

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 25, 26, 27—District basketball tournament at Union, Ore.

Mar. 1—Annual Union county chamber of commerce banquet here.

March 15 and 16—Fourth annual economic conference in La Grande.

June 8, 9, 10—Union Live-stock show at Union, Ore.

July 21, 22, 23—State American Legion convention in La Grande.

Visited Sister—

Miss Lenore Gibson spent yesterday at Pendleton, where she visited her sister, Frieda Waltz.

Accepts Position—

Miss Anna Kramer has accepted a Monograph position with the Curry Realty agency.

Here From Sumnerville—

Mrs. E. Perle Wacker, of Sumnerville, was in La Grande yesterday.

Eight Woman Here—

Mrs. Fred Terpy was a La Grande visitor yesterday from Elgin.

Left For Portland—

The Rev. Oliver Riley left this morning for Portland where he will spend several days.

Here From Meacham—

Jessie Smith and wife, of Meacham, were in La Grande yesterday. They registered at the Foley hotel.

Enterprise Man Here—

Mr. David Heiser, business man of Enterprise, was in La Grande yesterday looking after business interests.

Returns to Pendleton—

After visiting some time at the A. J. Pick home in this city Miss E. Stevenson left for her home in Pendleton last night.

Ill at Home—

Juanita Clark, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, is ill at the home of her parents of bronchial pneumonia.

To Have Operation—

Wesley Harrison, who has been ill at his home here for several months was taken to Portland Monday night where he will have an operation. He was accompanied by his wife and Dr. C. S. Moore.

Looking for Location—

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson, of Lewiston, Ida., are in La Grande and are looking for a location here. At present they are stopping at the Bowman-Hicks boarding house.

Home From Pendleton—

Mrs. Frank Piles returned to her home here Monday night from Pendleton. Thursday she plans to leave for Walla Walla, Wash., for a short visit with her sister.

Car Stolen—

The C. E. Happersett car was stolen last night from in front of the Eagles hall here. It was found at about midnight on Fourth street. No damage had been done except that the lock on the car had been broken.

Prayer Meeting—

Prayer meeting will be held at the Central Church of Christ Thursday at 7:30 o'clock with the first and second books of Samuel to study. Three talks will be made, one on the birth and consecration of Samuel, one on why Saul failed the king and one on why David succeeded.

Return From California—

Mrs. H. G. Dow and son, Bobby, returned yesterday from California where they have been visiting for the past month. They spent two weeks in San Francisco, visiting with Mrs. Dow's son, John Houghan, and from San Francisco went to Sacramento where they spent the rest of their visit. Mrs. Dow relates that although they missed the worst of the storms which are raging in California, they spent one night in Sacramento during a severe wind and rain storm. She also tells that the water flooded the highways and that cars were "floating" on them with water above the wheels. On the way home they spent a few days in Medford visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Deane, who until a few years ago, made their home here, and who now own the Holland hotel at Medford.

Ends Visit—

Mrs. E. W. Hendrick left this morning for Portland after visiting for some time with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Bugg, of this city.

Cove Librarian Here—

Mrs. Grace, who is the librarian at Cove, was in La Grande yesterday. She stopped at the Sommer hotel.

Visited Husband—

Mrs. H. A. Ostland and baby left for their home in Spokane last night after visiting here with Ostland, who is employed in the Service store.

To Meet Tomorrow—

The Mothers' Self culture club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Williams on O avenue, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program is being planned and all members are urged to be there.

Promoted to Wallawa—

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McDaniels have been in town from Maxville since Saturday visiting with friends and making preparations to move to Wallawa where McDaniels has been promoted to head of the yards of the Bowman-Hicks lumber company there. For the past year they have made their home at Maxville where he was stockkeeper.

Artists Pass Through—

Several local musicians were at last evening's great Mrs. Thomas Carlick, Burke and her party when they passed through on their way home to Portland after presenting a concert at the Carlick theater in Baker under the auspices of the MacDowell club there. Mrs. Burke lived in Baker for many years where she taught and pioneered musical enterprises. Since living in Baker she has spent about nine years in New York where she taught and wrote for the musical sections of the papers, becoming a critic of real note. Her column in the Oregonian last winter will be recalled. Last year she came to Portland where she became director of the Ellison-White conservatory. Her daughter, who is visiting her from New York, added to Mrs. Burke's piano music here in the Baker concert with several Spanish dances, while Mrs. Metzger a Portland soprano was also well received. Local musicians who attended the concert say that they have never witnessed a more enthusiastic reception than that accorded Mrs. Burke.

WOOL MEN OF COUNTY HERE FOR MEETING

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Speak at this evening's meeting. Bently will also say a few words. From here the two will go to Grant county, where they will attend a meeting arranged by County Agent Richards, under the direction of the O. A. C. extension service.

The range sheep owners of the county will meet this evening for a banquet at the Sommer hotel, with T. J. Green, president of the chairman and hostmaster, when a range sheep owners association will probably be organized.

Several Speakers

There will be several speakers at the evening meeting including, Tom Johnson, and Forest Scroggin, range sheep owners; H. E. Cooledge, bank representative; H. G. Avery, county agent; J. C. Kuhn, superintendent of the Pacific Cooperative Wool Growers association; Robert Withycombe, of the Union experiment station; and Ed Miller.

Senate to Take Up Bonus Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (AP).—At the suggestion of Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, the democratic floor leader, the senate today agreed to take up tomorrow the bill for government loans on soldiers bonus certificates.

The measure, already passed by the house, will come to the senate at 3 p. m. tomorrow.

A new town in Oklahoma has been named Bowlers. It seems the Charleston hasn't found its way out there yet.



—NEA, Boston Bureau
DR. TERRY HSIEH (pronounced "Sheer") managing director of the Chinese-American Trade Bureau. He is known as the "Teddy Roosevelt of China." He is using his powers of fiery oratory in the interests of better understanding between the two nations.

Power Company Employees Meet In La Grande

The employees' organization of the E. O. L. & P. company met in the library auditorium here Monday night in monthly session. R. F. Lentz favored the organization with a safety first report and Ernest Crockett talked of the National Electric Light association.

Gene Walker, manager of the La Grande office, and Ernest Walden, line foreman, staged a surprise which resulted in much applause. Refreshments followed the program.

The following attended from Baker: J. H. King, Oscar Bowen, Miss Anne Gyllenborg, Miss Leo Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. Crockett, M. A. Preiss, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Comstock, Mrs. John Rutter, Leo Bartholomew, R. W. Maxwell, Ray Owens and Nell Ryder.

La Grande representatives were: Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Ernest Walden, Miss Stella Bloch, Mrs. Irma Theissen, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Art Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Holman, Miss Lota Phillips, B. F. Lentz, Robert Williamson, Grant Tucker, Clarence Rosewall, John Decks, C. O. Williams and Roger Marker.

H. A. Linn, the agent at Union, and W. W. Wilson, the agent at Elgin, were also present.

SESSION OF SENATE ONE OF LONGEST

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for a report, and the senate was furnished with a bit of comedy. Standing on the dais at the right hand of President Pro-tempore Moses, Harry said:

"Mr. Bayard could not come because he is getting ready to go out of town to attend a funeral tomorrow. At Mr. Borah's residence there is no answer. Mr. Brunsard is ill. At Mr. Capper's residence there is no answer.

"Mr. Caraway's telephone, it is said, has been disconnected. Mr. Couzens has gone to bed. Mr. Dale said that he would come later if necessary but he was in bed. Mr. Dill is coming."

Other Excuses

Several senators chorused that Senator Dill already had arrived. "Mr. Edge is not at home," resumed the sergeant-at-arms. "Mr. Ernst says he waited too long to be called and has gone to bed. Mr. Ferris says he is tired out and can not come. Mr. Goff has gone to bed with a bad cold.

"Mr. Gooding is in bed, but says, all right, I'll come over. Mr. Gould has gone to bed. Mr. Harris is sick. Mr. Harrison is not at home. Mr. Hawes reported that he was in bed, but says he will be here. Mr. Hefflin is reported as being ill and cannot come. Mr. Keyes is in bed, but says he will think it over."

This brought a burst of laughter. "I think he is serious about that and that he is considering coming," protested the sergeant-at-arms.

Many "Ill"

Then he resumed his report, indicating that quite an epidemic had overtaken senators since the early evening. Those reported ill included King, of Utah; Watson, of Indiana; and Swanson, of Virginia. The report from McLean, of Connecticut, was that the person answering the telephone refused to deliver the officer's message.

When the senate had heard all the sergeant-at-arms had to say on these subjects, it decided quickly to resort to its power of arrest over absentees, but it did so only with indifferent success.

Again the senate loafed while the votes were being prepared. At 2 a. m. the sergeant-at-arms reported that "the order of the senate is being carried out as rapidly as possible, which is not very rapidly."

Gooding First "Arrested"

Gooding, of Idaho, was the first "arrested" senator to show, stalking in at 10 minutes past 2. He was followed 10 minutes later by the venerable Ferris, of Michigan. Then came Reed, of Missouri, head of the campaign funds committee and candidate extraordinary of divers writs and subpoenas for summoning recalcitrants before the bar of the senate. Stalking to his desk, the fiery Missourian said:

"I wish to understand whether or not I am under arrest. If I am, I want to purge myself of contempt."

That was a poser for Senator Robinson, of Indiana, one of the new senators who was presiding.

Calls the Bluff

Still the Missourian gazed, while there were hasty consultations between the presiding officer and the clerk. These resulted in the announcement that "the senator from Missouri is not under arrest."

A quorum eventually was obtained, and Senator Arthur resumed his speech, but almost before he had warmed to his subject his audience had faded away.

Some senators sought naps on couches just outside the chamber but most of them went home and took ample precautions against further annoyance by deputies of the sergeant at arms. A roll call at 4:45 a. m. showed but 23 present. It took until after 9 o'clock to round up the necessary 48.

When the quorum was announced, another opponent of the Boulder Canyon bill, Phillips, of Colorado, who had stuck faithfully through the long watches of the night took the floor and the filibuster was on again. The 64-year-old Colorado senator alternated between speaking and reading, and seemed in good form despite the loss of sleep. He talked to almost empty seats though many nearby couches were occupied with dozing senators.

Vice President Dawes, the champion of an anti-filibuster rule, entered the chamber at 10:50 a. m., and ascended the dais. He grinned broadly as he took up the gavel last

In Ship Mix-Up



—NEA, Los Angeles Bureau

Because the British steamer Holgerland allowed Mrs. W. G. McAdoo, Jr. (above), and two other passengers to land at Honolulu, the U. S. government has lodged a \$600 fine against the ship. Foreign vessels are forbidden to carry passengers between United States ports. Mrs. McAdoo, bound for Japan, left the boat to return to California, where one of her children had become ill. The photo of her was taken as she reached Los Angeles.

Quick Recoveries

Soon after 11 o'clock King, of Utah, suggested the absence of a quorum but a leisurely call by the clerk showed 49 senators either responding to their names or reported engaged in important business in committee rooms. Several minutes later, made quick recoveries from the indispositions which kept them away during the night.

Will Investigate Staten's Charges

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23 (AP).—Federal Judge R. S. Hunt today instructed the federal grand jury to investigate charges contained in a statement filed recently in federal court by James W. Staten, who is being prosecuted by the government on a charge of contempt of court for failure to appear to testify before the grand jury. Staten is charged with conspiracy with Robert A. C. Smith, former state prohibition agent.

PERRY PERSONALS

PERRY, Ore., (Special).—The Perry Parent-Teacher association held its regular monthly meeting last Saturday evening. After the business meeting, the evening was spent in playing games and dancing. Lunch was served by the committee to approximately 50 persons.

Miss Golda Phorman, of the Grande, visited friends and relatives in Perry over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Ole Mathson were business visitors in La Grande last week.

Mrs. Naomi Robertson and Mrs. G. H. Ballantyne were shopping in La Grande Saturday.

Mrs. J. Robert Myers made a trip to La Grande one day last week. Mrs. Archie Stevenson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson attended a show in La Grande last Saturday evening.

J. A. Matott accompanied Bert Kall to La Grande one day last week.

Richard Robinson who has been ill to back in school again. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kall and family were recent dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Diehl, in La Grande.

Mrs. Ed Lark made a trip to La Grande last week to see her sister who is sick.

Walter Thompson and family were recent visitors at Union.

K. W. Smith recently made a trip to La Grande.

Mrs. Torvel Hanson has as her house guest her mother, Mrs. Wilson, of La Grande.

Ralph Hollenback was a business visitor at Perry last Friday.

Lewis Peck, of Cove, was calling on customers of this place several days last week.

Husband Shoots Himself After Injuring Wife

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Feb. 22 (AP).—Mr. M. Hayes, Critcher, of La Grande, is in a critical condition in a local hospital here today as the result of a double shooting at Leland yesterday in which she was injured and her husband killed himself. Jealousy is attributed by neighbors as the motive.

There was only one witness to the tragedy. This was a daughter-in-law who was staying at the house for a few days.

According to the story told to Sheriff W. M. Hayes, Critcher shot two times at his wife, missing once. He then caught and held her and fired a shot through her body in the region of the stomach after one shot had struck her in the shoulder.

Commuter Skidde

Mrs. Critcher had left the house for some eggs and had started for the chicken house. Her husband followed her. The daughter-in-law heard one shot and rushed out doors. She was just in time to see Critcher grapple with his wife. He held her, put the gun against her body and fired.

Critcher then fled. He was found later by the sheriff in a barn where he shot himself through the right temple, the bullet emerging from the right ear.

THOMPSON WINS CHICAGO VOTE

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who "gets eggs on his whiskers, soup on his vest and who never takes a bath."

Thompson's victory was a win for the republican faction of State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe and the head of the ticket along with the rest of the faction's slate for city offices, although the votes of the minor candidates did not approach that registered by Thompson.

Democrats Assist

This was taken by democrat chiefs as indicating that despite the urgings of Mayor Dever that democrats stay in their own primaries, great numbers of them crossed over to vote for Thompson, because they deemed him the easier man for Dever to beat.

Dever himself predicted he would be reelected in April with a total count of more than 600,000 votes, double his estimate of the Thompson strength.

Enthusiastic predictions of victory also came from republican ranks, and Thompson, in a statement said "we go forward to the greater victory which we will win in April for the principles which will make Chicago first among cities and will hold America first always among the nations of the world."

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PATTERSON BILL PASSES SENATE

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that he felt that the state's financial situation did not warrant the raise in salary even though they were justified.

Several bills passed. Among bills passed by the house yesterday were:

S. B. 117, Strayer (by request)—releasing property of estates of O. G. and Blanch Hamilton, now pending probate in county court of Union county to Annie E. Hamilton.

S. B. 169, Eddy—designing and declaring certain territory to a municipality known as the Umpqua improvement district.

S. B. 214, Senator Upton and Representative Collier—to amend law relating to salaries of Lake county officers.

S. B. 225, Upton—creating a game refuge for mule deer in Lake county.

S. B. 162, Eddy—to protect and prohibit the pollution of the waters of Clear lake in Douglas county.

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 23 (AP).—Casting about to find additional sources of revenue to meet the state's deficit, the joint senate and house committees on taxation and revenue have approved three plans for submission to the legislature which is working overtime this week.

They were:

First—A constitutional amendment raising the tax base.

Second—An additional one-cent tax on gasoline.

Third—A tax on tobacco.

A fourth measure, approved by the house committee on taxation, would impose an annual license fee of \$1 on automobile drivers.

May Tax Movies

A fifth plan which is being considered by several legislators would impose a tax on motion pictures.

The tobacco measure provides for a license fee of five dollars and a five per cent tax on the gross receipts of tobacco sales. It is esti-

imated that it would produce between \$400,000 and \$500,000 annually.

The bill providing for a license for automobile drivers was drafted by Representative D. E. Keasey, of Portland. It provides for an annual license fee of one dollar. There are approximately 375,000 cars in the state and as it is estimated that for each family owning a car there would be at least two drivers licensed it is figured that the measure would produce between \$400,000 and \$500,000.

A committee is drafting a resolution for the submission of the constitutional amendment raising the base for the six per cent amendment. The base will be fixed at either \$3,500,000 or an even \$4,000,000. It is owing to the fact that Governor Pierce reduced the base by making a low levy that the state now finds itself in the present financial predicament. Since the amendment would have to be submitted to the people and a new levy made after its passage it offers only future relief.

The wandering tinkers of the north of England speak "Shelta," a survival of the Anglo-Saxon language entirely unintelligible to the average Englishman.

Obituary

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ackley, who died yesterday, will be held tomorrow afternoon at the residence at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The body is at the Snodgrass & Zimmerman chapel.

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\$1.00 Cod Liver Oil	59c	50c Health Salt	39c
50c Milk Magnesia	39c	50c Rexall Orderlies	39c
45c Rubber Gloves	59c	\$2.00 Symbol Water Bottles	\$1.49
50c Gauzeis	43c	\$1.00 Gem Razor and Cream	33c
\$3.50 Alarm Clocks	\$2.98	\$1.85 Lunch Kits, complete	\$1.79
\$2.00 Camera	\$1.00	20c Wash Cloths	13c