

Local News In Brief

Imbler Man in Town—Ray Wilson, orchardist of Imbler, spent yesterday in La Grande.

Huntington Man at Foley—J. E. Stephenson, of Huntington, spent Tuesday at the Foley.

North Powder Couple Here—J. A. McPhee and wife, of North Powder, spent Tuesday visiting at the farm home of A. P. Davis.

Enterprise Man Here—Glen McGary, Enterprise resident, spent yesterday in La Grande. He was registered at the Foley hotel.

On Way to Eugene—E. O. Bates, who hails from Twin Falls, Ida., spent Tuesday in La Grande. Bates is on his way to Eugene and other points.

Nampa Couple Here—Stopping at the Sommer on their way to Portland yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith, Nampa residents.

Spokane Couple Stop Here—N. E. Milne and wife, of Spokane, were in La Grande yesterday. They stopped at the Sommer hotel.

Visits in Pendleton—Mrs. M. Millman, of Cove, left La Grande last evening for a visit in Pendleton with her daughter, Mrs. T. G. Tobin.

Left for Home—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spivey and little daughter, Henrietta, left this morning for their home at Austin, Ore., after visiting here since last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Larson.

Left for California—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Myers left La Grande this morning for Colton, Cal., called there by the serious illness of his father, A. S. Myers. They will be away indefinitely.

Operated on Yesterday—A. S. Anderson, who has been ill at the Grande Ronde hospital for some time, underwent an operation at the hospital yesterday. His condition was reported to be good this morning.

Minister Here—The Rev. Mr. Milton, presiding elder of the First M. E. church in Walla Walla, arrived in La Grande this morning to conduct services at the South Methodist church this evening.

Returns Home—A. S. Edmonds, assistant traffic manager for the O.W. R. & N., was in La Grande Tuesday on his way home to Portland after visiting for some time in the east.

Make Home Here—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spaeth Sr., of Noius, Minn., have come to La Grande and plan to make their home here. At present they are living at the home of their son, Fred Spaeth Jr.

Here From Imbler—C. C. Conrad, farmer of Imbler, was in La Grande yesterday on business.

Went to Boise—John B. left for Boise, Ida., on this morning's train. He plans to be there about a week.

Mrs. Laughlin Ill—Mrs. R. W. Laughlin has been very ill at her home here for the past week but is much better now. She is employed in West's store.

Made Final Proof—Mrs. Emeline Lee, of La Grande, made final proof on a homestead this morning before Colon H. Eberhard, United States commissioner.

In City Yesterday—C. W. Stinger, assistant general passenger agent for the Southern Pacific railway company, of Portland, was in La Grande yesterday.

Had Operation—Bobby Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mann, underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital Saturday. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

Home This Morning—A. E. Hewitt returned to his home at Wallowa this morning after taking the railroad examination here yesterday. Hewitt works for the railroad company.

To Josepho on Business—Mrs. L. Altman, of La Grande, went to Josepho on this morning's train. She will be there until Sunday on business.

Home from Boise—Mrs. Carolyn Deal and daughter, Hazel, have returned home from a several days trip to Boise where they visited with friends as well as attending to business matters. Mrs. Deal conducts the Fashion Beauty shop here.

Will Buy Music—Dick Lindsey left last night for Portland where he will spend a few days buying new music for his orchestra. "The Ramblers" which has a heavy schedule during Christmas holiday season, Lindsey also intends to have his violin repaired while in the coast city.

Golf Enthusiast in Town—"He swings a wicked golf club" was the comment of a local business man concerning C. J. Batchelder, Walla Walla resident and first ranking player at the Walla Walla municipal club commonly known as the "Binkydinks." Mr. Batchelder is in La Grande this week in the interest of the Snyder-Crescent Paper company.

Home For Holidays—Mrs. W. P. Wade left for her home at Elgin this morning after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. J. Wagoner, since Sunday. Mrs. Wade arrived here Sunday from Portland, where she has been for about two weeks. She will spend the Christmas holidays at home at Elgin, after which both she and her husband will return to Portland for a while.

To Visit Brother—R. M. Clay was in La Grande this morning on his way to Enterprise, where he will visit during the holidays with his brother, Will Clay. Clay lived at Enterprise at one time and has a number of friends there. It has been 20 years since he has visited Wallowa county. He makes his home in Southern California.

Sold Show Colt—R. A. Masterton has sold his show colt, Prince Meteor, to William Wright, of Lower Cove. Prince Meteor was sired by Meteorite, a government horse kept by Homer Bidwell at North Powder, and will be three years old in May. He has been shown by Masterton at the Union stock show for the past two years. Wright plans to keep him for a private saddle horse and show horse.

To Observe Church Night—The Central Church of Christ will observe church night Friday evening, Dec. 10, with a potluck supper at 5:30 o'clock in the church basement, followed by a short program. O. C. Pughman is chairman of the committee in charge. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend. There will be a meeting of the church officers immediately after the program.

Relatives Located—Mrs. John Adshin received a telephone call about an hour after The Observer was out last evening telling her where one of the children of Bradford and Louisa Griffin lives. He is Jess Griffin and lives at 361 Lincoln street, Hoquiam, Wash. A relative of the Griffin's, Mrs. Julia G. Yager, of McCook, Nebr., wrote Mrs. Adshin regarding their location.

Breakfasts Hold No Charm for Him—WASHINGTON, Dec. 8. (AP)—The white house breakfast conferences, which have been attended by congressional leaders, have no appeal for Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, he said today. If those present are supposed to overlook such things as occurred in the Illinois and Pennsylvania primaries.



The Judge
Few trials in American court history have been conducted in such an atmosphere of dignity and decorum as the trial of Albert R. Fall and Edward Doheny at Washington. This is due to Justice Adolph A. Hoehling, above who is presiding. "This isn't going to be another Hall-Mills case," he says.

fraud and corruption disclosed in the Illinois and Pennsylvania primaries.

The first gas for domestic use was conducted from the resorts to points of use through the utilization of discarded gun barrels, of which there was an ample supply at the close of various European wars. The barrels were made into a continuous pipe by screwing the ends together.

Obituary

OLIVE STANFIELD
Olive Stanfield passed away at her home at 1002 Y avenue Tuesday after an illness of five months. The Crystal Rebekah lodge will have charge of the funeral services which will be held Friday at 2:30 p. m. at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman chapel.

Olive Pettengill was born in Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 8, 1859 and spent her childhood in Wisconsin. In Stillwater, Minn., Leavenworth, Kan., and Wilkesbarre, Pa. Later she lived in Colorado before going to Carbon county, Wyoming in 1882.

On Aug. 19, 1885 she was married to George E. Stanfield at Carbon, Wyo., and to this union five children were born, four sons and a daughter, two of whom preceded her to the Great Beyond as did her husband.

She leaves to mourn her loss the following children: William A. and Charles D. Stanfield and Florence A. Humphries, all of La Grande; nine grandchildren, and a brother, Charles R. Gardner, of Nampa, Ida.

She was an active member of Crystal Rebekah lodge No. 59 and the Hivoria Parent-Teacher association.

L. L. CROSS
BAKER, Ore., Dec. 8.—L. L. Cross, prominent farmer of Elgin, died suddenly today in Dr. A. Kohler's office, a victim of heart attacks. He had been here some time for medical treatment. Mrs. Cross was with him.

Cross was born 65 years ago in South Dakota. He was married in 1888 and since then has lived on the same farm near Elgin. One son was killed in France during the war.

His children are on their way to Baker. The body will be returned to Elgin where funeral services will be conducted.

LEGISLATORS GET DOWN TO BRASS TACKS
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In the enforcement section of the treasury appropriation bills which incorporated a virtual request for congressional sanction of the employment of "under cover" prohibition agents.

Containing the substance for removal of a bitterly contested phase of the prohibition conflict, the question which congress must decide is whether the fund from which the substances are made to secret operatives, will be increased from \$250,000 to \$500,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8. (AP)—A referendum to determine the sentiment in the Philippines toward independence was proposed today in a resolution offered in the house by Representative Gilbert, Democrat, Kentucky.

More than two million pounds of copper were required by the United States treasury department in 1923 to mint \$5,115,675 in pennies and nickels. The "nickel" contains 75 per cent copper.

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With Kathleen Collins
From the story "Ride Him Cowboy" by Kenneth Perkins
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