

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

April 20—Last day to register for primary election.
May 3, 4, 5, 6—State convention of Women's clubs in La Grande.
May 6, 7, 8—Oregon DeMolay convention in La Grande.
May 21—Primary election.
June 9, 10, 11—Union Livestock show at Union, Ore.
July 22, 23, 24—Convention of Northwest Real Estate association in La Grande.
Sept. 22, 23, 24, and 25—Union county fair at Elgin, Ore.

To Baker on Business—
Sheriff Jesse Brechters was in Baker today on business.

Here from Enterprise—
George W. Wyatt is a business agent here from Enterprise today.

To Pendleton for Week End—
Miss Dorothy Elberhard went to Pendleton this morning for a week and visit.

To Visit in Portland—
Miss Louise O'Connell left this morning for Portland where she will visit all next week.

Visitor from Baker—
Miss Nova Terrill, of Baker, is a week end guest at the home of Mrs. J. V. Belts.

To Boise for Week End—
A. T. Hill left today by auto, for Boise, Idaho where he will spend the week end.

Tacoma Visitor Here—
Mrs. C. E. Bull and her daughter, of Tacoma, Washington, are visitors here.

Goes Home From Hospital—
Mrs. Ed Fields was taken to her home in La Grande this afternoon from the Grande Ronde hospital.

Has Minor Operation—
Mrs. Andrew Loney had a minor operation this morning at the Grande Ronde hospital. Her condition is described as good.

Going to Walla—
Mrs. Walter Cullen, of Huntington, was in La Grande this morning on her way to Walla, where she will spend two days at the home of Mrs. George Faussett.

Visits Former La Grande Girl—
Miss Lewanna Graham is visiting Miss Elizabeth Fergus at Pendleton over the week end. Miss Fergus lived in La Grande about four years ago.

Juniors to Give Ball—
The juniors of Cove high school have issued invitations for a class ball to be held at Cove the evening of March 26.

Home for Vacation—
Miss Genevieve Hanna arrived home from Walla Walla last night to spend a 10-day vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanna. She is a student at Whitman college.

Hi-Dads Give Party—
The Hi-Dads entertained the high school students, their parents and the faculty at a dancing party at the Elks hall last evening.

To Baker for Road Show—
Mrs. F. E. Ware and daughter, Georgia, Al Barth, Raymond Gray, Merrill Conley, Miss Vina Conley, Miss Othella Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playle were among the La

Grande residents who drove to Baker for the musical comedy at the Clark today.

Registered in La Grande—
M. H. Thompson and Steve Knowlton are guests at the Bonnier hotel, registered from Lewiston, Ida.

Here from Union—
George Schird, editor of the Union Weekly Republican, was in La Grande on business today.

Elks Dance Monday—
There will be an old-time dance at the Elks club Monday evening. The dance is the fourth of a series given by the social committee.

Went to Portland—
Mrs. C. E. Happersett left this morning for Portland where she will visit over the week end with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. March Lobbe.

Here from Toledo—
James Arzon, was in La Grande today on business. His home is at Toledo.

Drive Home from Murphy—
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Murphy and daughter spent last night in La Grande en route home to Enterprise from Portland. They made the trip by motor.

Miss Robbs Is Better—
Miss Estelle Robbs, who suffered an injured spine when she fell on the outside steps of the school building a week ago, is making a good recovery and will be put again in a few days.

Buying Logging Tractor—
E. L. Sewell was in town from Cove today looking after the purchase of a logging tractor for use in connection with the logging company's mill which will begin operations next week.

Esther Brown Recovering—
Miss Esther Brown, whose skull was fractured when she was thrown through the top of a coupe that tipped over on the highway Friday of last week, is recovering satisfactorily. She probably will be removed from the hospital to her home, 1504 M avenue, in four or five days.

Go to Portland—
Mrs. George T. Cochran will leave today for Portland, where she goes in the interest of the special La Grande edition of the Oregon Federation news, the official paper of the Oregon Federation of women's clubs. The publication for the month of April will be devoted to La Grande. Mrs. Cochran is general chairman in charge.

Will Go To Chicago—
Miss Irene O'Connell will leave this evening for Chicago, Illinois, where she expects to spend one month visiting. While there she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill. Mr. Hill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hill of this city.

Here for Week End—
Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman, Mrs. Ida Northrup and Miss Joan Huckle arrived in La Grande last evening by auto from Nampa, Ida, and will visit here over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Longfellow.

In Portland Three Months—
Miss Bert Sprague and her two children, Faye and Max, arrived in La Grande this morning on their way home to Joseph. They have been in Portland for the past three months visiting relatives there.

Home for Vacation—
Miss Eleanor Glass arrived in La Grande this morning from Eugene where she is a student at the University of Oregon. She is home for the spring vacation.

To Portland on Business—
Mrs. Fred Henry spent several days of this week in Portland on business. Mr. and Mrs. Henry stay at the Foley hotel here. He is a representative of the U. S. Rubber company.

Leave Today for The Dalles—
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Leighton and two children left today for The Dalles, Oregon, where they will meet their daughter, Miss Lillie Leighton, who will return to La Grande with them to spend the spring vacation. Miss Leighton is attending Willamette university at Salem.

Drove to Pendleton—
Mrs. Coleman George, Mrs. Frank Pike, Mrs. Irvia Bramwell, and Mrs. Ralph Cunningham motored to Pendleton yesterday to attend the Woman's Benefit Association and song banquet and dance there last evening. They returned to La Grande this morning.

Will Vacation at Newport—
Miss Constance Cleaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cleaver of this city, who is a student at the University of Oregon, will not come home for the spring vacation. Instead she will spend the vacation with the family of Mr. Zane at Newport, Oregon. Mr. Zane is an instructor in the art department at the University.

Appointed Alumni Chairman—
Ray Williams was appointed district chairman of the University of Oregon alumni for Union and Walla counties at a meeting of the alumni association at the Foley hotel this week. Mr. Williams will handle all alumni affairs in this part of the state.

Had Operation—
Mrs. L. P. Day had an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital this morning. She was reported to be

WETS LEADING IN BIG CITIES

CLEVELAND, O., Mar. 20. (Special)—Despite the overshadowing wet majority rolled up in the nation-wide prohibition poll conducted by NEA Service and associate newspapers, examination of the detailed tabulation discloses that the prohibitionists have gained clear majorities in no fewer than 73 cities and towns, and have pluralities in 19 more. Approximately 500 have reported.

As the total number of votes cast in the greatest national referendum in history approaches the million and a half mark, it becomes apparent that the contention that the drys' strength lies mainly in the smaller cities and towns is correct. This deduction is made with the total vote divided as follows:

For prohibition..... 278,592
For repeal..... 474,057
For modification..... 731,796

Total vote..... 1,484,445

Following along nicely shortly after the lead of the daughter, Mrs. Walter R. Schirmer came to La Grande from her home at Enterprise to be with her mother until her condition improves.

Arrived this Morning—
Miss Thelma Kitchen returned to La Grande this morning from Eugene, where she is attending the University of Oregon. She will stay here during the spring vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kitchen.

Away Seven Weeks—
After visiting various points along the coast for the past seven weeks, Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers arrived in La Grande this morning on their way home to Elgin, Ore. They were accompanied by Mrs. Porter, by Mr. Rogers' niece, Miss Bernice Rogers, who expects to visit at Elgin for about a month.

Here Last Night—
George W. Hyatt spent last night in La Grande and returned to his home at Enterprise this morning. Mr. Hyatt came to this city on business. He is in the mercantile business at Enterprise. He reports that business conditions there are improving.

Will be Moved to Walla Walla—
Charles Reiter, who is in the hospital at Hot Lake recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident Wednesday, is reported to be getting along nicely. His step son, William Hawley, said this morning that he spent a restful night last night. He will be able to be removed to his home at Walla Walla Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. Plans were at first to take him to Walla Walla, but his attending physicians thought it best to wait a few days longer.

Initiates Twenty-Two—
The Mt. Emily council, Senior Benoit association added twenty-two new members at an initiation meeting at Eagles hall last evening. The members of the council unanimously voted to have the next meeting at Eagles hall on Friday evening, March 26. A committee of five was appointed to prepare for the meeting. After the initiation there will be a banquet and dance, the committee in charge announced this morning. All members are urged to attend and bring their friends. Free initiation will be continued until that time C. E. Wilson, district manager said this morning.

CLUB WORKERS' YEAR ACTIVE
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show included first place in individual judging for Oregon; third place team among 35 competing; second place in hog feeding; 47 boys competing; first, second and fourth in hog feeding in Eastern Oregon division; first for junior Northern hoffer; first and champion for Jersey hoffer, and third for Holstein hoffer.

Skeleton Helped Secure \$17,300 Damages
EL PASO, Tex., Mar. 20. (AP)—A skeleton helped win a verdict for Dr. J. H. Gambrel against the El Paso Electric company yesterday. Dr. Gambrel sued the traction company for \$50,000, claiming injuries to his spine as the result of an accident. The skeleton was introduced in court by a physician to show how he had been hurt. The jury awarded him \$17,300 damages.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.
CHICAGO, Mar. 20. (AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs—Receipts 4000, mostly unchanged at yesterday's average; bulk 250 to 350 pound butchers \$11.20 to \$12; top 160 pounds \$13.35. Cattle—Receipts 500, compared week ago; Fed steers scaling 1200 pounds and upward 10 to 20c lower; mostly 5c lower on better grades; spots more; yearlings scarce, about steady, with price spread narrow; and the year's selling range of all killing classes remarkably close together; top weighty steers lowest since January, 1925; extreme top matured steers \$114 yearlings upward to \$10.80; no offers above \$10.50 at close; stockers and feeders 15 to 25c lower; she stock strong to 25c higher; in-between grades butcher cows and better grades of light heifers are getting full upturn; hogloga bulls weak to 15c lower; vealers around \$1 lower.

Sheep receipts 5000; for week around 22,000; direct and 214 cars from nearby feed stations, today's

Market News of the Day

CHICAGO WHEAT.
Open High Low Close
May, new..... 100 1/2 100 3/4 157 1/2
May, old..... 139 1/2 139 1/2 133 1/2 158 1/2
Sept..... 133 1/2 133 1/2 131 1/2 132 1/2

PORTLAND WHEAT.
PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 20. (AP)—Wheat: BBH hard white \$1.48; hard white bluestem, hard, soft white, western white \$1.47; hard winter, northern spring \$1.44; western red \$1.42.
Today's car receipts: Wheat 17; flour 8; oats 1; hay 13.

CHICAGO CASH.
CHICAGO, Mar. 20. (AP)—Cash wheat none.
Corn, No. 3 mixed 67 1/2 to 68 1/2 c; No. 3 yellow 69 to 71 c.
Oats, No. 2 white 29 1/2 to 30 c; No. 3 white 29 1/2 to 30 c.
Rye nominal.
Barley 63 to 75 c.
Timothy seed \$28.50 to \$27.
Clover seed \$28 to \$32.
Lard \$14.40.
Ribs \$15.62.
Bellies \$15.62.
Rye September \$7 1/2 c.
Lard, May \$14.55; July \$14.75.
Ribs, July \$15.10.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT.
LIVERPOOL, Mar. 20. (AP)—Close wheat 2 to 2 1/4 d lower; March 10s 8 1/4 d; May 10s 10 1/2 d; July 10s 10 1/4 d.

Cube Butter Prices On Down Grade in Week

PORTLAND, Mar. 20. (AP)—Cube butter prices have been on the down grade during the past week with production and receipts showing an increase. Today extras are down to 38 cents or on a parity with standards and prime grades. Prints are weak at the 45c level with a lower trend the outlook.

Current receipts eggs declined a cent today to 21 cents on the exchange. Other grades were posted steady at former levels. The market is showing an easier undertone.

Oregon yellow onions are topping the Chicago market today at \$4. Colorado stocks quoted at \$3.50 to \$3.75 and Indiana stocks at \$3.50 to \$3.75. These prices are based on United States No. 1 grade. Best bids \$1.75 with growers asking \$2.

The street was practically bare of country dressed mounts at the close today and prices ruled firm and high to the very end. Choice light calves held at 18 to 18 1/2 cents with bulk of sales around the lower figure. Choice light hogs very scarce at 15 1/2 to 16 cents.

Poultry prices were well maintained during the week and the market closed at top levels. Heavy hens selling at 24 to 25 cents; light hens 23 to 24 cents; not enough shipments coming in to establish price level. Demand good for all lines.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK.
PORTLAND, Mar. 20. (AP)—There were no receipts today at the North Portland yards and all classes closed nominally steady after a quiet season.

Receipts for week (approximate): Cattle 4475; calves 190; hogs 2450; sheep 2195; total 146 carloads.

Cattle—Compared week ago: Steers 25 to 50c lower; she stock steady to 25c higher; bulls steady; calves and vealers mostly 50c higher; week's bulk prices: Beef steers \$7.75 to \$8.75; one load Monday at \$9; cows and heifers \$5 to \$7.25; top heifers \$3; top cows \$7.25; calves and vealers \$3.50 to \$4.50; bulls \$4 to \$5; calves \$6 to \$9.50; vealers \$7 to \$12.50, with a few at \$13.

Hogs—Compared with week ago: Killing classes fully steady; feeder pigs 25c higher; week's bulk prices: Light butchers \$14 to \$14.10; heavies and underweights \$13.50 down; packing sows \$10.50 to \$11; slaughter pigs \$13.50 to \$13.75; a few strong weights at \$14; feeder pigs \$14.75 to \$15.

Sheep—Compared with week ago: Fed lambs 25c lower; bulk \$12.25 to \$12.50; yearlings quoted up to \$10.50; ewes \$8.50 down.

Market nominal; practically all receipts direct from the week ago. Fat wool lambs uneven; light and handy weight strong to 25c higher; extreme heavy 25 to 50c up; in-between weights firm; clipped lambs 25 to 50c lower; yearling wethers, aged sheep and shearing lambs little changed; top for week: Fat lambs \$14.50; feeding lambs \$14; yearling wethers \$11.50; aged wethers \$10; fat ewes \$5 to \$9.

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HUDSON STOCKS DRIVEN TO NEW LOW MARK TODAY

NEW YORK, Mar. 20. (By the Associated Press)—Another sharp drive against the motor shares, which carried Hudson from an early high of \$3 1/2 to \$1 1/2 a new low record for the year, featured today's coverings in the early trading, but when trading quieted down on the rally, selling pressure was renewed again the motors and some of the high priced industrial specialties. The closing was irregular. Total sales approximated \$50,000 shares.

NEW YORK, Mar. 20. (By the Associated Press)—Another sharp reaction in the stock market this week carried the averages to around the low levels reached in the drastic reaction during the first week of the month, naturally revived fears of its possible deterrent influences on general business. Other interesting financial features of the week were the lowering of time money rates and a further decline in French francs which carried them to the lowest levels since 1924.

Motors have the brunt of the selling pressure in the stock market.

Trade news generally was favorable.

Oil offered strong resistance to selling pressure despite the increase in crude oil output last week.

Food, chain store and merchandising shares were weak.

Reports of a slowing down in building and construction and increasing foreign competition had a restraining effect on the steel shares.

Southern railroad shares were heavily sold on unfavorable rumors regarding the Florida land boom.

FRISCO BUTTERFAT.
SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 20. (AP)—Butterfat (cub.) San Francisco 44 1/2 c.

COTTON CROP.
WASHINGTON, Mar. 20. (AP)—The 1925 cotton crop was officially placed at 16,000,000 equivalent 500-pound bales exclusive of linters by the census bureau today in its final planning report of the season.

PARIS.—Georges Clemenceau is writing a theological treatise, he announced, political inspiration until he explained that his visit to the senate was to get material in its library for "God's information on earthly affairs."

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STRAWBERRIES APPEAR HERE

A limited supply of fresh strawberries, imported from the Imperial valley district in California, appeared on the local retail market this morning, selling at 40 cents a box. The supply was exhausted before the day was far under way.

Dealers state that more shipments will arrive in the near future.

LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Poultry (live weight).
Heavy hens—22c lb.
Medium hens—16c lb.
Light hens—11c lb.
Stags—8c lb.
No. 1 live turkeys—22c lb.

Flour
Hard Federation (hard wheat)—\$7.89, bbl.
Soft wheat—\$7.60 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS.

Poultry
Hens—30c lb.
Meats and Fish.
Beef—10 to 12 1/2 c lb.
Chops and steaks—25c lb.
Salmon (strictly fresh)—38c lb.
Halibut—35c.

Dairy.
Butter, creamery—48c lb.; 95c a lb.
Cheese—25c a doz.
Eggs—40c lb.
Honey, comb—39c lb.

BONDS.
NEW YORK, Mar. 20. (AP)—U. S. BONDS: (Sales in \$1000)

Liberty 3 1/2%.....A 8 101.3
Liberty 3 1/2%.....B 23 102.8
Liberty 3 1/2%.....C 168 100.40
Liberty 3 1/2%.....D 294 101.5
Liberty 4 1/2%.....E 130 102.16
U. S. Treasury Dept. 3 1/2%.....13 107.26
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