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THE WEATHER PORTLAND (AP)—Oregon: Rain in the west; rain or snow in the east tonight and Sunday.

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THRIFT IS TOPIC FOR NEXT WEEK

La Grande Organizations to Join in National Observance

BANKERS LEADING SPIRIT OF MOVE

H. E. Coolidge Appointed Head of Local Thrift Committee; Schools and Churches to Help.

Thrift as the cornerstone to success and happiness will be urged upon the citizens of La Grande next week, in connection with the national-wide observance of thrift...

Secures Reckless Spending. Convinced that one of the great problems before the United States as a nation is "to put a curb on reckless spending and inflation of personal credit..."

Hevren and Greenwood associations both had special sessions on the subject at the meetings this week, Superintendent Saye.

PENNEY STORE OUTLOOK ROSY

The annual banquet of the local J. C. Penney company store for its employees took place Thursday evening at the Tiffin with fifteen people present. A delicious turkey dinner was served...

Legion Selects Cast For Musical Comedy

With the announcement this morning that Justice Hugh E. Brady had been assigned to the leading role in the legion's musical comedy, "The Whirl o' th' Town..."

Elgin Loses To Tigers In Hectic Game

Blue and White Team, Although Opposition Is Great, Chalks Up 19-8 Win.

BASKETBALL RESULTS At Elgin: La Grande 19, Elgin 8.

Although handicapped by the floor and partisan crowd, the blue and white basketball team decisively defeated the Elgin tigers 19 to 8 last night at the branch line town.

La Grande Holds Lead. La Grande took the lead in the first half, which ended 8 to 6, due to two baskets by Zundel and one each by Larson and Lyman.

Land Settlement Will Be Discussed Tuesday

The land settlement problem will be expounded at the regular forum luncheon of the chamber of commerce Tuesday noon by Arthur Foster, who is manager of the land settlement department for the commerce chamber at Portland.

Real Estate Board to Hold Session Monday

The La Grande Real Estate board will meet at a noon luncheon Monday at the Tiffin. William Miller, president, will preside over the meeting and plans for the Northwest Realtors convention to be held here in July will be discussed.

Record Fall



Private Stephen Bouffreau, 21, dropped 3500 feet toward earth from the cockpit of an airplane before his parachute opened.

CONCERT WILL BENEFIT ARMY

La Grande citizens will be interested in the benefit concert being planned for January 22 at the after-noon service of the La Grande branch of the Y.M.C.A.

Local Men To Aid In Moro Meet

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CONFERENCE TO BE SUBJECT OF HOT LAKE MEET

Speakers will be chosen, the program outlined, and the dates and place definitely arranged for the third annual economic conference at Hot Lake Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

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The economic conference of Eastern Oregon wheat growers to be held at Moro will have for its chairman, F. B. Ingels, of Dufur, according to information received here today.

Local Men on Committees. Five leading phases of wheat production and marketing are being considered, each in charge of a leading wheat grower.

Bridgegroom 89, Bride 50 Leave on Honeymoon

CHICAGO, (By the Associated Press)—Allen R. Wristley, 89-year-old founder and president of the Allen R. Wristley Soap Manufacturing company, set out yesterday on his honeymoon with his bride, formerly Miss Elizabeth Ludwig, 50, of Chicago.

ART CONTEST FINALS BEGIN

Forty-five little boys and girls determined to a child to carry off the honors for the schoolrooms they were proud to represent.

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PRESIDENT SCORED BY COPELAND

New York Democrat Assails Chief for Lack of "Big Stick"

SAYS COAL STRIKE COULD BE STOPPED

Coolidge's Attitude in the Anthracite Problem Is Upheld by Reed, Democrat, of Missouri.

WASHINGTON (By the Associated Press)—President Coolidge was assailed and defended today in the senate because of his attitude toward the anthracite suspension.

STUDY RECLAMATION

WASHINGTON, (By the Associated Press)—A thorough, impartial study of the whole reclamation problem and adoption of a fixed policy which would eliminate political influence was urged today in the report of the reclamation committee of the American Engineering council.

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Surtax Provisions to Go Back to Committee

WASHINGTON, (By the Associated Press)—The important surtax rate of the house tax reduction bill will be reconsidered by the senate finance committee with a view to working out a reduction on some of the lower brackets.

Domergue Brushing Up On English, Etiquette

PARIS (By the Associated Press)—President Domergue is taking a course in English and etiquette in anticipation of a visit to France by King George and Queen Mary.

Mike Yokel Beaten in Match; Spectator Dies

SPOKANE, (By the Associated Press)—Bill Meekins, Chicago wrestler, won two straight falls from Mike Yokel, champion of the world's light weight wrestling championship here last night in a bout featured by the death of a spectator from excitement and an unexplained battle between Yokel and Meekins.

Here's Real Radio Romance



Dr. Charles Herrold, who started the world 16 years ago when he broadcast music between San Jose, Cal., and San Francisco, will be married January 21 to Mrs. Helen Coleman in San Jose.

COUNTY WOOL GROWERS MEET

ENTERPRISE, Ore. (Special)—Wallawa county sheep growers met here recently to adjust forest range allotments, to reorganize their association and consider matters of common concern.

Hair Waiving Practiced By Women Before Christ

LONDON, (By the Associated Press)—Hair waiving as practiced by women 2,999 years before Christ is not altogether dissimilar to the modes of today, in the deduction of Leonard Woolley, after excavating at Ur of Chaldees, in Mesopotamia.

William Pollman Given Office in A. N. L. A.

PHOENIX, Ariz. (By the Associated Press)—C. M. O'Donnell of Bell Branch, N. M., was elected president of the American National Livestock association at its closing session, Louisa C. Britz of Marfa, Texas, was named first vice-president and Edward Burke of Nebraska, William Pollman of Oregon, Henry Bolco of Arizona, George Russell Jr., of Nevada and Hubbard Russell of California were named as second vice-presidents.

Snoring No Grounds For Divorce, Courts Declare

PARIS (By Associated Press)—The Paris courts in which American husbands are easily recognized as "practical at least" after the peace, but these dropped off when the husband returned. The judge denied divorce but advised the husband to stay away from the wife's care and get a job elsewhere.

Will Employ School Nurse

SANDBOPE, Ida.—The school board has authorized the employment of a school nurse. The decision was reached after recommendations were made by Dr. F. Wendle, county physician, who asked that a nurse be employed during the scarlet fever epidemic.

F.W. PARKER THROWS HIS HATINTORING

Gladstone "Standpat Republican" Will Seek Governorship

WALTER M. PIERCE EYES U. S. SENATE

Seriously Considering Advice of Friends to Keep Out of Gubernatorial Race.

OREGON CITY, (By the Associated Press)—F. W. Barker, of Gladstone, announced his candidacy for the Republican gubernatorial nomination at a meeting here last night.

PIERCE DOUBTFUL

SALEM, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—Governor Walter M. Pierce said last yesterday he is seriously considering the advice of friends that he be a candidate for United States senator and that he may abandon his previous plan to seek re-election as governor.

TEACHER HAS NO STUDENTS

LAKENAN, Missouri (By the Associated Press)—A school with no pupils is being operated north of Pilot Grove, near here. The teacher goes to school everyday, although she has no one to instruct.

LEWISTON SEES PULP MILL

LEWISTON, Ida.—The commercial club authorized appointment of a committee to confer with the Charwater Timber company, Lewiston, and the Island Empire Pulp company, Millwood, Wash., relative to establishing a pulp mill here.

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