

Local News In Brief

Mrs. Shields Ill.—Mrs. H. C. Shields, of La Grande, is ill, suffering from tonsillitis.

Has Money—John L. Edgar, of La Grande, is ill, suffering from tonsillitis.

Visits in Union—Miss Mary, of La Grande, visited yesterday in Union with her mother, George Hunter.

Has Family Out—John Henry, of Timber, little son of James W. Henry, lost his tonsils removed today in La Grande.

Ill at Home—Mrs. Nolan Skiff, is suffering from tonsillitis at her home in this city.

Visits in City—Miss Ruth, of La Grande, visited yesterday in Union with her mother, George Hunter.

Library to be Closed—The library will be closed all day tomorrow, New Year's, according to Miss Mable Day, librarian.

Sang Yesterday—Paul Knudsen sang "The Holy City" at the morning services of the Baptist church yesterday.

Goes to Spokane—Miss Helen Gray, of La Grande, left Friday for Spokane to visit for a week with Mrs. Walter Hite.

Mrs. Lessman in Portland—Mrs. Walter Lessman and Miss Virginia Lessman are in Portland for a holiday visit with friends.

Remained in Wallawa—Frank Maasen, an orchardist of Hood River, is in La Grande today on his way to Wallawa county on business matters.

Back to Seattle—Paul Knudsen returned to Seattle yesterday after spending the Christmas holidays in La Grande with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Gehl.

Visit in City—Mrs. John M. Gregory and daughter, Catherine, and Mrs. L. P. Allen, of Wallawa, visited in La Grande yesterday.

From Baker—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Swan, of Baker, are visiting in La Grande. They are registered at the Sacramento Inn.

Mr. Thompson Visits—J. A. Thompson, of Baker, arrived in La Grande yesterday for a visit. Mr. Thompson is at the Sacramento Inn.

Mr. Laiden Returns—Mr. Laiden, of La Grande, returned from San Francisco. Mr. Laiden is at the Sacramento Inn.

Freshman Returns Tonight—John Nelson, freshman in journalism at the University of Oregon, will return to college tonight after a vacation spent with his parents and brother in La Grande.

Visit in Union—Mr. and Mrs. G. Chilton Rax, of La Grande, spent yesterday in Union with Mrs. Rax's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lovheim.

Mrs. Inglis Returns—Mrs. Inglis, of La Grande, returned to this city this morning from Portland where she attended the Oregon State Teachers' conference held in Portland.

From Klamath—Mr. W. M. Wilson and daughter, Jacqueline, of Klamath, arrived in La Grande this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arnett for the day.

To Visit Son—Mr. J. P. Jones, of Noll, on Coast Highway, is in La Grande today on his way to Enterprise to visit his son, George Jones, who is a member of the Western Union three.

Returns to Corvallis—Miss Margaret Kirby returned to Corvallis where she is a student at Oregon State today. Miss Kirby spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Kirby.

To Visit Parents—Miss A. B. Rabb and daughter, Frances, passed through La Grande today on the way to Lewiston to visit Mrs. Rabb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rabb.

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Vice Cleanup Jars Gotham

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 (AP)—After another week-end roundup in Commissioner Whalen's anti-vice campaign, 230 suspects were in jail today.

Six men wanted for homicide, one accused as a counterfeiter and a mail robbery suspect were said by police to be the most important catches. Officers faced larceny, felonious assault, pocket-picking and lesser charges.

Commissioner Whalen, who was active all day yesterday in connection with the roundup and made a personal inspection of the Brooklyn sector after going to the scene of two bomb explosions in that borough.

One of the bombs was exploded at the doorstep of a paper dealer and the other in front of a bakery. The paper dealer and the baker both blamed personal enemies.

Police were criticized for brutal tactics in one case when a youth building contractor, appeared in Morrisania court to answer a charge of disorderly conduct.

When he told the magistrate he had been beaten by police who arrested him, the court dismissed the charge and recommended that Commissioner Whalen investigate what he called a "wanton and most disgracefully flagrant excess of police power."

NOVEL TESTS BY BIG ARMY PLANE EXCITE PUBLIC

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was made by a Belgian and lasted 30 hours.

KEEN RACE IN PROSPECT

MAINTAINING, Mo., Dec. 31 (AP)—Rumors are being spread that the army's "question mark" into the air, and he first to set a new record.

He was born in Rockford, Wash., is active in school athletics, and well up in his scholarship.

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PARTIES TO BE SNAPPY

CHICAGO, Dec. 31 (AP)—The Chicagoan's hip pocket tonight is reasonably safe from government investigation, but hotel and restaurant proprietors will be held accountable for any infraction of the dry laws that New Year's eve celebrations may commit while their guests.

E. C. Yellowley, federal prohibition administrator for this territory, said the government agents would not go around searching individuals.

"We expect to concentrate on the institutions—hotels, cafes and cabarets, rather than their guests," Yellowley said.

Jews and Christian Greet

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It was in response to a similar greeting sent last September by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America on the occasion of the Jewish New Year.

The message was signed over the signature of the council's chairman, the Rev. Dr. Abram Simon.

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They were also made partners in the Morgan houses in London, Paris and Philadelphia—Morgan, Grenfell and Co., Morgan and Co., and Drexel and Co., Thomas Newhall and Edward Hopkinson, Jr., partners in Drexel and Co., have also been made partners in the other three firms.

The additions make 13 partners in the house of Morgan.

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The bodies were discovered when a negro maid went to check up on the room. Williamson was on the floor and Mrs. Williamson in bed. They apparently had been dead for a few hours. Both were dressed. A pistol and a note Williamson wrote were found near the bodies.

An inquest verdict was withheld.

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HERE'S BOY WITH DRY IDEAS



The Union High school at Palo Alto, Cal., is \$4,000 richer today, as a result of the exploit of Mahlon D. Almack, 15-year-old junior, in winning the \$5000 Durant award for the best plan of a high school student for enforcing prohibition. Almack, son of a Stanford professor, intends to use the \$1000 he received toward education. He was born in Rockford, Wash., is active in school athletics, and well up in his scholarship.

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So Blimps Will Have Full Tummies



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Carols Reveal Girl Mystery

OXFORD, Pa., Dec. 31 (AP)—The singing of Christmas carols in Salt Lake City, Utah, served to unravel the mystery of the disappearance of Miss Frances Brown, 17, who left here last May with Guy Redmond, 24, her uncle, her parents revealed.

The girl's father, Kirk Brown, had enlisted an almost nation-wide search for his only daughter, and police circulars and fliers had been sent out to scores of cities and even to foreign countries.

Today the parents received a letter from their daughter in which she said that when she heard Sunday school children singing Christmas carols in a church in Salt Lake City she became homesick and "just had to write," although professing to be happy with her uncle, Redmond, is a brother of Mrs. Brown, and his wife and two children are living at the Brown home.

Brown immediately sent a message to his daughter and will leave immediately for the west hoping to bring her back home with him.

Hazing Charge Stirs Officials

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 31 (AP)—A letter written by a plebe to his mother complaining of demerits he was getting was showed today by West Point authorities to have led to rumors of hazing at the military academy.

The academy authorities said that Joseph P. Housen 21, of Providence, R. I., who entered by competitive examination from the regular army, had written his mother. He apparently blamed demerits on upper class feeling toward him because he was an enlisted man before he went to West Point.

Two academy officers found that Housen had had a fight with another cadet and that both had been punished. No evidence was found of any hazing of Housen outside of what was termed the "regular hazing" by upper classmen of plebes.

Major General W. R. Smith, superintendent of the academy, said that he wished to deny that cadets who had come up from the ranks were treated differently than those who entered the academy by appointment.

Bridge Toll Is Now Disposed Of

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 31 (AP)—Removal of tolls from the Interstate bridge between Portland and Vancouver, Wash., as the new year enters tonight was arranged today. Multnomah county commissioners signed a contract turning the county's interest in the bridge over to the state highway commission.

The Clark county commissioners arranged to meet this afternoon to sign a similar contract, making the final step.

Action of the Multnomah county commissioners today followed delivery of an opinion by District Attorney Stanley Myers that no legal complications would result from making the bridge free from tolls.

The action of the two counties, which jointly built the bridge, was held pending an appeal to the supreme court of the United States of a Clark county tax payer who failed in federal court to get an injunction against tolls removal.

The Interstate bridge was completed in 1917, at a cost of \$1,555,257.16, and is nearly a mile long. Thousands of tourists who annually travel the Pacific highway have paid tolls for crossing the structure.

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Portrait Brings Enormous Price

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 (AP)—A little known child portrait by Gainsborough has been acquired by L. M. French of Plains, Ohio, for \$65,000.

The portrait is that of Tom Sheridan, son of Richard Brinsley Sheridan, wit, playwright and orator.

Thomas Gainsborough painted many pictures of the Sheridan family. One of which is in the J. Pierpont Morgan collection here and several others of which have been widely exhibited.

The Tom Sheridan portrait has meanwhile been hanging in the Sheridan family mansion in Dorset, England, whence it now comes here from the eldest grandson of the boy in the picture.

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The Store With a Conscience

FORD ADOPTS 5-DAY WEEK FOR HIS MEN

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here would find little opportunity for employment at the Ford plant.

Mr. Ford had only one sentence of comment upon the plan. "A 5-day week is all right for me," he said, "but a 5-day week is not all right for my men."

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