

Local News In Brief

Charleston Business Men Here—
E. J. Doyle and E. Morris, of Charleston, Wash., spent yesterday here on business, stopping at the Foley.

Called to Portland—
Mrs. Jennie Byer left this morning for Portland where she was called by the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. W. Byer.

Here on Business—
Ernest Crockett, of the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company, in Baker, is transacting business here today. Mr. Crockett is registered at the Foley.

Here From Pasadena—
Mrs. Kate Ellis, of Pasadena, is spending a few days in La Grande.

Here From Walla Walla—
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Thomas, of Walla Walla are registered at the Foley today.

Brought in Deer—
Edith Teeters and William Shad brought in a fine five-point buck yesterday that was shot by Mr. Teeters on Spring creek.

Here From Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Powell, of Portland, are visiting in La Grande for a day or so. They are stopping at the Sommer.

Home From Saginaw—
Mrs. Gilbert Curtis returned home this morning from Saginaw, Mich., where Mr. Curtis, who passed away recently, was laid to rest. Mrs. Curtis is with friends here.

Goos to Portland—
Joel Richardson left this morning on train No. 17 for Portland where he will spend a few days on business.

Pledged Sorority—
Miss Helen Mohr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mohr, of this city, has pledged Delta Zeta sorority at the Oregon Agricultural college. Miss Mohr entered the college this fall.

Have Baby Daughter—
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stiles are the parents of a nine-pound baby daughter born to them Saturday, Oct. 8, at their home at 1322 E. avenue. The little girl has been named Phyllis Maxine.

Left For Salem—
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Birtcher, who have been visiting here for several days with the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Putnam, left this morning for their home in Salem.

Left For Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ross and Miss Ida Shelton, who have been conducting evangelistic service at the Central Christian church here for several weeks, left last night for Portland, where they will conduct similar services at the Malheur Avenue church in Portland.

Home From Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McArthur returned home yesterday. They drove down last Friday. Mr. McArthur's mother, Mrs. Jennie Reynolds, accompanied them home and will visit with them at their residence on Spring street.

Kill Three Deer—
C. S. Schultz, Fred Waldrop, Henry Wainner and Andrew Dixon returned from a hunting trip in the Medical Springs vicinity Sunday with three deer, which were killed by Mr. Schultz, Mr. Waldrop and Mr. Wainner Friday morning. The first day of the hunt. The deer were five and six pointers and weighed 200, 250 and 300 pounds respectively. The deer created more than a little interest last Sunday afternoon when they were brought into town.

Playing Golf—
Keith Powell, president of the Oregon State Bankers' association; Andrew Miller, secretary; John Edgerton, vice president; of the West Coast National bank of Portland; and W. A. Holt, vice president of the United States National bank of Portland, spent today playing golf on the local course and left this afternoon for Walla Walla county to meet with the bankers of that county this evening. They attended a meeting of Union county bankers at the Foley hotel here last evening.

Recruiting Officer Here—
M. H. Mellough, of the U. S. Navy is at the Sommer hotel and will remain here until Friday. Any young men wishing to join the navy will have the opportunity to do so by seeing him. The ages for enlistment is from 17 to 35. Mr. Mellough says. At present only seven men a week are enlisted out of Oregon—as this is all the navy will take. Men who enlist will be sent to San Diego for training.

Silk Train Through—
A special train carrying 12 carsloads of silk from the Orient passed through La Grande this morning on its way to New York. The silk will be put on New York markets. The train, with its two engines, went through this morning at 8:05 o'clock. These fast specials go through at an average of about twice a month, according to local railroad officials.

Leviston Party Here—
A party of Leviston business men who are making a special trip this week through sections of Oregon and Idaho in the interests of the proposed Snake River railroad, stopped here yesterday. In the party were J. J. Layton, Leviston attorney; Charles P. Bennett, owner of the Bennett garage; G. C. Sorey, laundry owner; Charles Parker, head of an undertaking business; Mar. Moore, Leviston seed dealer and George E. Erb, hardware dealer.

Visited Miss Marquardt—
Mrs. Y. M. Blakely, of the state bureau of nursing at Portland, is visiting here with Miss Ruth Marquardt, county health nurse, for a few days.

To Visit Daughter—
Mrs. Kate Ellis, of Pasadena, Cal., left La Grande this morning for Enterprise where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Claude Floener, for a week.

Were at Lake—
Mr. and Mrs. Harley Richardson spent the week end at their cabin at Walla Walla Lake. They returned to their home here yesterday.

Home From Tillamook—
E. R. Binco, attorney of this city, returned home this morning on train No. 24 from a brief business trip to Tillamook, Ore.

On Visit in Elgin—
S. L. Burnbaugh, of Portland, passed through here this morning on his way to Elgin where he will spend several days on business.

Here From Baker—
Mr. and Mrs. James Brokaw, of Baker, are in La Grande today. Mr. Brokaw is chief engineer for the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company. He was here in connection with the construction of the new office building by the company here.

Called to Longview—
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Doe and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Doe with Bud Hennessy have gone to Longview where they were called by the illness of the mother of both Mrs. Doe's. They made the trip by car.

Teacher Ill—
Miss Ida Roberts, of Cove, who is teaching school at district No. 16, has been ill for the past three weeks of blood poisoning. A substitute has been procured at her school.

Teacher Resigns—
Mrs. J. L. Croeland who has been teaching school at district No. 69, in South High valley, has resigned, according to Superintendent E. A. Sayre. Mrs. Mae Teeter, of Pendleton, has accepted the position and is commencing work there this week.

Cup on Display—
The president's cup, donated by Elmer Stoddard, president of the La Grande country club, for the winner in the open golf championship, is on display in the show window of the chamber of commerce offices. The open championship is now being played.

Attending Grand Lodge—
Delegates from the local Knights of Pythias lodge in attendance at grand lodge which is now in session at the Danvers are Elmer Rose and Claude Hervey. Mrs. Rose accompanied her husband on their trip to the Dallas yesterday. Mrs. Alva Crowley is the delegate from the local Pythian Sisters at their grand lodge session. Several other women, including Mrs. Della Harmon and Mrs. Jack McArthur, are also attending the Pythian Sisters grand lodge.

Ensign Eberhart Here—
Ensign R. M. Eberhart, of the Salvation Army, whose headquarters are in Portland, left this morning for Baker after spending several days here on an inspection trip. Ensign Eberhart makes such an inspection trip into this territory and on into Southern Idaho about every four months. While in La Grande he visited with relatives and with his many friends in the city. La Grande having been his boyhood home. "Each time I return to La Grande I see noticeable improvements. On this visit I am especially impressed by the street lighting system which is a splendid thing for La Grande. Both hotel structures are imposing," he said. Mr. Eberhart visited at the home of his brother-in-law, Paul Knautz, during his stay here.

Idaho Active—
Southern and Northern Idaho speakers joined in urging construction of the railroad to provide a direct rail connection between the two sections of the state. The committee fostering the project, perfected the railroad, which would be a water grade paralleling the Snake river, practical and feasible, both from an operating and engineering standpoint, although actual reports of committees are to be withheld until the Interstate commerce commission hearing on the application of the city of Lewiston to require construction of the railroad by the Union Pacific is held.

County Bankers Talk Taxation at Meeting Here—
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as some banks actually pay in taxes. He told of the test case, which is now before the federal court in Portland in an effort to see whether or not taxes on capital stock, as in the case of Oregon banks, can be legally collected. There has been one hearing in the case so far and according to the decision made the judges ruled that if facts were represented then possibly the tax collected was illegal. The next hearing will be within a few weeks. Mr. Holt talked on the standardization of bank forms, which is one of the matters that the state association is taking up, as well as the American Bankers' association.

General Banking Rules—
Mr. Edgerton, who besides being vice president of the West Coast National bank is a member of the state commission of bank practice, spoke on the general rules of banks throughout the country with reference to service charges which the banks are now making, but were heretofore handled by the banks without cost to the customer. The plan is to get the banks to organize some systematic basis in reference to the service charges.

This evening the four men will attend a meeting of Walla Walla county bankers. Yesterday noon they attended a meeting of the bankers of Baker county at Baker.

THEY ALONE KNOW WHICH IS WHICH



(NEA Service, Boston Bureau)
It's a deep-dyed secret that the White twins, of Derry, N. H., keep from their fellow students at the Boston University College of Practical Arts and Letters. It's the secret of which one of them is Madeline and which is Caroline. But they confided to our photographer that Caroline is the one here pictured with a smile.

RUTH ELDER TO HOP OFF FOR EUROPE

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on its ill-fated attempt to span the Atlantic to Rome, another plane rested today while its guiding genius Mrs. Frances Wilson Grayson made ready for her contemplated hop to Copenhagen Denmark.

The big, two-engine amphibian monoplane flew here from New York on five persons besides Mrs. Grayson. Mrs. Grayson, who hopes to be the first woman to negotiate by air the north and turbulent waters of the North Atlantic, is the divorced wife of J. B. Grayson, of Warrenton, Va., a cousin of Rear Admiral Carey T. Grayson, personal physician to President Wilson. "The Dawn" as the Grayson plane has been called, proved its worthiness for making the initial leg from New York in three hours.

TO AUSTRALIA—
TACOMA, Dec. 11 (AP)—The Southern Cross left Port Lewis near here at 10:12 o'clock this morning for San Francisco. The big Foster monoplane, which will attempt to fly from the United States to Australia, took on fuel at Port Lewis for its non-stop flight to San Francisco.

COMPLETE JUMP LEG—
PARIS, Oct. 11 (AP)—Dieudonne Costes and Lieut. Joseph Le Brix safely completed the first leg of their flight to Buenos Aires in the biplane Nungesser-Coll. This morning, landing on scheduled time at St. Louis, Senegal, on the west coast of Africa, at 11:19 m. They made the 2,700 mile flight from Paris in 15 hours 27 minutes, averaging 106 miles an hour.

CLEAR FIELD FOR OREGON PRESIDENCY

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The federal report that when the battle had been under way two hours Gomez and Almada, with small bodies of followers, "fled shamefully," abandoning their men. Gomez fled in the direction of Cosatlan, 22 miles southeast of the old fortress of Perote and not far from the Puebla state line. The main body of rebels withdrew in the same direction and between 500 and 600 men with their officers, constituting the infantry commanded by Gomez, surrendered there the next morning.

Watching For Two—
Meanwhile the authorities of every Mexican port and the officers of all ships in the navy have been ordered to exercise the utmost vigilance to prevent Gomez and Almada from escaping from the country. A motion to make the presidential term six years instead of four as at present passed its first reading in the senate last night. It finally adopted it will require ratification by the majority of the state legislatures. It will then become effective for the next presidential term, for which General Obregon will apparently be elected, there being no other candidates in the field with the elimination of Gomez and Serrano.

Assembly of New Ford Begins Soon

DETROIT, Oct. 11 (AP)—Assembly of their new model will begin in a "few more days" the Ford Motor company announced today. Major parts of the new car have been under production for several weeks the announcement said, and the first assembly of new bodies was started "some days ago." The announcement also revealed that the assembly line has been removed from the Highland plant to the River Rouge plant. The High Park plant will be used for the manufacture of parts. Between 42,000 and 75,000 men are employed at the Ford plants, according to the announcement.

Steamers Crash In Pacific; One Is Taking Water

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 11. (AP)—Wireless dispatches to the federal telegraph offices here this morning reported the steamers Pomona and Kekoskee in collision at 4:45 a. m., this morning four miles off Point Arguello, about 140 miles north of San Pedro. The ships collided in a thick fog. The Pomona was stove in about eight feet above the water line but the wireless operator's report indicated that the vessel was not in danger. The Kekoskee was harder, however, and was taking water. The engine and fire rooms were flooded, according to the boat's operator. The Pomona was standing by. Neither craft had sent distress signals, nor indicated they were in serious danger of sinking, according to the federal offices here.

The Pomona is a 9300-ton steamer bound out of San Pedro, Cal., to Everett, Wash. The Kekoskee was southbound.

Drives Children Out of His Home

ROSEBURG, Ore., Oct. 11. (AP)—Piled by an overpowering religious mania, W. H. English, sawmill employe at Roseburg, last night drove his children out of the house and prepared to offer up his wife as a sacrifice, according to the story told local officers today after English had been taken into custody and held for commitment to the state asylum for the insane. English, the officers were told, was intensely religious and in a fit of morbid delirium, conceived the idea that his wife should be given as a burnt offering. When the children tried to quiet him he drove them out of the house the officers were told, but they secured the help of neighbors who interrupted the construction of the altar.

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NEW YORK STORE

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11. (AP)—A suggestion that American union labor project a third political party in furtherance of its fight against the court injunction draw the vigorous cross fire of President William Croom of the American Federation of Labor, at its annual convention today.

Obituary

O. H. LANDSON
O. H. Landson, age 55 years, a resident of this city for the past several months, died last night following a brief illness. The remains are at the Hunter-Bolmkamp mortuary pending word from relatives in the east.

MRS. MARY RUMELHART
(Contributed)
Mrs. Mary Rumelhart was born in Iowa City, Iowa, June 25, 1849, and was married to Lewis H. Rumelhart Dec. 7, 1865. They came to Oregon in 1871 and settled at Junction City, then moving to Gardner City. The next went to Fort Scottsburg, San Francisco, Cleveland, and from there to Island City, Ore., and later to North Powder. When the railroad came through they moved to La Grande and made their home here for 46 years. Mr. Rumelhart was a contractor and built the old Methodist church, also helping with the old Catholic church. Mrs. Rumelhart, while not in robust health, was able to get around until six weeks before her death. She was almost blind. Both Mr. and Mrs. Rumelhart led a good Christian life.

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