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THE WEATHER Oregon: Cloudy and unsettled to night and Thursday, humidity rising in east. Moderate temperature.

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SENATE VOTES DEBENTURE PLAN

CONCERT BY BAND CLOSES MUSIC WEEK

Paul Knautz, Mrs. Florence Lynch Miller and Glee Club Assist. PROGRAM ENJOYED BY LARGE CROWD

The final event of La Grande's observance of Music week... The concert given at the high school auditorium last night featuring the La Grande municipal band...

March Opus Program The opening number last night was a march, "Nihilungen" by R. Wagner...

Boys Sing Four Numbers The La Grande high school boys' glee club, directed by N. W. Nobbe...

ROTARY CLUB DELEGATION IN BAKER VISIT Headed by George S. Birnie, president, a delegation of La Grande Rotarians drove to Baker yesterday...

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Straw Hat Day To Be On Wednesday

Straw hat day in La Grande, which had been set for Thursday of this week, has been postponed until Wednesday, May 15...

WEATHER TODAY 73 at 11:30 above, 54 above, Minimum: 41, above, Condition: cloudy.

WEATHER YESTERDAY Maximum 65, minimum 33 above, Condition: clear.

WEATHER MAY 8, 1928 Maximum 77, minimum 40 above, Condition: clear.

P.-T. A. To Aid in Enforcement of Prohibition Law

City Council, at May Meeting, Reaches Decision—Announce Date of Summer Round-up. At the regular monthly meeting of the La Grande City Council...

With the opening of the new normal school will come a large group of young people. The council feels that these as well as La Grande's own children should be given better protection...

Active Program The work toward better enforcement of the prohibition law is to be actively carried on during the summer months...

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Uniform Barber Price For East Oregon Is Goal

Possibilities of a general revision of barber rates in all Eastern Oregon is seen by La Grande barbers, following a meeting with Baker barbers last night...

Seniors Facing Crowded Month

With graduation an event of the near future and with the school calendar crowded with plays, athletic banquets, dances, etc., this is a particularly busy season for the seniors.

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MISSIONARY IS KIDNAPED BY BANDITS

The Rev. H. Schwendener, of Chicago, Captured in China. COMPANION TAKEN, THEN RELEASED

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP)—The Christian and Mission Alliance today received word from their mission at Sunatag, Kweichow, China...

Chinese authorities had hopes that the missionary would be returned safely, the cablegram said. The wives of both men are in this country.

Heavy Fighting near Way HONGKONG, May 8 (AP)—Heavy fighting was in progress today along the railway from Canton to Kowloon...

The native newspapers here said the Kwansies had captured Shihing, west of Canton, and were rapidly making on Canton with the Cantonese troops retreating before them.

Rotarians Enjoy Vocal Selections

In observance of Music week, the La Grande Rotary club had a brief musical program today at noon at the luncheon in the La Grande hotel...

Steal Seven Miles Of Telephone Wire

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 8 (AP)—Daring copper wire bandits who eluded their activities in Yolo county by stealing seven miles of telephone wire strung by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company...

New Paper Money To Arrive Here During July—Size to Be Smaller

In the very near future, La Grande people will be formally introduced to Uncle Sam's new paper money. And, before passing on, it is well to announce that the new bills will be somewhat smaller in size than the ones in circulation...

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Elect Mr. Loney To Judge Idaho State Contest

Andrew Loney, director of the La Grande municipal band, has been selected to judge the Idaho state high school band, orchestra and solo contests which will be held in Boise, Ida., on Friday and Saturday...

CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED BY SPORTSMEN

Steps were taken toward organizing a campaign against crows, hawks, etc., and toward the stocking of streams at a meeting of the Beak Water League held in the city hall last night.

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TARIFF BILL PLEASING TO WOOL GROWER

Livestock Men, However, Do Not Appear to Be Satisfied. NO ENTHUSIASM FROM WHEAT MEN

PORTLAND, May 8 (AP)—The entire organization of the Pacific Cooperative Wool Growers looks with pleasure upon the new tariff bill scheduled on wool, Edgar L. Ludwig, official of the cooperative, said here today.

Wheat growers, lumbermen, growers of potatoes and fruit, however, have yet to express enthusiasm. The bill affects cherries only in that the duty is increased on Maraschino cherries...

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HE'S YOUNGEST



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Five Scientific Groups Ready To Study Eclipse

Sun to be Darkened Tomorrow in Strip 100 Miles Wide Near Mid-Pacific South of Equator. MANILA, May 8 (AP)—Five groups of scientists who have spent months of time, thousands of dollars and traveled thousands of miles for the sake of a four-minute look at the total eclipse of the sun tomorrow were joyous at the prospect of fair weather for their observations.

The eclipse will appear at Sunrise in the far southwestern corner of the Indian ocean and will be visible over a slightly curved streak of the earth's surface almost from the eastern coast of Africa to a point somewhere near Mid-Pacific, just south of the equator.

The greatest hope of the scientists is that they may be able to find out more about the sun's corona. While the moon covers up the sun's face, the corona, composed of finely divided particles of matter shooting outward in all directions from the solar surface...

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OVERRIDES DESIRES OF MR. HOOVER

Democrats and Independent Republicans Hold The Majority. VOTE TODAY WAS 47 YES AND 44 NO

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP)—The senate overrode the wishes of President Hoover today and voted the export debenture plan in the farm relief bill.

A combination of democrats and republican independents defeated a move by administration leaders to eliminate the plan voted into the farm bill by the senate agriculture committee.

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TODAY'S BASEBALL

Table listing baseball games and scores for various teams including St. Louis, Philadelphia, and others.