

Local News In Brief

Here From Pendleton—
C. C. Williams, of Pendleton, is stopping for a short time at the seaman hotel.

Leaves for Portland—
Clarence Smith, of Cove, left this morning for Portland where he will spend some time.

Ill at Home—
Miss Bernice Gaunt has been quite ill of tonalitis for the past several days at her home at 902 Adams.

Home From Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spaeth and small daughter, Frederika, returned home Sunday night from a several day's visit in Portland.

Able to Be Out—
E. H. Hupperst, who has been quite ill for the last few weeks, is much improved and is now able to be out.

Home From Lake—
Mrs. Bess Scriber, who has been ill for several weeks at Hot Lake, was removed to her home here Sunday.

Much Improved—
Mrs. Ella Hynearson, who underwent a major operation about two weeks ago at Hot Lake, is getting along very nicely, her friends report.

Small Fire—
The first fire was called to the Sacred Heart academy at 7 o'clock this morning to extinguish a fire. Little damage was done by the blaze. It is reported.

Goes to Walla Walla—
J. F. Stacey left this morning on train No. 17 for Walla Walla where he will be employed for the winter. Mr. Stacey will return to La Grande for the Christmas holidays, however.

Youngsters Coast—
Eager to take advantage of the season's first coasting many happy youngsters throughout the city were out early this morning with their sleds on the usual coasting hills.

Here on Business—
A. M. Michel, of Portland, has been here for the past several days on business. Mr. Michel recently completed a transaction involving the sale of the Sere Yourself store to S. H. Delepine and S. D. Cramer. Mr. Michel was accompanied here by L. F. Flaherty, both are at the home.

Short Trip to Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tarkington left this morning for Portland where they will spend a couple of days on a combined business and pleasure trip. Mr. Tarkington will confer with grand officers of the Order of Rainbow of which he is local mother advisor. Mr. Tarkington is employed in the dispatcher's office of the O.-W.

Here From Pendleton—
Mrs. F. Purgeson and son, Leslie McCrary, of Pendleton, arrived here last night for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Williams at the Williams home at 1206 Seventh. Mrs. Purgeson reports that Mrs. James McCrary, who has been very ill for some time, was slightly improved last night.

O.-W. Officials Through—
H. A. Lounsbury, general freight agent for the O.-W., J. Copland, freight claim agent, and S. A. Herbig, car service agent, stopped here this morning on train No. 24, visiting during their short stay with Station Agent Joe Keeney and other local officials. They are making an inspection trip over the line to Huntington. All three O.-W. officials have their headquarters in Portland.

Judge Couch Home—
County Judge V. G. Couch returned Sunday from a month's visit in California. Judge Couch, accompanied by Mrs. Couch left Nov. 7 for the southern state, stopping on the way in Portland. They spent the majority of their visit in Oakland with their daughter, Mrs. O. T. Smith. Mr. Couch remained at the home of her daughter and will visit there for some time yet. Judge Couch made a side trip to San Francisco and attended the U. of C. Stanford football game, an annual classic of California, which he greatly enjoyed. Coming home, the county judge stopped off for a day at Klamath Falls where he was a guest of the county judge. He was taken on an inspection trip through the surrounding country. Judge Couch also enjoyed a visit with Bruce Dennis, formerly of La Grande but now editor of the Klamath Falls Herald. Mrs. Couch, who underwent an operation a few months ago, is still convalescing and while she was not so well during the first part of her visit, is gradually improving now.

Stopped Here Yesterday—
Mr. and Mrs. Charles LeMoine and two daughters, of Medford, accompanied by Mrs. Viola Dickerson, of Vale, stopped in La Grande yesterday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sinton. Mr. and Mrs. LeMoine and daughters have been visiting relatives at Vale and were en route to their home at Medford, accompanied by Mrs. LeMoine's sister, Mrs. Dickerson, who will visit there for some time.

To Attend Rehearing—
Colon E. Eberhard, attorney of La Grande, is in Portland and will attend the rehearing of the case of the proposed office building in Salem. This morning's Oregonian had the following to say about Mr. Eberhard's visit there: "When the supreme court today sits on the rehearing of the case of the proposed office building in Salem, Colon Eberhard, ex-state senator of Union county, will be an attentive listener. The legislature authorized the industrial accident commission to lend \$500,000 to the state, at interest, so the state could erect an office building. The supreme court by a vote of four to three said the law was unconstitutional. 'One of the judges who was with the majority,' said Mr. Eberhard at the Imperial yesterday, 'has since died, and Judge Rossman, appointed to fill the vacancy, will apparently have to cast the deciding vote on the rehearing. It is an important case and we all are watching it intently.' Descending the home town of La Grande, Mr. Eberhard says that the Christmas business is good, judging from the crowds in the shops. 'It is still raining and hasn't started snowing yet,' he continued. 'The sheep are still in the lower hills and have not been brought down. I think that all the grain in Union county was threshed, although I heard last week that a farmer in Walla Walla county was still threshing from the stack. La Grande is all excited over its hotel situation. The new establishment, La Grande, opened a couple of weeks ago and the Scapawawa Inn, another, is to open about the first of the year, while the two other hotels expect to hold their own. Social activities are centering around the new hotel and it has become quite a center of such events.'"

Hot Dog Sale—
Members of the senior class of the high school conducted a hot dog sale today, the proceeds of which are to be used to defray expenses on the senior tea given for the class mothers.

Meetings Continue—
Evangelistic services at the Methodist Episcopal church south will continue all this week, the Rev. J. A. Hall, pastor of the church, in charge of the services, announces. The meetings open with a song service at seven o'clock.

Here This Morning—
W. L. Teutsch, assistant county agent from the Oregon State Agricultural college extension service, and Iray Larson, county agent at Ontario, were in La Grande this morning on their way to Elgin, where they will confer with H. H. Weatherpoon regarding horticulture inspections work in Malheur county.

Return to Walla Walla County—
J. H. Debbin and J. H. Fordice, prominent stock men of Walla Walla county, passed through here this morning on their way home after making business trips. Mr. Debbin has been in Lewiston, Ida., on business. He is a citizen of Emeryville and is active in civic affairs of that city. Mr. Fordice has been in Portland where he shipped a carload of hogs.

At Huntington Today—
F. N. Finch, general superintendent of the O.-W. R. and N., with headquarters in Portland, and W. H. Guild, superintendent of the second division with headquarters here, are at Huntington today, on business connected with the railroad company. Mr. and Mrs. Finch spent last night in La Grande and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guild.

Here From Redmond—
Donald Carver arrived here several days ago from Redmond to make his home here during the winter. Mr. Carver is a brother of Lorey Carver, barber at the Foley shop. He will enter the sophomore class of the local high school next semester. He was a letter man in track, football and basketball last year at Redmond, having been center on the Redmond basketball team.

High School Assembly—
At an assembly held this morning a final check on the sale of junior play tickets was made. E. D. Towler, principal, also announced the Lowell Patton concert to be given by the Parent-Teacher associations tomorrow night at the L. D. S. tabernacle. Posters advertising the play have been made by members of the class and distributed about the business district. Posters, prepared by Doris Barnes, a senior, have been placed in the grade schools also.

Mr. Black in Portland—
C. J. Black of La Grande is registered at the Hotelman. The town has given a positive promise that it will provide a paved street to the site of the proposed new state normal school. The board of regents, who have charge of the new school, have directed that the grounds be landscaped next spring, but so far nothing has been done in the way of construction, owing to the shortage of finances on the part of the state. La Grande's commission has made the guarantee of paying out to the site, but has not agreed to pave round the entire property. Later, however, a paving program for the town is to be submitted to the voters for approval or rejection. The site of the school has been donated and but for the financial shortage on the part of the state contracts for construction work would have been awarded months ago. It is expected that when the normal school is operating that it will attract hundreds of students to La Grande from eastern Oregon communities.—Oregonian.

Farm Pointers

Pullets hatched as early in spring as weather conditions permit are likely to be more profitable layers than late hatched fowls. They begin laying earlier, thus producing a larger proportion of eggs during the period of high prices.

The condition of the farm work horse that has been wintered in the open usually is better at the end of the winter than that of the stable horse. Weather conditions in some sections, however, will not permit this practice. Where the horse must be kept indoors, the stable should be made sanitary with an abundance of light and ventilation throughout the year.

A number of inexpensive mixtures for spray or brush application to the ends of freshly cut red gum logs prevent sap stain and decay, especially troublesome in the manufacture of that wood at southern mills. Cresylic acid may be used in sprays and coatings, with betanaphthol as an alternate. Stained logs that have been sprayed over the bark and brush-coated at the ends show only two or three inches of stain in three months instead of three to four feet of stain common to untreated logs.

Under favorable conditions there are several advantages in producing young beef for market rather than mature beef. Younger cattle make larger gains than older cattle on the same quantity of feed, yearlings being able to make 25 to 40 per cent more gain than mature cattle. By raising and fattening calves the money invested can be turned over in a shorter time. Young heaves offer greater choice in the date of marketing because they hold their bloom longer, a decided advantage if the market is unsteady or weak.

Experiments in potato production indicate that growers in general would profit by a more liberal use of seed. A firm of California potatoes produced 1,638.3 bushels on a measured acre and an average yield of 1,001 bushels on nine acres, an accomplishment that would have been impossible had they used the usual quality of seed. Planting large-sized sets insures a better germination and a larger set of tubers, and is a desirable practice. It provided the resultant plants have an abundant supply of food and moisture.

\$3 LICENSE FEE FOR AUTOMOBILES IS OPPOSED HERE

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approximately \$15,000. An aviation school would also be established here, to be in charge of "Hot" Rounding, pilot, he said, if conditions are favorable. Already 22 men have announced their intentions in enrolling in such a school.

Miss Bethel Trill sang "Roses of Picardy" and responded to generous applause with an encore. Mrs. Parkinson accompanied her at the piano.

SIX APPEALS ACTED ON BY HIGH COURT

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Judge J. W. Knowles affirmed. In the matter of the estate of Ernest T. Schuler, deceased; Frank Kerman, administrator, vs. H. M. Swartwood, former administrator, appellant; appeal from Walla Walla county; suit involving removal of administrator. Opinion by Chief Justice Rand, Judge J. W. Knowles affirmed.

Ray Hartley, appellant, vs. James E. Rice and Nora E. Rice; appeal from Walla Walla county; suit to set aside decree foreclosing mortgage. Opinion by Justice Coshaw, Judge J. W. Knowles affirmed.

Two Reversals
H. F. Kelly appellant, vs. C. W. Joslin and J. McAllister, operating under name of Joslin and McAllister, appeal from Walla Walla county; action for damages resulting from trespass. Opinion by Justice Melbride, Judge J. W. Knowles reversed.

Dora Carr, administrator of estate of Howard J. Carr, deceased; plaintiff and respondent, vs. Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation company, defendant and appellant; appeal from Union county. Action to recover damages for alleged negligence of administratrix. Opinion by Justice Rossman, Judge J. W. Knowles reversed.

Her Horses Win



MARIE FREE



Marie Prevost, Hollywood movie luminary, is the latest to appear in court and secure a divorce. Here she is as she testified against her husband, Kenneth Hartan, also of the movies.

Winter and Spring Are Wed



Martin L. Wheeler, 76-year-old Florence, Colo., hotel owner, was lately and Miss Midge Glenn, 20, of Everton, Mo., was tired of farm life. They exchanged a few letters, met for the first time in Pueblo and were married an hour later. Wheeler has nine children, having married the first time 56 years ago. He was the boyhood chum of Midge's great-grandfather.

Hotter Summer, Long and Cold Winter, Forecast in A. D. 13,927

WASHINGTON (AP)—Winter, if one believes the joke books, is that season when smart young women discard their furs and put on their flimsiest raincoat. Or, if one takes the common, more or less agricultural meaning of the word, it designates the period of embracing December, January and February, in the United States, or November, December and January, in England.

Astronomically, however, it is for the northern hemisphere that period of time between the Winter Solstice and the Vernal Equinox, when the most direct rays of the sun point farthest south and when they cross the Equator.

Actually, it is the coldest season of the year, despite the fact, moving in its orbit, is about 2,000,000 miles closer to the sun in January than it is in June.

The temperature is low, says Dr. W. J. Humphreys of the Weather Bureau, because the days are much shorter than the nights and the sun is not so high over the horizon. The earth is so tilted on its axis that the rays of the sun fall upon the surface at such an angle that they are called upon to heat a much greater area, for each unit, than in summer, when the sun is most directly overhead, and they have less time to get in their warming work.

In about 12,000 years, however, because of the gradual change in the earth's orbit, the northern hemisphere will be closest to the sun in Summer and farthest away in winter. The effect, says Dr. Humphreys, will be shorter and hotter summers and longer and colder winters.

But, considering the time allowed, man has plenty of time to adapt himself to the change. As far as the approaching winter is concerned, he has not been able, from available indications, to predict whether the temperature will be relatively moderate, as has been the case for several years, or abnormally cold.

NEW YORK — A broker says that he has insured the dancing feet of Eudora Ambrose, widow of Maurice, for a quarter of a million. She is soon to appear at a night club.

T. B. "Cure" Not Proved Certain Experts Assert

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 6 (AP)—Claims made either directly or by innuendo, that the cattle test held in the city of Portland has proved that the Kirkpatrick remedy cures bovine tuberculosis are not justified. This assertion is contained in an official statement of Doctors Beckwith and Traut of the University of California who made the tests.

"We have submitted our report to the mayor of Portland as an official document," the statement continues. "It seems, however, that some persons are interpreting our findings as indications that we believe the Kirkpatrick remedy a cure for tuberculosis in cattle. Such conclusions, we claim, are not justified.

"We know nothing regarding its value for the treatment of tuberculosis in human beings, but the tests did not prove that the Kirkpatrick remedy is a cure for tuberculosis in cattle."

Obituary
MRS. CHARLES DISQUA
Mrs. Charles Disqua passed away at about 2:30 o'clock this morning at her home 2111 Cedar street after a long illness. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the Spodgrass and Zimmerman chapel here.

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