 Homeless

Nearly 1200 persons were made homeless by a fire at Shreveport, La., which destroyed 200 dwellings and caused a property loss estimated from $750,000 to $1,000,000. The flames ate away a strip of the residential section 2000 feet long and 1000 feet wide. Six persons were injured fighting the fire. Here is one part of the devastated section.