

Local News In Brief

Here From Vancouver—
T. E. Smith, of Vancouver, Ore., is at the Foley hotel for a few days.

Here From Boise—
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brennan, of Boise, are stopping at the Foley hotel for a short time.

From Umatilla—
M. N. Jenkins, of Umatilla, is stopping at the Foley hotel.

Here From Huntington—
John W. Ellis, of Huntington, is a business visitor here today. Mr. Ellis is at the Foley.

Goes To Portland—
Mrs. T. C. Lindsey left for Portland last night, taking with her her mother, Mrs. Lindsey, of Portland, who will receive medical treatment in the Western Oregon city.

Here This Morning—
J. H. Rooper, clerk of the school board at Hillsdale, was in La Grande this morning and called at the office of County School Superintendent E. A. Sayre.

Word of Death Received—
Word of the death of Mrs. Clara Stratton at Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 24, has been received here by her brother, Walter Hopper. Mrs. Stratton for many years made her home in this city and has many friends here.

Assembly Tomorrow—
The regular assembly will be held at the Central school tomorrow. On Tuesday of next week there will be an assembly, when Miss Koehenschlager will talk on boy scout work. Mrs. A. E. McEachern, principal of the school, announced this morning.

Honor Past Rulers—
Tonight will be past exalted rulers night at the R. P. O. Elks lodge. In addition to appropriate ceremonies honoring all past exalted rulers of the local lodge there will be initiation, followed by a feed.

To Meet Husband—
Mrs. Claude Pratt went to Pendleton this morning on train No. 17 to meet Mr. Pratt who has been in Spokane conducting church services for several weeks. They will return to La Grande tomorrow or Saturday.

Leave For Portland—
Mrs. Charles Wade and her mother, Mrs. E. Lynn, left today on train No. 17 for Portland, where they will visit with two other daughters of Mrs. Lynn for several days. They will return to their homes here about the first of next week. Mrs. Wade's home is at 417 1/2 Washington avenue.

Leaves For Portland—
George R. Curry left last night for Portland where he will spend a short time at the home of his son, Mr. Curry will drive his car back to La Grande. He was compelled to leave it in Portland last month because of the condition of the highway. Mr. Curry is a realtor.

Club to Meet—
The Presbyterian Men's club will meet this evening at the home of Lee Reynolds on O Avenue. The Rev. J. George Wals will be the speaker. All who are interested are invited to attend.

Have Baby Son—
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne C. Taylor are the proud parents of a six-month baby son born to them at the Grande Ronde hospital this morning. The little boy has been named Gerald Wayne. Both the mother and baby are getting along nicely.

Scouting Out Blank—
County School Superintendent E. A. Sayre is sending out annual report blanks to the schools of the county today. The teachers of the county will soon start work on their annual reports. Mr. Sayre announced.

Visiting Here—
W. D. Long, of Portland, is in La Grande on business and is visiting at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Harry Gibson. Mr. Long arrived here last night. He is a former resident of La Grande, having made his home here for a number of years.

Son is Ill—
Gerald Corum, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Corum, is seriously ill of pneumonia. Gerald was reported considerably improved today, however. The Corum home is at 226 Box Elder street.

SCHOL-WIL CAPS
In all the latest colors and shapes for men and boys.
Men's Caps—\$2.25 to \$3.45
Boys' Caps—\$1.65 to \$1.95
Caps Of Quality
Clint's Clothery
The Store With a Conscience

Here From Baker—
Prescott Lilly, of the Baseline Hardware company of Baker, was in this city yesterday transacting business and visiting with local business men.

M. I. A. Boys Win—
The second ward M. I. A. team won last night from the Five Musketeers in a close game. The score was 16-14. The game was played at the second ward recreational hall.

Here From Imbler—
Mrs. A. E. Prior, of Imbler, spent yesterday shopping and visiting in La Grande. Mrs. Prior is manager of the telephone exchange at Imbler.

Here From Pendleton—
Harold Warner, Pendleton attorney and legislator, is in La Grande for a day or so on business.

Underwent Operation—
Alma Parker underwent a major operation at the Grande Ronde hospital a few days ago and is reported to be getting along as well as can be expected considering the serious nature of the operation.

Mr. Hudson Better—
Mrs. R. G. Hudson, of Imbler, visited in La Grande yesterday. She reports that her husband is now able to be around again after being confined for some time convalescing from an operation which he underwent at the Grande Ronde hospital on Dec. 10.

Puss-willows Out—
First promises that spring is on its way are in evidence in the windows of Clark's Florist shop where several sprays of puss-willows are arranged among gay pots of red and yellow tulips. The puss-willows were obtained along the Grande Ronde river, near Perry, by members of the Clark family.

AMERICAN LEGION WILL ESTABLISH G. A. R. CEMETERY
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ing talk to legion members. The other speaker was Harold Warner, attorney of Pendleton, who has been here on business.

The American Legion auxiliary meeting also had an interesting session at which their president, Mrs. Clara McNeen, presided. Plans for the re-organization of the drill team were discussed and not with favor. The members of the drill team and other who would like to be in the drill team were asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Palmer at 2119 Second street, Wednesday, Feb. 8, at 2:30. Mrs. R. G. McNeil will be president at this meeting and the organization of a chorus will be discussed. Those who cannot attend this meeting but who are interested in either the chorus or the drill team, are asked to leave their names with Mrs. Palmer.

It was announced that a meeting of the auxiliary would be held Thursday, Feb. 2, at the home of Mrs. J. F. Heasty, at 363 Spillar street, at 2 o'clock, when pillow cases will be made for the veterans' hospital in Portland. Members are asked to bring thread, scissors and needles, and also quilt scraps.

President Coming
Mrs. C. N. Palmer announced last night that Mrs. Rose Wilcox, state president of the auxiliary, will stop in La Grande on her way home from Washington, D. C. A meeting will be called, with the date to be announced later, Mrs. Palmer said.

Following their business meeting they joined the legion members and went to Roman hall, where a pleasant social hour, with bridge as the diversion, was spent. Mrs. Beatrice Young and R. V. Conroy made high score, with Mrs. Dallas Green and J. H. Albertson receiving consolation. Refreshments were served.

Both meetings were monthly business sessions.

CONFERENCE PLANS MADE; FEW CHANGES
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out the details of the program. Experts coming

Mr. Avery received word this morning from the Oregon State college giving the names of those who will assist in the conference. F. L. Ballard, state county agent, will talk on general economics; N. C. Jamieson, dairy specialist, on dairying; H. E. Cresney, poultry specialist, will attend the poultry group; and H. W. Morris, farm crops specialist, will talk on farm crops. N. C. Donahood, county agent of Walla Walla county, will talk on livestock; and F. A. Holt, county agent of Umatilla county, will talk on horticulture.

Because several economic conferences are being held during the same week as the Union county conference, not all the specialists from the college will be able to attend one conference. For that reason several county agents are substituting.

Hubert Anderson explained the proposed milk and cream ordinance which Union county dairymen are sponsoring.

When using figured curtains in a room, choose a material with a background the same color as the walls but slightly darker. The principal design in the curtain material should repeat the color of the rug, or upholstery. Use figured curtains only when the walls give a plain effect.

CINDERELLA SHOP TO OPEN FRIDAY

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of exclusive women's apparel shops operated by R. C. Hadley, Inc., with the head offices in Portland. Shops already in operation include two in Salt Lake City and one each in Ogden, Provo, Logan, Utah; Boise, Twin Falls, Pocatello and Idaho Falls, Ida.; Camas and Walla Walla, Wash., and the new store in Pendleton, which had an auspicious opening on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Expects Good Year
Mr. Hadley has been in La Grande the past few days preparing for the opening of the new shop. He predicts good business conditions in 1928 and expressed pleasure at the sign of progress and prosperity in La Grande and the surrounding community and further evidenced his faith in local business conditions that this city was selected as the point for a new store, this step being taken only after a careful survey of the present and future possibilities in this district.

With every indication that 1928 will maintain a very favorable rate of prosperity and sound business, the Cinderella chain is expanding its distribution through the establishment of at least four new stores. Besides the Pendleton and La Grande stores, two more will be added later this year, Mr. Hadley said.

The La Grande store is No. 12 in the chain, although not opening until after the Pendleton store, as the local lease was procured months before but occupancy was not possible until the building was vacated Jan. 17.

The Cinderella Frocks shop here will be managed by Worth Almon, who has been with the home office in Portland and other stores.

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At times, when building funds were low, dividends were reduced and the money spent for extensions and betterments. Later on, this condition was offset by the payment of stock dividends. The average of all dividends paid, according to company statements, will not more than equal the current rates of interest which have been charged throughout the territory.

At this time, the management does not feel at liberty to disclose the identity of the parties who have made the purchase offer. Nor is it certain the offer will result in a sale, it is said.

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CITY BONDS SELL AT 105; 7 BIDS READ

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state dairy and food commissioner attended the commission meeting, relative to the proposed milk and food ordinance, the commission asked him if his department would conduct a check of conditions in La Grande. Mr. Mickie promised to do so and early this week his entire force of inspectors arrived here and passed on 121 establishments here that handle foods, both liquid and solid.

Sanitary Report
The report was presented last night by L. S. Leach, of the department, and was as follows: Garbage plants: three inspected, rating: bad.

Meat packing plants: one inspected, rating: good.

Slaughter houses: three inspected, rating: two, good; one, bad. Milk depots: one inspected, rating: bad.

Creameries: two inspected, rating: one good, one fair. Meat markets: nine inspected, rating: three, good; four, fair; two, bad (one was closed down by the inspector).

Bakeries: two inspected, rating: one, good; one, fair. Confectionaries: 14 inspected, rating: nine, good; five, fair. Groceries: 22 inspected, rating: 11, good; 10, fair.

Eating places: 22 inspected, rating: eight, good; 13, fair; one, bad. Dairies: 40 inspected, rating: four, good; 18, fair; 18, bad.

Supplementing the report, Mr. Leach declared that all of the dairies rated as bad are now on probation. He also said that about 450 cows (not counting dry cows) are supplying La Grande with milk and that 52, representing 12 herds, have never been tested for tuberculosis. He estimated that there are probably 600 cows in this territory that are being milked most of the time during the year.

Says Chief Seeds Inspector
He reported that one meat market was closed and will not be allowed to re-open and that one slaughter house was closed indefinitely.

Commissioner Playle asked him if the city needed a food inspector, and the reply was "absolutely."

City Attorney George T. Cochran was given authority to draw up a new ordinance. Mr. Hill, president of the commission, speaking to several parent-teacher association members and others present, said: "We will have something worked out of this yet that we can enforce and that will work no hardships on anyone." The P. T. A. members expressed appreciation of the city's efforts along this line.

The salary list for the last month as allowed in the amount of \$5,122.60, and an ordinance was passed giving the Eastern Oregon Development company, the financing company of the Eastern Oregon Light & Power Co., conveyance to city property near the sewage disposal plant, whereon it may install pipes, etc., for a high tension line, one that will carry 65,000 volts. Gene Walker, explaining this, said that the company is looking to the future and that this type of line will deliver a much greater supply for the light and power needs of La Grande.

COURT TO HEAR DIARY
MARSHFIELD, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP)—The diary of Robert Green, former of Catching Inlet will be a link in the state's evidence when Green is placed on trial in March, on a charge of killing his neighbor, Caleb Green. "This was indicated today by attorneys preparing for the hearing. The diary, it was claimed, showed that the accused had trouble with the man who was slain with a baseball bat."

"DO OR DIE"
BOMBAY, British India, Feb. 2 (AP)—The daily newspaper Sandesh says that the former maharajah of Indore has sent this telegram to his private secretary in regard to his intentions to marry Miss Nancy Ann Miller, of Seattle, Wash.: "Inform all if marriage with Miss Miller cannot take place I shall die."

Some people are lucky enough to be able to do things without knowing how.

For Rainy Day



Seattle girls are saving against a rainy day, but it's stockings they're saving. Jessie Baker is shown here wearing several pairs of stockings to keep off the precipitation, and they work so well that many girls are taking them up—or, rather, rolling them down.

B. & O. Fire Damage Around \$3,000,000
CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 2 (AP)—Damage in excess of \$2,000,000 was caused by fire which destroyed the Baltimore and Ohio locomotive shops and adjoining buildings this afternoon. Thirty locomotives valued at \$12,000 each were damaged.

U. S. Marines Head For Ocotul Area
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 2 (AP)—U. S. marines in large numbers left Leon today for Ocotul, in the territory where American forces are campaigning against Sandino and his adherents. All the officers, and some of the rank and file were mounted.

KNOWLEDGE FOR SALESMEN
CHICAGO—"Know your city" is the first precept of the real estate business, the National Association of Real Estate Boards has informed its members, urging collection of various local data in preparing student courses in property salesmanship. The data includes information on business and living conditions in the home town, from the paving of streets to the efficiency of the mail service. One pertinent question is: "What are the opportunities for higher education?"

FRUIT BRINGS PROFITS
LOS ANGELES—More than 22,000,000 boxes of citrus fruit were handled by the California Fruit Growers Exchange last year, an increase of 2,000,000 over the previous year and representing a gain of \$4,000,000 in profits. Shipments of grapefruit alone required 700 cars. Total sales exceeded \$52,000,000.

HAVE PATIENCE
Motorist: I thought you told me there was a good road here. Notice: There is, but you ain't down far enough yet—Life.

There are quite as many imitations among self-made men as there are among other manufactured products.

Never hit a man when he is down. He might get up and talk about you behind your back.

Obituary
JAMES SPEIRS
Word was received here today by Mrs. L. E. Standley from Verne H. Speirs that his father, James Speirs, died at Talent, Ore., Jan. 30 of heart disease. He is survived by five children, Mr. Speirs, Verne, Glen and Jean. Mrs. Speirs is buried at Island City and it is believed that the body will be sent to La Grande.

IMBLER, Feb. 2 (Special)—The community was shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Dina C. Bouy, last Saturday. She leaves to mourn her loss eight children, and 12 grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. E. J. Rinehart, of Spokane, and Mrs. John Sellers, of Creswell. The children are Mrs. Andrew Erickson, of Gold Hill, Oregon; Mrs. Guy Snavely, of Monticorey Creek, Cal.; Clarence of Yoncalla, Ore.; Mrs. Henry Demmer and Mark Bouy, of Eugene, Mrs. E. B. Arnold, of Paisley, Wash.; Roy and Herb, of Imbler.

Several people from Elgin, La Grande, Summerville and Cove, attended the funeral of Mrs. Bouy, who was laid to rest in the Summerville cemetery Monday afternoon. The Rev. J. George Wals, of La Grande, officiated. Mrs. Bouy was a charter member of the American Legion auxiliary of Imbler, and was loved by all who knew her.

GOVERNMENT To REST CASE DURING TODAY

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PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP)—Defense attorneys assembled their forces today in preparation for their fight to refute charges that Emory Olmstead, former president of the Northwestern National bank, and J. E. Wheeler, former president of the McCor-mick Lumber company, conspired to violate the national bank laws. Marvin L. Small, special accountant for the department of justice, was recalled to the stand this morning after having given figures yesterday concerning deposit by Wheeler of more than \$15,000,000 in checks on eastern banks and return of approximately \$11,000,000 of those checks marked N. S. F.

Defense attorneys cross-examined Small this morning in detail. The government expected to close its case today.

Bank Increases Rediscount Rate
NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—The New York federal reserve bank today increased its rediscount rate to 4 per cent from 3 1/2 per cent, which had been in effect since Aug. 5, 1927.

NUDE BODY FOUND
PUERTO RICO, Feb. 2 (AP)—A nude, headless body found near here today has been partially identified as that of a Mexican boy about 16 years old, deputy sheriffs said.

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Solid leather Men's Tan Work Shoes
\$2.29
Work Shirts
In blue and grey; two pockets, triple sewed
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Men's Sox
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Stewart Grilled By Oil Committee

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—Robert W. Stewart, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil company, of Indiana, underwent a grueling examination today at the hands of the senate oil committee and at the end he was given until tomorrow to answer certain questions of the committee under possible threat of citation for contempt.

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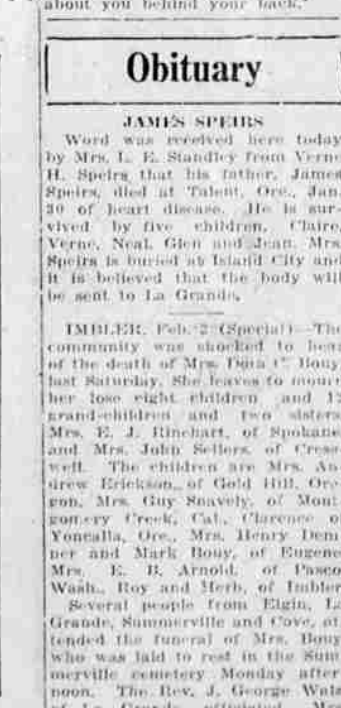
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IT'S ROSE TIME IN CALIFORNIA, and here is one of the scenes from the Tournament of Roses held every year at Pasadena. The picture was taken when the girls were rehearsing for their parts in the tournament pageant.



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