

Local News in Brief

Weekend Here—Miss Black, of Summerville was a guest of Helen Jensen this weekend.
Here From Enterprise—Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stone, of Enterprise, are in La Grande. They are at the Sackajava Inn.
Mr. Irwin Comes—J. F. Irwin, of Pendleton, is visiting in La Grande. He is at the Sackajava Inn.
Mr. Stackland Comes—Karl J. Stackland, of Cove, is a visitor in this city. He is at the Foley hotel.
To Elgin—O. P. Kutlas, who has been spending a few days here, returned to his Elgin home this morning.
Mr. Wilson Here—James Wilson, of Enterprise, arrived in La Grande yesterday. He is at the Foley hotel.
Helen Wins—Helen Wins, of Elletts, is a visitor in La Grande today. He is at the Sackajava Inn.
Visit From North Powder—Mrs. Hermann White, Mrs. Monday and Mrs. Forstrom, of North Powder, were visitors in this city Saturday.
War Vets to Meet—Spanish-American war veterans and the Ladies' Auxiliary will meet Wednesday night in the K. of P. hall. It was announced today.
Mr. Wilcox III—Harry Wilcox is recovering from a tonsil operation at his home at the Lyman apartments. Mr. Wilcox had the operation Saturday.
Visits Mrs. Carney—Mrs. H. W. Re Dell, of Pondosa, has been visiting in this city with Mrs. Bessie Carney. She returned to her home this morning.
To Visit Sister—W. W. Runyan, of La Grande, left today for Baker to visit his sister, Miss Annette Runyan, who is a student at Baker High school.
Weekend at Hermiston—Miss Alta Hill returned last weekend from Hermiston where she had been visiting with friends over the weekend.
Return From Portland—Miss Mabel Doty, city librarian and her mother, Mrs. Ella Doty returned this morning from Portland where they have been visiting for the past few days.
Goes to Union—Mrs. William Wiggins, of Lostine, is going to Union to see her sister, Mrs. Clark, and will then go to Baker for a visit with her brother.
Visits Parents—Mrs. Walter Hite, of Spokane, is visiting in La Grande with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ostland. Mrs. Hite expects to return to her home Wednesday.
Yeomen to Meet—The Yeomen lodge will hold annual roll call tonight at 8 o'clock at Eagles' hall. A short program and refreshments will be featured after the meeting. Mrs. Ella Hovter will be in charge.
Mr. De Shaw III—Clayton De Shaw, of this city is reported to be in a serious condition at Hot Lake. He underwent an operation Saturday. It is reported that his parents, in Portland were expected to arrive at Hot Lake today. Mr. De Shaw is drummer in an orchestra here.
Bertha Bantz Well—Miss Bertha Bantz has returned to her La Grande home from Hot Lake where she is feeling fine now and is anxious to begin her school work again. Wednesday she will return to Portland where she is studying violin and allied musical subjects.
Here Yesterday—Mrs. Philo Anderson and Robert Boyd, her brother, were in La Grande for a short time yesterday. Mr. Boyd has been in Enterprise for a short business trip and was on his way back to Los Angeles, Cal., where he is engaged in law practice. Mrs. Anderson drove from her home in Baker to see Mr. Boyd while he was in this city.
Wins Honors—Miss Anne Stange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. J. Stange, of La Grande, was one of the University of Oregon girl students to win highest scholastic honors for the fall term. This honor went to Delta Gamma sorority, of which Miss Stange is a member. Pictures of the members of the sorority were printed in both Portland Sunday newspapers.

Hawaiian Modern Says Visitor—'I'm an Oregonian,' asserts Roy L. Maule, of Portland, internal revenue officer, who was in La Grande for a short time today.
Mrs. Morrison Arrives—Mrs. E. Morrison, of Perry, came to La Grande today.
Returns to Vincent—Ed. McIntyre, of Vincent, returned to his home today from La Grande.
Goes to Elgin—W. S. Brown, of Perry, passed through La Grande today on the way to Elgin.
Return From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Walker and children, Stan, Paul, Helen and Dorothy, of this city, returned today from a visit to Portland.
Mrs. Dahl to Visit—Mrs. Dahl Dahl, of this city, went to Wallawa today to visit her friends, Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. M. Anderson.
Dog Licenses on Sale—The 1929 city dog license tags have been received at the city offices and may be obtained, it was announced today. The fee for male dogs is \$1 and for females \$5.
Woolcraft to Meet—The neighbors of the Woolcraft will meet at the K. of P. hall tomorrow evening at 7:30 for a short business meeting after which there will be a dance to which the public is cordially invited.
Dentists Arrive—Dr. Kern, of Pendleton; Dr. E. V. Prime, of Hermiston; Dr. Birbeck, of Milton, and Dr. Geyer, of Athena, arrived in La Grande yesterday to attend the dentists' convention in session here.
To Leave La Grande—Mrs. H. W. Swart and daughters, Ruth and Gertrude, left today for Lostine where they will live on a farm. Mrs. Swart has made her home in La Grande for the last 25 years.
To North Powder—J. F. Metcalf, of this city, went to North Powder today where he is employed in a planing mill. Mr. Metcalf spent the weekend in La Grande with Mrs. Metcalf and their two children, Glenn and Bobby.
Rehearsal Tuesday—Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock the La Grande city band will hold a regular rehearsal at the city hall temple. At that time plans will be discussed for the next band concert and the date for it will be set, announced Andrew Loney Jr., director of the band.
Sees Hungry Deer—Herds of deer, looking thin and starved, were foraging for food along the railroad tracks in the canyon the other side of Meacham, says Mrs. R. G. McKenzie, who returned to her La Grande home today from Pendleton where she visited on business yesterday.
To Work—E. F. Whitton, of San Francisco, arrived in La Grande today, and went on to Maaville where he will be employed by the Bowman-Helms Lumber company as woods foreman. Mr. Whitton held a similar position in sunny Louisiana in a logging camp at Shevport.
Dr. McAdory to Attend Meet—Dr. W. P. McAdory, La Grande physician, is leaving tonight for Vancouver, B. C. to attend the meeting of the Northwest section of the American College of Surgeons. Dr. McAdory expects to return Friday night on train No. 18. The dates of the convention are Feb. 27 and 28.
To Visit Nelson Home—Their many friends in La Grande will be glad to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Helge Hansen, of Virginia City, Minn., are expected to be in this city this weekend when they will be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nelson. The Hansens are touring the western states and are on their way up the coast. In Texas they are visiting Mrs. Hansen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, who are also well known here, their former home, Mr. Green was connected with the Blue Mountain creamery. Mrs. Hansen was Miss Laura Green.
Snowball Fight in Water—A swim in the warm waters of Cove swimming pool was enjoyed yesterday by a group of La Grande folks who had been hankering for a dive and a plunge all winter and decided to wait no longer. A snowball fight in the water was one of the features which made the occasion somewhat unusual. They came back to La Grande late yesterday afternoon and are "all for it again," so successful was the swim. Those who made the trip and took the swim were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Perkins, Clair Perkins, Russell Nelson, Edwin Kirby, Aloph Siegism Jr., Sally Siegism, Marguerite McHenry and Virginia McWilliams, Jacqueline O'Brien.

O.-W. Quintet Is Loser In Game With Seattle

The La Grande O.-W. basketball team was eliminated in the U. P. tournament in Portland yesterday, but lost to Seattle, who won the championship for the second straight year. The final score was 46 to 27 but the game was more interesting than the count indicates. It is said.
The first quarter ended 6 to 4 for Seattle and the Washington quintet then drew away from the La Grander. In the third quarter the local boys staged a rally and nearly overtook the champions.
In the final game the Seattle team defeated Portland worse than La Grande.
The La Grande players were: Newlin and Redmonds, forwards; Haralson and Millering, centers; M. Baxter and J. Rosenbaum, guards. Others who made the trip were: Milo Blokland, Elmer Horstman, John Edgar and Lawrence Gray.
The La Grande group were treated royally, they report, and praised Portland's hospitality highly. Courtesy cars were provided and the visitors were welcomed generously. The games took place at the Multnomah athletic club.
La Grande bowlers also took part in the tournament yesterday but the scores were not available as The Observer went to press.

TWO POWERS DENY SECRET AGREEMENT

The Belgian government has on various occasions, given complete explanations of the true Franco-Belgian military treaty, which re-iterates solely the possibility of an unprovoked aggression on the part of Germany. Its text was communicated to parliament in 1920.
The statement expressed the view that the alleged revelations in the Dutch newspaper were manifestly aimed at compromising relations between Holland and Belgium.

Frank Keenan Is Dead in Film-Land

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Feb. 25 (AP)—One of the original stage portrayals of the mythical sleeper, Rip Van Winkle, the veteran Frank Keenan, today had gone to his eternal sleep. The 70-year-old actor, who achieved fame on the boards in the '80s in his character roles, died at his Hollywood home of pneumonia late Sunday. He had been ill for a few days, a weakened condition due to his years having caused him to sink rapidly.
Keenan's third wife, Mrs. Leah May Keenan, his leading lady on a vaudeville tour, whom he married in Denver, Colo., last October, was with him during the final illness.
General services, for which plans have not been completed fully, will be held here Wednesday.
Patten (4) S. Oliver
Walshinger (8) S. Lewis
Thompson S. Smith

Score by Quarters

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Officials: R. C. Caccia and Noto Laketish, referee and umpire. Timmer, Dr. William Peare.

BABY DORIS AND MOTHER



116—The baby and her mother, returned in safety and unharmed after a week's absence. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharp, San Francisco couple, returned here to her mother through The Star-Observer.

ANNEXATION BILL PASSES LOWER HOUSE

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Governor Patterson has not indicated what his action on the bill will be, although he called (by request) and sat in on a conference between its authors and friends and the presidents of the college, the university and the Monmouth normal held for the purpose of making the measure acceptable to all. He has since informed members of the house committee on education that "whatever amendments the committee cares to make to the bill are all right with me."
In place of the three boards of regents the bill sets up a state board of higher education composed of nine directors appointed by the governor with the approval of the senate.
The bill comes to the house from the committee on education amended in several respects but recommended neither for passage nor defeat.
Jones Bill Rejected.
The Jones bill providing for an open season for commercial fishing in the Willamette river from January 1 to March 25 was defeated by the senate today.
Weatherproof's bill raising the salary of the secretary of the state board of horticulture from \$150 to \$175 a month was passed in the house with only three dissenting votes.
Measures passed by the senate today included SB 216, by Marks—increasing from \$7500 to \$10,000 the amount of damages that may be collected for death from injury. SB 192, by Jones—Provides short open season for commercial fishing on Willamette river, January 1 to March 25.
SB 213, by committee on revision of laws—Repeals provision that all residents of county seat towns must register with county clerk. County clerk authorized to appoint registrars. Provide for registration of electors who are ill.

LARGE CROWD IS ATTENDING CONFERENCE

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means that in order to meet the domestic requirements alone, there should be an expansion of only 1 per cent, probably, a year. The speaker pointed out that this 1 per cent was the amount produced in Oregon, or the equivalent of one billion pounds of fluid milk, hence if Oregon doubled her amount of dairy products, the total requirements for the United States would probably be met. This of course was given only as a concrete illustration of the situation so far as production is concerned. Mr. Brandt believed that there should be a gradual increase in per capita production to make up this shortage and balance our trade. He pleaded for a general attention to the problem of cream improvement and a consequent move toward better butter. He also pleaded for attention to those things which would lower the cost of production and cited the cow testing association and the elimination as two big steps in that direction.
Hans Selfors, official tester of

Cardinal Dies In Rome Early Today

ROME, Feb. 25 (AP)—Death of Cardinal Vico, aged prefect of the sacred congregation of rites, early this morning leaves the college of cardinals with 28 Italians and 33 foreigners—the greatest discrepancy since the fourteenth century.
Nine seats are to be filled, and in view of this latest loss to the college there was new talk this morning of a possible secret consistory March 18 to be followed by a public consistory March 21 at which some selections for the vacancies might be made.

MAD MAN HACKS WIFE AND CHILD

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on the kitchen floor, her head crushed.
Police started a search for Tony De Foe, who was acquitted six years ago on a charge of shooting the woman's husband, Frank, during an argument.

HEIR TO MILLIONS SLAIN

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 25 (AP)—A pistol, broken open at the breech, injected an element of mystery today into the death of Fred C. Delinger, 26-year-old heir to the General Banking company millions.
Delinger was found by his wife,

the former Virginia Danforth, musical comedy actress, on the sleeping porch of their home with a bullet wound in his head and the pistol on the floor beside him. The one cartridge in the weapon had been discharged.

Pistol experts of the police department said it would have been impossible for him to have opened the gun after shooting himself, adding that it was highly improbable that the gun was opened in falling. Although Coroner David H. Atwater pronounced a suicide, the police turned the case over to the district attorney's office.
Mrs. Delinger told police that after Fred had departed early yesterday morning, her husband hurriedly packed for a trip to a friend's home in the city. He had been in the business since leaving the baking business.

County Agent Talks

Acting County Agent Wray Lawrence followed with a most practical talk on hays and pastures, which is considered a topic of vital importance in this locality at the present time. Mr. Lawrence discussed the results of various tests and experiments during the regime of his predecessor in office, Harry Avery, naming the varieties which had been found to do better in this climate and soil. He also urged the farmers to lay in their supply of alfalfa and clover seeds early in order to get quality and also a better price. He mentioned only briefly the proper care and preparation of the seed bed before planting time.
Dr. W. T. Phy, of Hot Lake, closed the morning program with a very brief discussion of pertinent topics. Dr. Phy urged a more general application of the things learned at the conferences from time to time, believing that only a record of operations, etc., were put into actual operation were the conferences bringing the most good to the most people.
This afternoon, J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner, W. H. Wagner of Payette, and N. C. Jamison, dairy specialist are the

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Czecho-Slovakia

A display of modern designing done by the boys of the grade schools of Zlatobocice in Czecho-Slovakia is now in the window of Richardson's Art & Gift Shop. These hand-made designs are received each year by the La Grande Central School. See them—they are interesting.
Richardson's Art & Gift Shop

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