

# Local News In Brief

**COMING EVENTS**  
 June 21—School election at Central building.  
 July 13, 14, 15 and 16—Free Homemakers' institute under auspices The Observer.  
 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.

**Visiting Her Brother—**  
 Miss Esther Knautz, of Elstirap, Wash., is visiting here with her brother, Paul Knautz.

**Home from Portland—**  
 L. V. Chausse returned from Portland this morning. He was there all day yesterday on business.

**To Baker Today—**  
 Mrs. P. J. Heagren and son, Edwin, went to Baker on this morning's train. They are visiting friends there today.

**To Baker this Morning—**  
 Misses Inez and Iris Hughes went to Baker on this morning's train. They intend to spend most of the time at the Baker natatorium swimming.

**To Visit Mother—**  
 Mrs. Oscar Utley and little son, Donald, left this morning for Wellser, Idaho, where they will visit for some time with Mrs. Utley's mother.

**Here Last Night—**  
 Mrs. J. J. Hawley returned to Hot Lake this morning after spending the night at her home here. Mrs. Hawley is receiving medical treatment at Hot Lake.

**Visiting from Portland—**  
 Everett N. Knowles, son of Judge and Mrs. J. W. Knowles, is here with his wife and their son, John Richard, from Portland to visit relatives and friends in La Grande.

**To Visit at North Powder—**  
 Mrs. Dan Thrasher and two daughters, Juanita Rose and Mary Jane, went to North Powder on this morning's train where they will visit for three or four days with Mrs. Thrasher's mother.

**On Way Home to Wallawa—**  
 Miss Frances Cherry, a junior in the school of Journalism at the University of Oregon, was in the city this morning on her way home to Wallawa. She will spend the summer months at home with her parents.

**Things Guest from School—**  
 Miss Genevieve Hanna brought a school friend, Miss Edna Mae Evans, of Longview, Wash., home with her when she came from Whitman college, at Walla Walla, this week.

**Touring from Wyoming—**  
 Reynold Seaverson, Mrs. Louis Seaverson and Miss Myrtle Seaverson, who are touring to Portland from their home at Rawlins, Wyo., were guests at the Summer hotel last night.

**Home to Baker—**  
 Mrs. Albert Woodell and little

son, Donald, accompanied by Robert Corn, all of Baker, returned to their home this morning after visiting at Summerville for the past week with Mrs. W. A. Baker.

**Spent Week End at Union—**  
 P. E. Lynes, of the main fish hatchery at Bond, Ore., spent the week end at Union, taking back to Central Oregon a load of liver for fish food, as the supply has run short there.

**Home from School—**  
 Loree Anderson has returned to his home here from Lexington, Missouri, where he has been a student at the Wentworth Military academy during the past year. He will spend the summer months with his parents here.

**To Visit Son—**  
 Mrs. H. McAlexander, accompanied by Little Miss Faye Laidie Creek, of Banks, Oregon, were in the city this morning on their way to Joseph, where they will visit for about six weeks with Mrs. McAlexander's son.

**Home from Seaside—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Winters are home from Seaside, where they have been on a honeymoon trip. Mrs. Winters, who was Miss Mildred Weeks before her marriage, has resumed her duties as deputy recorder at the courthouse.

**May Live in Canada—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fuher, and their children, Lloyd and Clea, who came here after they sold their home at Caldwell, Ida., to visit with old friends, left Sunday for points in Canada. They expect to make their home in the dominion.

**Will Play in recital—**  
 Mrs. A. W. Wall and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Rex, went to Haines on this morning's train. Little Miss Dorothy Wall will play in recital tomorrow evening there, assisting Miss Dodd, when she will present a group of students. Miss Wall is a violinist. They will return to La Grande the last of the week.

**Hurt in Bicycle Wreck—**  
 Richard Weeks, who was injured last evening when the bicycle he was riding was struck by a car driven by Tom Harrison at the corner of North Fir street and Madison avenue, suffered a lacerated right hand and a mashed left leg, but is not in danger.

**Attend Commencement—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Warnock and daughter, Reta, were in the city this morning on their way home to Enterprise from Eugene, where they attended the graduation of another daughter, Miss Nita Warnock, yesterday. She graduated from the music department of the university with high honors. She is remaining at Eugene to take a summer course in music. Miss Reta Warnock, who is a sophomore at the University, accompanied her parents home to spend the summer months.

**Home from U. of O.—**  
 Miss Ruth Scott passed through La Grande this morning on her way home to Enterprise where she will spend the summer months. Miss Scott is a student in the Uni-

versity of Oregon at Eugene. She will be a junior when she returns to the University in the fall.

**Here from Imbler—**  
 Cap Tuttle was in the city from Imbler this morning.

**Here from Portland—**  
 P. M. Stevenson, of Portland, is in the city on business.

**To Enterprise Today—**  
 G. G. Griffiths, manager of the Standard Oil company here, went to Enterprise on business today.

**Here on Business—**  
 Ben O. Madison, real estate man from Spokane, is in La Grande today on business.

**To Walla Walla Yesterday—**  
 Lou Stoop, local real estate man, went to Walla Walla, Wash., on business yesterday.

**Here from Arlington—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. George H. Curvey, of Arlington, Oregon, are visiting in La Grande.

**To Attend Pioneer Reunion—**  
 J. Skiller, who has been making his home here with his daughter, Mrs. Jervis Smith, has gone to Hickleton, Washington, where he will attend a reunion of pioneers to that section this week.

**On Way to Elgin—**  
 Miss Mamie Alexander passed through La Grande this morning on her way home to Elgin from Walla Walla, Wash., where she has been visiting for some time.

**To Attend Grand Lodge—**  
 Fred Terpany will leave tonight for Portland where he will attend Masonic Grand Lodge and the laying of the cornerstone for a new temple there. Mr. Terpany is worshipful master of the Masonic lodge of Elgin, No. 88.

**Legion Meet Tonight—**  
 Members of the local American Legion post will meet this evening at the city hall. Matters pertaining to the 1927 convention will be discussed. Harley H. Richardson, commander, announces.

**Attended Stock Show—**  
 Mrs. Wallace Cass and daughter, Bernice, and two sons, Arthur and Wallace, attended the Union stock show Thursday and Friday last week.

**Here from Cove—**  
 J. E. Mills, of Cove, was in the city today. Mr. Mills reports that it rained there last night and will rain again when he left home this morning. He says the rain will be good for the crops in that section, except that it may damage ripe strawberries slightly.

**Home from School—**  
 Miss Helen Falconer was in the city this morning on her way home from Eugene, where she has been attending the University of Oregon. Her home is near Enterprise. She was accompanied by Miss Beulah Snidow, of Portland, who will visit here for about a month. Miss Snidow is a University of Washington student.

**Bought farm Here—**  
 John Ballette, of Prewater, Oregon has purchased the F. P. Morris farm near here, a part of what is known as the Floyd McKennon place near Alce. There are 346 acres in the place. He has already taken possession of the place. Lou Stoop, real estate man, said this morning. Mr. Morris, who owned the place, lives at Davenport, Wash. He was here over the week end and returned home yesterday.

**Arrived Home Yesterday—**  
 Dr. J. L. and Dr. Margaret Ingie returned home yesterday after attending Osteopathic clinics and conventions in Washington and at Portland. They were accompanied home from Seattle by Mrs. Clayton Ingie, who will visit for a short time in La Grande.

**Left Yesterday for California—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eaton and daughter, Lillian, and son, Carl, accompanied by Miss Margaret Swartz, left yesterday, by auto, on a trip through California. They will visit at Longbeach and will stop at Redlands to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stillwell, formerly of this city. They expect to be away about six weeks.

**At Evanston, Ill.—**  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Meyers, of this city, are now at Evanston, Ill., according to word received here yesterday. They were registered at the North Shore hotel there. Mr. and Mrs. Meyers will be present also for the graduation of their son, Alfred, from Notre Dame. They will also attend graduation exercises of their daughter at Chicago.

## Mrs. Crowl Pessimistic of Finding Relatives

**Wife of Suicide Believes There Is Little Chance to Trace Any of Her Relations**

"I'm afraid there isn't any use trying to find my relatives," the widow of Nelson Crowl smiled wanly from her bed in the maternity ward at the Grande Ronde hospital this morning as she declined an offer to help her locate the sisters and brothers she lost track of when they were orphaned as children.

She smoothed the brown floss of the boy twin's fine little head. "He is Leatrice and his sister is Beatrice," she confided. "I have called him Nelson, too, after his father."

"I don't want to say anything about the twins' father. But it is going to be pretty hard, with the twins and Maybelle. Mrs. Crowl was Ida M. Stanley, of Heedsport, Ore., before she married Nelson Crowl in 1921. They lived for the last few years in the little cabin near the drinking fountain in the Wallawa canyon, where he took his life with a rifle after he had heard about the birth of his baby girl and boy a week ago.

The accident was born June 6, 1875, at North Webster, Ind.

Besides the widow and three children, two sisters, Mrs. Abbie Hicgley, of Smith Mountain, and another in California, survive.

## WALLOWA CROP DAMAGE HEAVY

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 per cent by the freezes and dry weather of the past month. Harvesting hay. H. D. Hechtel has been putting up his first crop of hay the past few days. A few other farmers in the valley have also been having. The crop, however, is light in practically all fields.

## Forest Fire Burning in Cascade Mountains

EUGENE, Ore., June 15. (AP)—A fire in the timber near the summit of the Cascade mountains in the McKenzie district was reported at the office of the forest here yesterday afternoon to check the blaze.

## NATIONAL STRIKE IS CONDEMNED

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 LAKE. He told of the "ceaseless fight" to bring about adoption of the proposed amendment to the constitution to forbid child labor.

**Hope for Better Wages.**  
 "We hope to bring to the workers a wage which will not only permit them to live in their own homes in accordance with the American standard of living, but will also permit them to enjoy the higher advantages of spiritual and cultural development," he said. "We are striving to abolish the inequities of child labor and we are endeavoring to bring about a spirit of cooperation and right relationship between employer and employees."

## RETURNS TO MOVIES

HOLLYWOOD, Cal. (AP)—May Robson has gone back to the movies. After 43 years on the legitimate stage she has signed a six months' film contract.

## BAND CONCERT PROGRAM TO BE POPULAR ONE

The second outdoor concert of the season to be given by the municipal band will be held at the high school athletic field Thursday evening, June 17 at 8 o'clock. The program has been chosen with care and should be one to delight all listeners. Andrew Loney, director, declares. Lighter selections and classical numbers both appear on the program.

## ANTI-SHOW MOVEMENT IS BLOCKED

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 ordinances void on the ground that it is unreasonable. In other words, the commission could not pass an ordinance directly to keep these shows out, nor can they pass an ordinance placing the license fee so high as indirectly to keep them out. They have the right to license them and to charge a reasonable fee therefor. The courts generally hold the license fees for such shows to be reasonable, even though they are placed at a higher amount than for other lines of business, on account of the nature of the show.

## Question of License Fees

"Whether or not the present license fees are too high is of course, a question I would not decide. This ordinance was passed in 1922 and the commissioners in office at that time must have examined the matter thoroughly and decided that the license fees prescribed in this ordinance were reasonable and therefore put into effect.

"Of course, in the license for the French shows, we gave them a permit for the use of part of the street. This is optional with the city and they do not have to permit such use unless they desire," (signed), George T. Cochran, City Attorney.

## Signers Eager

The movement to keep carnivals out of La Grande was started several days ago, after the carnival which is now showing near the freight depot, began operating in La Grande during stock show week. A petition was circulated, the 57 signers secured with no difficulty, and the petition filed late Saturday with the city recorder.

Mr. Cochran's investigation followed the filing of the petition with the results given in the above printed letter.

## GRAND JURY WILL TAKE UP KLAMATH FALLS DUEL CASE

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 15 (AP)—N. E. Woodhouse, prominent Klamath farmer and bee culturist, was this morning bound over to the grand jury on a charge of challenging S. E. Iconbice, his neighbor, to a duel with 20-30 rifle at 200 paces.

He was bound over by Justice of the Peace H. A. Emmitt, following a hearing which was held yesterday and completed this morning. Bond was set at \$500 which Woodhouse immediately raised.

Five witnesses yesterday testified that they heard Woodhouse utter the challenge. The defendant emphatically denied the charge, stating that his words were misunderstood. The altercation between the two men followed destruction of several hives of Iconbice's bees by Woodhouse, who acting in the capacity of county bee inspector, declared the bees diseased.

Woodhouse claimed that Iconbice had thrown a hammer at him and then attacked him with a pitchfork.

## Watching U. S. Bound Boats for D'Autremont

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 15. (AP)—Provincial and city police here said that they had been asked by the U. S. to watch boats from Alaska for a man declared to be Roy D'Autremont, wanted for the murder of four in a train holdup at Siskiyou, Ore., October 11, 1923. The man eluded officials in Juneau, Alaska, where two men said to answer description of the brothers of Roy, likewise sought for participation in the hold up, were arrested.

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**CABINET QUILTS THIS EVENING**  
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 M. Peret resisted the earnest persuasion of President Doumergue to remain in the cabinet because he felt it was impossible to continue in the face of increasing difficulties without sufficient support.  
**Radicals in Opposition.**  
 The opposition inside the government came from the radical ministers who were continually urged to resign. Peret's plans by their colleagues in the radical group of the chamber, which never willingly accepted the Briand cabinet.  
 Indiscipline by some members caused a violent press campaign against the inflation which, according to Peret's critics, was involved in the finance minister's scheme to put the paper money circulation and short term bonds in the same basket.  
**TI-AND HE CAME**  
 DETROIT — "Seven-eleven, come seven-eleven," entreated by crap shooters as they watched dominoes gallop across the green board. "Here I am," said Patrolman "711" otherwise William Kane, and he arrested them all for gambling. They later paid \$5 fines.

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**"THE PALM BEACH GIRL"**  
**"The Rain Maker" Will Be Here Thursday.**