

Local News In Brief

In City Yesterday—
Mrs. Joe Thomas was here yesterday. Her home is at Wallawa.

Here From Union—
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lawson, of Union, were shopping in La Grande yesterday.

Enterprise People Here—
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pinkley were here yesterday from their home at Enterprise.

Choir to Meet—
The choir of the Central church of Christ will meet for rehearsal tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church.

Attending Elgin Fair—
Senator Henry H. Taylor was in the city yesterday from his home in Union county. He and L. L. McKennon went to Elgin today for the Union county fair.

For Winter—
Miss Lillian Turnbull has returned to La Grande from Eatonville, Washington, where she has been visiting at the home of her sister, Miss Turnbull, will remain here to attend school this winter.

Left for U. of O.—
Owen Price left last night for Eugene, where he will enter the University of Oregon. Owen graduated from the local high school with the class of 1924. Since then he has been working on "The Observer."

Wife to be Up—
Miss Edna Muiholland is able to be up again after several days illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Clark.

Able to be Up—
Clyde Zimmerman, who has been ill at his home here for several days following a minor operation at the Grande Ronde hospital, is able to be up again.

Mr. Parker Better—
George Parker, who was taken to the Grande Ronde hospital early in the week seriously ill, is reported to be much improved now.

Passed Through City—
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Von Duzer passed through La Grande yesterday on their way home to Portland. Mr. Von Duzer is a member of the state highway commission.

Home for Visit—
Hale Green arrived here last night and will visit for a week with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Duffey, and other relatives and friends. He drove up from Klamath Falls, where he is now living.

Mr. Dunsmore Here—
T. J. Dunsmore, field representative for the Oregon Fire Relief Association is in the city on business. Mr. Dunsmore's home is at McNamara, Oregon, where the home office of the company are located.

To Attend O. A. C.—
C. A. Galloway and son have gone to Portland and from there will go to Corvallis where his son will enter the Oregon Agricultural college.

Highway Officials Here—
Roy A. Klein, state highway engineer, was in the city yesterday. H. H. Baldock, state highway maintenance engineer, is also in this section making an inspection of the La Grande division. Their headquarters are at Salem. Mr. Baldock was formerly engineer of this division and made La Grande his home.

Arrived This Morning—
Miss Virginia Eldridge, a former student of Mosshoe, the school owned and operated by the Loyal Order of Moose, arrived in the city this morning. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Shanks to La Grande from Walla Walla, Washington. Miss Eldridge will appear on the program to be given by the local L. O. O. M. tomorrow evening at Eagles hall.

To Utah After Glen—
Amos Holm, deputy sheriff, is at Ogden, Utah, where he went early in the week after Frank Glen, colored, who is wanted here on a charge of violating a contract on a cat sale. Glen promised that extradition papers would not be necessary to bring him back to La Grande, but changed his mind and Mr. Holm is now there waiting for the arrival of the papers.

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AT CLINTS
All Weights
Shirts \$3.95 to \$6.15
Blazers \$14.45 to \$12.15

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Clothiery
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MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS

Pierce Offers Boston Aid in 'Phone Inquiry

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 23 (AP)—Governor Pierce today telegraphed Governor Fuller of Massachusetts, offering to ask Attorney General Van Winkle, of Oregon, to intervene on behalf of this state in a petition filed before the interstate commerce commission by the city of Boston of the state of Massachusetts demanding a reduction in telephone rates.

"Have been informed," says the telegram, "that the city of Boston or the state of Massachusetts has filed a petition with the interstate commerce commission asking for an investigation into the American Telephone and Telegraph company and their subsidiaries for the purpose of securing relief from excessive telephone rates. Will ask attorney general of Oregon to intervene if it would aid you in this most laudable undertaking to secure relief from the exactions of this oppressive monopoly. Advise nature of action being taken and present status of case."

The governor some time ago announced that he was going to cause an investigation in Oregon of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, which is a subsidiary of the American company, and employed A. E. Clark of Portland make a preliminary investigation and to report recommendations.

FINE TWO FOR RENTING AUTO SANS LICENSE

Alta Keeney, of this city, and Mick Andrews, of Imbler, were fined \$100 and costs in Judge Conway's justice court at Enterprise yesterday for charging passengers without a public service permit.

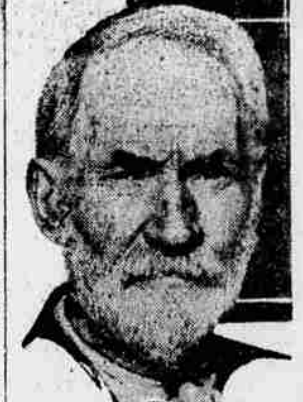
Mrs. Keeney drove Andrews' car and he borrowed a car from his brother-in-law and they took the O. K. vaudeville show troupe, Charlie Golden manager, from La Grande to Enterprise, where they were scheduled to play. The show troupe inquired at the stage terminal about the road trip and thought the rates too high. Mrs. Keeney and Andrews offered to take them and bring them back for \$35 so they took the offer. J. P. Cassidy, public service commissioner, of Salem, who made the arrest declares.

VETERANS ELECT STITT

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 23 (AP)—Theodore Stitt, Brooklyn, was elected national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at the national convention today. Frank Strayer, Indiana, was chosen senior vice commander with Milburn B. Gregory, Nevada, junior vice commander.

Summer can leave when she pleases now. We've seen enough of bathing girls to last us a while. A financial failure doesn't hurt as much after you become accustomed to your new friends.

Echo of '62



Names being mentioned here as possibilities for the appointment are John H. McNary, brother of senator McNary; Lawrence T. Harris, of Eugene, former member of the supreme court; and W. Lair Thompson, an attorney of Portland.

Three Slain When Truck Runs Amuck
YOSEMITE, Cal., Sept. 23 (AP)—A motor truck in which 12 employees of a road construction company were riding, ran away down a steep half-mile grade six miles below Yosemite village today, fatally injuring three men and seriously injuring eight others.

The dead men are: Tom Martin, 37, and John Carlson, 40, both of Yosemite, and G. Hagerman.

TWO ELUDE ARREST

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 23 (AP)—Frank Lloyd Wright, Chicago architect, and Mme. Olga Mitani, named in habeas corpus proceedings here yesterday have eluded the authorities and escaped taking with them the woman's child by a former marriage. Attorney Harold Jackson of Chicago, said here today.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 23 (AP)—A telegram received today from Attorney Harold Jackson declared that Frank Lloyd Wright, architect, and Mme. Olga Mitani were under arrest in a small town near Johnstown, Pa., with them, the message said, were Mme. Mitani's baby and Svetlana Hinzberg, nine-year-old child of the dancer by a former marriage.

Snow General Over State of Montana
HELENE, Mont., Sept. 23 (AP)—Snow fall with freezing temperatures was reported generally over Montana today. Helena and Havre with the Mercury hovering around 22 degrees above zero were the coldest points, while Helena also recorded the heaviest fall of snow, upwards of four and one half inches. Snow still was falling at noon.

Great Falls reported three inches. The freezing temperatures extended into Wyoming and into Idaho.

League Prexy



Foreign Minister Nitlenatch was elected president of the seventh general assembly of the League of Nations, now being held in Geneva.

Hagen Wins Way To Semi-Finals In Garden City

GARDEN CITY, N. Y., Sept. 23 (AP)—Putting on a determined spurt in the second round, Walter Hagen, defending title holder, won his way to the semi-finals of the professional golf association championship today by crushing Pat Doyle, of White Plains, N. Y., 5 up and 5 to play.

Leo Diegel, of New York, won the fourth place in the semi-finals by a 3 and 2 victory over Abe Epstein, of Chicago.

CITY BUDGET PREPARED BY COMMITTEE

NEPAGE McKenny company, if it refuses the contract, forfeit its bidder's bond. It was said, "This firm has two more days in which to either accept or refuse."

Roy Hartenbower, of Hartenbower Brothers, successful bidder for Schedule A, intends to order

the union metal posts and other equipment immediately, thus obviating any delay.

Create Sidewalk District
The sidewalk improvement district created provided for work in Old Town on A, B and C avenues and on Second, Third, Fourth and Cedar streets. The preliminary estimate for the job is \$12,087.99. Oct. 20 was set as the time for a public hearing.

Two petitions for improvement districts were read and referred to the city manager. It is believed that these two will be combined into one. They call for macadam streets and sidewalks on Cove from the railroad to the city limits, North Cherry from Cove to N and East O from North Cherry to Willow and on East Pennsylvania from Island to the city limits and in Q from Island to the city limits.

The Ralph Schuelech company, of Portland, was the successful bidder for the work of arranging for the sale of an \$80,000 block of Bondorf improvement bonds, the details of which are told elsewhere in this issue of The Observer.

STARS FROM ROUND-UP AT COUNTY FAIR

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and is also known for his trick riding at the Union Stock show. R. W. Lane has 15 bronchos on the grounds, many of which were to be seen in action this afternoon. All of these mounts have a reputation.

C. H. Hibbard's three horses will be ridden by Dick Hibbard, Chief Jim White, of the Round-Up city has listed and brought six horses.

John Christiansen was the first to arrive at the grounds early Wednesday with a prize hog, among the several stockmen who hauled or drove in their exhibition animals. W. R. Ledbetter, of Alsea, made his first showing of fine draft animals, expecting to have a number to add to the list today. Routh McKennon, also of Alsea, helped Mr. Ledbetter yesterday, but was expecting to take a number of his own horses to the fair this morning.

Due to the inclement weather yesterday resulted in a smaller number of exhibitors than had been anticipated, though there was promise of a big increase over last year, as the skies indicate easier weather.

With the buildings at the fairgrounds newly whitewashed and with concession tents, side shows, Indian wigwams, and sleeping tents filling up every available foot of space—so much so, in fact, that a number of concessions have been crowded out of the grounds and along the La Grande-Joseph highway in the business district—a miniature city seems to have sprung up in the big enclosure just south of Elgin.

W. E. Leffel, of the Black Marble & Lime company of Enterprise, is one of the newer exhibitors. His company made it possible for the buildings to be whitewashed with Enterprise lime, having furnished the product free of charge.

The exhibit hall was rapidly filling yesterday with needlework, flowers, and cooking displays. Products of the ranch—wheat, oats, barley and other grain—are profusely shown. There are \$120 in prizes for wheat exhibits, which were secured by Jet Gaskill, of Alsea. There are individual ranch displays, a display by the La Grande Fur company and school and community displays. The articles were being brought in so plentifully that a complete check was impossible late Wednesday.

Amusement Features There
The midway to the grandstand is lined with many tents while the Northwestern shows has a merry-go-round, a glider and athletic show. A picturesque character on the grounds is old "General" Phil Sherman of Pendleton, who is conducting a blanket store.

The dance pavilion is all ready for the big opening dance this evening. Dances will be the evening feature each night of the fair. A well known orchestra has been engaged to furnish the syncopated chords.

A business transaction featured listing day when C. H. Hibbard, disposed of his six-sevenths interest in the fair grounds to the Kiddle interests, owners of the Pioneer Flouring Mills chain. Mr. Hibbard had purchased a share in the grounds at Elgin during a sale

LEATHER VESTS \$4.95

Men's work vests, leather sleeves and lined moleskin shell, knit collar and wrists—worth \$7.50. Sizes 36 to 46.

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Adapted from Julian Josephson's Saturday Evening Post Story, "Delicatessen," by Brooke Hanlon.

Pathe News Fables Starts TODAY

ARCADE

New Orleans has homesickness to thank for this status of Ben Frank. He is to be unveiled there in October. He is the gift of Henry H. Gustine (upper picture) of Chicago and is a replica of one Gustine saw when he served in New Orleans as a Union lieutenant in 1862. "It attracted me because I was homesick down there," he explains. The original memorial had disintegrated the next time Gustine went south, and he determined to replace it.