

LOCAL BRIEFS

Marriage License—U. G. Stover and Lena Melatosh, both of La Grande, received a marriage license in the office of the county clerk this morning.
New Born—Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Zimmerman are the parents of a baby boy born Sunday morning at 1:30 at the Grande Ronde Hospital.
Clothing Stolen—Members of the Cove High school basketball team went home Saturday night from La Grande minus several articles of wearing apparel, four or five pocket knives and a dollar in cash.
Basketball Meeting—School men, coaches, officials and fans who are interested in basketball are to meet at the La Grande High school building tonight for a regular meeting.
Hearing Under Way—The Blue Mountain Lumber company was recently denied the right to sell its interest to Howard Stoddard, of Salt Lake City, and the sale was not confirmed by Judge J. W. Knowles, after a hearing in the circuit court.
From Portland—P. B. Smith, of Portland, is in La Grande on business today and plans to remain the rest of the week.
Arrange Tourney—H. H. Grant, of Baker, met with W. W. Nuabaum, director of music at the La Grande High school, and

each member is asked to bring a friend for the social hour and dance which will follow. Present officers of the organization are E. H. Horstman, post conductor; Guy W. Spenser, conductor; Everett E. Walker, secretary-treasurer; George Walker, engineer; Oscar Johnson, machinist; D. A. Hanson, motorman; H. C. Buckwalter, fireman; R. M. Scott, brakeman; George Warner, flagman; Carl Cook, Clyde Peterson, E. J. Brown, trustees.

On Honor Roll—Margaret Elaine Williams, of Elgin, daughter of Rev. L. B. Williams, was one of eight students at the University of Oregon who made a straight average of A at the university. A is the highest grade received by students, and that grade in every course is an excellent record, University authorities state.

375 MILLION RELIEF BILL IS FAVORED (Continued From Page One) workers and the American Federation of Labor.

Long-Lived Birds Among the birds that are believed to live to see 100 years or more are the falcon, golden eagle, parrot and raven.

New I. C. C. Head Claude R. Porter, shown here, has been appointed chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, succeeding Ezra Brainard Jr. Porter, who has been a member since 1928, is from Des Moines, Iowa.

Can Make Much Trouble "I like a man that tells the truth," said Uncle Eben "because I kin trust him. An' I don't mind a man dat tells a falsehood, 'cause I kin ketch him at it. But de man dat mixes de two is terrible hard to keep up with."—Washington Star.

Hikers' Protest As a protest against the closing of the Sunnydale estate near Kelzley, England, to the public, 210 members of hiking clubs and others climbed a fence and walked in single file across the forbidden land.

"Garden City" In 1880 Chicago began an extensive park development and soon afterwards its total area of parks comprised 1,887 acres. The city then acquired the nickname of "Garden City" and that name is still emblazoned on the municipal coat of arms.

Fear of Censure Criticism and censure never hurt anybody. If false, they can't hurt you unless you are wanting in manly character. If true, they show a man his weak points and are doubly valuable because they forewarn him against trouble and failure.—Grit.

Desolate Land About one-fifth of Iceland is habitable. Almost four-fifths of the island are uninhabited and almost uninhabitable.

Dr. Sweet To Give Talks While Here

Dr. Charles A. Sweet, president of the American Society for the Promotion of Child Dentistry, and considered an authority on the care of children's teeth, who has been secured by the Eastern Oregon Dental society to attend a two-day clinic in La Grande on Feb. 8 and 9, will also give several talks here.

The dental session will open with a dinner at 6:30, and the subject for discussion will be "Dental Education in Its Relation to the Public and the Dentist."

A practical clinic for children will be held in one of the local dental offices from 8 until 4 o'clock on Monday. Arrangements are also under way at one of the service clubs of the city to arrange for Dr. Sweet to deliver an address Monday noon.

A public meeting with the parent teacher association has been arranged tentatively for Tuesday evening, the program committee announces.

ROBBER WOUNDS EX-LA GRANDER

Lou Harris, Portland Grocer, Shot Through Left Forearm Saturday. Lou Harris, former La Grande grocer, was wounded Saturday night when two holdup men attempted to rob his grocery store in Portland.

Harris, who was shot through the left forearm when he sought to disarm the bandit was back in his store yesterday morning. According to physicians, part of the bullet is still imbedded in his arm, while part went entirely through the arm and caused a flesh wound on his chest. It is believed that his life was saved by the fact his arm was across his chest when the bullet struck.

Harris said the two men entered his store about 11 o'clock and that the taller one showed a gun and asked for money. The groceryman, instead of complying, lunged at the bandit, trying to grab his gun. Falling in his fall, he started for his own weapon, in the back of the store, and became the target of the holdup man, who fired several shots at close range.

Blair was arrested on a charge of attempted murder and assault and robbery while armed. Burke is being held on a charge of assault and robbery while armed. Neither man was given bail privilege. Burke's identity was learned through papers in his suitcase.

Mrs. Blair, wife of the injured prisoner, said she, her husband and their stepdaughter, Virginia Hines, 13, came to Portland two months ago from Kansas City, Mo. The husband was a member of the K. K. K. and for the last three weeks they had been aided by the welfare bureau.

Despite his injury, Harris ran to the street and fired at the would-be robbers as they fled south on 12th street. A few minutes later, a patrol squad, composed of Lieutenants Barker and Patrolmen Anderson, Stephens and Blanchard, picked up a trail of blood at 12th and Jefferson streets. With Detectives Horack and Collins, they followed the blood stains to the Lindore apartments, 288 10th street.

Harris when in La Grande owned a grocery store across the tracks. He moved to Portland about five years ago.

U. S. BOMBING PLANES GIVES INDIANS FOOD

WINNECUM, Ariz., Jan. 18 (AP)—Six United States army bombing planes laid down another "barrel of food" today to thousands of snow-bound members of the Navajo tribes of Northern Arizona and New Mexico.

Approximately four tons of rations, consisting of beans, flour, coffee, sugar, salt pork and dried fruit were taken aloft by the ships and hurried into the deep snow banks to waiting Indians.

The planes, ordered here from March field, Riverside, Cal., started their food-carrying operations yesterday when more than five tons were released as they covered 16 villages and settlements.

Indian agents of the three reservations estimate 20,500 redmen are suffering from want of food as a result of being marooned by four blizzards which blanketed the country with snow and cut off regular means of taking supplies to them.

LOST MAN FOUND IN DEATH CELL

Stranger than fiction is the story of Everett T. Mull, above, Morgantown, N. C., contractor, who disappeared last May. Search for Mull ended recently when letters from him revealed that he is in the death cell at Nevada penitentiary awaiting execution under the name of John Hill. He was convicted of killing a man at Las Vegas in a quarrel over money.

SARI MARITZA, 20, AND BLOND, HUNTS SUCCESS IN HOLLYWOOD

Born in China, and schooled in Europe, Sari Maritza has followed a long trail to Hollywood seeking success in American films. NEW YORK—Sari Maritza, a young beauty, took the westward passage from her home in China when she set out upon a career. Now that round-the-world trail has led her to the end of all roads—Hollywood.

It was because she had "the face of a fairy and the sophistication of a siren" that Miss Maritza became a film star. A producer in London was looking for someone with a face like that when he saw this daughter of an English father and a Viennese mother.

She was born on St. Patrick's day in Tientsin, China, and, when 12 years old, was taken to England and Switzerland for schooling. She still speaks a little Chinese, as well as English, German and French. Her first movie work was in Vienna, and she has always been loyal to a cinema career. She has absolutely no yearning to go upon the stage. Despite her cosmopolitan education, America proved somewhat frightening to her when she first saw it on her arrival in New York en route to Hollywood.

The terrific speed of elevators unnerved her, and she was astounded when she ordered dinner in a Manhattan restaurant and they served her with a maze of side dishes.

Today Is National Thrift Day! Hark To These Sayings

By the Associated Press Thrift, thrift, Horatio! Today is national thrift day of national thrift week. It is the commencement of what the national thrift committee announces as a concentrated period for preaching of the gospel of frugality without parsimony and expenditure with discretion.

President Hoover said: "Thrift is not hoarding. It is the wise provision against future needs." A year ago Calvin Coolidge said: "Above all, wise thrift calls for the expenditure of money to save people."

And Benjamin Franklin, whose name has long been associated with thrift, said: "It is hard for an empty bag to stand upright." "A man may, if he knows how to save as he gets, keep his nose to the grindstone."

STORMY WEEKEND IN OREGON; SNOW FALLS IN EAST

(Continued From Page One) Yesterday 37 and the minimum 22 above. The sky was overcast this morning, with more snow appearing imminent.

HEAVY RAIN IN PENDLETON PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 18 (AP)—A heavy rain here Sunday and last night dispelled winter's latest threat. A rise in the Umatilla river was noted this morning. Saturday the temperature dropped to 15 degrees above zero. Sunday's minimum was 22 degrees.

KLAMATH UNSETTLED KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Jan. 18 (AP)—A falling barometer this morning brought the prediction of unsettled weather, increasing winds and moderate temperatures, with rain or snow. Klamath county received more than three-fourths of an inch of moisture from weak and warm fronts.

More than 16 inches of snow fell in the Port Klamath district Saturday, bringing the depth to 4 1/2 feet at the wintered playground. Flats are being made for the annual ski races Feb. 21, and skiers are beginning to train for the long trek to Crater Lake.

In their 36 preliminary games before the Big Ten season opened, University of Minnesota basketballers averaged 35 1/2 points to the opponents' 21, winning all the games.

EMPLOYMENT REPORT MADE TO GOVERNOR

(Continued From Page One) dependent upon the general public for employment. On the basis of the present report, these totals, although not complete, would show a large increase, Devers pointed out.

The state highway department now has employed throughout the state about 25,000 men who are employed on a rotating basis, thus providing one week a month for 10,164 men, each man earning about \$18 a month. To provide employment for this number for four months will require the \$1,000,000 provided for the work by the state highway commission. The total expended of this fund to date, Devers said, was \$449,430.

Concerning the secondary highway program as provided by the last legislature, Devers reported that in most counties the selection and designation of such highways have been made and specifications are now being worked out. The highway commission has been authorized to spend about \$1,250,000 on these highways. In a total of the counties work is already under way.

However, Devers' report continued, "until motor vehicle fees are paid for 1932, it will be necessary for the commission to make some arrangements whereby funds will be available for the secondary state highway work." The commission is now giving consideration to this issue.

All Counties Helping In his report Devers pointed out that many private industries have been closed down entirely or curtailed, which have added to the unemployment situation. He also commented upon the organized effort in every county, which he stated was proving effective. His report also commented upon the high degree of efficiency being secured through hand labor on highways. He said the commission was getting from 60 to 75 per cent efficiency.

In the report every county but four outside of Multnomah county, reported increased unemployment. Two of these reported no change while the other two reported a decrease. Linn county showed a decrease from 460 to 456 while Tillamook reported a decrease from 600 to 559 over the last report. Crook county was unchanged at 150 and Douglas county stood the same at 700 registered unemployed.

The largest unemployed lists were reported in Clackamas with 1450, Clatsop with 1070, Coos with 1185, Jackson with 1975, Lang with 1200 and Marion with 1079. The ratio to population was not given. Those reporting the least included Jefferson with 40, Harney with 125, Crook with 150, Gilliam with 161, Sherman with 145 and Wheeler with 140. All of the latter are small counties.

Union Second Highest The highway commission relief funds were distributed over the entire state, with Multnomah receiving about \$13,881 a week, Union \$4417 a week, Deschutes \$4220, Clatsop \$3706, Baker \$2918, Douglas \$3061, Jackson \$2099, Klamath \$2280, Malheur \$2219, Sherman \$3040, Umatilla \$2411 and on down to \$33 in Gilliam county. The number of men employed each week ranged from 13 in Jefferson county to 573 in Multnomah.

"It is apparent from this report," Devers stated, "that the million dollars set apart by the highway commission for unemployment relief, reaching only 10,000 of the more than 40,000 unemployed in the state. The several counties are doing their utmost to meet the situation and are actually feeding thousands of families. From every county is coming a call for more help."

"A measure of relief can be furnished through highway construction on secondary state highways and the highway commission is promoting work along this line. If private industries can be prevailed upon to renew operations at a very early date, this, together with work that the highway commission is doing and the efforts that local communities are putting forth, will insure employment and relief for all who are in distress."

Taft First Governor William Howard Taft was our first civil governor of the Philippines. In 1900 President McKinley chose him to head a commission to establish civil government in the Philippines, and on July 4, 1901, he became the first civil governor.

When our grandmothers went shopping they were prepared to match their wits against the shopkeeper's. His was the whiphand. Prices were anything the dealer had to pay, plus a profit. And his profits were as elastic as his necessity—or opportunity.

Our grandmothers had a very fine knowledge of wools, cottons, silks. They used their eyes and fingers in buying. They tasted and sniffed at foodstuffs. Our grandfathers knew an intimate lot about woods, veneers, stains. They knew leathers and machinery and cutlery. They had to.

Today you can shop with assurance by designating this brand of this and that brand of that, and hardly bother to check the price on the bill when it comes. You can send a twelve-year-old to market with a note and never have a doubt of kind, quality or price — if you buy advertised goods.

Advertising has established standards, established values and established confidence. Advertising forces fair dealing and honest merchandise. It puts the whip in your hand.

Do you read the advertisements?

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Are you bothered with bladder irregularities; burning, scanty or too frequent passage and getting up at night? Head promptly these symptoms. They may warn of some disordered kidney or bladder condition. Users everywhere rely on Doan's Pills. Recommended for 50 years. Sold everywhere.

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