

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.

To Pendleton Yesterday—Frank Colton, barber here, drove to Pendleton yesterday, returning last evening.

Guests in La Grande—N. H. Hale and his sister, Miss Geneva, are guests from Preston, Ida., at the Sommer hotel.

Here from Portland—Miss Eleanor Williamson, is in the city from Portland visiting her parents here.

Visited at Portland—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Moore are in La Grande on their way home to Pendleton from Portland, where they have been visiting.

Going to Boise—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Solomon and two children are here for a short time on their way from Portland to Boise.

Enterprise Visitors Here—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cooley are visitors in La Grande today from Enterprise.

Enterprise Merchant Here—C. A. Miller, a merchant at Enterprise, who has been in La Grande on business for several days, is returning home today.

Guest of Baker Friend—Mrs. G. R. Claycomb went to Baker Friday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Em Cox.

Home from Hospital—Mrs. J. Forest Scroggin and little daughter, Marilyn Jane, were taken to their home today from the Grande Ronde hospital.

Bring Guest from Eugene—Mrs. H. H. Cleaver and daughter, Constance, returning from Eugene, where the latter was graduated from the University of Oregon, were accompanied home by N. Z. Zane, an instructor in the college of arts.

Up Branch on Inspection—Walter Guild, superintendent of this division of the O.-W. company, went up the branch line this morning on an inspection trip. He was accompanied by Mrs. Guild and little daughter, Nancy.

Home from Walla Walla—Mrs. M. N. Myrick and children passed through the city this morning on their way home to Elgin from Walla Walla, Washington, where they visited for the past two weeks.

Expected Home Tomorrow—Mrs. H. G. Smith and little son, Billy, are expected home tomorrow from Portland, where they have been for the past few weeks. Little Billy underwent an operation while there, but is reported to be much better now.

Home this Morning—Mrs. Carrie Stencamp, worthy matron of Hope Chapter No. 13, order of the Eastern Star, of La Grande, returned home this morning from Portland, where she attended the Grand Chapter meeting this week.

Visited Sister Here—Mrs. Frank Boyd and children, Pauline, Francis and Roberta, returned to their home at Enterprise this morning after visiting in La Grande for the past week with Mrs. Boyd's sister, Mrs. Tom Fleming.

On Way Home to Enterprise—Mrs. W. H. Platzoeder and daughters, Winifred and Billie Louise, were in the city this morning on their way home to Enterprise from Portland, where Mrs.

Platzoeder attended the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. Mr. Platzoeder is interested in the Enterprise Meat company here.

Home Yesterday—C. E. Laird, of Maxville, was in the city yesterday.

Here from Enterprise—A. R. Conaway, of Enterprise, was here yesterday. He is justice of the peace at Enterprise.

Home from Eugene—Mrs. E. E. Kiddie returned to her home here this morning from Eugene, Oregon, where she has been visiting.

On Way Home—Dr. and Mrs. George W. Dale passed through the city yesterday on their way home to Wallowa from Portland, where they have been visiting.

Here Yesterday—Ronald McKinnis was in the city yesterday on his way home to Wallowa from Albany, Oregon, Oregon, where he has been attending school.

To Imbler Today—Mrs. Charles Hagenmen and Mrs. H. H. Cleaver went to Imbler today to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cleaver.

To Attend Convention—Chief Clint Haynes will leave Sunday for Spokane, where the international convention of policemen and sheriffs will be conducted next week. The sessions start Monday, June 21, and will extend through Thursday, June 24.

Former Teacher Visits—Miss Esther Tolhor, a teacher at Aberdeen, Wash., and a former member of the teaching staff in La Grande, has been a guest of old friends here for a few days. She leaves today for Missouri to visit her childhood home.

On Way to Wallowa—Mrs. E. E. Denton and baby, Doris, passed through La Grande this morning on their way to Wallowa, where they will join Mr. Denton and spend the summer camping in the Wallowa mountains. They are from Boise, Ida.

Branchline Couple Married—Judge U. G. Couch officiated at a marriage ceremony at his office in the courthouse Friday afternoon when Miss Violet A. Cook, of Palmer Junction, became the bride of Elmer H. Robinson, of Elgin. The couple will live near Elgin, where the groom is a farmer.

Confusion in Names—Ben Nelson, of 501 Cedar street, wishes to call attention to the fact that he is not the Ben Nelson that was arrested with Lizzie Tucker and Lawrence Clark by the police recently on a liquor charge. Mr. Nelson is a graduate of the La Grande high school. He received his diploma this spring.

Return from Visit—Mrs. Nellie Spencer and daughter, Irene, have returned to their home here from Port Angeles, Wash., where they visited Jay Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. Al Hornum last week and they accompanied them home Monday.

To Visit Grandfather—The Rev. W. F. Shields, of Wallowa, arrived in the city this morning on his way home from Portland, where he attended the Masonic Grand lodge meeting this week.

Stopped Here this Morning—Edward F. Mason, university editor at the University of Idaho, at Moscow, Idaho, was in the city this morning on his way home to Mountain Home, Idaho. He stopped in La Grande a short time to visit J. T. Longfellow, superintendent of schools here. Mr. Longfellow also formerly lived at Mountain Home.

Home this Morning—Mrs. O. G. Williams and daughters, Doris and Isabelle, returned home this morning from Port Orchard, Wash., where they have been visiting Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. W. S. Walters for the past week.

To Visit Parents—Mrs. W. P. Moore and daughter, Colleen, of Portland, will arrive in the city tonight and will visit with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schilling.

Ill at Home—Frank Cleavinger is ill at his home here on Third street. He has been ill since Wednesday. It will probably be several days before he will be able to be out again.

Passed Through City—Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson passed through the city yesterday on their way to Wenatchee, Wash., where Mr. Thompson is head mechanic for the Bowman-Hicks company at Wallowa.

To Wallowa County Yesterday—Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Union county chamber of commerce, went to Wallowa county yesterday on business connected with the caravan from the chamber of commerce to Wallowa county Thursday and Friday of next week. About twenty-five cars are expected to make the trip.

Return from Visit—Mrs. C. L. Spiker has returned to her home after visiting for two months at The Dalles, Oregon. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Carpenter, and baby. Mrs. Carpenter will be here until the first of July. Mr. Carpenter will drive to La Grande at that time and accompany her home.

Fractured Right Arm—Edward Schultz fractured his right arm in his right arm yesterday morning when he fell from a cherry tree. Edward was picking cherries for a neighbor near Riverside park when a limb broke letting him fall about eight feet to the ground. He walked to town to the doctor's office, where an X-ray was taken and the break set.

Visit Here Today—Miss Jane Harland arrived in the city this morning from Portland and is visiting here today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Headley. Miss Harland recently graduated from the Oregon Normal school at Monmouth, Oregon. She made her home in La Grande for some time and is a graduate of the local high school. She is on the chautauque circuit and is en route to Baker. Her home is in Portland.

First Trip to Oregon—Mrs. Lydia Grandy and her sister, Mrs. Emma Hardy, and their families have had as their guests this week their first cousins from near Philadelphia, Penn., the year 1919 and the same year was married to Quentin Hacker here. They resided in La Grande about 12 years and at the end of that time moved to Pumpkin Ridge where they have since lived. He was a member of the La Grande fire department during his residence here. He is a member of the Zion English Lutheran church here.

Mr. Meyer is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. J. A. Wonderlick, of Wasco; Mrs. R. A. Greiner, of Alton; and Miss Reta Meyer, and one son, John Meyer Jr., besides two sisters, Mrs. John Hacker, of Summerville; and Mrs. Lena Baer of Germany. Miss Reta Meyer has made her home in La Grande with her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Stitzinger, for several months.

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Game Officials Return From Inspection Trip

Southwestern Oregon Conditions Investigated—Difficulties Are Straightened Out.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 18 (AP)—Savage rapids, Gold Bay and Copco dam difficulties were straightened out and all game commission properties in Southern Oregon were visited by Commissioners Maloney and Bauer and State Game Warden E. F. Averill during the past few days.

"More fish are killed at Savage Rapids on the Rogue river than we propagate," declared Averill. "Little trout, steelhead and salmon returning to the sea are sucked into the turbines and irrigation ditches and killed by the thousands. We saw their mangled bodies coming out below."

The officials worked out a plan for a floating V-shaped screen which they believe will save 80 per cent of the fish. Most of the fish are less than one and a half feet below the surface. The screen will go 12 feet into the water. A similar plan will be followed at Gold Bay, the dam farther up the river. Gold Bay has been troubling the commission for more than 15 years.

At Copco, Cal., the Oregon men met with B. D. Max Green, executive officer of the California fish and game commission, and N. B. Scofield, in charge of commercial fisheries. The California delegation promised to keep an agreement whereby that state is to liberate fish above Copco dam which shuts Klamath river off completely. The dam is too high for construction of a fishway at this time.

Will Reflood Lake—California will send an engineer to determine the cost of blasting a fishway over Jennie creek falls. The two groups agreed that at least 50,000 acres of lower Klamath lake should be re-flooded as soon as the consent of the Klamath irrigation district can be obtained.

grand master of Oregon Masons at the 76th annual meeting of the grand lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Oregon in Portland, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. Edgar H. Senneker, of Portland, president of the West Coast National bank there, was installed as grand master.

Mr. Eakin, with several others from the local Masonic lodge, returned home this morning after attending the convention. S. A. Anderson, master of the local lodge, A. V. Lindgren, secretary, and E. L. Rings, were among those who attended. Fred Turpan, master of the Elgin lodge of Masons, also returned home this morning, after attending the meeting.

Mr. Eakin held the office of grand senior warden last year.

AGED FARMER CRUSHED BY HAY WAGON (Continued from Page 1)

the field, witnessed the accident. The Bohnenkamp ambulance was called shortly before three o'clock to bring the injured man to La Grande, but he died before it arrived.

Born in Germany. John Frederick Meyer was born at Bayreuth, Bavaria, Germany, April 3, 1858. He came direct to La Grande from Germany during the year 1899 and the same year was married to Quentin Hacker here.

He was a member of the La Grande fire department during his residence here. He is a member of the Zion English Lutheran church here.

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In Coos county summer fishing in Ten Mile lake was investigated. Marshfield and North Bend sportsmen want the lake closed in summer because the fish become wormy. Resort people at the lake said the fish were not wormy and offered a \$10 reward for any wormy fish caught.

Wormy Fish. Averill caught three fish and all were full of worms. The lake closing will come up at the next meeting.

At Grants Pass, after a conference with the mayor regarding the city's proposed sewer, the officials served notice that construction would not be allowed unless the city bound itself to put in a sewerage disposal plant within the next two or three years. Unless the pledge is forthcoming, a second election must be called to vote funds for a disposal plant.

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He then passed it around among newspaper men and photographers until he had used all his ingredients.

"What does a glass of that cost?" asked one. "About 15 cents is all," Representative Green, democrat, Florida, was the only other member.

Obituary

HERBERT A. PUCKETT. Herbert A. Puckett, 17, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Puckett, at Cove, at 3:30 a. m. today after 10 weeks illness of pneumonia. He was removed to his home from the Grande Ronde hospital about a week ago.

The young man was born near Cove May 12, 1905 and lived all his life in that vicinity. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church. Interment will be in the Summerville cemetery.

Surviving besides the parents are one sister, Mrs. Orland Lewis, of La Grande, and six brothers: Denny and Claude, of La Grande, and Tony, Ralph, Dean and Nell, of Cove.

MRS. J. M. LATTY. Mrs. J. M. Latty, of Glenns Ferry, Ida., died early this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Bragg, 2619 North Birch street, after a short illness. She was 57 years old.

Mrs. Latty came to La Grande a short time ago to be with another daughter, Mrs. Ada Kinzie, of Glenns Ferry, during a major operation at the Hot Lake sanatorium. Mrs. Kinzie is recovering, but is not yet able to hear of her mother's death.

The decedent was born in the Oklahoma territory 57 years ago. She migrated to Idaho when she was 17. Her mother, Mrs. Susan Upton, and three brothers and sisters, Dave and James Upton and Mrs. Carrie Lightie, still live at Tulsa, Okla. Another sister, Mrs. Peggy Brane, lives at De Queen, Okla.

Funeral services await the arrival of the husband of the deceased and their children from Glenns Ferry this evening. There are a son John Latty, two daughters, Mrs. C. E. Bullock and Mrs. Ernest Eicholz, all of Glenns Ferry, besides Mrs. Bragg and Mrs. Kinzie. The body has been moved from the Snodgrass & Zimmerman chapel to the home to lie in state until the funeral.

her of the liquor traffic committee to attend the demonstration. He looked on for a few minutes but declined a drink.

CLEANUP IN PORTLAND IS STARTED

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"It is a cause for alarm," writes the governor in part, "that we are reaching such a condition of lawlessness in America as to endanger our free institutions of government, which have cost so much sacrifice on the part of our fathers. Our jails are full and the number of inmates in our penitentiaries is rapidly increasing. However, it cannot be successfully alleged that this is the result of the 18th amendment. We have a better enforcement of all laws, and especially of the prohibition law, in the state of Oregon than anywhere else in the United States. While the number of inmates in the Oregon state penitentiary has increased 42 per cent since I have been governor the number has doubled in many penitentiaries throughout the country in the same period of time, especially in states where there has been a determined effort to enforce the prohibition law."

Crime Wave Discussed. "This wave of lawlessness seems rather to be the result of many causes, which have culminated in a general breakdown of the moral fibre, and I am of the opinion that the conditions described in your letter are just a small part of the general crime wave that is sweeping over our country today. "When people put drink before honor, liquor before the flag, personal liberty before the law, when there are flagrant violations of the law on every hand, it is high time that the people of our country are warned of the forces that are at work that strikes at the very foundations of our government. "I believe that general approval of the people of Portland will be manifested in support of every honorable means to rid this city of conditions which you describe. "Considering Request. "I trust that your efforts will result in enlisting the sympathy of public opinion, the ultimate power in the government. "Your request that the attorney general of this state be asked to take charge of investigation and prosecuting these cases, is now before me. I am considering the proper method of procedure, and my final decision will be made early next week."

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Miss Swikert has reported a total of 10,300 votes. Raymond O. Williams, member of the legion committee, reported this morning. Miss Charles Fallows, in second place, has turned in 9,000 and Miss Marjorie Teuber is third with 8,300.

The contest closes at six o'clock Tuesday evening and a final count will be made at that time. The winner will be announced at a legion dance at Zuber hall, beginning at nine o'clock, the same evening. All three contestants will be present at that time.

The winning contestant will represent La Grande legion post No. 43 at the state American Legion convention to be held at Coos Bay, a complete bathing outfit will be a part of her reward. Suitable prizes will also be given the other two girls.

The money made from the drive will be used to pay the expenses of the American Legion drum corps to the convention.

Some folks never get the last installment paid on the automobile until it's worn out, and then they have to begin all over again.

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The Wisteria LUNCHEON SET in 30" and 45" Wisteria design. See the model. \$1.50 and \$1.85—on best grade of material.

Art & Baby Shop "Everything For The Baby"

TONIGHT—HOOT GIBSON

STAR Sunday MONDAY

THE "WILLIAM DE MILLE" PRODUCTION Runaway. CLARA BOW with FRANK BRAXTER GEORGE BANCKROFT WILLIAM POWELL

YOUR INDEPENDENCE DAY. We know that a majority of people still resort to drugs when they become ill. If you are one of these proclaim your independence today and join the ever-increasing throng who rely upon chiropractic for the maintenance of good health. You do not feel right, come to us for an examination and a demonstration of what chiropractic can do. Consultation free.

DR. J. E. WOODFELL 20 Sommer B