

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
Feb. 25, 25, 26—District basketball tournament at Union, Ore.
Mar. 1—Annual Union county chamber of commerce banquet here.
June 8, 9, 10—Union Livestock show at Union, Ore.
July 21, 22, 23—State American Legion convention in La Grande.

Recovering From La Grippe—C. E. Happersett is recovering from a serious attack of la grippe.

In Joseph—J. P. Mullin, of Joseph, is spending a few days in La Grande.

Returns From Baker—Mrs. E. Larkin returned last night from a short visit in Baker with relatives.

In Town From Union—Mr. and Mrs. Hal Reese of Union, were here yesterday. Reese is an insurance man.

Came to Corvallis—Frank McKenney left last night for Corvallis, where he will be for a few days on business.

Left This Morning—The Rev. W. C. Ross left this morning for Boise, Ida., where he is now pastor of the First Presbyterian church, after visiting friends in La Grande for several days.

Visit in Weiser—Olive and Mildred Bradshaw, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bradshaw, of this city, returned to their home here last night after visiting since Friday at Weiser.

Home From Portland—Mrs. Roy Curry has returned from a several weeks' trip to Portland where she visited. Mrs. Curry is in charge of the millinery department at Hill's and made preparations for the spring millinery trade while there.

Oregon Trail Poster Out—One of the Oregon Trail posters issued by the Portland chamber of commerce will be shown in the city hall today at the Oregon Trail annual meeting. The posters contain beautiful views of Wallawalla, Mount Hood and other scenic views on the trail. About 20,000 of these have been issued, and will be used for advertising purposes.

Stopped Here Today—E. L. Ballard, state county agent, who makes his headquarters at Corvallis, passed through La Grande today on his way to McMinnville, where he will attend an economic conference to be held there tomorrow and the next day. Ballard was one of the speakers at a meeting of the Greater Wallawalla association last night. He stopped here for a short visit with H. G. Avery, Union county agent.

No Services Tonight—No services will be held at the Salvation Army hall tonight. Roy Barker, with the Sunday school superintendent, and teachers, will attend the teachers' meeting to be held at the Baptist church. Mrs. Barker and other members will attend the evangelistic services at the Nazarene church, tomorrow night. Claude C. Pratt will be the speaker. He will also have his friend "Joe" with him to accompany his singing.

ARTIST SPEAKS AT CLUB SESSION
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Hotel given by Mrs. Appleby for the members of the Hambley club.

During the business session of the club which preceded the program Dr. Margaret Ingle was elected as second vice president to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. J. A. Tedford.

Mrs. E. P. Mossman gave a report on the fine arts institute, conducted by the State Federation of Women's clubs in Portland, which she attended and participated in the program, recently.

Tributes were paid to the memory of Mrs. E. R. Hackman and Mrs. Clara Lyle, former members of the club. Mrs. Lyle was president of the club during 1897 and 1898, and was very active in the early life of the club.

SUITS
See Clint's Window.
The Latest Models
And Patterns for
Spring.
Michaels - Stern
Middishade
and
Pendleton
Makes
**Clint's
Clothiers**
The Store With a Conscience

OLD OREGON TRAIL BODY MEETS HERE

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was unable to attend, sent a message to the association in which he pointed out the necessity of maintaining the association intact and of towns along the trail continuing their support of the organization.

Deplores "Passing Buck"
"The parent organization must accept its responsibility," he said. "Every town along the trail should lend its support. Passing the buck to the others is like cheating."

Meacham's report reviewed the work of the association since its organization in February, 1922, and pointed out the vast amount of constructive publicity distributed over the nation through the association's efforts. This publicity should continue unabated, he said. He pointed out that rival highways are busily engaged in boosting themselves and that falling off of interest in the Old Oregon Trail highway would be the result of inactivity. He, in expressing regrets that he was unable to attend, hoped that constructive plans would be formulated today.

Portland and Publicity
A letter from Herbert Cuthbert, of the Portland chamber of commerce publicity department, urged that the association devote less energy to publicity and more to ward inducing construction along the trail at stretches where the character of the highway is detrimental to the whole.

He reviewed the work of the Portland chamber of commerce along publicity lines, which has been great, and the meeting informally endorsed the action of his organization. He also said that Portland expects to issue 20,000 more trail pamphlets in the next month.

A letter from Marshall Dunn, associate editor of the Oregon Journal of Portland, carried the information that Portland has spent approximately \$35,000 in furnishing Oregon Trail highway publicity and stated that more may be expected from Portland in the future.

Many other letters were filed from Idaho, Washington and Oregon towns expressing regret that delegates could not attend but reaffirming support to the association.

Financial Report
A financial report showed that, considering \$75 that Union has yet to pay and \$125 due from La Grande—and both towns have guaranteed that these amounts will be paid—the association has enough to pay all indebtedness and still have a cash balance remaining.

Hopes were expressed that more interest may be aroused in Pendleton in the near future.

Before adjournment for the noon luncheon, Cadwell nominated two committees, to report at this afternoon's session, which began at 1 o'clock.

Two Committees Named
The nominating committee, to nominate three two-year directors and three one-year directors, consists of George Huntington Curry, formerly of Arlington; W. C. Per-



Try running up six flights of stairs in a minute. And then climb on and on, minute after minute, without stopping for breath. That is what Leon Avizian, 16, a high school boy, of Brooklyn, has just done for a world's record as a stairway sprinter. He ran up the 59 flights of the Woolworth building, New York, in 9 minutes flat, elipping 3 minutes off the former record for the climb. The Woolworth building stairway, you know, is the closest man has ever come to embodying Jacob's dream of a ladder stretching to heaven. The building towers 792 feet in air, and there are more than 1300 steps to its top. Leon did them two steps at a stride. To the peak of the majestic Washington monument, which tourists to the capital marvel at and, some time attempt to climb, is 555 feet, and there are only 893 steps.



U. S. MARINES IN NICARAGUA DEPLOY NEAR PUERTO CABEZAS, AND ARE PHOTOGRAPHED ENTERING THE JUNGLE

Every Sunday



Harold Burleson, of Minneapolis, started going to Sunday school in 1912, when he was not quite ten years old, and hasn't missed a single Sunday since.

kind, of La Grande, and W. C. North, of Baker.

The budget committee, which will determine a 1927 program, consists of W. C. Calder, Baker; Sherwood Williams, La Grande; and M. S. Levy, Union.

At the noon luncheon at the Policy hotel Cadwell presided and addresses were made by James Nichols, attorney of Baker, Ore., and M. N. Huntington, of Walla Walla.

Early this afternoon the nominating committee reported as follows: for two-year terms: W. C. Calder, Baker; C. L. Cadwell, Union; Herbert Cuthbert, Portland.

For one-year terms: M. N. Huntington, Walla Walla; Sherwood Williams, La Grande; Mr. Swerger, Portland.

Some discussion followed the report of the nominating committee and the possibility of amendments exists.

A resolutions committee was appointed as follows: R. C. Lee, Union; W. C. North, Baker; and G. I. Hess, Union.

Steam spray is now being used by paperhangers to remove old wall paper.



FOR THE KIDDIES

Homemaid Hard Candies
The big assortment of flavors made a hit with the youngsters. A pure wholesome candy that appeals to all ages.

45c The Jar

Glass Drugs Inc.
The Rexall Store
La Grande, Ore.

DEFICIT NOW FIGURED AT \$4,000,000

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bill provided for purchase of books by the school districts if so voted by the people.

Joseph Measure Passed
Senator Joseph's bill making incurable insanity a cause for divorce passed the senate today with 16 favorable votes.

TAX BILL IN SENATE

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 16, (AP).—The state income tax bill, proposed by Governor F. L. Patterson, and already passed by the house, was before the senate this afternoon and Senators Joseph and Hall were prepared to lead a fight to amend the bill three important particulars. They were:

First—To raise the exemptions to \$1500 for a single man, \$2500 for a married man with \$400 for each dependent, and \$2500 for a corporation.

The exemptions in the bill as introduced are \$1000 for a single man, \$2000 for a married man with \$400 for each dependent, and \$2000 for a corporation.

Would Revoke Rates
Second—To revise the rates to one per cent on the first two thousand, two per cent on the second two thousand, three per cent on the fifth thousand and four per cent on all income in excess of five thousand.

The rates as prescribed in the bill introduced are one per cent on the first thousand, two per cent on the next thousand, and three per cent on the remainder.

Misunderstanding?
In commenting on France's refusal, Secretary Kellogg expressed the belief that the Paris government has misunderstood in several points the full purpose of the president's proposal.

"A serious blow to the whole cause of disarmament," the secretary of state said, "would result in the postponement to the indefinite future of all efforts to grapple with the problem of competitive naval building."

Emphasizing his view that the United States proposal did not conflict with the league's armament plans, as contended in the French note, Kellogg declared that President Coolidge in his message of Feb. 10 had signified the intention of this country to continue its participation in the Geneva arms conference and "will make every effort to contribute helpfully to the final success" of the commission.

ITALY AGREES WITH FRANCE
ROME, Feb. 16 (AP).—Italy will follow France's lead in rejecting president Coolidge's naval disarmament proposal it was said in a semi-official communique this morning. The Italian reply is ready and will probably be delivered some time today.

The reasons for Italy's rejection of the proposal were not announced, but it is understood they are based upon the insistence that a reduction in submarine destroyers and other light types of naval vessels would jeopardize the defense of the long coast lines of Italy proper and her African colonies.

The petrol, which obtains its food by seeming to run on the surface of the sea, is named for Saint Peter, who, through faith, tried to walk on the Sea of Galilee.

Of the 22 million dollars made in the United States during 1925, only about one million were bonded.

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The Italian note may offer similar possibilities to the official eye, but the immediate effect of the Rome announcement is the creation of an added obstacle to any proposal for limiting cruiser, destroyer and submarine tonnage in accordance with the Washington treaty theory or of reestablishing that theory with French and Italian views.

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WE SELL FOR LESS
Heavy grade Mole-skin Pants, \$3.95 value—
\$2.95

Cotton Work Sox in black and brown—
2 for 15c

NEW YORK STORE
Destroyers of High Prices.

Nowadays You Press A Button

Or perhaps a switch, or some little gadget, and a lot of things happen around a home that lighten labor and banish trouble.

A whirling fan brings a cooling breeze, and a little copper, disk-like affair throws out a sizzling blast that warms the room in no time.

Another button boils coffee, toasts bread and cooks waffles. Another does a better job than a broom. Another makes a happy laundress out of a dismal washwoman. Another one cools the ice-box. Another—but why go on?

Labor and time saving devices have come and are today within the reach of the humblest home.

And one of the chief reasons why they have come and why they are within the reach of the humblest home is the power of advertising.

Advertising has carried the news of these better ways of doing things to every home. It has created a desire to possess them, and countless thousands have purchased them, and live better because of them.

Reading advertising not only tells you about new, helpful mechanical devices for the home, but it is an unflinching guide to reliable products.

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Country Club Stockholders Meet Thursday

There will be a meeting of the La Grande Country club stockholders Thursday evening in the city hall for organization purposes, when a new board of directors will be elected and proposed by-laws will be presented for consideration and adoption.

A corporation committee of the country club composed of G. L. Larson, S. D. Crowe, and H. E. Dixon, filed articles for a \$50,000 corporation last week in Salem, to be divided into 100 shares at \$50 each. Using the by-laws of several other country clubs as a guide by-laws for the organization have been outlined. They were gone over today at a meeting of the present board of directors at the Summer hotel, and will be presented for consideration and adoption Thursday night.

As many as possible of the country club stockholders are urged to be present for the meeting.

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32 STORES
C. J. Breier Co.
IN THE WEST
1104 Adams—Store No. 15
La Grande, Ore.

Suit Cases
\$1.95

Hard fiber 8 inches deep, wood frame, all around leather straps—
a \$2.50 value.

BANK LOBBY CHARGED
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP).—Investigation of a "powerful banking lobby" at the capitol was proposed today by the senate by Senator Glass, democrat, Virginia.

BURNS
Cover with wet baking soda—
afterwards apply gently—
VICKS
VAPORUB
Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

ARCADÉ
TONIGHT

EMIL JANNINGS in
FAUST
The Picture that made the world gasp

Starting THURSDAY
WAR MAY BE HELL / THIS COMEDY IS HEAVEN
TIN HATS
with
Conrad Nagel, Claire Windsor, Bert Roach, George Cooper, Tom O'Brien

PILLOW CASES \$1.00
New designs in extra good grade tubing. Stamped and hemstitched. See the models.

ART & BABY SHOP

STAR TODAY and Thursday

Mrs. Wallace Reid Presents

"The Red Kimono"

What becomes of the girls who disappear?

Are they always wilfully wicked? Can they ever come back?

The startling story of the sisterhood of sorrow.

Children under 12 years unaccompanied by their parents, not admitted.

Admission 35c