

Local News In Brief

Pilot Visit—

Pilot Buckner of the Pacesalt Lake City airmail line, visited in La Grande yesterday.

In Town Today—

Mrs. Charles Sanderson, of Sumnerville, was a visitor in La Grande yesterday.

Family Ill—

The family of Arthur Simmons in La Grande is seriously ill of influenza.

Ill of Influenza—

W. Vedder and his two daughters are ill at their home of influenza.

To See Game—

Miss Emma Hansen, of La Grande, expects to attend the football game at Union today.

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Donald Lamb and Floyd Baxter, of La Grande, expect to attend the football game at Union today.

Dr. McHenry Leaves—

Dr. W. P. McHenry, of La Grande, went to Portland Tuesday night.

Leave for Portland—

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Ralston, of La Grande, have gone to Portland for a visit.

Has Operation—

K. Cameron, of La Grande, underwent a minor operation yesterday.

Miss Scott to Visit—

Miss Alice Scott, of Imbler, is to spend Thanksgiving day with Miss Rosa Sherman in La Grande.

Miss Campbell Visits—

Miss Lena Campbell, of La Grande, is to spend today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bonham at Pendleton.

To Pendleton—

Mrs. and Mrs. Glen Saling and son, Jimmy, of La Grande, will go to Pendleton today to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bonham.

Mrs. McCall Leaves—

Mrs. H. G. McCall, of La Grande, left last night for Portland to visit her mother, Mrs. Josephine Meyer, during Thanksgiving.

To go to Pendleton—

Mr. and Mrs. Ward W. Fowler, of La Grande, are going to Pendleton today to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fowler.

To be Closed—

The drug stores in La Grande will be closed today from noon until 6 o'clock p. m. They will be open from 6 to 10 this evening and until noon tomorrow.

Leave for Enterprise—

A group of La Grande people left this morning for Enterprise to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. W. Stuart Bennett. They are: J. E. Storrs, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, Miss Mabel Doty, Mrs. Doty and Miss Mae Storrs. Mrs. Storrs went to Enterprise Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bennett.

Mr. Andrews Ill—

James Andrews, of La Grande, is ill of influenza.

Mr. Bradford Ill—

R. E. Bradford, of La Grande, is ill this week of influenza.

Quarantine Lifted—

The quarantine for diphtheria has been removed from the Arthur Jones home at Fruitdale, Ruth Jones has been ill of the disease.

Mrs. Hollingsworth Leaves—

Mrs. Grace Hollingsworth, of Vincent, Ore., was a visitor in La Grande Tuesday.

To Visit in Portland—

Mrs. D. H. Mosby and daughter, Mrs. D. H. Mosby, left last night for Portland to visit Mrs. Mosby's brother, N. L. Boyle. They will return Monday.

Miss White Visits—

Miss Hazel A. White, of Walla Walla, arrived in La Grande yesterday for a short visit. Miss White teaches high school at Walla Walla.

From Vincent—

George W. Haffelf, of Vincent, Ore., has left La Grande following a short visit. While in the city, Mr. Haffelf stayed at the Sanjour Inn.

Leave for Payette—

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dahlin, who have been visiting in La Grande, left for Payette, Ida., yesterday morning. While in the city they stayed at the Sanjour Inn.

Traffic Accident—

Care driven by Lillian Zeefel and Ruth Marquis figured in a traffic accident at Adams and Debut yesterday afternoon, according to the police records.

Dallas Jacobson Returns—

Dallas Jacobson, of La Grande, is to return to his home this morning from Corvallis where he is a student at Oregon State college. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jacobson.

Miss Eberhard Comes—

Miss Dorothy Eberhard is expected to arrive in La Grande to spend the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Eberhard. Miss Eberhard is a student at the University of Oregon.

New Shining Parlor—

A new shoe shining parlor will be opened in La Grande Dec. 1 with Angel Metropolis as proprietor. The parlor is to be located in the location where the Star Theater, Mr. Metropolis formerly worked at the Boston shoe shining parlor in La Grande.

Move to La Grande—

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington Curry and children, Albert and Marjorie, of Portland, arrived in La Grande yesterday and will make their home in this city. They are living temporarily at 2013 Adams avenue. The Currys left La Grande two years ago. In Portland, Mr. Curry was connected with the state chamber of commerce and was editor of "Oregon Business." He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Curry and Mrs. George Huntington Curry is a sister of Mrs. A. W. Nelson, of La Grande.

Arrive Today—

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Price and daughters, Hazel, Mary and Barbara, of Portland, arrived in La Grande this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hill during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. Price is a brother of Mrs. Hill.

Parish to Meet—

The parish of St. Peter's Episcopal church will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock when the Rev. W. P. Hendon, of the Portland diocese of the Eastern Oregon diocese, and Rev. H. H. Haffelf, general secretary of the Episcopal church, will be guests of the parish.

Unusual Experience—

Miss Judy Moore, of La Grande, returned from a trip to Idaho last Monday. Miss Moore reports an unusual experience which happened at the beginning of the trip last Thursday. Miss Moore with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hartenbower, left La Grande in the morning. When they had almost reached Hot Lake a furious dust storm struck them, blinding the driver so that he could not see the road. The automobile went off the road. Miss Moore recounts, and turned on its side. No one was injured, however, and the car escaped with nothing more than a bent fender. The Thanksgiving season and clubs have also held appropriate programs. Exercises in the schools were of the same nature. Last night several Thanksgiving dances were held here and around the county.

Large Poultry Movement—

Preceding today, a large number of turkeys, ducks, geese, chickens and rabbits have been sold locally. The supply was large enough to meet the demand and prices were said to be lower than last fall. In addition, the Isaac Walton league held a turkey shoot at Lone Tree last Sunday and members of the country club played golf for turkeys at the course near here the same day.

CITY BUDGET IS GIVEN APPROVAL

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Other State Struggles Command Attention—

The Mississippi Aggies and the University of Mississippi ("Ole Miss") will fight it out, the University of Texas and the Texas Aggies and Southern Methodist and Texas Christian University add to the list of contenders in Texas. Duke plays Davidson in North Carolina. Clemson may win a South Carolina championship by beating Furman.

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SESSION OF CONGRESS TO OPEN DEC. 3

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been linked the question of tariff revision. President-elect Hoover and Vice-President-elect Coolidge both have suggested tariff revision as one means of aiding the agricultural industry, and some members of congress feel a farm bill should be enacted prior to a consideration of tariff revision. It is argued that with a farm bill out of the way it would be easier to determine what tariff changes might be desired from the farm view point.

Pressure for consideration of the naval bill, which would provide for the building of fifteen 10,000 ton cruisers and one aircraft carrier, is expected to be forthcoming from administration sources. The measure, which passed the house last winter, was presented to congress as having the full support of the navy department, and President Coolidge in an armistice day address advocated building up the navy.

The Kellogg treaty, which would have the American government renounce war as an instrument of national policy, probably will come before the senate at a comparatively early date. The proposal has been endorsed by Senator Borah of Idaho, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, which group will have jurisdiction over the treaty.

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Wilbur Newell Re-Appointed As Prohi Officer

SEATTLE, Nov. 29 (AP)—The reappointment under civil service of Wilbur K. Newell, of Portland, as deputy prohibition administrator for the state of Oregon, was announced by Roy K. Lyle, federal prohibition administrator for this district here yesterday. Newell has held the post for three years. Word of his reappointment under civil service was received by Lyle from Washington today.

THANKS DAY IS OBSERVED OVER VALLEY

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Grande high school football teams will meet in the final game of the season. Baker and Pendleton are playing at Baker but few local fans will attend the latter game.

Social affairs during the last week or 10 days have been in keeping with the Thanksgiving season and clubs have also held appropriate programs. Exercises in the schools were of the same nature. Last night several Thanksgiving dances were held here and around the county.

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W. H. Bohnenkamp Adds Equipment

A new one and a half ton International truck and a huge oil tank have been added to the equipment of the W. H. Bohnenkamp company for use in handling the sale and storage of fuel oil.

The tank is being installed on track property adjoining the La Grande Grocery company, leased from the O.W. R. & N. railroad company. The new tank has a storage capacity of 25,000 gallons.

The burning of oil in the burners for heating furnaces in La Grande is growing in popularity and necessitates better facilities for the storing and handling of the petroleum products.

There are about 25 oil burners in the city now.

INTERESTING TALES OF THE OLD SOUTH

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the east coast highway bordered on either side by ferns and tall trees down which moss draped like heavy curtains, was enough almost to make the trip worthwhile. "In the middle of December, we couldn't wear coats, even though the thermometer hadn't reached 50 degrees," he remarked. "The atmosphere was so damp."

Talked to Rockefeller—

In Florida, Mr. Baxter visited John D. Rockefeller in his little summer cottage which consists of about 18 rooms. While there he talked to John D. for more than an hour and discovered him to be a very delightful old man with ideas on the subject of religion.

"People in the south are receptive to new ideas. They are for that reason, perhaps, more religious than in any other section of the country. Perhaps, also, their illiterate condition accounts in part for their religion. Being more illiterate they have more time to think of the spiritual things."

"That might seem at first a slam to religion, but it is a basic historical fact," says Mr. Baxter. "The reason the negro has always been so devout in his religion was largely due to the conditions in which he was placed. He so lived that his only happiness, his only comfort was in his religion."

Street Meetings

As to the missionary work which Mr. Baxter did during his stay there, it in itself was a word too. "We held our meetings on the streets," he said. "It is surprising how many of the educated and so called aristocratic people attend the meetings. They listen in on those when they wouldn't take the time to go to church."

Mr. Baxter visited Miami or what was Miami three days after the destruction by the storm in 1926. A few pieces of glass and some boards were about all that was left of the famous city, he remarked. In Lauderdale he saw a railroad track bent in many places when trees had fallen on it in the 125-mile gale. In the streets of Miami there were from 8 to 16 feet of ocean water. The stiffness was intense. The wind which had carried the water onto the land a little later went back to ocean again and took the water back with it and left a number of interesting things behind. "A 125-foot schooner was marooned in the main street of Miami and an 80-

foot yacht too," he recounted. A tribe of Indians in Florida have a belief that every time a particularly big rare fish is caught, it means the coming of a storm. True to their belief when the fish bloomed in 1926 the Indians betook themselves from Miami and back to Lake Okechobee where they stayed until the storm had spent itself. "I am curious to know whether or not the fish bloomed before this last storm in Florida," Mr. Baxter remarked.

Given Life Term On Fourth Felony

FLINT, Mich., Nov. 28 (AP)—Charles Tripp, 37, was sentenced to life imprisonment following conviction of a fourth violation of the prohibition law. The sentence was pronounced by Circuit Judge Fred W. Brennan, under the new state criminal code which makes life sentence mandatory for a fourth felony conviction. Fred Palm of Lansing was sentenced to a life term on conviction of possessing a plot of gin several months ago following three felony convictions.

Obituary

J. K. SIMONS (Continued)

J. K. Simons was born in Weston, Minn., Nov. 11, 1849 and died Nov. 27, 1928, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. A. Ingerson, 1817 Lake avenue, La Grande, Ore. As a young man his life was spent in and around Weston where in 1879 he was married to Miss Samantha Matlock, who preceded him to the great beyond in June, 1919.

To this union were born five daughters: Mrs. Ingerson, of La Grande; Mrs. Cordella Bolton, of Metairie Falls, Wash.; Mrs. Clara White, of Denver; Mrs. Rauline Tracy, of Unadilla, Ore.; and Mrs. Phil Jones, of La Grande.

He also leaves to mourn his loss 23 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and a host of friends.

The body is at the Snodgrass & Zimmerman mortuary and interment will take place at Hopper, Ore., Friday, Nov. 30.

We are glad today to observe Thanksgiving, and to thank God for his blessings upon us as a community. We are reminded of the many things which we have to be truly thankful for, again this year. Our beautiful city, with its good water, new hotels, coming Normal School, wonderful roads and liberal location in the best State in the Union—Our Oregon.

Richardson's Art & Gift Shop

Union Man Builds Dance Pavilion

Between Hot Lake and Union a new dance pavilion to be called the "Monteale," is being constructed. J. Q. Gilmore, of Union, is the owner of the building which will be completed sometime before Dec. 21, it is expected.

The opening dance has been set for Dec. 21 when the public will be invited to attend. The first novelty orchestra will furnish the music.

The pavilion is a frame structure and its dimensions are 42 by 78 feet.

It is located about two miles northwest of Union. The outside will not be completed until spring. Then Mr. Gilmore expects to finish it using a log cabin design.

Church Figures In Court Action

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