

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS

June 8, 9, 10—Union Live-stock 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.

At Hubler—

H. G. Avery, county agent, is at Hubler today.

Left Last Night—

A. E. Hendrickson left last night for Louisiana where he plans to spend about three weeks.

Here Last Night—

S. E. Vance, of Hazelton, Ida., stopped in La Grande last night. He was registered at the Foley hotel.

Left This Morning—

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pfeiffer left this morning for their home at Walla Walla after spending yesterday and last night here. They stopped at the Foley hotel.

Here From Boise—

W. V. Hall, C. H. Hudelson and J. S. Albert, all of Boise, Ida., left here this morning after spending the night in La Grande. They were at the Foley hotel.

For Day Tomorrow—

The Salvation Army will have its annual Easter tag-day tomorrow for its local charity work. The army has made this an annual event for several years.

Hope Chest Moved—

The American Legion auxiliary's hope chest has been moved from Clint's Clothing store window and is now being exhibited in the window of Lilly's hardware store. The chest will be given away at a dance to be held at Legion hall Wednesday evening, April 27.

Lottridge Ill—

J. P. Lottridge, vice president and general manager of the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company, is temporarily confined to his home in Baker because of illness.

Returns From Seattle—

Dr. W. P. McAdams returned yesterday from Seattle, Wash., where he attended a meeting of the Fellows of American College Physicians organization. He was away three days.

Home From California—

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wright returned home this morning from Oakland, Cal., where they have been visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Vehrs and little daughter, Betty May, for the past three months.

Scout Troop Formed—

A new boy scout troop has been organized at North Powder with 27 members. Ralph Hutchinson is the scout master and Alvin Johnson is assistant. E. Russell Scott, scout executive of the Eastern Oregon Tri-county council, was at North Powder the first of the week assisting with the organization work.

Lenten Program Tomorrow—

The last lenten program to be held at the public library will be tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when Mrs. E. P. Mossman will show her collection of colored stereoscopic slides for the boys and girls of the city of the last week of Christ on earth. The program will be held in the library auditorium, and all children of the city are invited.

Bird Houses on Display—

Ten bird houses, built by six boy scout troops of Union county, are being exhibited in the office of E. Russell Scott, scout executive of the Eastern Oregon Tri-county council. Several more of the bird houses will be turned in when the best will be selected and a prize given to the troop making it. At present Elgin troop No. 2, La Grande troops No. 3, 11, 14 and Union troops No. 27 and 28 have turned in houses. The Cove troop will send its bird house in tomorrow, as will Troop No. 7 of Walla Walla. Plans are to have about 20 houses before the winner is selected. At present the collection is varied, including a large pigeon house, which probably represents the most work, an apartment house and several clever smaller houses.

Stopped Here—

Mrs. Elsie Lepwiler, accompanied by her father-in-law and two daughters, of San Diego, Cal., stopped in La Grande Wednesday and Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Blystone. They are on their way to Mattoon, Ill., where they plan to make their home. While here they were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Joe Harrison.

Opens Florist Shop—

A. B. Cherry, formerly a La Grande resident and proprietor of the Cherry Florist shop, has recently opened the A. B. C. Floral shop in Portland at the corner of Sandy boulevard and 40th street, according to word received here. The new shop is described in "The Western Florist" as one of the most unique on the coast and ranking among Portland's finest. Mr. Cherry is catering to social business and in addition to a line of cut and potted stocks carries birds and gift novelties.

A Century Old—

Mrs. Mary Rummelhart, of La Grande, has received a clipping from an Iowa City newspaper telling of her brother-in-law, Francis Rummelhart, reaching the age of 100 years. Mr. Rummelhart is also an uncle to Mrs. Clara Lansdon, of La Grande. Mrs. Rummelhart came to Oregon from Iowa and has kept in close touch with her relatives there. Her brother-in-law was born in Alsace, Germany, Mar. 26, 1827. He is proud of being 100 too, the newspaper declared. "It has been his goal. He seldom smokes, does not use intoxicating liquors, and believes that one should go to bed early, sleep well and work hard. He is a devout Catholic and never misses a service at the church three miles away, usually going to early mass." Among Mr. Rummelhart's great great grandchildren living.

Scout Leaders To Hear Rector At Meet Tonight

The Rev. Oliver Riley will be the speaker this evening at the sixth meeting of the boy scout leadership training school to be held in the basement of the First Methodist Episcopal church. "Some Scouts I Have Known" will be his subject. Mr. Riley has worked extensively in boy scout work and his talk is expected to be of unusual interest.

The school will assemble at 7:30 o'clock. Following the address of the evening standards for "Test Passing" and "How Can the Troop Committee Help" will be discussed. Games that build the mind will be demonstrated at 9 o'clock and at 9:30 the closing ceremonies will be held.

Grant county has recently been added to the Eastern Oregon Tri-county Council of Boy Scouts. This county is the last in the state to be brought under a council, the entire state now having scout work under supervision.

Boys of the local troops are now working up stunts for tomorrow night's parade during the street lighting celebration. About 150 scouts of the city will take part in the parade.

SERVICES AT SUNRISE TO START DAY

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who held membership when the church was built gathered at the chancel.

Benediction and a postlude, "Festival March" will close the program.

The public is invited to both the sunrise service and the mortgage burning program and large crowds are expected at both. Descendants are his twin sons, August and Frank, who celebrated their 75th birthday anniversary on April 1. He has 51 grandchildren, 131 great grandchildren, and 10 great great grandchildren living.

U. S. WARSHIP TURNS GUNS ON CHINESE

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hit in many places but suffered no casualty to its crew or material damage to itself.

The action, the second in which the British cruiser Emerald has joined with American destroyers in bombarding Chinese, was reported by Admiral Williams, commanding American forces in China, who forwarded a dispatch from Rear Admiral Hough, commanding the Yangtze patrol.

Admiral Hough said Cantonese forces on the Nanjing side of the river, had been exchanging fire with the northern troops, using field guns and rifles. An entrenched Chinese outpost above Pukow had fired on the steamship Loong-wa and several Chinese junks.

Consul Davis' return to Nanking, was reported by the patrol commander who added that the cruiser was remaining on board the Ford.

REPLIES TO POWERS

HANKOW, Apr. 15 (AP)—An international commission to investigate the Nanking "incident" is proposed by Eugene Chen, the Cantonese foreign minister, in his replies to the recent five-power note demanding reparations and apologies for the outrages which followed the capture of the Yangtze city by the Cantonese army. The replies were handed to the consuls of the five powers—the United States, Great Britain, France, Japan and Italy—last night.

In the replies to the United States and Great Britain, Chen says that they "bombarded defenseless Nanking." In reply to the British and the French he makes reference to the bombardment of "defenceless Shanghai." The foreign settlement at Canton, otherwise the replies are identical.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 15 (AP)—

In the face of what appears to be a threatening situation for foreigners at Hankow, American naval authorities have taken steps to increase the naval force at that port. Admiral Williams, commanding American forces in China, acting upon the request of Rear Admiral Hough, commanding the Yangtze patrol, has ordered the cruiser Cincinnati and the destroyers Preble and Noa to Hankow, where the official report received today at the navy department described the situation "appears to be threatening."

Orders Given Destroyers

Admiral Williams advised the department that he had ordered the destroyers Simpson, MacLeish and McCormick from Manila to Shanghai.

Admiral Williams also reported the dispatch of the destroyer Itasca from Manila to Swatow, but gave no details of conditions at Swatow. The capture of bases for the various ships leaves the balance of American naval power in Chinese waters at Hankow, only seven ships remaining at Shanghai. Those will be reinforced, however, with the arrival of the additional vessels from Manila.

Reorganized Bank To Reopen May 2

NEW PLYMOUTH, Apr. 15—Stockholders of the new bank organized in New Plymouth recently held a banquet in the community room of the Congregational church Tuesday evening. Forty-two were present. All of the shares of stock are owned by people living in New Plymouth. At the meeting the stockholders adopted a constitution and bylaws and the following directors were chosen. They are:

Seattle Murder Trial Progressing

SEATTLE, Apr. 15 (AP)—Detectives and officers who participated in the arrest of Dr. C. C. Dobbs and in the search of his Kirkland home were placed on the witness stand in superior court here today. Dobbs is charged with the murder of Leitha Whitehead, a school girl.

Taxi or Follies?



Mary Ellen Henson, taxi driver of San Antonio, Tex., sent in her picture—neat, isn't it?—with a plea for admission to the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stabblers and Helpers. But Daniel J. Tobin, of Indianapolis, Ind., president, advised her to "try the Follies."

Designer Says Forms of Women Are Changeable

PARIS, Apr. 15. (AP)—The mystery of women's figures—how the same perfect thirty-sixes can look perfect thirty-twos one year, and thirty-eight the next—is still a mystery to Edmond Courtot, manager and head designer of the dressmaking house of Redfern in Paris.

Years of designing women's clothes for famous dressmakers of Paris have not taught this Frenchman why women appear sylphs one season and plump cherubs the next.

"I have never understood it," he confesses. "how women's figures change with the mode. The fitted linings this year are entirely different from those made for the same women last year, although the women show relatively the same measurements."

M. Courtot is one of the Paris designers who are gently pushing women toward more feminine lines.

TIGERS TO MEET BAKER TOMORROW

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Lyttel, DeLong.
Mile run: Anson, Sayre, Brown, Waite.
High hurdles: Lyman, Berry.
Low hurdles: Price, Lyman.
Relay: Team unpicked.
High jump: Lyman, Berry, Vaught.
Pole vault: Lyman, Anson, Price, Stoddard.
Broad jump: Smutz, Guileman, Price, Koffor.
Javelin: Charlton, Snyder, Stoddard, Hanks.
Discus: Koffor, Snyder, Charlton.
Shotput: Charlton, Snyder, Smutz, Price.

Baker is reported to have a strong team this year although no times or distances of Bulldog athletes known in La Grande.

Dental patient.
Deputy Sheriff William Sears, whose testimony was unfinished at adjournment of court yesterday, was the day's first witness. George H. Crandell, defense attorney and Prosecutor Ewing D. Colvin jangled frequently during the questioning of Sears.

Crandell asserted Sears' testimony was being guided along definite lines, to the prejudice of the defendant. "I resent the implication of the defense attorney," Colvin countered hotly. "That there has been a plan or plot against the defendant. This case is proceeding the same as any other murder trial."

Sustaining the contention of the defense, Judge Charles P. Moriarty ruled that Sears would be obliged to state the time and place of each conversation he had had with Dobbs.

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PROGRAM FOR CELEBRATION IS COMPLETE

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L. Dutton, Sherwood Williams, Elmer Stoddard, and George Birnie—will sing.

Parade Next

Next on the evening's program will be a parade, with the band, the boy scouts, the American Legion drum and bugle corps, stunt features and new models of automobiles in the line of march.

The legion has offered prizes for the parade as follows: \$10 for the best character in the parade; \$5, \$3 and \$1 for the best boy scout features. A prize of \$10 will also be offered for the most attractively dressed show window in the district.

The street dance, which, like all the rest of the program on the streets, will be free of charge, will follow the parade. The legion will distribute serpentine confetti, horns and carnival caps to the crowd.

Following this, a dance will be held in Legion hall for which a

charge will be made. Completing its work of removing poles from the district, the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company was today taking down those on Depot street. Adams avenue has already been cleared.

Obituary

BENJAMIN CARNEY

Benjamin Carney, aged 55 years five months and 28 days, died Wednesday at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland. Funeral services will be held here Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Catholic church with interment taking place in the Catholic cemetery. The body will be at the Bohnenkamp mortuary preceding services.

Mr. Carney was formerly a railroad conductor here and his home was at Helth.

He leaves the following sons and daughters: Benjamin E. Carney Jr., Ruth Margaret Carney, of Portland; Mary E. Stokes, of Wasco; William H. Carney, U. S. navy now in the West India.

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