

GRANGE TALKS OF ELECTION

GRANGE HALL. (Special)—At the meeting of Blue Mountain grange Saturday the drill team of the Pleasant Grove juvenile grange of Summerville, under the leadership of Mrs. Leona Arnoldus, accomplished the work it will put on at Baker at the state grange convention.

Two important measures—the hydro-electric bill and the income tax bill—were discussed. H. E. Dixon, of La Grande, explaining the first and William Jasper the second. Gene Walker of the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company, of La Grande, was present and talked about the hydro-electric bill and W. H. Gekeler made a few important remarks concerning the motor bus bill. Several other measures that will be on the ballot next November were brought before the grange for discussion.

Mrs. E. D. Jasper led in a short discussion about getting out a vote. Juanita Spencer and Kermit Haggin each sang a solo.

UNION PERSONALS

UNION (Special) — Mesdames Edward Du Pals, Lyle Long, Lee Meyer, of Pendleton, and Giles Harnden, of La Grande, were Union visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudgeon, of Welles, Idaho, were visitors several days last week at the Jack Johnson home.

Mrs. A. L. Bideler and daughter Lura, who have been in the east for the past year returned home Thursday evening. Mrs. Bideler will be here all summer and Miss Lura will be here for several weeks.

The conference committee of the Women's Relief Corps and Samuel Hayes, of the grand army, have invited Robert Eakin, of La Grande, to deliver the Memorial day address here.

G. H. Hyslop and A. L. Peck, of Oregon Agricultural college, members of the highway park committee, William Duby, state highway commission chairman, H. G. Smith, Oscar Cutler and S. Boardman, of the state highway engineer corps, accompanied by E. B. Aldrich, of the Pendleton East Oregonian, were at Union Saturday conferring with Robert Withycombe concerning planting trees along the highway.

UNION, Ore. (Special)—Mrs. Albert Fisher, formerly Miss Hortense Geertsen of Union, is here from her home in Boise, Idaho, visiting at the home of her father, E. P. Geertsen.

Dr. H. J. Moncrief and family, who have been at Muddy Creek in Idaho county for the past week because of illness and death of Mr. Moncrief's mother, returned to their home in Union, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Paul Eberius and her two children Lorna and Eugene, are leaving for a visit in Washington as soon as school is closed for the year. After visiting for a while there they will go on east to Minnesota where they will make their future home.

Miss Blanche Jordal, grade teacher in the South Building left Friday evening for her home near Bellingham, Washington. She will teach next year in a school close to her home.

About ninety children of the fifth and sixth grades and their teachers were picnicking in the city park at La Grande Wednesday and Thursday.

A traveling tent show troupe was in Union Thursday evening. They put on the old play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

The second stock show dance was held at the school gym Friday evening. A Spokane orchestra furnished the music for the dance, which was well patronized.

George Lawrence is temporarily unable to work owing to his having been kicked by a horse.

Mrs. Webster who has been running a variety store here for the past few years is selling out her stock at reduced prices and will leave for Idaho as soon as school is out.

Eugene, brother of Roy Conklin, drove over from his ranch home near Ontario, Thursday to attend the graduation exercises of the Union high school and to visit for a short time with relatives and old friends here. About thirty years ago he was a teacher in the schools here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulguro, who came here from Spokane a few months

OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY - THE LAST CUP.

By WILLIAMS

MEN ON LINER DRUNK, CHARGE

NEW YORK, May 18. (AP)—Complaints from passengers of the Clyde liner Seneca, which went around at Miami Sunday were voiced in the following statement made by F. A. Edwards of Brooklyn, Mass:

"We the undersigned, being passengers aboard the S. S. Seneca

bound from Miami to New York, leaving May 15 at 4 p. m. hereby certify that the following statements are true in the affair of the Seneca being in a drinking condition the night of May 15 and 16 and passengers being removed in life boats, to wit: No. 1.—Liquor sold openly on the Seneca.

"No. 2.—A portion of ship's crew under influence of liquor.

"No. 3.—Men were taken ashore on large tug while many ladies were forced to use small life boats.

"No. 4.—Many members of the crew in life preservers, ahead of passengers, causing much concern to ladies."

After reading the statement Mr. Edwards was asked:

"What do you mean when you say 'portion' of ship's crew under influence of liquor?"

"Waiters and bell hops" he replied.

He also said a group of boys and girls boarded the liner intoxicated.

ASSAULTED PREACHER
WHITESBURG, Ky. — Martha Bates drew a thirty-day jail sentence here for assaulting the Rev. Alie Brown when the minister preached a sermon several months ago against bobbed haired women. Following the sermon the young woman slapped his face.

Courts Rule Against Carol's Former Wife
PARIS, May 18. (AP)—The courts today ruled against Mme. Zizi Lambrino former morganatic wife of ex-Crown Prince Carol of Rumania. In her attempts to have Carol's paternity of her son, Mircea, recognized. Mme. Lambrino applied to the courts to have Mircea registered at the Michelet high school under the name Hohenzollern, of which family Carol is a member.

PARK PERSONALS

THE PARK (Special) — 151 Miles has moved one hand of his sheep to the Joseph Thompson place on Catherine creek.

Max DeVore was helping Frank Wigginworth brand some horses last Sunday.

Chris Leroy was visiting at the J. B. Hunter home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. J. Vandevanter and Mrs. George Loosle and children were guests at the Clarence Vanorder home Sunday.

Wallace Boyles is visiting friends and relatives at The Park.

Ida Hunter was visiting Sunday at The Park. She was an overnight guest of Elva and Mary Vanorder.

Guld, Clara and Laurel Lay went to Union to attend the graduation exercises Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hunter, of Catherine creek forks and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lay were in La Grande last week.

Francis Miles was looking for horses at Lookout Mountain the first of the week.

Ida Hunter, of Catherine creek, is visiting in La Grande. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charley Wilson.

The farmers of The Park are through seeding and are now summerfallowing.

George Loosle has been building fence this week.

Deshler Lay, Will Meadow and Mary Vanorder took the eighth grade state examinations last week.

Ida Hunter and Elva and Mary Vanorder were visiting at the Joe Lay home Sunday evening.

The Park school will close next Friday.

HANEY STRESSES NEED OF STRONG MERCHANT MARINE

PENDLETON, May 18. (AP)—Stressing the need of an American merchant marine Bert E. Haney, former member of the United States shipping board, and now a candidate for the democratic nomination for United States senator, addressed Pendleton citizens last night upon the main plank in his platform.

Mr. Haney traced the history of American maritime ventures and showed his hearers where the merchant marine was the lifeblood of the nation. He showed them the reasons Americans could not compete with foreign shipping because of costs, wages and standards of living.

Regardless of the price, he sees a need for the merchant marine. He sees futures in China and South America for American products carried in American bottoms.

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Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company
"Always At Your Service"



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Is an average man,
Not built on any
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The Income Tax is most apt to come before the next Legislative Session.

This issue should not be dodged.

Neither private automobiles nor private trucks should be subject to additional license tax burdens.

Some Fundamentals—

Labor legislation should be in harmony with modern standards.

The hand of opportunity should be extended to all.

The aim of civil society is race betterment.

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Candidate at Republican Primaries for Nomination
To The Office Of
JOINT SENATOR FROM UNION AND WALLAWA COUNTIES
(Paid advertisement)

Miss Rosa B. Parrott

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Candidate for
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