

LOCAL BRIEFS

In Portland—
Fred E. Kiddle, who was Hoover's campaign manager in the Oregon presidential preferential primaries, was a Portland visitor yesterday from La Grande, where he is engaged in milling. A state senator for the counties of Union, Tillamook and Morrow, Senator Kiddle will seek re-nomination in the coming primary election in May. The mayor says that it is too early to make a forecast about the next wheat crop.—The Oregonian.

Leaves La Grande—
Mrs. A. P. Marr and daughters Bernice and Mary, left her last night for Western Oregon. They will make their home near Hillsboro. Mrs. Marr's health made it desirable to change to a lower climate, but she expressed regret that she has to leave her many friends in this city.

Services Tomorrow—
The Rev. A. A. Banks, negro, of Pocatello, Idaho, will deliver two sermons tomorrow at the Boyd's Memorial Baptist church at South E. and S. streets. The first is at 11 a. m. "Without Excuse" and the second at 8 p. m. "The Glory of the Cross." The church here was organized last spring and has been growing consistently. A campaign is to be started to build a church. The local pastor is the Rev. W. M. Torrence.

Visit at Elgin—
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cooke, of La Grande, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Arant over the weekend. Mr. Cooke recently resigned as business manager of the La Grande District News and will leave soon for the coast, where he will be employed in the same capacity.—Elgin Recorder.

Observe Valentine Day—
Yesterday was the day when St. Valentine was remembered and his day observed, especially in many of the grade school rooms, which had valentine parties and exchanged tokens of the day. Merchants this year reported an exceptionally heavy sale of valentines.

Services Monday—
Evangelistic meetings will begin Monday night at Cove at 7:30 o'clock at the Reformation hall across from the Methodist church. Services will be conducted by Billie Hawes, who is widely known throughout the valley. Three nights will be set aside to explain the Kingdom of God. All are invited.

Club Meeting—
The Art Research club will meet with Mrs. E. L. Halston Monday, Feb. 17 at 2 o'clock.

Improving at—
Oscar Warnock, who recently underwent a major operation at the Grande Ronde hospital is improving.

Here on Business—
Mr. Leigh, superintendent of the Union Pacific, is in La Grande today transacting business in connection with the remodeling of the Curry building prior to the installation of a U. P. stage depot there.

From Meacham—
H. G. Castel, of Meacham, was in La Grande yesterday on business.

I. O. O. F. Meeting—
Members of the Odd Fellows lodge met in regular session last evening in the I. O. O. F. temple. At the meeting next week the Canton of Oddfellowship will demonstrate giving drill work and degrees of its order.

Here Today—
E. D. McCully, of Joseph, representative of the world war veterans state aid commission is in La Grande today on business.

To Michigan—
Mrs. Minnie Meserve and two children spent yesterday in Baker visiting with her sister, before continuing to Michigan where they will visit the children's grandmother.

Left the Hospital—
Winifred Collier has left the Grande Ronde hospital after being ill there for a few weeks.

Brief Trip—
Mrs. Max Turn left yesterday on her way to Portland on a brief business trip.

Moved to This City—
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Durst, formerly of Portland, have moved into the McKennon apartments on First street. Mr. Durst has accepted the position of supervising the plumbing department at Melville's.

At the Hotels—
E. J. Rider, Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. O. Campbell, Wallawa; J. H. Smith, Walla Walla; Bill Pruitt,

Announcements

A bridge and pinocle party will be given Monday evening, March 3 in the La Grande hotel by the St. Peter's Episcopal guild with Mrs. Charles Devine as general chairman with the following to assist her: Mrs. H. N. Ashby, Mrs. H. E. Westenhaver, Mrs. Charles Graham, Mrs. C. Hoover, Mrs. B. F. Wyde, Mrs. Henry Hill, Mrs. G. Hill, Mrs. Fred Cross, Mrs. George Gray, Mrs. Carl Helm, Mrs. Frank Buckman, Mrs. M. G. Tennyson, Mrs. H. H. Russell, Mrs. E. A. Wells.

The Parkdale club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 13 at the home of Mrs. E. P. Walker on Spring street. Mrs. Lloyd Pierce and Mrs. Marcia Riddle are to be hostesses.

Weiser: Samuel Ward, Weiser; R. H. Sloan, Spokane; F. H. Sutherland, Baker; John H. Sur, Spokane; John Hogshud, Boise; and J. A. Grunke, Walla Walla are registered at local hotels.

NEW HARMONE IS ISOLATED BY SCIENTIST

MONTREAL, Feb. 15 (AP)—Discovery of another of the powerful hormones which regulate human health was announced officially Friday by McGill university.

So important was it considered that Sir Arthur Currie, head of the university, said: "It is a remarkable discovery and should bring relief and comfort to countless thousands of women throughout the world."

The new substance has not been named. It is a crystalline product derived from internal glands. The announcement said its effects were somewhat similar to those of one of the pituitary glands which have widely recognized functions in control of gigantism in growth, of some phases of women's health, and in water control including forms of fitness. The newly found hormone, however, is useful for feminine health.

The announcement says it influences "in a very remarkable manner" the general health and metabolism of women. Metabolism is the process whereby the body changes food into energy by building up and tearing down living protoplasm.

The discovery is credited to Dr. James Bertram Collip, a man under 40, who was associated with Dr. F. C. Banting in the discovery of insulin. Collip is chairman of the department of biochemistry.

Woman Candidate In Governor Race

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15 (AP)—Mrs. Clara Shortridge Foltz sister of United States Senator Samuel Shortridge of California and for 20 years a lawyer here, has announced her candidacy as a republican candidate for governor of California.

In announcing her candidacy Mrs. Foltz said she saw no reason "why a qualified woman" should not seek the governor's office. She cited her legal experience, her study of state affairs and her participation in them as sufficient background for a serious campaign by her.

Mrs. Foltz is especially well known for her activity in establishing the present system of pardons and paroles in California and obtaining the right of women to appear in court as counsel. She is a widow and makes her home here.

BANTA MUST SERVE THREE YEAR TERM

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Monday Judge Knowles will hold motion day.

TAKEN TO PENDLETON

Fred Towery, arrested by local officers, was taken to Pendleton last night where he is wanted on a charge of passing bad checks.

FIVE POWERS FACING MANY DIFFICULTIES

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With his daughter, Ishbel at his side, he received a party of newspaper men from all parts of the world.

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Steam Shovel Is Being Moved To The Bluffs

By Mrs. C. E. Thornburg (Observer-Contributor)
KAMELA, Ore. (Special)—Kameka is still experiencing very unusual weather, sometimes snow, sometimes rain. It rained practically all Thursday night and most of Friday and there is still plenty of snow and ice under foot. The highway is in good condition.

Work with the steam shovel between Kameka and Glover is finished and the steam shovel is being moved to the bluffs overlooking the Grande Ronde river just west of Five Points service station. The drills have been at work there for several days.

School was not held in Kameka on Friday as the teacher, Mrs. E. La Grande, and her husband went to La Grande to attend the funeral of Henry H. Hug, who was an uncle of Mr. Tameris. Arnie Hug has been in La Grande since his father's death. He has been working in Kameka for some time with Mr. Tameris who is cutting and shipping logs for the Mt. Emily Lumber company.

Mrs. W. Weiss and little daughter Jacqueline went to La Grande on Friday.

Mrs. M. Brooks and Miss Alta Smith, Kameka storekeepers, were in La Grande Thursday on business and pleasure. A Kennison took charge of the store in their absence.

According to Mr. Kennison, who makes frequent trips into the hills surrounding Kameka, the snow is about two and a half feet deep, though the rain is probably melting it now.

James Baker went to La Grande on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law A. C. Marlin. Gilbert Marlin, son of the deceased and a friend of Mr. Scott, both from Wallawa, were in Kameka on Tuesday visiting at the Baker home and also to see Mr. Marlin's cousin, Gale Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley are leaving Saturday morning for Goldendale, Wash., where they will visit Mr. Kelley's sister, Mrs. Earl Baker. From there they are going to visit his mother, Mrs. E. L. Kelley at White Salmon, Wash. They expect to be gone for several days and are making the trip by car.

Mrs. M. Hroms spent Wednesday and Thursday in La Grande on business.

The school children had a valentine party in the community hall on Thursday evening beginning at 7 o'clock and ending about 10:20 which made it quite an adventure for some of the younger ones who are not used to such late hours. Games were played, valentines distributed and refreshments served. None but school children and their teacher, Mrs. Tameris, were there. Some of the other girls helped Mrs. Tameris serve.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawes and family expect to attend two farewell parties on Saturday. One is at Meacham given by Mrs. Houser for Mrs. E. E. Robinson who is leaving Meacham for her home in Newport, Ore., where her husband went to work some time ago. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Hawes are sisters. The other is in La Grande given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Larson honoring Mr. and Mrs. L. Hawes who are leaving for Nevada. Luckily one is a noon affair and the other an evening one. L. Hawes is a brother of Roy Hawes and Mr. Larson is his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Thornburg were in La Grande shopping Wednesday. Jimmie Baker, who has been quite ill all week is recovering nicely, but his little brother, Donald Lloyd is not well now.

Iona Brooks has been ill for several days but is improving. She had a very high fever on Thursday.

Eleanor and Warren Hawes spent Friday visiting relatives in Meacham.

Gerald Pearson of Perry, was in Kameka on Thursday, visiting at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Horstman.

CHINESE PIRATES SEIZE OIL SHIPS

Twelve Vessels, Carrying 50,000 Cargo, Captured by Bandit Gang.

CANTON, Feb. 15 (AP)—Twelve vessels under charter by the Standard Oil company of New York were seized by a gang of pirates, operating in the West river, south of here, Thursday. The vessels are Chinese junks and were carrying oil worth \$50,000 gold. The American consul sent a protest to the Canton military authorities.

Seizure of the oil fleet entailed an outbreak of lawlessness which has been worrying the authorities of this (Kwangtung) province for some time. The nationalist government, aroused by the extensive depredations, sent an expedition of troops and ordered five gunboats to proceed against the lawless element in the province.

Bandit activities in this area comprise only a small part of the lawlessness which has swept various provinces of China recently. The nationalist government has far apparently been taken no concerted action against banditry except in Kwangtung.

Several Bandit Armies

Bandit armies are swarming through Hunan, Kwangsi, Hunan, Szechwan, Anhwei and Kiangsu provinces, pillaging towns, hampering shipping and making travel in the interior unsafe for foreigners.

River boats between Hankow and Chungking have been fired upon frequently, as have vessels plying between Changsha and Hankow. Marauders in Hunan province, posing as provincial soldiers, have seized ships of the Standard Oil company and searched them on the pretext that they were suspected of carrying contraband.

General Shih Yu-Shun, former nationalist commander who led his division in a mutiny at Hankow last September, was reported to have 30,000 men in Kwetsh, Hunan province, ready for a drive against the nationalist government.

Health Talks

WHY DO TEETH DECAY?
At one time it was said that a clean tooth never decays and in consequence, scrupulous cleanliness of the mouth and teeth was recommended as a safeguard against dental caries (decay of the teeth).

Of late, however, it has been recognized that while a clean mouth is desirable for a variety of reasons, it is not an absolute safeguard against caries.

In a further study of the causes of dental decay, the matter of heredity came into prominence. The health and nutrition of the mother during the child-bearing period appeared in some ways to affect the development of the child's teeth.

In children of badly nourished mothers, teeth were found to have been imperfectly developed, showing upon careful examination minute pits and fissures—that is, decay in the enamel.

More recently, a group of scientists working at the State University of Iowa demonstrated that nutrition deeply affects the power of tooth tissue to resist decay.

In children with extensive caries they have actually secured an arrest of the decay process by feeding them diets rich in mineral and vitamin content.

Prisoner Can't Remember Who Gave Freedom

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 15 (AP)—Two hours after L. V. Jenkins, Portland police chief, started an investigation of the release from the city jail of Nels Anderson, 54, Anderson stepped into the jail corridor and asked to be locked up.

Jenkins' investigation followed a long session with Mayor George J. Baker, during which the mayor is said to have given the police chief a "raking."

When asked who allowed him to walk out of the jail after he had served but 17 days of a 253 day jail sentence, Anderson said he did not know. He said he did not know who "engineered" his release.

Anderson indicated that Nelson was released by "order of the chief," although Jenkins said he could not remember any details of the case.

P. S. Pier, city commissioner, continued his investigation into jail releases and non payment of fines. Pier said the city is short \$5900 in fines which have not been paid by persons who were arrested and given a "credit" rating in municipal court.

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Referee: Jimmy Rosenbaum; Timer: J. E. Reynolds.

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They report that the children in their study were fed daily a quart of milk, one egg, a teaspoonful of cod liver oil, one ounce of butter, one orange and two servings of succulent vegetables. This was supplemented by proteins or meat foods.

Starchy foods, including sugar, were kept to the safe minimum. In all the children studied, tooth decay was arrested in from one to three months. Where the diet was not followed after the experiment was over, decay set in once again.

The use of the tooth brush seemed to have had little if no effect upon decay of the teeth, these scientists report, but that should not be construed as a warrant for neglect of mouth cleanliness.

Continuation of Tests

To Dr. Humber and Dr. Coffey this phase of the work is simply a continuation on a larger scale of the experiments they have been conducting for long years in silence. They have invited all persons whose cases are considered hopeless to submit themselves for treatment.

All patients must have letters from physicians who have been treating them and complete records of their cases. It is the "hopeless" cases that Doctors Humber and Coffey desire most.

Among the sufferers reaching here yesterday was Mrs. Irving Edwins, wife of a Wenatchee, Wash., orchardist. Edwins was converted into an aerial ambulance, and brought Mrs. Edwins here late yesterday. The plane, piloted by Charles Hector, negotiated the 700 miles with only two stops.

Dr. Humber visited Mrs. Edwins at a hotel last night, made a preliminary examination and arranged to start treating her today. She was described as being near death, too weak to have survived the 700-mile journey by train. She was said to have suffered few ill effects from the long airplane ride.

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The lineup:
Faculty (12) (16) Gym Class
Stevenson F. Royler
Miller F. Carter
Macomber F. Wakefield
Quinn G. White
Nashbaum G. Fuller
Hosman G. Hosman

Referee: Harger.

Ten Injured When Bus-Auto Collide

SAN MATEO, Cal., Feb. 15 (AP)—The collision of a northbound motor bus of the Pikes Peak lines with an automobile at a highway crossing here early today brought injuries to eight persons, one of whom, a woman, may not survive.

The stage, on route from Los Angeles, careened off the road and crashed into the front of a house, tearing away a section of the wall. The bus was wrecked. Five passengers of the vehicle who were asleep at the time of the crash were thrown to the floor and showered with glass.

Only G. M. Stewart, retired rancher of Vancouver, B. C., and Alex. Thompson, driver of the stage, escaped injury. The other occupants of the bus were cut and bruised, while Mrs. Frank A. Grisch, Waterville, Wash., suffered a spinal injury which doctors said may cause her death.

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