Local News In Brief

Mr. White Here—
A. B. White, of Pendleton, is visiting in La Grande. He is at the Sacajawea Inn.

Mr. Buchanan Visits—
Don Buchanan, of Baker, is visiting in La Grande. He is at the Sacajawea Inn.

In Baker—
Herman Scala, of La Grande, went to Baker yesterday on a business visit.

Mr. Hindman Visits—
Luther Hindman, of Elgin, is a visitor in La Grande today. He is at the Sacajawea Inn.

From Ontario—
Bert Koplin, of Ontario, arrived in La Grande yesterday and is [illegible] at the [illegible] Inn.

Mr. Mitchell Visitor—
P. B. Mitchell, of Boise, Ida., is a visitor in La Grande this week. He expects to leave Sunday for Washington.

Visit Relatives—
Avis Dean, of Portland, visited relatives in La Grande Thursday and returned to his home yesterday.

Return From Portland—
Mr. and Mrs. L. P. LeGore, of Perry, have returned from Portland where Mr. Legore has been receiving treatments at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Miss Chapman Here—
Miss Avis B. Chapman of Tacoma, is in La Grande and expects to remain here for the next two weeks. She is at the Sacajawea Inn.

Meeting Postponed—
The Rainbow Girls will not meet tonight because of bad weather. Installation of officers which was to have been held tonight will be postponed until the next regular meeting, Feb. 9.

Goes to Enterprise—
F. A. Hazeltine, of South Bend, Wash., went to Enterprise this morning where he will speak today. Mr. Hazeltine has been in La Grande for the last week on federal prohibition enforcement work.

Leave for Baker—
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Lewis left this afternoon for Baker where Mr. Lewis will take motion pictures at a dance tonight. He and Mrs. Lewis have been in La Grande since Wednesday.

Mr. North Visits—
William C. North, of Baker, was in La Grande for several hours yesterday afternoon on a business visit. Mr. North is secretary of the Baker county chamber of commerce.

Salvation Army—
Sunday Salvation Army services follow: holiness meeting 11 a. m., Sunday school and Bible class 2:30 p. m., Young People's legion meeting 6:20 p. m. and evening service 8 p. m., subject "The Search of the Ages." Meetings are held every weekday night at 8 p. m.

Roads Fair—
John M. Kennedy, of Seattle, and Douglas Gerow, of Portland, arrived in La Grande from Boise yesterday. The roads from Boise are in fairly good shape, they report. The most troublesome place was between North Powder and La Grande, they said.

Out of Hospital—
Bert Sprague, of Joseph, passed through La Grande this morning on the way to his home from Portland where he has been receiving medical treatment in St. Vincent's hospital.

Mr. Rich Returns—
Lewis Rich, of Joseph, passed through this city this morning on the way home from Pittsburg, Pa., where he has been visiting his cousin, John Williams. In Denver there is not so much snow as in La Grande, Mr. Rich says. In Pittsburg the weather was cold and foggy, he says.

Hold Sales Meeting—
F. W. Allen, of Portland and E. F. Davis, of Pendleton, were in town yesterday holding a sales meeting attended by Union Oil company workers here. Mr. Allen is assistant salesmanager of the Union Oil company and Mr. Davis is special agent for the company. The men also held a meeting in Baker this week. They expect to leave La Grande today.

From Union—
E. Martens, Lewis Davis and Billy Dobbin, all of Union, are registered at the Foley hotel.

From Pendleton—
H. Hillcard, of Pendleton, arrived in La Grande yesterday. He is at the Foley hotel.

Mr. Wagner Visits—
C. H. Wagner, of Enterprise, is a visitor in this city today and is registered at the Foley hotel.

From Alicel—
J. S. Bryant, of Alicel, is visiting in La Grande today and is at the Foley hotel.

From Pendleton
R. E. Murger, of Pendleton, arrived in this city yesterday and is at the Foley hotel.

Here From Union—
O. A. Cline and H. C. Rees, both of Union, are visitors in La Grande today.

From Maxville—
L. Linsford, of Maxville, is visiting in La Grande today.

Home for Weekend—
Clark Ruckman, of Alicel, is spending the weekend at his home. Mr. Ruckman is a senior in La Grande High school.

To Visit Grandmother—
Edgar Rogers, of La Grande, went to Wallowa this morning to visit his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Fields.

In From Kamela—
Mrs. H. J. Horstman, of Kamela, is a visitor in La Grande today.

To Boise—
Mrs. C. M. Kaeser and children, Maxine and Bertha Marie, were visitors for a short time in La Grande today on their way to San Diego.

To Elgin—
Charles Terpany, freshman in La Grande High school, went to Elgin this morning to spend the weekend at his home.

Mr. Coats Returns—
J. W. Coats, of Wallowa, left here this morning for his home.

In Town Today—
Mrs. Brooks and daughter, Helen, who live near La Grande, are visitors in this city today.

Mrs. Ayres Ill—
Mrs. Robert Ayres, of La Grande, is suffering from influenza.

To Meet Monday—
A special meeting to discuss the readmitting of members will be held by the L. A. to B. of R. T. Monday at 6:15 o'clock at Eagles' hall.

Scout Basketball—
Boy Scout Troop No. 3 defeated the Central school basketball team last night with a score of 12 to 5. Mr. Hicks, Central school coach, was referee. The night before the troop defeated Greenwood school 13 to 6.

Teams Even—
The volley ball team captioned by Dr. Ray Murphy defeated the team headed by S. D. Crowe last night. The standings of the teams is now 6 to 6.

To Have Basket Social—
The Eagles' lodge is planning a basket social and dance to be held, Feb. 7 at Eagles' hall, it is announced. The public will be invited to attend.

SNOW SLIDES BLOCK ROAD TO WALLOWA

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county are reported to be ideal.

HEAVY SNOW IN INLAND EMPIRE

SPOKANE, Wash. Jan. 26 (AP) Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho today faced the prospect of being snowbound within 24 hours.

Heavy falling snow after blowing in some places by blizzard winds, had blocked hundreds of private and county roads. By noon the main highways in every direction from Lewiston, Ida., had been reported blocked, cutting off the city. Lewiston had 14 inches of snow in the city and even more in the surrounding country.

Newport, Wash., reported that cars were still coming through 20 inches of snow today. Colville had 15 inches. Cars were getting to Wilbur, through more than a foot

of drifted snow. Colfax reported 18 inches.

Moscow, Ida., had 20 inches of snow and it was beginning to drift, with city streets blocked and highways piled up. Wallace, Ida., reported automobiles being halted by badly drifting snow on Windy Point, where snow was 30 inches deep.

53 Inches Reported

At Lookout, on the Idaho-Montana divide, 53 inches fell. Coeur d'Alene had snow more than 12 inches deep.

Spokane and surrounding country had from six inches up and the blanket was thickening fast, for the steady snowfalls today appeared likely to continue many hours.

Road crews labored on many highways while railroad operating chiefs here were on their mettle as reports came in of snow drifting all the way from the Palouse to Nelson, B. C.

COLD IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 26 (AP)—Dropping temperatures today riveted an icy coat of mail onto the eastern half of the country.

Sleet and freezing rain coming

in the vanguard of the cold have hampered transportation and resulted in numerous traffic accidents while pedestrians found precarious footing on ice coated walks.

Edward Bennett and his daughter, Edna, were killed near New Haven, Conn., when sleet on the windshield of his car prevented him seeing an express train approaching a crossing. He ran into the locomotive.

Name Leader Of 4-H Girls' Club At Pondosa, Ore.

By Mrs. M. F. Raymond
(Observer Correspondent)

PONDOSA, Ore., (Special) — Miss Marie Cologue, primary teacher, will be leader of a 4-H cookery club, organized this week, with a membership of 14 school girls. The officers chosen are, president, Mary Lewis; vice president, Hazel Wanker, secretary, Mildred Duncan.

The Baker chamber of commerce presented an excellent program at the school house Friday evening. After the performance the visitors were taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maxfield where refreshments were served by the Women's club after which all returned to the school house where dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

Mrs. F. S. Bubb, arrived at Medical Springs Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Powers. Mr. Bubb, who is in the mercantile business in Huntington, drove up Sunday and took Mrs. Bubb home.

Two patients at Medical Springs for a couple of weeks treatment for rheumatism are, C. C. Carr, who came from North Powder Friday, and A. Shristlet, of Hermiston, who arrived Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George South, who are now making their home at their dairy farm at Huntington after many years residence here, were business visitors here over the weekend.

Thomas Murray, son of Mrs. Mary Murray, was taken to the hospital in Baker Monday morning for medical treatment. He is reported to have a severe case of pneumonia.

Mrs. Jack Butler was taken to the hospital at Baker Sunday evening for treatment. She has been ill for a week, but is better at this time, it is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Murray are the happy parents of a baby girl, born to them in La Grande at the home of Mrs. Murray's mother, Mrs. C. F. Robertson, Monday morning. This is their first child, and has been named Barbara Kay.

Word comes from Walla Walla of the marriage of Archie Kelly and Miss Melba McClure. Archie is well known here, having been mechanic for the Grande Ronde Lumber company for years. Mrs. Kelly is a former La Grande girl.

Glen Smith, who was seriously injured in an accident at the mill on Oct. 30, was brought home from the hospital Saturday. Mr. Smith is not fully recovered, but is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larsen, who brought their two-year-old son, Clyde, home from the hospital Thursday, returned to Baker with him Friday evening and he is reported to be critically ill. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Larsen have been in Baker with the parents for several days, but returned home Wednesday.

A. R. MacGregor, of Baker, was tuning the piano at the school house Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. George South, and A. Christley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jackson in Baker Sunday evening.

Assails Michigan 'Life Term Law'

NEA Detroit Bureau

Rt. Rev. Michael J. Gallagher, D.D., bishop of Detroit, in a public statement declares that Michigan's habitual criminal act should be amended and Mrs. Etta Miller, mother of 10 children, pardoned from her life sentence. Under the law, four felonies automatically sentence the violator to life, and Mrs. Miller was arrested four times for liquor offenses.

STATE RESTS IN TRIAL OF NORTHCOTT

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the out-of-the-way farm.

Northcott Loses Point

Northcott lost one shot from his defense locker when Judge Freeman denied his petition that he be allowed to obtain a deposition from Winifred Clark, his supposed sister, in Vancouver. Mrs. Clark, mother of Jessie and Sanford, has been debarred from entering the country as witness by American officials.

Sheriff Clem Sweeters, of Riverside county, was on his way to San Quentin prison today, bearing a court order for the release of Mrs. Sarah Louisa Northcott for appearance as a witness in Northcott's behalf. Mrs. Northcott, Gordon Stewart's mother, pleaded guilty to the murder of Walter Collins, for which she was indicted jointly with her son. Northcott has indicated that she will be first witness when on Monday he takes up the task of attempting to refute the state's evidence.

Fresh Stock of Books

Northcott today had a fresh stack of law books in his cell, and indicated he would spend the weekend in intensive preparation for his defense moves. The young Canadian was very subdued when he returned to the court room from his Wineville ranch yesterday. He indicated that he was planning to carry through his already tentatively made defense plans, but he had lost all appearance of bravado.

King George may visit this country, says a London dispatch. Maybe we'll find out now that his majesty smokes five different brands of cigarets.

H-m! Doggy, Eh?

See the pretty doggy. The name of the pretty doggy is Woo Jill. Woo Jill is a "Peke." Woo Jill won a prize at a doggy show. The doggy show was in New York. See the pretty girl. The name of the pretty girl is Kathryn Black. Kathryn is pretty doggy, too. This is a pretty doggy picture.

Truck And Bus In Wreck Near Lake, Is Report

By Mrs. Eathel Forrstrom
(Observer Correspondent)

NORTH POWDER, (Special)—A west bound stage and the Eastern Oregon fast freight truck met with a head-on collision at Hot Lake in the cut near the viaduct during the blizzard that raged all day Thursday and most of the night, it is reported here. A traffic sign was posted here informing motorists that the highway was closed all day Thursday and until Friday noon. There was quite a number of cars on the road up to this writing. The stage and truck were moved to one side of the road to allow traffic through. No one was hurt in the collision but the truck was damaged.

The Merchants' Credit association held its regular meeting Friday night in the office of Judge Scenecrbox.

The O. K. restaurant, managed and operated by George Kawanso, has been taken over by the Willis restaurant. Mr. Kawanso will leave for Weiser, Ida., and cook in the new Washington hotel.

Herman White and W. A. Hudleson went rabbit hunting Thursday on the Hudleson farm southeast of here. They reported a depth of three feet of snow.

Jim Utz repaired frozen water pipes Friday for Mrs. Ellen Mann, owner of the residence where Lou Clements and family have moved.

Due to the heavy snow that has fallen during the last few days people have started shoveling the snow off their roofs. Twenty-four inches has been taken off the high school roof.

John Burdette is running the snow plow over town clearing the snow from the sidewalks.

Chris Lee was here recently from Baker looking after his sheep and cattle interests here.

Mrs. Sarah Looney returned home from Los Angeles, Cal., Wednesday morning after a six weeks absence. Mrs. Looney was called to the bedside of her sister, Addie, who has been very ill and little change has been noted in her condition.

Leslie Olsen, of La Grande, visited his parents here Wednesday.

Charles Law, while bringing the children into school, had the misfortune of stripping the gears in his new sedan trying to pull through the deep snow.

The women of the Woodcraft lodge had a big clam feed Tuesday night.

Jessie Davis is assisting in the McGrath home while Mrs. McGrath is sick with the flu.

E. L. Ledbetter, of La Grande, transacted business here Wednesday.

Mrs. L. Wallace returned to San Francisco recently after a six weeks visit with the Ballards.

CITY ASSETS NOW LISTED $1,447,815

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fee) $2,306.25, sale of bonds for improvement districts $38,489.54, premium and interest on bonds (less fee) $1,828.39, improvement bonds not included in sinking fund $64,175.18, improvement bond interest not included in sinking fund $19,538.95.

The disbursements for the year follow:

General warrants $93,588.23, general warrant interest $1,550.29, road fund (warrants paid) $366.63, advertising (warrants paid) $100, hospital fund $1,387.93, band fund (warrants paid) $2,432.09, library fund (warrants paid) $8,000, park fund (warrants paid) $1,537.78, special interest (on general bonds) $22,404.39, pipe line bonds (warrants and warrant interest paid) $43,536.62, Beaver Creek pipe line (bonds paid in full) $3,000, refund water (bonds paid) $15,000, sewer bonds (bonds paid) $5,000, waterwork betterment bonds (bonds paid) $4,000, fire equipment bonds $1,000, general obligation bonds (bonds paid) $500, improvement bonds (bonds paid) $10,000, improvement bond interest (coupons paid) $27,111.53, improvement warrants (warrants paid) $106,-55.64, improvement warrants interest $4,543.72.

HEALTH

BIENNIAL REPORT SHOWS INCREASE OF HEALTH WORK IN OREGON

By Dr. Frederick Stricker

The thirteenth biennial report of the Oregon state board of health has just been published and shows that there has been a great increase in public health work in this state.

The financial report shows that the work has been done on a five cents per capita appropriation. This is less than the cost of sending an average business letter to every person in Oregon. Oregon's appropriation is much less than the majority of the states. Health authorities consider that ten cents per capita is the minimum amount to provide adequate funds for the efficient administration of modern methods of disease prevention.

A survey made by the International Health Board or Rockefeller Foundation, of all of the states contains the following criticism of Oregon: "The (Oregon) state board of health is giving the maximum service that a five cents per capita appropriation will permit."

The activities of the board are conducted through six divisions:

1. The division of administration and communicable diseases has concentrated its efforts toward the eradication of diphtheria. The success of this work is shown by the following figures:

1925—1370 cases 161 deaths
1927—609 cases 58 deaths.

2. The division of the hygienic laboratory has more than doubled its work during the last five years.

3. The division of sanitary engineering has examined every public water system in the state. In addition to this all plans for new water or sewer systems have been carefully investigated.

4. The division of public health nursing and child hygiene has done a remarkable piece of work which has resulted in Oregon having the lowest infant death rate in the United States. In addition Oregon has shown the greatest reduction in the deaths of mothers.

You love liberty, eh? The herd can't boss you, eh? Well, let's see you grow whiskers despite herd custom.

BANKERS TO GATHER HERE DURING JUNE

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at Corvallis Wednesday and Thursday. About 50 others were present.

Dairy and sheep development was discussed by the men and speakers from the college were included on the program. Prof. Brandt and Dr. Sims, both of O. S. C., and Marshall Dana, of Portland, were on the speaking program.

In Portland they visited the Pacific Co-Operative Wood Growers organization in company with about 25 other bankers.

BAKER QUINTET DEFEATS TIGERS HERE, 27 TO 18

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on the scoring end, dropped five goals to lead at halftime, 12 to 8.

Baker came back stronger in the third period, scoring 6 to the home team's 4. Early in the last period, Carson, who had been injected into the lineup in this half, went on a scoring spree that accounted for 8 points. He was ably aided and abetted by his teammates and when the timer's gun sounded, the Tigers found themselves losers by a 3 to 2 margin. Baker simply speeded up in the last period while La Grande became over eager and ragged, fumbling the ball frequently. Carson was taken from the game in the last 15 seconds because of an injured ankle.

Braden, La Grande forward, and Carson, of Baker, tied for high point honors with 10 each. Guarding on both teams was strong, except that occasionally the guards would be "suched" out of position and an opposing forward would slip through for a set-up. Faus played a strong game for La Grande after he replaced J. Berry at left guard.

Music was furnished by the La Grande High band.

Summary

Baker (27)		(18) La Grande
Thomas (6)	F	(18) Braden
Stoddard (3)	F	(2) P. Newlin
Howard (6)	C	(6) V. Newlin
McKim	G	Rae
Crockett (2)	G	J. Berry
Carson (10)	S	Faus
Starmer	S	H. Wolfe

Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	
Baker	4	4	6	13	27
La Grande	2	10	4	2	18

Field goals: Baker 12, La Grande 9.

Tries for free point: Baker 8, La Grande 3.

Free throws converted: Baker 3, La Grande 0.

Referee: James Rosenbaum, of La Grande.

Summary

Freshmen (13)		(3) Seniors
Shepherd (1)	F	(6) Kirby
Workman	F	(1) Jones
Torrence (1)	C	Lutcher
Hartman (7)	G	Dixon
Hughes (2)	G	DeLong
Berry	S	Miller
Stoddard (2)	S	Eberhard
Gerald	S 2	Kochensparger
	S 4	Sting

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Sunday Monday

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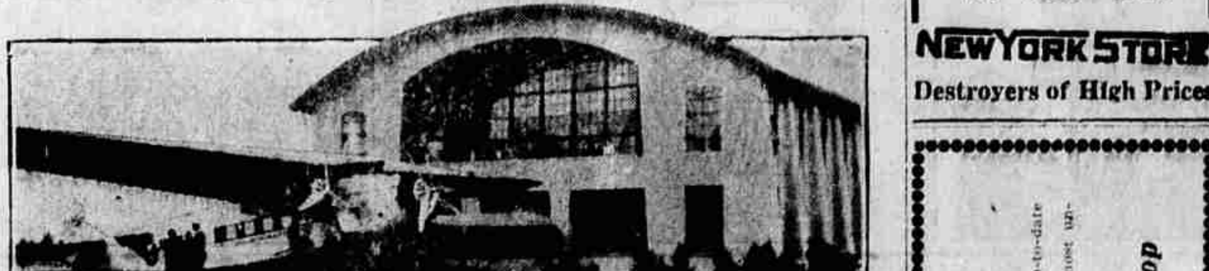

INAUGURATING—3 Col Cut America's first venture into regular international air service now links the United States with Cuba, the Bahamas and the West Indies. The first plane to take off from the Pan-American airport at Miami, Fla., for Havana, with mail and passengers is pictured above. First passengers as the new service was inaugurated were Amelia Earhart, trans-Atlantic aviatrix, and Postmaster General Harry S. New, shown below, at the right, as they boarded the plane.

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