

Local News In Brief

COMING EVENTS
July 21—8th annual Union county pioneer reunion.

Home From Montana—
Jack Oliver returned this morning from a business trip to Billings, Mont.

Home From Pendleton—
Mrs. O. G. Olson returned home this morning from a visit in Pendleton.

Drill Tonight—
Regular drill of Company E, 136th Infantry will be held this evening at 7:20 o'clock in Zuhor hall.

Home From Wallawa Lake—
Miss Helen Williams and Miss Elizabeth Payton returned Saturday night from a short vacation trip to Wallawa lake.

Home From Enterprise—
H. J. Campbell, of Enterprise, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Charles Campbell, of Kansas City, was in La Grande today on business.

Home For Visit—
Mrs. Flora Wilson and two children arrived here this morning from Nez Perce, Ida., and will visit several weeks with Mrs. Ida Hillbert.

Home For Joseph—
Mrs. P. E. Griffith passed through La Grande this morning from Spokane on her way to Joseph where she will visit her brother. Mrs. Griffith was accompanied by her daughter.

Home For Mother—
Mrs. J. Francis Meagher was at the depot this morning to greet her mother, Mrs. J. P. Meagher, who passed through on train No. 24 from Portland on her way to New York.

Home From Ogden—
Mrs. Walter Bean and baby returned home this morning from an extended visit with Mrs. Bean's family in Ogden, Utah. They were gone seven weeks.

Visiting Daughters—
Mrs. C. M. Magdon, of Salt Lake City, is visiting here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Owens. Mrs. Owens arrived here Saturday.

Going to Elgin—
Mrs. W. A. Hackett, of Hobd River, stopped here this morning on her way home from a visit near Baker. Mrs. Hackett left for Elgin where she will spend several days visiting.

Will Visit Here—
Mrs. Val Rhinehart arrived here this morning from Seattle and will visit for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Siegrist. Mrs. Rhinehart made her home in La Grande several years ago.

Have Baby Daughter—
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wright are the proud parents of a seven and one-half pound baby daughter born to them Sunday evening at 8:20 o'clock at the Grande Rondo hospital. The little girl has been named Geraldine.

Married Saturday—
Judge Hugh E. Brady, justice of the peace here, performed two marriages Saturday evening at his office. J. L. Havis, of Wallawa, and Phyrne Corum, of La Grande were married at 9:15 o'clock, and Clarence Ritor and Miranda Itobba, both of Union county, were married at 9:20 o'clock.

Committee to Meet—
The inter-aimment committee of the Union county chamber of commerce will meet this evening at five o'clock at the chamber of commerce office to complete plans for the banquet to be given for the American Legion drum corps in attendance at the state convention here.

To Visit Here—
Miss Serena Rohan arrived in La Grande yesterday from Portland and will spend several weeks visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Chester Newlin, her brother, P. E. Rohan and other relatives and friends. Miss Rohan, since leaving La Grande last year, has been working for the Portland Telegram.

Called to Idaho—
Arthur Hallgarth, of Elgin, left this morning on train No. 24 for Mountain Home, Ida., where he was called by a telegram stating that his cousin, L. Avery, of Wisconsin, had been killed in an automobile accident. Mr. Avery, who with his wife, was driving to California, had intended stopping in this valley to visit with relatives. Mr. Hallgarth did not know whether Mrs. Avery had been injured. The body may be brought to Elgin, although Mr. Hallgarth thought it probable that it would be taken back to Wisconsin.

Returns Home—
H. E. Gilliam left Saturday for Walla Walla and other points where he will visit a short time before returning to Seattle. Mr. Gilliam, who is a commissioner of agriculture with the U. S. department of labor, made his home here more than 20 years ago and came here to visit with old friends. Mrs. Gilliam, who accompanied him, left Friday for Denver where she will visit with relatives.

Home From Twin Falls—
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harvey, of Twin Falls, registered at the Sumner yesterday.

Home From Washington—
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Craig are spending a week or so visiting in Kalama, Wash.

Underwent Operation—
Albert "Shorty" Waldroff underwent an appendix operation at the Grande Rondo hospital yesterday. He is getting along nicely.

Marriage License—
A marriage license was issued over the week end at the court house to Clarence Ritor and Miranda Itobba, both of this city.

To Wed—
County Clerk C. K. McCormick reports that a marriage license has been issued to Jay Haven, of Wallawa, and Phyrne Corum, of La Grande.

Enterprise Couple Here—
Mr. and Mrs. J. Phil Hawkins, of Enterprise, spent yesterday visiting in this city. They stopped at the Sumner.

CONVENTION WEEK OPENS; MOSER HERE
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Paterson Coming
In addition to distinguished lecturers there will be other dignitaries here for the convention, including Governor I. L. Paterson, who will be here for at least one of the three days; Congressman Morris Crumpacker; U. S. Senator Fred Steiwer; Secretary of State Sam Coker; Senator Charles McNary and Congressman Nick Smith.

The state commander, Arthur Murphy, and his party will arrive in La Grande Wednesday morning. The Washington state legion is sending a delegation to present to the Oregon department a trophy won by Oregon in an interstate membership campaign. Ten other state membership trophies will be awarded during the three days of the convention; the state adjutant, Carl Moser, reports, the statuette of the "American Doughboy" will also be presented to the post which has accomplished the most outstanding achievement during the year.

Public Reception
In honor of the distinguished guests in attendance at the convention a public reception has been planned for Thursday evening, the first day of the convention. The reception will be held in the Elks hall beginning at eight o'clock and the committee from the local post in charge, regardless of the townspeople who can attend.

The reception is sponsored by a committee from the local legion post, the Ladies auxiliary and the H. P. O. Elks lodge.

With Fred E. Kiddle acting as chairman, on behalf of the American Legion, the Rotary club luncheon convened at noon today in the Foley grill. Mr. Kiddle's speech of the state convention to be held here this week, expounding the purposes of the organization, and giving a few ideas of what convention days will be like.

Miss Geneva Sayre, returned missionary from China, gave a very interesting talk about conditions in the war-torn country. She was at one time in the war zone and presented some very vivid descriptions to the Rotarians.

H. B. Colburn and W. W. Nussbaum each gave five-minute talks on their lives.

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