

# LOCAL BRIEFS

**Return From Chicago**—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hillman returned to La Grande Sunday night from a three-week trip to Chicago. He was a delegate to the Railway Employees' Pension association meeting.

**Mrs. Richardson**—Mrs. J. T. Richardson has returned to La Grande after a month's sojourn in California and the Bay region. In the vicinity of the bay, Mrs. Richardson visited in Oakland, Alameda and San Francisco.

**In Portland**—R. W. Cummings, railroad man of La Grande, was in Portland yesterday transacting business.

**Return**—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoak returned Sunday from Yakima, Wash., where they spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Hoak's sister, Mrs. Ed Carpenter, and her brother, Grover Good.

**To Portland**—Dr. Canfield Beattie will leave this evening for Portland where he will act as best man for Jack Gorman, whose marriage to Miss Dorothy Shaw is to be solemnized tomorrow. Dr. Beattie will return immediately after the wedding.

**Presbyterians**—The Presbyterian brotherhood will meet Thursday evening at 7.30 at the home of Lee Reynolds, it is announced.

**Recuperating**—L. R. Henick, employee of the O-W R. and N., is recuperating from pneumonia at the Grande Ronde hospital.

**Returns**—Miss Mary Druley, teacher in the science department of La Grande High school, returned yesterday morning after spending the holidays visiting friends in Portland.

**Return**—Mrs. Bluford Brooks and children returned to their home here Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henner and family, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson and children, of Rock Creek, Mr. Olson being their daughter.

**Accompanied**—Miss Jean Effie Floriene and Miss Helen May Kennedy accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chandler and daughters to La Grande after the latter spent Thanksgiving in Medical Springs.

**Return**—After spending the holidays in La Grande visiting friends, Miss Mario Young has returned to Echo where she is a member of the teaching staff of the public school.

**Leave**—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Michelson, who have been visiting here, have returned to their home in Omak, Wash. En route they stopped in Gilliam county for a visit with Mrs. Jessie Gray at Arlington.

**American Legion**—John Garty, chairman of the entertainment which will follow the

business meeting of the American Legion tomorrow evening, announces that legionnaires and members of the auxiliary will dance at the Sackajawes Inn. The business meeting opens at 8 o'clock and will be followed by the social hour.

**Married**—William E. Baxter, of Portland, and Dawn Lured Nordstrom, of Hillsboro, stopped in La Grande last night about 5.30 and were married by Judge L. Denham in the office of the justice of the peace. They left almost immediately following the ceremony for eastern points. They received a marriage license at the office of the county clerk.

**Fined \$100**—William Young was fined \$100 for having deer meat killed out of season in his possession, when he pleaded guilty to the charge yesterday afternoon in the court of the justice of the peace before Judge L. Denham. Mr. Young stated that four deer had been killed by him and his companions, but Game Warden Frank Osmond was able to find only one, and Mr. Young refused to implicate his companions. The fine had not been paid this morning.

**Unlawful Possession**—A fine of \$150 was imposed on John Seidar for unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor yesterday afternoon by Judge L. Denham after he pleaded guilty to the charge in justice court. J. J. Zimmerman made the complaint which led to Mr. Seidar's arrest by Willard A. Tubbs, officer in the state police. At the time of the arrest Officer Tubbs seized 15 quarts and two pints of home brew, 10 gallons of beer mash and 50 gallons of wine.

**O. N. G. Has Feed**—Company E's cooks, Sergeant Fred Wells and Clyde Penington, private first class, served refreshments to the members of Company E, 186th Infantry last night during the regular drill period at the armory. The program included 15 minutes close order drill, 30 minutes bayonet practice directed by Sergeant Howard C. Glenn; 30 minutes instruction in map problems, by Lieut. Jesse Andrews; and 15 minutes instruction in military courtesy by Lieut. W. M. Heughan. The non-commissioned officers school was conducted by Lieut. Andrews.

**Go to Arlington**—George and Dick Williamson returned to Arlington Sunday afternoon after they spent the holidays here visiting relatives. They make their home in the Gilliam county city.

**Official Here**—J. P. Cruden, district sales manager of an oil company, is in La Grande today transacting business. Mr. Cruden's headquarters are in Walla Walla, Wash.

**Honor Man**—Word was received today from the U. S. naval training station at San Diego, Cal. that Frank Anderson, whose mother, Mrs. Frank Anderson, resides at 2705 North Second street, has been selected weekly honor man of his company. This means that

Mr. Anderson stood out in a group of approximately 100 men in his company. Honor men are selected because of their neat personal appearance, initiative and their ability to profit from instruction received during their recruit training.

**Slide on Track**—A small snow slide at Devils Slide by the Oro Dell bridge this morning factory No. 8, and the train had to wait until workers cleared the snow off the tracks.

**From Baker**—Attorneys Banta, O. B. Mount, Frank McCulloch and Blaine Hallock, all of Baker, are in La Grande today in connection with trial of a Baker county divorce case in the local circuit court.

## Lingerie Drops Straight Lines To Fit Snugly

By Diana Merwin (Associated Press Fashion Editor) PARIS (AP)—Madame Recamier lingerie is the newest wrinkle in the wardrobe world.

Since curves came back straight-line underwear has passed from the style stage. The latest lingerie is made up of form-fitting frivolities of silk and lace which lift the bust gently and snug closely to the waist. Not an unnecessary bunch or fold is to be seen.

It's a sophisticated eye which knows a nightdress from an evening gown these days, the lingerie manufacturer says. The new robes de nuit, named for the famous French beauty, are as fitted and almost as formal in tone as dinner gowns.

The essence of their distinction lies in the intricate bias cut at the waistline which produces the formal fitted effect.

A white georgette model is designed with a little shirred bodice, shirred puffed sleeves and a full flowing skirt, while a soft apricot satin with a low V lace-incrusted waist is finished with short-leaved matching belt jacket.

Slips and chemises are just as fitted as nightdresses. Designed in princess effect, they snug so closely to the figure that gathers and bunchiness are completely eliminated.

Sea-rose is the newest lingerie shade. The soft apricot rose tint has been universally adopted by the fashion world, because it holds its color through repeated launderings.

## SUPREME COURT JUSTICE TURNS TO BALLOONING

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (AP)—The one-time "flying chief justice" of Oklahoma is now a balloonist. Charles W. Mason, who retired from the state supreme bench last January, has completed a course at Fort Hill army balloon school and graduated with a night solo flight.

The 45-year-old attorney became interested in aviation three years ago. C. Rhonemus, 96, of Clinton county, Ohio, has voted for eighteen Democratic candidates for president.

Andrew Hartman trundled a pumpkin, equipped with an axle and handle, from Columbus Grove, O., to Columbia.

E. G. Server of Stanberry, Mo., brought down a Canadian goose with a target pistol this fall.

Wiffy Cox, golf pro, is one of the few ex-sailors who stand out in the sport.

**Idea of Palmistry Old**—Its origin has not been fixed definitely, but palmistry was known in China 3,000 years before Christ and is mentioned in the most ancient Greek writings.

## New Officers Named for U. of O. 'Oregon Dads'



Plans for an active year were made at the recent meeting of the "Oregon Dads" at the University of Oregon. Above are the new officers, and members of the executive committee. Left to right, Sam H. Baker, Grants Pass; Allan F. Hunt, Burlington, Cal.; Carl Haberle, Tillamook; Dr. George A. Massey, Klamath Falls; Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, president of the University; Charles Hall, Portland; Mrs. Marjory Phy Ager, executive secretary; C. C. Hall, Portland; O. Laurgaard, Portland, retiring president; J. G. Stevens, Portland; W. Lair Thompson, Portland, president; Wilson H. Jewett, Eugene, secretary; Paul T. Shaw, Portland; and W. C. Reigaltz, Portland.

## C. E. Rally Will Be Held Dec. 5-6 In Baker, Oregon

Christian Endeavor societies of Union, Walla and Baker county have been invited to a rally in Baker on Dec. 5 and 6. Several C. E. workers from La Grande are planning to attend and will have a part on the program.

The sessions are to start Saturday noon when the officers of the Grande Ronde Christian Endeavor union will meet at the Geiser Grand hotel for luncheon. Miss Frances Kelley, of La Grande, who teaches in Baker, is president and will preside. The afternoon meeting will be followed by the women of the Baker Presbyterian church will serve a banquet to all the visitors.

An interesting feature of the banquet will be Ross Guiley, a clever and brilliant speaker, who is to present the main address of the evening. Mr. Guiley is field secretary of the Oregon Christian Endeavor Union and is well known both in Baker and La Grande having visited frequently in Eastern Oregon.

The La Grande Christian Endeavor orchestra will furnish music under the direction of Eldridge Huffman. Miss Hulda Anderson, of La Grande, and Miss Juanita Crawford, graduate of the Norma school, state superintendent of the quiet hour, who is now teaching at Richland, will both have parts on the program.

Saturday evening each officer of the Union will present his department, and each society represented will furnish a stunt for the program. The sessions will close Sunday afternoon.

## Rail Stocks Some Higher At Close

NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (AP)—A moderate flurry of selling in the closing minutes of trading today swept aside most of earlier sharp gains in railroad stocks and erased much of the rally which industrial had developed after a decline this forenoon. Railroad stocks in most cases finished a shade higher than yesterday. Industrial closed generally lower with a number of leaders down 1 to 3 points net. Transactions totaled about 2,000,000 shares.

## FEAR BATTLE IN VICINITY OF TSITSISARI

That Manchus was marching on the city. Nevertheless, since there were not more than 500 Japanese troops in Tsitsisari, reinforcements were ordered from Mukden.

LEAGUE ADOPTS RESOLUTION PARIS, Dec. 1 (AP)—The League of Nations council tonight adopted its resolution offering a solution of the Manchurian dispute, substantially in the form which was approved last week by United States Ambassador Dawes.

It refrains from giving the Japanese the right to engage in operations against bandits in Manchuria, a point upon which the Japanese delegation heretofore insisted.

It was announced, however, that Aristotle Brandin, presenting the resolution for adoption at a plenary session of the council will express satisfaction that "both parties have indicated a desire to take the necessary police measures."

Only the final approval of the government at Tokyo stands in the way of complete agreement on the proposal, since the Chinese endorsed it last night.

U. S. NOT RESPONSIBLE TOKYO, Dec. 1 (AP)—The belief of fervent Japanese patriots that the United States government was partially responsible for the withdrawal of Japanese troops in Manchuria was discredited by the war office today. Reports of "any American pressure or interference in connection with army orders are absolutely without

## Vivian Resigns Prohibition Post; Jackson Selected

DENVER, Dec. 1 (AP)—The resignation of John P. Vivian, federal prohibition administrator for Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico, Arizona, and Utah, was announced today by Amos W. W. Woodcock, federal prohibition director.

Woodcock came here yesterday from Washington to conduct an investigation of Vivian's office after Henry Dierks, a prohibition agent, had been suspended for his part in the death of Melford G. Smith, a youth of Englewood, Denver suburb. Smith died of injuries suffered in a scuffle with Dierks over the possession of three ounces of wine.

Vivian will be succeeded by Carl Jackson, of Seattle, present administrator for the twelfth prohibition district.

Vivian's resignation will be effective on Dec. 31. Woodcock announced he was giving Vivian a leave of absence of thirty days.

Jackson will be succeeded at Seattle by Maurice Smith, his assistant. Woodcock announced.

"The withdrawal orders were issued upon the receipt of official reports that Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang was inclined to take a more conciliatory attitude regarding the evacuation of Chinchow, it was pointed out, and this was prior to representations from Washington."

ATTACKS AMERICANS MOSCOW, Dec. 1 (AP)—The newspaper Pravda launched another editorial attack on "American imperialism" today, asserting the United States has not yet given up hope of striking a blow at soviet Russia and weakening Japan in the Pacific by encouraging war in Manchuria.

The point of this policy, said Pravda, was information from a communist paper in New York, is that American capitalists profit from orders placed by Japan for war material.

## Obituary

GEORGE FRED HALLER (Contributed) George Fred Haller, aged 46 years and 11 days, died at his home seven miles east of Telocaset at 4:11 a. m. the morning of Nov. 28. He succumbed after a gallant fight for his life over a period of ten weeks.

Mr. Haller was stricken on Sept. 15 with a strange ailment, which later proved to be a malignant tumor of the brain. He was later removed to Hot Lake, where every available method was used to combat the inroads of the disease. When it became apparent—four weeks ago—that his case was hopeless, he was brought back to his ranch home at his request, so that he might spend the few remaining days in the house where he had lived for 25 years.

Mr. Haller is survived by his widow, Genevieve Hagan Haller, a well known teacher in this county; Herbert George, of Sparks, Nev.; Louise E. Campbell, of Portland; Ralph D. and Edith Bernadine, of Telocaset, besides other relatives and friends.

SEAL SALE UNDER WAY IN UNION COUNTY (Continued from Page One) get in touch with her and send the seals back to the committee. Every year, Mrs. Hanna adds, there

are new families in town who are not listed with any of the business houses that help furnish the lists, and therefore, they receive no seals. All who do not receive seals who wish them to be sent are asked to get in touch with the chairman. A number of such calls have already been received and the committee has sent seals immediately.

Those who received the Christmas seals are asked to return the money in the enclosed envelope as soon as possible, or if one wishes to keep only a part of the seals may return the money and the remainder of the seals. All seals which are not paid for should be returned in the envelope enclosed in the letter.

Through the mail sale, the Neighborhood club expects to give every family in the city an opportunity to buy Christmas seals and to help the Oregon Tuberculosis and the United States Health associations combat not only tuberculosis but other diseases as well.

## ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE IS ADJOURNED

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labor government as to India's future.

"We must meet again," he said, amid loud applause. "We have put our hands to the task. Let us build well and truly."

The goal, he said, is a federation of autonomous provinces and states, but he added that the Indians being unable to agree among themselves his majesty's government has no intention of "forcing responsibility upon those who are not prepared to assume it."

"You must come to an agreement among yourselves," he said, "on problems of the representation of minorities, I beg of you to go ahead."

Pleas With Gandhi The prime minister pleaded with Mahatma Gandhi not to depart from the ways of non-violence.

"My dear mahatma," he said, "let us go the way of friendship. It is the best way and you may find it is the only way. It is certainly a way which will enable both of us to take great pride in our work."

To all the delegates he emphasized the importance of standing by the good luck to the end that "with good luck and good will we may solve the problems which now confront us."

Last night's session of the conference did not end until 2 a. m. today. The mahatma, from whose lips no word fell during a long day and night in which nearly a half million words of oratory flowed through the conference rooms in St. James palace, began his speech as historic Big Ben, high in the parliament building tower, rang out 1 a. m.

Will Renew Campaign He will renew his civil disobedience campaign, he said, "with joy and consolation." If Great Britain fails to grant India what he demands as "real freedom." Then, he added, India's "half-starved millions" would have the satisfaction of knowing they were "not taking, but giving."

Prime Minister MacDonald looked tired, but he listened to the speeches to the end, after 2 a. m. other leaders, including Spivassastri, one of the India's greatest orators, had counseled compromise.

"Yes, mahatma," said Sastrri, who in 1921 represented India at the world disarmament conference at Washington, "your duty hereafter is with us. You have acquired an unparalleled reputation and your influence is unequalled. Your spiritual power to command men and raise them above themselves is acknowledged all over the world.

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obedient, through the valley of humiliation and death if it be not necessary? I contend it is no longer necessary.

"It seems to me you and I and our other friends here can frame this constitution and can look forward with confidence to a future when we will be able to perfect it. India's destiny is in your hands."

Gandhi Replies  
"The mahatma sat mute and inscrutable in his loneliness until the end of his day of silence. Then he spoke.

"I would strain every nerve to secure an honorable settlement without exposing the millions of India's men, women and children to the terrible ordeal of civil disobedience," he said, "but if the fight has to be faced I will renew it with joy.

"I am still open to compromise, provided the settlement is honorable and the liberty real. Call it by whatever name you will, but I want complete independence."

In concluding the conference, Prime Minister MacDonald paid tribute especially to Sastrri's appeal. "That plea," he said, "shows an insight into the heart of India, but my friends, it does more than that. It shows an insight into the heart of Great Britain and, approached in that way, your appeal is bound to be irresistible."

King George sent the conference a reply, signed by his own hand, to the conferees' address of yesterday to him.

"I have received," he said, "with much satisfaction your royal message and I send you my best wishes for a safe return to your motherland.

"I am not unaware of the difficulties brought to light by a close examination of the great task which you set your hands last year but I could you not to let them discourage you or oppress you and I earnestly trust that under your guidance the great communities in India will pursue with patience and forbearance the path of co-operation and peaceful discussion to which your endeavors have so clearly shown the way."



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## Texas Outlaw Faces Trial



William S. "Shilo" Scrivner, above, one of the three remaining members of a Texas outlaw band which authorities say was the equal of the James brothers and the Billy the Kid outfits, will go on trial at Houston, Dec. 7, charged with the murder of C. A. "Kenny" Jones, reputed bookkeeper for the gang, and Mrs. Jones. Scrivner is charged with having killed Jones to avenge the death of another member of the band.

## THIS one-strap shoe of brown kid with the new medium heel, has insets of suede ornamented with a strip of bronze kid



## U. of O. Students Greet Portia



Coming thousands of miles, Miss Neila Rostov, of Florence, Italy, will study law at the University of Oregon, where she received the foreign scholarship given by the Associated Women Students. She is shown above with two University girls who greeted her on her arrival. Left to right, Ann Baum, Portland, Miss Rostov, and Louise Arvley, also of Portland.

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