

Local News In Brief

**Branch Town Visitor**—J. P. Oliver is a business visitor to the city today from Wallawa.

**Here from Portland**—O. C. Vincent of Portland is in town today on business.

**Baker Man Here**—J. N. Bishop, resident highway engineer, from Baker is in town today.

**In Central Oregon**—Mrs. Rosebush, of the Rosebush Electric shop, is spending a few days at the John Day country on business.

**Monmouth Visitor**—C. H. Conkey, lumber man from Monmouth, was a visitor in La Grande yesterday on business.

**At Summer**—L. M. Green and wife are among those visiting in the city from Portland this week. They are stopping at the Summer hotel.

**From Seattle**—Mrs. A. W. West, Seattle, is a guest of the Summer hotel. She will remain here for a few days, visiting friends before she returns to her home.

**In Hospital**—Bernice McFetridge who is confined to the local hospital is reported much improved. Her home is at Enterprise.

**Baker Visitor**—Mr. Soule is a visitor in La Grande from Baker. He will remain here for a few days on business.

**From Portland**—Virginia Fox is among the new arrivals at the Foley. She will remain here for a few days on business before returning to her home in Portland.

**Visiting**—D. B. Deyle and wife are visitors in La Grande for a few days from Enterprise. They are registered at the Foley hotel.

**Yakima Visitor**—F. J. Sears is a new comer at the Foley hotel this week from Yakima. He will remain here for a few days on business.

**Guest to Baker**—Mrs. August P. Nelson left this morning on train No. 24 for Baker where she will visit with her daughter.

**Wisconsin Visitor**—George M. Jenkins and wife are visiting in La Grande for a few days from Milwaukee. They are staying at the Summer hotel.

**Princesville Visitor**—Dick McWhorter and wife are in La Grande to attend the funeral services of his brother, James McWhorter. They are registered at the Summer hotel from Princesville.

**Shopping**—Mrs. C. T. Metcalf and Mrs. A. C. Metcalf spent yesterday in the city shopping. They returned to their home at Wallawa last evening.

**Driving Through**—Richard and wife, who have been visiting at the Summer hotel for the past few days, are driving through to Bremerton, Wash.

**Guests to Salem**—The Francis French will leave this evening on train No. 22 for Salem where she will visit with her sister, Louise French, formerly of La Grande.

**Here from California**—Mrs. Mylan Kimmey arrived in this city yesterday morning on train No. 24 from Redding, Ore., and will spend several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hansen.

**Attends Funeral**—Mrs. J. G. Stitzenberg, employed by the Security Loan and Savings company, left for Portland this morning to attend the funeral services of John Shilling. She will return to her home here in a few days.

**Correction**—An announcement in The Observer last night that the Star

NEWBERG, OREGON STUDENTS STRIKE

Walk Out Because 36 Seniors Were Suspended for Cutting Classes

NEWBERG, Ore., May 20 (AP)—Approximately 100 students of the local high school went on strike today in protest against suspension of 36 seniors because they had cut afternoon classes to attend "kid day" festivities despite a warning.

SUMMER TERM PRELIMINARY STEPS TAKEN

(Continued from Page One) may be more than 100 students. If so, there will be a sufficient faculty engaged to take care of the needs of all who are coming.

LA GRANDE SCHOOLS CLOSE TERM TODAY

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State Complees Its Case Against Kelly, Movie Star

HALL OF JUSTICE, Los Angeles, May 20 (AP)—The state completed its rebuttal questioning of witnesses and rested its case in the Paul Kelly murder trial today.

Willamette River Crowding Its Banks

PORTLAND, May 20 (AP)—Back water from the annual spring freshet in the Columbia had sent the Willamette river to a stage of 15.3 feet at Portland today.

65th Artillery To Meet in Portland

PORTLAND, May 20 (AP)—Annual reunion of the 65th Artillery which served overseas in the World war, will be held at Portland the night of June 1.

300 Gallons Wet Goods Destroyed

GRANTS PASS, May 20 (AP)—Three hundred gallons of assorted liquors, confiscated during the past few months by the Johnson county prohibition force, was poured into the gutter here this afternoon.

Plumbers in Salem

SALLEM, May 20 (AP)—Seventy delegates from all parts of Oregon attended the twenty-seventh annual convention of the Oregon State Association of Master Plumbers in Salem this morning.

Attendees at Security Loan

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Charles Hughes No Candidate; Backs Coolidge

NEW YORK, May 20 (AP)—Charles E. Hughes, republican nominee for president of the United States in 1916, in a formal statement today referring to published reports of his possible candidacy for the presidency next year, said "I am too old to run for president and I would neither seek nor accept the nomination."

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COLUMBIA BASIN LEAGUE MEETING

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Plane in Perfect Shape The Spirit of St. Louis, which had been carefully gone over by mechanics and in perfect condition, was shipped from a hangar which had been barred to all except the mechanics. With a track furnishing the motive power, the monoplane was towed to the west end of Roosevelt field where the American Flight-O-Rama company, crewed by Captain Patrick, was to start an "eight-mile" race to start on a flight to Paris, which has a long runway used as a speedway for heavily loaded planes to taxi along to get the tremendous speed necessary to get them in the air.

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