

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

Apr. 19 or 20—Street lighting celebration here.
June 8, 9, 10—Union Livestock show at Union, Ore.
July 21, 22, 23—State American Legion convention in La Grande.
October (definite date not decided on) Oregon Parent-Teacher association convention here.

Home From O. A. C.

Frances Snodgrass is home from O. A. C. He will remain here during the last term of school.

Visiting in Wallawa

Mrs. C. Miller and Bessie Henderson left for Wallawa Saturday to visit with friends for several days.

Returned From Portland

Mrs. Clara Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner returned from Portland Sunday evening after spending a few days in the Western Oregon city.

Wallawa People Visit

Mr. and Mrs. H. Onstrom, of Wallawa, drove to La Grande yesterday and spent the day visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith. They returned home last night.

Here From Walla Walla

Miss Esther Bricholtz was visiting last week with Miss Ruth Johnson. Miss Bricholtz formerly taught school in La Grande and is teaching in Walla Walla this term.

Returned to Portland

Mrs. A. V. Weatherly and her brother, Claude Jones returned to Portland today after visiting here over the week end with their sister, Mrs. Bert Hollister and other relatives.

Returned to La Grande

J. T. Longfellow, superintendent of La Grande schools, returned Saturday morning from Spokane where he attended the annual meeting of the Inland Empire Educational association.

Civil Service Exam

Full information and application blanks for a civil service examination for several government positions may be received by getting in touch with H. J. Stratford, U. S. forest service, Baker, Ore., he announces today. The positions range from prison guard at \$1,500 a year to petroleum technologist at \$3,500 a year.

Attend C. E. Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson and baby son, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lee and baby son, and Marvin T. Anderson, all of Baker, drove to La Grande yesterday to attend the regular bi-monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Grande River Christian Endeavor Union. They returned home last evening.

New Secretary

Mrs. L. L. Douglass, art supervisor in La Grande schools, has returned from attending the annual meeting of the Inland Empire Educational association at Spokane, Wash. Mrs. Douglass is the department secretary of the association, which is considered an especial honor not only for her but for the local schools as well.

Funeral Yesterday

Mrs. Nellie Clark, who died in Elkhorn Falls last week of a bullet wound alleged to have been the result of a jealous fit on the part of her husband, Frank Clark, who she formerly made her home and where some of her sisters now reside, it is reported here, Mr. Clark is held in Klamath Falls on a charge of murder. He formerly operated a shoe shop at Elgin. Mrs. Clark's name before marriage was Alma Nellie Townsend.

Bishop Remington Coming

Bishop W. P. Remington, of the Eastern Oregon diocese of the Episcopal church, will be here Wednesday from Pendleton to preside at the Wednesday night service at the Episcopal church. He has been absent from Eastern Oregon since the last week in February, returning last week after being in the diocese of Long Island, where he assisted with confirmations, and also in Greenwich, Conn. Mrs. J. P. Remington, mother of the bishop, who has been in the east since October, accompanied him home.

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ROBBERS ESCAPE WITH MUCH LOOT

About \$18,000 Taken Out of Olds, Wortman & King Store

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 11 (AP)—Blowing open two safes while one of their number guarded the blindfolded and handcuffed night watchman, robbers last night stole about \$18,000 from the Olds, Wortman and King department store and escaped.

The watchman, F. J. Rohkar was held up as he walked into the engine room of the sub-basement by a tall, masked man, who had remained hidden in the establishment since Saturday. Rohkar was handcuffed about a post and one of the gang made the rounds of the store with his call box keys, while the others broke open the vault and blew open the cash safes containing Saturday receipts.

Discovered at Midnight

The robbery was not discovered until midnight when an A. D. T. box failed to flash in. The robbers in the meantime had departed through the employees' entrance, carrying their loot with them in suitcases. An employee of the A. D. T. failing to arouse the watchman, summoned Lee Schlessinger, manager of the store and with the aid of police they entered and found the bound watchman on the verge of collapse and the office on the fourth floor, where the vault is located, littered with debris of the robbers' night work. Schlessinger reported the loss covered by insurance.

DEMANDS ARE MADE TODAY BY 5 POWERS

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low was described as ugly with unusually large crowds of coolies, out of work and hungry, in evidence.

A check of Americans by Admiral Hough showed that \$5 still remained at Hankow and that this number probably would remain unchanged unless some further incident occurred to compel their evacuation. The steamship Kings was has been chartered by the American consul at Hankow for use as a base for American civilians for the next ten days.

Steamer Is Chartered

French nationals at Hankow also have been chartered a steamer which is expected to arrive from Shanghai within the next few days and will be held in readiness for evacuation purposes. All Americans have evacuated Shant and vicinity.

Admiral Hough added that he has received newspaper reports that Chinese agents, the West from Chinkiang, had been occupied by troops of Sun Chuan-fang who had severely defeated the Cantonese military commands in that area. These reports, the admiral said, also told of a Cantonese defeat at Pengou on the Tientsin-Peking railroad. Chung Tzu was given credit for the northern victory at Pengou.

Send Planes on "Grant"

The transport Gold Star sailed today from Guam for Manila with a detachment of 100 Marines, comprising the aviation unit at Guam recently ordered to China. The men will join the aviation detachment now aboard the transport Henderson, bound for China. Six airplanes which the Henderson was compelled to leave behind for lack of space, will be taken to China by the liner President Grant which will sail from San Diego with 1500 Marines about April 29.

CANTONESE IN RETREAT

LONDON, Apr. 11 (AP)—All reports from China today agreed that the Cantonese armies after capturing strategic positions from northern forces had suffered reverses and

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Here is a scene from Anne Nichols' famous "Able's Irish Rose" which will be the attraction at the Arcade theater tomorrow night.

were in retreat at some places.

CANTONESE EXECUTED SHANGHAI, Apr. 11 (AP)

Some 150 Cantonese nationalist agents were reported in radio dispatches today to have been executed in the Tientsin region the last few days by the Shantung military authorities. Tientsin is on the southern side of the Shantung peninsula. All steamers arriving there from the south, especially Shanghai were said to be undergoing rigorous search for nationalists.

SAPIRO DENIES RECEIVING \$1,000

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against Henry Ford.

Letters and telegrams, confirmed by Sapiro from the witness stand indicated that when Mortimer Stone, counsel for the Colorado farm bureau federation and several minor cooperative associations, sought to draw up the official papers for the Colorado Potato Growers' organization, Sapiro rebuked him and insisted that the Sapiro law firm with its technical knowledge of cooperative organization, should attend to the matter.

Denies \$1000 for Speech

Sapiro admitted that he addressed the Colorado legislature at the request of Governor Sweet but denied that he received \$1000 for the speech from the Colorado farm bureau.

"You would lead this group into difficulty," Sapiro wrote to Stone. "Your attempt to organize is absolutely wrong. A man needs to be saturated with special knowledge to do the work successfully."

He wrote that he was sending Thomas E. Chamberlain from his New York office to take charge in his name.

His Plan Used

The Colorado Potato Growers' association then was organized under the Sapiro plan. The field work of organization was done by W. S. Hill, secretary, the farm bureau federation, who also organized the Idaho Potato Growers.

While he was working in Idaho, Hill wrote to Chamberlain in New York August 29, 1923 that he had encountered bitter personal likes and dislikes but that each plan was new and perfect. It is hard to head it off if you can get a chance to explain it to the farmers.

Much Criticism

He added that there had been much criticism of the contract of the Colorado growers with the Los Angeles commission firm of Weyl and Zuckerman but that "things are going well in Colorado."

Senator James A. Reed, chief counsel for Ford asked that the figures of Sapiro's account with Weyl and Zuckerman be copied into the record from his office journal and ledger.

They went at it in straight question and answer form and under the stern ruling of Federal Judge Fred M. Raymond there was none of the chaffing which lent color to Sapiro's first few days of testimony.

Cap Knudsen Is Held By Police

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 11 (AP)—Theo (Cap) Knudsen, highway contractor, was arrested by Inspector Swensen today on a warrant charging issuance of a \$15 check without sufficient funds to pay.

William Cal Jones, a laborer, was the complainant. The warrant was issued Aug. 2, 1926. Knudsen spends much of his time away from Portland on highway jobs.

Inspector Swensen happened to be at a street corner when he heard two motorists wrangling over who had the right to a parking space. Knudsen won the argument and put his car at the curb. Swensen waited until the parking was completed, then asked Knudsen to go to the station with him. It was found the warrant was still in force. Knudsen was held on \$2500 bail.

Snow Eight Feet Deep on Top of Mighty Cascades

EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 11 (AP)—Twenty-six feet of snow in great drifts in the lava beds and canyons leading up to the McKenzie pass, with an average depth of eight feet on the pass at the summit, is the report of two days reconnaissance completed this morning by Ray Conway, Oregon mountaineer, and H. D. Farmer, of the federal bureau of public roads.

The two men, their faces almost blistered from the high winds of the mountain area, reached Eugene at 11 o'clock this morning, three days after their departure from Bend. The men were snowed out on the trip and made a thorough survey of the way.

The pass will be open much later this year than last year they believe.

COMMON COLD BLAMED FOR MOST DEATHS

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well are normally inhabited by a good many different micro-organisms, which are harmless under ordinary conditions.

"But a sudden chilling, or wetting of the body may cause congestion of the nasal and other mucous membranes and in this way provide a point of least resistance for these ordinarily harmless organisms which are always present, just waiting for an opportunity to prove how harmful they can be."

"Good health and fresh air are the best preventatives of colds. Poorly ventilated sleeping apartments and crowded, stuffy school rooms, offices, theaters, and other public places are prolific causes of colds."

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BRABMIN GILL LEARNS MEDICINE

CHICAGO—The new science of the west and the ancient traditions of the Ganga are reconciled in the life of Premia Shehane of Poona, India, daughter of Brahmins and student of medicine at the University of Chicago.

Miss Shehane plans to establish a hospital in her native land and run it according to American scientific principles.

"She always wears her hair, the six-yard seamless cloth which was worn of her caste drapes about them. "I can even play basketball in it," she answers when American students with short skirts question her.

The bamboo holds the record for speedy growth among trees, new shoots rising at the rate of nine inches in each 24 hours during the rainy season.

Spring is the time of year when young men who go fishing for suckers just can't keep the trout off their hooks.

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