Local News In Brief

Measure for New Uniforms—

Measurements will be taken this evening during regular drill for the new national guard uniforms. They are to be made of a good grade of melton serge, o. d. color, with new style roll collar, and peg top trousers. The uniforms they have at present will be used for ordinary purposes, and the others kept in good condition for parades, ceremonials, and to wear to camp. There won't be any reserves, only enough uniforms to equip the outfit. Tonight Company E will have regular drill period, with 30 minutes close order drill under the direction of the non-commissioned officers; 30 minutes bayonet exercise under the same officers, and another thirty minutes of combat principles to the squad under platoon leaders. During the drill period a tailor will measure for the uniforms. Requests for the uniforms will be sent to the supply depot at Clackamas, state arsenal, along with requests for other equipment.

Discussion Group Meets—

A discussion group of interested young people of La Grande and students of the normal school met last evening at the home of Mrs. H. N. Ashby with Miss Moor, dean of women at the normal leading the discussion, on industrial problems. During the session refreshments were served. These groups are held every Sunday from 5 to 7 o'clock and are sponsored by the Episcopalian church. Any young people who are interested in their discussions are invited to attend their next session, which will be held at the church Sunday.

On Temporary Cast—

Two La Grande students in a class in the technique of acting have been selected as members of a temporary cast for "Escape," by Galsworthy, a play to be presented Dec. 6 and 7, at the University of Oregon. Miss Jean Williams has an opportunity to portray the character of a little girl; and George Anderson is in line to play the part of a plain-clothes man.

Going to Pendleton—

Jimmie Rosenbaum and Reginald Rust are driving to Pendleton Thursday morning, where they will officiate at the football game there between Pendleton and Enterprise. Jimmie will referee and "Rusty," will umpire. They expect to return the same day.

Hunting Trip—

"Bob" Scott, Ralph Winters, Oscar Johnson and Al Group spent the weekend in Vale hunting ducks. They report that birds were fairly plentiful, and that the weather was becoming cloudy, but when they left no rain had fallen.

Went to Elgin—

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snook and family went to Elgin yesterday where they were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cason. They drove.

Major Operation—

Mrs. Ethel Fisher of Elgin, underwent a major operation at the Grande Ronde hospital this morning.

At Home—

Barbara Cleaver has returned to her home at the Mayville apartments after being in the Grande Ronde hospital. She is reported to be in good condition.

Drove to Walla Walla and Weston—

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Reynaud, daughter Cecilia, and Jean Rayborn, student at the normal school, drove to Walla Walla and Weston yesterday. They visited Jean's parents, at Weston mountain.

P.-T. A. Meeting —

What officers promise to be an interesting meeting will be the session of the P.-T. A. of the training school tonight at 8 o'clock in room 11 of the normal school. Sixth grade children will dramatize parts of two books in the interest of good book week, and in connection with a talk to be given by Miss Mabel Doty. The following children will participate in Raggedy Ann: Winifred Scott, Vodff Baxter, Donald Marshal, Marjory La Bont, Gerald Pierson, Natalie Samuelson, Betty Deam, and Shirley Weaver. Those portraying characters in Tom Sawyer are: Johnny Group, Thomas Cook, James Voelz, Freda Adams. Miss Ruth Giebel will sing a solo and Miss Edna Towery will play a piano solo.

From Payette—

Mrs. E. Medaris, of Payette, left this morning after spending the weekend in this city on her return from Seattle where she attended a national grange convention. While here she visited, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson.

Critically Ill—

J. O. Holm, formerly of La Grande, is reported to be critically ill at the home of his parents, at Battle Lake, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Holm left a few weeks ago on their way to Minnesota. He was affiliated with the grocery business in this city a few years ago, before moving to Spokane and accepting a position with the Piggly-Wiggly company there. He has been in poor health for several months.

Returned This Morning—

Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson returned this morning from an extended eastern trip. While gone they visited in the states of North Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota and California, stopping in Los Angeles. They also spent a while at Eugene, and in the vicinity of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson were gone about two months.

Returned Home—

Ben Shulte, of Spokane, returned home yesterday after spending a week visiting C. Myrick of La Grande.

Harvest Ball—

The Young Men and Young Women's classes of the M. I. A. of the First Ward are presenting a harvest ball Tuesday of next week for all M. I. A. members and their friends. High school and normal school students are also welcome. Dancing will start at 9 o'clock following the regular Tuesday evening meetink. This evening autumn decorations in the harvest and Thanksgiving theme will be arranged in the dance hall. No admission will be charged.

Returned Yesterday—

Mrs. Grace Fuller returned yesterday from a week's trip in Sumpter valley and Baker. Her son George, drove to Baker yesterday and she accompanied him on his return tip.

Left Friday—

Mrs. Lucy Graham left Friday evening on her way to Indianapolis, Ind. She will visit in the eastern and southern state, and will be gone indefinitely.

At the Hotels—

T. H. Sutherland, Baker; Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hitchcock, Ashland; H. H. Hunt, Spokane; Harry T. Davenport, Spokane; T. P. Hall, Pocatello; R. J. McCashin, Boise; and Geo. Dill, Boston are among the recent registrants at the local hotels.

Dinner Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. Nephi Anderson and sons, Donald and Lyane, of Imbler, were dinner guests yesterday evening of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Anderson.

From Cove—

T. B. Johnson, of Cove, was in La Grande Saturday on business.

Here Saturday—

Keith Murphy, of Cove, was a business caller in La Grande Saturday.

Business Trip—

Lowell Williamson went to Baker Saturday on a business trip.

Speak at the Schools—

Jacob Dobrin went to Cove today to speak at a joint assembly of the grade and high schools there. The subject of his address was "Thrift."

Left Saturday—

Mrs. Ed Boylen left Saturday evening on an extended eastern trip. She intends to stop in Kansas City and visit places in Kentucky and Indiana, planning to be gone about three months. On her return trip she will stop in Chicago.

To Portland—

Mrs. Walter Blokland left Saturday night on her way to Portland.

Rehearsal Tonight—

The La Grande municipal band will rehearse this evening instead of Tuesday because of the Elks' dance and the Rotary play, it was announced today by the director, Andrew Loney.

Scarlet Fever—

The home of John DeFries, at 1911 Russell street, was quarantined late Saturday for scarlet fever.

Fined $10—

E. E. Copfield paid a $10 fine in municipal court Saturday night. He was charged with operating a motor vehicle with four in the driver's seat.

Extended Visit—

Mrs. J. F. Steinbeck left last night for an extended visit to Portland, Newberg and California.

Taken to Portland—

Accompanied by Otis Palmer, Mr. Houk, who was injured in an automobile accident last week in the Wallowa canyon, is going to Portland where Mr. Houk will be placed in the Veterans hospital.

Elks to Dance—

The Elks lodge will hold one of their dances tomorrow night in the Elks temple. It was announced today that two turkeys will be offered as prizes.

Improving—

Mrs. J. D. Slater who has been ill for sometime is reported to be improving.

HE HAD A THRILL, ANYWAY

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 25 (AP) —Catapulated 40 feet through the air after a gasoline explosion aboard his yacht, Carl C. Martz, garage owner, escaped serious burns when the waters of Lake Washington extinguished his blazing clothing. He suffered minor burns and bruises. The yacht was destroyed.

In Kansas Killing

Nine-year-old Paul Jones, above, of Arkansas City, Kan., slept soundly while a midnight intruder entered his home and shot to death Carl Jones, his father, and Elizbeth Walworth, his stepsister. Kansas authorities, working on the theory of a family feud over property, detained Harry Jones, below, the boy's uncle, for investigation, as well as his grandfather, John P. Jones. The child's mother is dead.

Mind Better But Health Is Worse On Diet of Raw Vegetables Only

CHARLOTTENBURG, Germany (AP) — A diet exclusively of raw vegetables has failed to sustain health in a remarkable series of experiments, just disclosed by Dr. B. Susskind of this city.

Dr. Susskind concludes that under-nourishment often may be beneficial in disposing of useless substances in the body, but that a healthy adult thrives best on a balanced diet of cooked non-vegetable food with raw foods added in the form of fresh fruits, vegetables and salads.

The remarkable feature is that Dr. Susskind spent eight years intermittently trying the diets, with long rests between experiments, until he actually thought he felt and worked better on raw than on cooked food. He now tells why he believes this seeming health was not a real improvement.

His first attempt was in 1920, the second in 1921 and the third in 1924, all failures at producing better health. But in 1928 Dr. Susskind began to obtain somewhat different and, for the moment at least, more encouraging results.

In that experiment he subsisted on raw vegetables for four weeks. He says that after the first week all signs of weakness, hunger and thirst disappeared. His appetite decreased, but he was physically and mentally more active than formerly. On the 13th day he wrote steadily for three hours without pause, when previously two hours had been his limit.

But he lost 11 pounds in four weeks. He says that if he had not weighed himself he would have imagined that he was in the best of health. He was surprised to find the loss in weight. His heart action added a warning to the weight loss, for from the fourth day onward his pulse rate was lower than normal.

Throughout all the experiments he noted a persistent loss of appetite. Several changes in diet failed to restore his liking for food, even when, in the 1921 experiment, he added bread and cheese to the vegetable fare.

Eating more to counter-balance the dwindling weight failed. Once he increased his daily ration to 3500 calories, against his normal consumption of 2100 calories, and in another test he went up to 2700 calories, but without stopping the loss of weight.

In the 1921 experiment he noted a great increase in energy, with little desire for sleep, five hours a day being plenty. His first experiment was stopped because of growing disgust with the diet, and the next two stopped like the final test, because of dropping weight.

Three Speakers At Lions' Luncheon

Three speakers took part in the Lions club program today at the noon luncheon in the Sacajawea Inn, which was well attended. John Pearson of Bend spoke on the use of wood, urging that lumber be utilized wherever possible in construction, shipping, etc. He quoted figures to show its superiority over other materials, and said that the slump in the lumber industry was largely due to increasing use of concrete, composition materials, etc.

Mrs. Warnick spoke in reference ot the Christmas seal sale to be carried on in La Grande, and Mr. Hunter, a visiting Lion from Pendleton, gave a very interesting and witty talk.

Actor Is Victim Of Heart Disease

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 25 (AP)—Raymond Hitchcock, 64, stage actor and musical comedy favorite died suddenly shortly before one o'clock this morning from a heart attack.

The veteran actor and his wife, Mrs. Mangasarian Hitchcock, were returning to their Beverly Hills home from a short automobile trip. As they reached the driveway to their home, Hitchcock gave a gasp and fell over on his wife's shoulder. Death was believed instantaneous. Hitchcock, who came to Hollywood several years ago to undertake motion pictures, has been subject to heart attacks for several years, friends said.

OPINION ON CERTIFICATE

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 25 (AP)—Attorney General Van Winkle has written an opinion for A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks, holding that a mortgage trust certificate such as is issued by the Security Savings & Trust company of Portland, if held by an Oregon State bank, is not eligible as an asset in the savings department or legal for the investment of savings funds.

The opinion says the question to be decided is whether the certificate can be classified properly as either a note or a bond.

M. E. CHURCH DESTROYED

UKIAH, Cal., Nov. 25 (AP) — The Methodist church, built a year ago at a cost of $55,000, was destroyed by fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin. Reports from Kelseyville said the Methodist church and parsonage there had also been destroyed by a similar blaze.

FOREST FIRE SURROUNDING TOWNS TODAY

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Humidity was reported rising, but a strong wind developed.

SAN MATEO VICTORIOUS

REDWOOD CITY, Cal., Nov. 25 (AP) — Fire-ravaged San Mateo county seemed victorious today in its week-long battle with three dangerous blazes which had apparently been checked last night after burning over five-square miles of brush and scattering timber.

The blazes on Maloney's ridge and near Halfmoon Bay were definitely reported as burning themselves out while the third and most serious of the fires, near Pilarcitos Lake, was under control.

VALUATION OF COUNTY LESS

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the figures for last year and this year:

	1928	1929
Baker	$19,677,325	$19,648,980
Douglas	26,461,329	26,412,790
Jackson	27,944,416	28,420,730
Josephine	6,428,419	6,365,659
Klamath	28,249,031	26,873,626
Lane	39,537,483	39,653,165
Marion	41,838,576	41,749,470
Umatilla	43,416,393	43,417,107
Union	18,646,680	18,477,260
Wallowa	10,607,283	9,769,532.47

Utility Assessments

In addition to the above, utility assessments for each county are: Baker, $7,469,642.97; Douglas, $7,041,597.94; Jackson, $6,953,824.37; Josephine, $2,329,569.91; Klamath, $10,896,252.38; Lane, $9,979,372.12; Marion, $6,607,169.36; Umatilla, $11,989,248; Union, $5,783,375.88; Wallowa, $1,261,600.

The largest local valuation outside of Multnomah county is in Umatilla, with Marion second and Lane third. With the utility assessments included Umatilla is first with Lane second and Marion third.

FARM HEADS WILL CONFER

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tend and improve the highway systems.

NEWSPAPERS ANNOUNCE PLANS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29 (AP)—The Scripps-Howard newspapers, through Robert P. Scripps, today announced building plans for 1930. The statement said: "These newspapers share in the belief of the president and his advisors that economic conditions in this country are fundamentally sound, and that next year should be a year for growth and expansion of constructive enterprises."

HEAVY PROGRAM PLANNED

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 25 (AP) — An expenditure over the next 12 months of more than $25,000,000 is involved in building projects, either under way or authorized, by the Dupont company and its subsidiaries, officials have announced. The building program is planned to meet the needs of the companies' varied manufacturing activities.

NATIONS MOURN M. CLEMENCEAU

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In black went inside the courtyard and in a few minutes emerged with the light oak coffin, which they placed reverently inside the hearse.

Only a little group, constituted of General Henri Gouraud, Perfect of Police Chiappe, the Artist Gilbert Bellan, and a few neighbors witnessed the removal, so impressive for all its simplicity and lack of ostentation.

30 Guests

After the hearse four automobiles drove up and 28 guests, those invited by the dead man himself in his last hours, emerged from the house and, saluting the little group of spectators, found theid places inside the cars.

An automobile containing the special police commissary, Dupin De La Fourcade, took the lead and the cortege started on its 250-mile journey while an adjacent clock struck. The group on the sidewalk, hatless, watched wistfully as the procession receded into the night.

A few minutes later the convoy passed the Porte D'Orleans, a southern exit from the city, with routes to be followed to the place of interment, at Mouchamps, and the hour of burial were kept secret by the government, so anxious it was to carry out the last wishes of the deceased.

Body Not Embalmed.

As M. Clemenceau desired his body was not embalmed. It was placed in an inner shell of pine lined with white satin, with his cane and a little bit of earth from the battlefield at Verdun. The shell was sealed up in a lead covering and the whole enclosed in a light coffin with gilt handles on it, and a brass plate bearing the

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Prize Baby

NEA Los Angeles Bureau

Even lion cubs are competing in baby shows now, and above is pictured the winner of the unique "baby lion show" held at Los Angeles. Spitfire is only one month old and weighs three pounds, but he was the "most perfect" of nine baby lions that competed. Mrs. Roy Palmateer, one of the judges, is holding him.

League of 800 High Schools Boosts Stock of Texas College Athletics

DALLAS (AP)—Coaches of Texas universities and colleges no longer worry about drilling fundamentals into their freshman athletes.

The yearlings already are trained when they enter college. A state interscholastic league of 800 high schools is the training ground from which Texas colleges draw hundreds of athletes.

Athletics in Texas has boomed since the league was organized eighty ears ago under the auspices of the University of Texas. The unusual number of powerful football elevens in the southwest conference this year is cited as a result of the league's work.

High schools through the state have employed the best coaches available since the league began spunsoring statewide championships in football, basketball and track. The class of competition has improved accordingly.

Now state championships are decided every year in those three sports. There are no disputed titles, no uncrowned champions. Every prep school in Texas has an equal chance of producing a title-winning team.

Abilene high, last year's state football champion, boasted a line of 190 pounds to the man and a backfield averaging more than 170 pounds. Athens high, after winning the 1929 state basketball crown, took the national title in Chicago.

At the hour of interment Premier Tardieu arranged the formal salute of 101 guns which fired the salute of the armistice, brought about to such a large extent through the relentless efforts of M. Clemenceau eleven years ago. Saturday the city will have its opportunity to pay final honor to the man with a ceremony at the tomb of the unknown soldier.

M. Clemenceau's instructions for the funeral were clear and laconic, written on a single sheet of paper given to the executor, Nicholas Pietri. "Lay me beside my father," he wrote. "On my tomb place the stone from ancient Hellas that I brought back from Greece with me. There is to be no inscription. Also place in the coffin the little box which is on the top shelf of my closet and my cane, and a few flowers from the trenches that I picked and kept."

Baker Knights To Come Here Tonight

A large number of Baker Knights of Pythias and their wives are to attend a joint meeting of La Grande and Baker lodges to be held here this evening at the K. P. hall, it was announced this morning. The visiting group is expected to number from 40 to 50 persons.

Following an entertainment, which will include musical numbers, etc., refreshments will be served.

Men Search For Bassett's Body

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 25 (AP) —Following leads supposedly supplied by the "lie detector," squads of men armed with shovels were scheduled to renew the search in the vicinity of Bothell, Wash., today for the body of James E. Bassett of Anapolis, Md., who disappeared here in Sept. 1928.

Decasto Earl Mayer, who was suspected of doing away with Bassett and who is now confined in the King county jail awaiting the outcome of an appeal from conviction and sentence to life imprisonment as an habitual criminal, obtained an injunction Saturday restraining Prosecuting Attorney Ewing D. Colvin and others from subjecting him to further tests with the "lie detector."

METHODIST PASTORS EXCHANGE PULPITS

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"impossible;" then after some education and training she begins to believe it may be possible and says, "difficult;" finally like the disciples, she goes to deliver each his portion, and it is "done."

The sermon carried this thought into the realm of the conservatives and progressives as related to world peace, one group saying "impossible" the other "difficult." Both groups are appealing to the people who will see that it is "done." Consideration was also given to the missionary work of the Presbyterian church, which church has an evangelistic responsibility in the mission field for 100,000,000 persons.

At this service the Ladies' Triad choir rendered in a most effective manner the anthem "King of Kings," by Shelly, and the quartet the anthem "The Holy Hour" by Nevin-Hearts. Mrs. Harley H. Richardson at the morning service and Mrs. H. N. Ashby at the evening service presented beautiful organ numbers.

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