

Local News in Brief

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Here From Santa Cruz—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Adams, of Santa Cruz, Cal., registered at the La Grande while in this city yesterday.

Registered at Sacajawea—Mrs. H. B. Miller and son, of Elkwater Park, N. J., registered at the Sacajawea while here yesterday.

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Here From Pendleton—Mrs. John L. Howland, registered at the Sacajawea while in La Grande yesterday. Mrs. Howard makes her home in Pendleton.

Fish People Here—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Nelson and Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Beck, of Provo, Utah, registered at the La Grande while in La Grande yesterday.

Guest to Portland—Robert S. Eakin left Sunday night for Portland, where he will reside over the grand lodge. Mr. Eakin is master of the Oregon Mason lodge.

Here From Portland—R. F. Moser, who is connected with the auditing department of the Union Pacific, is registered at the La Grande. Mr. Moser makes his headquarters in Portland.

Mr. Lottidge Here—J. P. Lottidge, general manager of the Eastern Oregon Light & Power company, stopped at the Sacajawea Inn yesterday while in this city on business.

Here From Tacoma—Mrs. F. W. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Smith stopped at the Sacajawea Inn yesterday while in this city. They are from Tacoma, Wash.

Left for the East—The Misses Thelma and Julia Smith left last evening for Traverse City, Mich., where they were called by the critical illness of their brother, Ernest Smith. They will be away indefinitely.

Home From Lake—L. Larson, who underwent an operation at Hot Lake several weeks ago, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home here. Mr. Larson is manager of the La Grande Grocery company.

Will Make Home in Portland—Van Yates will leave with Company E, 18th Infantry, tonight for Camp Clifton after which he expects to make his home. Mr. Yates has been employed by the L & L drug company for some time.

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Home From School—Well Sherwood is among the O. S. C. students who have returned home for the summer vacation.

Here From Valley—Mr. and Mrs. Gregory, of Pleasant Valley, were among those who visited in La Grande Monday.

Elgin Man Here—Visitors in La Grande yesterday included John Bain, Elgin citizen who was here on legal business.

Elgin Visitor—H. H. Weatherspoon, representative to the Oregon house, is here from Elgin today.

Home From Spokane—Miss Frances Menger returned home this morning from a brief trip to Spokane. Miss Menger is employed at the O.-W. offices. She was on train No. 24.

At Division Offices—Mrs. L. E. Grey, who has the concession at the Immigrant Park lodge, was a visitor at the highway division offices this morning.

Went to Flora—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Eberhard drove to Flora today where they attended the celebration of the completion of the Flora highway.

Has Position—Mrs. Thelma Webb began work yesterday as an operator at the Colonial Beauty shop at the Sacajawea.

Return Sunday—Park and Jean Taylor returned by car Sunday night from Seattle where Jean has been attending U. of W. His brother spent a week visiting him.

Home From State—Golan Epling, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Epling, is home for the summer vacation. He is an O. S. C. student.

Returns From Oregon—Hillard Brown has returned home for the summer vacation from Eugene where he has completed his first year at U. of O.

Very Low—La Grander will be saddened to know that Mrs. Franklin Zorbeck who has been ill for some time is very low today and that little hope is held for her recovery.

Goes to Seaside—Mrs. Walter Bean has gone to Seaside where she will spend a few weeks while Mr. Bean is at Camp Clatsop.

School Board Meets—Routine business was transacted at a regular meeting of the school board in Colon R. Eberhard's office last night.

Returns From Portland—Andrew Loney Jr., returned yesterday from a short trip to Portland. Mrs. Loney accompanied him to Portland and is attending Oregon Eastern Star grand lodge.

Special Meeting—A special meeting of the official board of the Christian church was held last evening. The board considered holding evangelistic meetings next fall.

Baker Man Here—Charles Newton, Baker real estate broker, was in La Grande yesterday looking after business affairs.

Prominent Man at Lake—Mr. Greenough, prominent citizen and booster from Wallawa, Ida., has been at Hot Lake for a day or so on his summer vacation.

Married Yesterday—Florence Panman and Oscar Craig, both of Summerville, were married yesterday afternoon by Justice of the Peace Hugh E. Brady.

Attending Lodge—George E. Cochran, La Grande attorney, is attending the Masonic and Eastern Star grand lodge sessions in Portland. Mr. Cochran accompanied T. J. Scroggin to Portland by car.

In From Wallawa—The Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Shields, of Wallawa, are in La Grande today. Mr. Shields will leave this evening for Portland where he will attend the grand lodge of the A. F. and A. M.

Attending State Meeting—T. J. Scroggin, vice president of the United States National bank, is expected home tomorrow at Thursday from Sesside where he has been attending the state bankers' convention. He made the trip by car.

Leaves on Trip—Mrs. Anna Polack left Sunday by car on a three-week vacation trip in California. She was to meet her brother, Mr. Rupert, and wife in Grants Pass, and they planned to go on together to Long Beach where they will visit Mrs. Polack's sister-in-law and family. Mrs. Polack is employed at the La Grande National bank.

Return From Pullman—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith and son, Billy, and Mrs. H. M. Buck returned last evening from a pleasant trip to Pullman, Wash., where they stayed for several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kruegel, Mr. Kruegel is busier at W. S. C. While there they attended baccalaureate and commencement, the senior play and other graduating class affairs. Mr. Smith is division engineer of the state highway department.

Great Grandparents in La Grande—Probably no two persons in La Grande were prouder or happier today than Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Warren. Mr. and Mrs. Warren learned by telegram this morning that they were the great grandparents of a seven-pound baby girl born at four o'clock this morning to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Anderson in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Warren's daughter, Gertha Anderson, is the grandmother of the arrival, who is named Marilyn Ardiella. Not only may Mr. and Mrs. Warren claim the unusual distinction of being great grandparents but had the joy this winter of observing their 50th wedding anniversary. When asked this morning if they would be going down soon to see their youngest grandchild, Mr. Warren promptly responded, "I should say we are, just as soon as we can get there." They will probably go about the last of the week. Both mother and daughter were getting along nicely.

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Goes to Salem—Miss Ruth Garrick has gone to Salem where she will attend the summer session of Willamette university. Miss Garrick is a teacher at Greenwood.

Visiting at Ponders—Little Miss Ann Stoddard is visiting at Ponders with her cousin, Betty and Helen Stoddard, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard. Miss Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stoddard.

Leaving for Ashland—Mrs. Teresa Leslie and son, Jim, are leaving tonight for Ashland where Mrs. Leslie will attend the Ashland normal school for the summer session. Mrs. Leslie teaches at Island City where they make their home.

Expected Home—Miss Marjorie Condit is expected home this evening from U. of O. where she has completed her second year. Miss Condit is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Condit. She will return with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kitchen and daughters, Thelma and Etta Belle.

Returns From Seattle—Mrs. Wesley Harrison has just returned from an extended stay in Seattle where she has been with her brother, William Taal who has been ill for many months. He is also a brother of Mrs. William Condit. Mrs. Harrison reports that his condition is unchanged.

Drives to Pullman—The Rev. and Mrs. T. O. Hess have gone to Pullman Wash, where they will meet their daughter, Mildred, who has been teaching school in Washington. She will return here for the summer with them. They will be back in time for the Baptist supper Thursday evening.

Met at Eagles—The Pacific Woodmen met last evening at Eagles hall in a regular business session at which the council commander, Lawrence Hayes, presided. Following the meeting the members joined the Supreme Forest circle, who also held a business meeting in a social hour during which refreshments were served.

Receiving Nicely—Word has been received here that Mrs. P. B. Fisher, Mrs. Anna Kinsey, who suffered a stroke in San Francisco last Friday, is doing nicely and is expected to completely recover. Her family is with her. Mrs. Kinsey is well known here, having made her home in La Grande for many years. She was married here 28 years ago.

Elected Representative—J. A. McCarthy was elected representative to the Knights of Pythias grand lodge and Ralph Byers was elected alternate when Rod Cross lodge No. 27 met in regular session last night at the hall. Two representatives will go from the lodge, the other one having been selected last year. The lodge chooses delegates for two years, electing one every year.

Leave for Wyoming—Mrs. H. B. Mumford and children, Lyman, Betty and Margaret left by car this morning for Blitter Creek, Wyo., where they will spend about two weeks visiting with Mr. Mumford who is employed in construction work there by the Hart-ebowyer company. Lyman will remain there for an extended visit with his father.

On Vacation Trip—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ruckman left Saturday afternoon by car for western Oregon on a two week's vacation trip. They went first to Woodburn where they will visit with relatives. Friday they will go to Portland to attend the Ross show for two days and will spend another week in Western Oregon cities before returning. Mr. Ruckman is employed at the United States National bank.

Visited Over Sunday—Mrs. W. H. Holmes, of Enterprise, and Mrs. McKennon, of Elkhartville, Ark., who has been visiting here, were weekend guests of Mrs. Fred J. Holmes and daughter, Miss Nell Grinnett, at their home on Fourth street. They came to La Grande Saturday. Mrs. Holmes' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, came out from Wallawa county Sunday and Mrs. Holmes returned with them. Mrs. McKennon is visiting at Cove with her son, Robert French.

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La Grande M. I. A. Play Fourth In Annual Contest

The Second Ward M. I. A. play cast representing the Union stake at Salt Lake City, won fourth place in the Salt Lake contests last week in competition with all the stakes. It was learned upon their return last evening. This is considered a highly commendable showing by L. D. S. church members, who are elated over the fine record made by the cast. The actors arrived too late to take part. Two couples who went from the stake were married during their stay.

Miss Irene Lovelag, of Union and Clifton Baxter, of La Grande, and Frank Kilpack, are the two newlywed couples.

The cast of the play which made such a splendid showing follows: Eva Weimer, Frank Kilpack, Take Hendrickson, Elva Turner, Mike Samuelson, Wilma Anderson, Max Burk, Lewanna Thompson, Forest Dial, Vera Baxter and R. Z. Baxter.

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trick. Bend won 12 to 7 and La Grande 9 to 2.

The possibility that Manager Roy Farnam may have to sign up a catcher, at least temporarily, presents itself following the injury to Ed Spellman's ankle at Baker Sunday. Whether Spellman will be able to receive Thursday is not definitely known, but a relief catcher may be secured to guard against the chance that he might not be able to take the field.

Bears Here Sunday The league game with Walla Walla Sunday may be a hummer, at that. The Bears have been playing in and out ball this season, and they are likely to be pointed out, to show good against the Pirates as to blow. A La Grande win from Walla Walla will insure the Corsairs of at least a tie in the league race. In the meantime, Pendleton and Baker will be fighting it out in a game that is likely to decide whether the Ducks or Elkharts finish the season's second place. Both have won four and lost four.

At any rate, local fans are anticipating plenty of baseball thrills this week.

LABOR MEETING DATES ARE SET (Continued from Page 1)

date for the convention had been announced from the state headquarters and the local members of the Central Labor council who will have charge of the convention received the news eagerly. The date was admittedly somewhat of a surprise to them, as they had anticipated that it would be held more than a month later, probably about October 15. The convention will last four days.

Preparations will be actively under way before long. Mr. Cullen said over the telephone today. Mr. Cullen recently resigned his position as president of the council because of ill health.

CITY AWAITS ARRIVAL OF STATE LODGE (Continued from Page 1)

dent; F. A. Hosson, worthy president; Frank Seward, worthy vice president; E. C. Busch, chaplain; Everett E. Walker, secretary; Harold Cochran, conductor; J. J. McClain, treasurer; Lawrence Nedrow, inside guard; Oscar Hobson, outside guard; Frank Anderson, trustee; C. E. Happersett, trustee; B. W. Bailey, trustee; Dr. J. A. Wonderlick, scenic physician.

All officers were installed with the exception of Oscar Hobson, who was in the hospital recovering from a major operation.

TORNADO INJURES 21 IN NEBRASKA (Continued from Page 1)

Platte told of a terrific rain and hail storm covering the valley section east of Lexington, a distance of 60 miles.

The Kolly air field at McCook was swept and one plane torn from its anchorage driven 200 feet into the air and then tumbled to earth a mass of tangled wreckage.

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ring of previously set flash lamps about the gallery rim went off with an explosion and in a blinding glare of light. The subsidence of the temporary roll and the formal reading of the convention roll call followed in quick order, interrupted by a short ovation as Secretary Mellon walked down the center aisle and shyly took his place.

He sat under state standard in the first row not thirty feet from the chairman. With one lone hand he clutched the slender white pole holding the state label aloft and took a look about him. Then he crossed his hands in his lap and set one of the quietest of the thousand at the convention roll.

The reading of the roll finished, Chairman Butler launched into a short speech of his own, whose purpose was to review the high spots of the national committee action leading up to the convention.

"As chairman of the republican national committee," he said, "I call this convention formally to order. We are met pursuant to a call issued by the republican national committee. We will be governed by the rules of the last national committee. Each convention goes out of existence, but it provides for a national committee. This republican national convention becomes the connecting link of national conventions."

As the chairman went ahead with this lesson in party procedure, and doubled back into the formal details of party history, the delegates again became restless. It was warming up in the crowded hall and a great deal of giggling and whispering broke kept the picture one of constant motion.

When Butler announced by the direction of the national committee he was directed to present as temporary chairman of the convention Senator Fess, there was a burst of applause as the convention ratified the selection.

Fess was escorted to the platform by a committee composed of former Governor Hyde of Missouri and Mrs. Curtis Knight of Rhode Island, daughter of Senator Curtis of Kansas.

As Fess ascended to the platform the delegates rose and applauded and there again was an outburst when he was presented by Chairman Butler.

As Senator Fess reviewed industrial conditions after the war with the usual grandiose and pompous of the delegates followed him closely but there was some milling about here and there. The hall had become excessively hot and fans came into action, especially among the woman delegates. The men for the most part contented themselves with mopping their foreheads now and then.

Despite the warning given before the convention opened by Chairman Butler against smoking, delegates here and there puffed away at cigars or cigarettes, the smoke rising in small clouds in the center of this delegation or that.

There was an applause as Fess went into how Mellon had brought down the public debt and put the treasury on a new basis.

"I challenge the record of the history of finance in any nation of the world to even approach a signal success in the handling of the finances of any nation as has been exhibited by this republican administration," Fess said, amid a wave of applause which swept across the crowded galleries to the delegates on the floor below.

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The monoplane, veteran of an ocean flight to Germany, was piloted by Captain Oliver de Boutiller and Arthur Argles, American veterans of the British Royal Air Force. Aboard the plane also was Andrew Surrin, chief mechanic for Charles A. Levine, the plane's owner.

SYDNEY, N. S. June 12 (AP)—The monoplane Columbia passed over Sydney at 4:25, Atlantic daylight time, this afternoon and headed northeast over the water for Harbor Grace, N. F.

TREPASSEY, N. F., June 12 (AP)—The crew of the trans-Atlantic plane Friendship late today abandoned attempts to take off for England after four unsuccessful efforts had been made to get the heavily loaded plane off the water. The plane was returned to its moorings for the night.

SALEM, Ore., June 12 (AP)—Oregon, outside of Portland, suffered loss from a fire during May, but only three caused a loss of \$10,000 or more, according to the May report of Clara A. Lee, state fire marshal and insurance commissioner. The heaviest loss was at Baker where a lumber plant, lumber and machinery were destroyed with a loss of \$145,000. A saw mill fire in Klamath county caused a \$10,000 loss. A mercantile building and contents were burned at Medford with a loss of \$10,000.

FEARS POISON PLOT—PORTLAND, Ore., June 12 (AP)—Believing that an attempt had been made to poison her, the Rev. Mrs. Ida M. Schair, pastor of the Independent Bible Spiritualistic church, who is ill at her home, today requested the police to test the contents of a cake said to have been presented to her yesterday by a member of her congregation. The police turned part of the cake over to a chemist for analysis.

prepare and serve a Fourth of July supper party, a family dinner on Wednesday afternoon, a formal luncheon menu Thursday and afternoon refreshments on Friday.

The stage in the high school auditorium will be set with complete kitchen and dining room equipment and the school will be thoroughly practical and in complete detail.

A special feature of the school this year will be a baking contest open to any and all women in the La Grande territory. The results will be judged by Mrs. McLean and two other local judges to be selected later, with cash and merchandise prizes awarded the winners in various classes.

Mrs. McLean has already sent out the classes for the baking contest and the score sheets and these, together with other information on the contest, are given in detail in a special article on page 6. In the valley news department of this issue.

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