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THE WEATHER OREGON: Unsettled, rain west and probably local rains and snow east portion tonight and Sunday. Moderate temperature.

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A. E. CLARK'S BODY FOUND NEAR HERE

Evidence Indicates Robbery and Murder, Local Authorities State

SLAYING OCCURRED LATE IN NOVEMBER

Iron Bar Found Nearby and Pockets in Dead Man's Clothing Were Empty, Coroner Says.

The body of Arthur E. Clark, about 40 to 45 years of age, was discovered this morning shortly before 11 o'clock in a canyon near the old country club grounds.

County Coroner F. L. Tolston, who immediately investigated the case, declared this afternoon that it seemed a clear case of robbery and murder.

Mr. Clark has been missing since about Thanksgiving day but friends here were not alarmed as they believed he had taken a trip and forgotten to notify anyone of his plans.

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La Grande Team 10-Point Winner Over Pendleton

Close Guarding, Strong Offensive Brings Victory—Play at Wallowa Tonight.

Pendleton, hitherto undefeated on the maple court in Eastern Oregon this season, bowed before a terrific onslaught by the Tigers last night and the blue and white colors were floating from the pole after the second athletic encounter of the season between the two schools.

Last fall a Pendleton football team downed the Tigers 12 to 9 but last night a fighting blue and white basketball five evened the score by decisively whipping the Buckaroos 31 to 21.

Today the Pendleton squad turns toward Baker where another strong quintet will be encountered and La Grande goes up the bench line, to test Wallowa's mettle.

Crowd of 1000 With more than 1000 spectators looking on, the game started last night in the L. D. S. Recreational hall, with Pendleton getting the first tip off and missing the first shot for basket.

Shortly afterwards a rebound of the ball and more missed shots by both teams, Cronin, tall Pendleton guard, dropped a field basket. Seconds later Braden retaliated with another field goal.

During the remainder of the quarter the play was as fast as one could wish and the crowd was out of its seats time and again as the score cascaded, finally finding La Grande a point ahead at the intermission.

Pendleton Takes Lead Pendleton came out of the rear in the second frame with shots by Lash and Dewilde, forwards, and at half time had taken a 15 to 13 lead.

In the third quarter Cook and Childers relieved Lash and Dewilde and within a short time Pendleton had increased her lead to four points.

The Tigers, with flashy bursts of speed that usually ended in one or more close shots for a basket, began creeping up on the Bucks and Coach Quinn rushed Lash and Dewilde back into the game.

Tiger Rally Succeeds At the end of the third quarter the Tigers had swung back into the lead and as the final period started, were leading Pendleton 23 to 21.

The last eight minutes of play found the visitors unable to score, while the Tigers, unleashing the strongest rally of the game, counted eight points, shot by Hibberd, Braden and H. Wolfe. Stoddard was relieved by Roe in this period after four personals had been called on him.

Pendleton had several shots in the ring in the last few minutes, but over-eagerness caused the loss.

Coach Schessler reviewed the past football season and told of the plans and schedule for the coming season, which includes a Thanksgiving day game with the Yankees, New York in the Yankee Stadium in New York City. This will be the longest football trip ever taken by any football team in the northwest, he said.

Three La Grande men, Cecil Sherwood, Earl "Tige" Larson and Howard Kerr will turn out for Spring football in the Yankee Stadium in New York City. This will be the longest football trip ever taken by any football team in the northwest, he said.

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FINANCES OF CITY ARE IN GOOD SHAPE

City Report Shows Assets to Be \$1,453,895.19, Cash on Hand \$61,797.75

SEWAGE SYSTEM IS VALUED \$157,892.17

Large Amount of Business Transacted by the Municipality in 1927—Revenues \$499,058.88.

The financial statement of the city prepared by City Recorder J. E. Stearns and City Treasurer Emma M. Fowler's report for the year just ended are now on file and reveal a healthy financial condition for the municipality.

Assets are listed at \$1,453,895.19 with the liabilities balancing after the addition of present worth account of \$483,552.25 and the treasury started the year of 1928 with a total of \$61,797.75 cash on hand.

City's Assets The assets listed in Mr. Stearns' report follow: Real estate city building, \$50,793.74; city park, \$15,389.25; and library, \$15,000. Furniture and fixtures in the city building are listed at \$1,667 and in the library at \$7,500. Books and magazines are held worth \$2,000.

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Violin Quartet Gives Concert At Local Hotel

Earle Denham, of Baker, Assisting Artist—Selections Highly Praised by the Audience.

The Neighborhood Club Violin quartet took its place among the outstanding musical talent of La Grande last night when it made an initial concert appearance at the La Grande hotel before a large audience of local citizens who enthusiastically welcomed the new organization.

Presenting a program, as difficult as any professional musicians might attempt, with true artistry, the quartet introduced to the audience one of the finest types of instrumental music, the stringed quartet, and endeavored to music lovers of La Grande.

Earle Denham, dramatic tenor from Baker, who is already well known to La Grande audiences, assisted on the program and won sincere applause for his splendid work. He was accompanied by Ames Black Hunt.

Mrs. Leo Miller is director of the quartet and is first violinist. Mrs. Audmer Playle is second violin. Mrs. Roy Farnum, third violin. Mrs. Emmett Smith, fourth violin. Mrs. George Brame, pianist.

The concert was interesting throughout. In a great part because careful attention had been paid to present a varied program, and one that would satisfy varied musical tastes. The program demonstrated the versatility of the members of the young organization for they handled brilliant passages, dramatic numbers, and more melodious numbers, with equal dexterity. Their performance was finished and showed excellent blending and unity. In every piece, the listener felt the mood. Attention had been paid to phrasing, shading, and interpretation of every number.

The first number was "Romance and Tambourin" (18th Century Berceuse) by Weckerlin and was played with the fresh vigor and spiritfulness that is associated with a work of that time, marked by many embellishments and trills which they executed well. Schumann's "Song of Spring," a more popular number was the second of the group and was given a dignified interpretation that was charming. Beethoven's "Minuet in A Major" completed the group. In this number Mrs. Miller carried the Beethoven melody in many places.

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HEALTH UNIT PLAN ADOPTED BY UNION COUNTY OFFICIALS

A county health unit, which will do away with the county and city physicians, and put the entire county under one doctor, one nurse and a clerk, was adopted yesterday when the county court, the city commission, L. S. Weeks, acting secretary of the Union county chamber of commerce, and Dr. W. T. Phyl, chairman of the health committee, met at the court house.

The new system provides for a physician who will devote his entire time to the welfare of the county, to be assisted by one nurse and a clerk. The unit will be financed one-half by the county and one-half by the state board of health.

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Jury Technically Accepted; Legal Snarl Develops

Hickman Sanity Trial in Welter of Confusion—Decision Up to Judge Trabucco.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28. (AP)—William Edward Hickman, kidnaper-slayer of Marian Parker, "does not admit" the alleged facts of the crime, and today repudiated his confession to the police, his attorneys declared today. Jerome Walsh, Hickman's chief counsel, also revealed defense plans for jury in the present case finds the defendant sane. Walsh declared that his client does not admit killing the girl, that he has entered a plea of "not guilty by reason of insanity," and that if he is found to have been sane at the time of the crime, an arrest of judgment will be interposed immediately. Then Walsh said, a demand for another trial will be made under the plea that Hickman now is insane. He pointed out that under the California law an insane man cannot be hanged.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28. (AP)—A legal snarl today left the William Edward Hickman sanity trial in a welter of confusion over the court's weekend recess.

That legal tangle in the closing minutes of yesterday's session left nine men and three women technically the accepted jury to determine whether the kidnaper and slayer of Marian Parker could distinguish between right and wrong. But not one of the jurors was entirely certain he would retain his seat long after the opening of court Monday.

The mix-up apparently left the prosecution with 19 peremptory challenges but it was not certain that it could use them and not quite decided whether it desired to exercise them if permitted to do so. And the defense had on its hands four peremptory challenges which may or may not be usable when court resumes Monday.

The safe was entirely destroyed, being blown into many pieces. The heavy safe door was thrown into the delivery boxes, damaging them badly. Although the amount of money in the safe is not known, it is not believed to have been a large sum.

The burglars are thought to have entered the building through one of the doors.

Walsh Surprises Court The tinks in the law resulted when the prosecution passed the challenge of the jury yesterday and the defense and Hickman's attorney surprised the court by quickly accepting the jury.

The move brought District Attorney Ana Keyes out of his chair with the result that the prosecution still might challenge if it so desired Monday. Jerome Walsh, 25-year-old defense counsel, declared he would demand the same privileges if it were extended to the prosecution.

Although the jury technically had been accepted by both sides, Judge J. J. Trabucco ordered that the 12 talesmen not be sworn Monday, he said, he would rule on the prosecution request, declaring: "Both sides would be treated alike in the matter."

At the close of court Keyes said he wasn't quite sure whether he desired to challenge any juror. The defense attorneys said the jury was satisfactory to them.

All of the technically accepted jurors are well into or past middle age. The three women gave their occupations as housewives. Two are gray haired. Only four of the jurors were from Los Angeles proper, the others coming from southern points or nearby cities of the county.

Every juror now in the box has declared under questioning that he had read of the Hickman case in the newspapers. Five of them said they had formed opinions as a result of their newspaper reading but could sit on the jury with an open mind.

To place the dozen probable jurors in the box, 47 prospective jurors were questioned. Sixteen were challenged by the defense, four by the prosecution, and the rest, with the exception of the 12, were dismissed for cause.

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