

# LOCAL BRIEFS

**Meet Thursday**—The Imbler Ladies Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon, April 7, at the home of Mrs. Jim West, according to the president, Mrs. J. A. Gaskill.

**Receives Trophy**—A belated honor was bestowed upon Leonard Roe, former star basketball player of the La Grande High school, at an assembly of the student body of the Union High school Monday afternoon. Roe was chosen as the outstanding player of the Eastern Oregon basketball tournament two years ago, but through poor timing never received his trophy. Through arrangements made by E. D. Towler, member of the district board, and Roy Conklin, manager of the tournament, it was arranged for Roe to receive his award here.—Union Republican.

**Send Flowers**—A beautiful bouquet of flowers was wired to La Grande today from William J. Rankin, mayor of Hartford, Conn., with the following message: "Upon this occasion, the opening in our city of the 13th International Flower show, it is with pleasure that I extend the good will of the people of Hartford to the people of your city by saying it with flowers by wire the P. T. D. Mercury way. This flower token is made possible through the world-wide organization of bonded members of the Florists' Telegraph Delivery association."

**In Walla Walla**—Mrs. E. C. Shaw was a visitor in Walla Walla, Wash., yesterday.

**In Baker**—J. Biggs, of La Grande, was a Baker visitor yesterday.

**To Speak**—Professor Russell Blankenship, of Whitman college, is a visitor in La Grande today and spoke this noon before a meeting of the American Association of University Women.

**From Wallows**—Two members of the teaching staff of the Wallowa schools, Miss Lenore McKinnis and Miss Lottie, are weekend visitors in the city.

**Attend Meeting**—Among those attending the meeting of high school principals and superintendents here today are Richard Gray, of Richland; Charles R. Robinson, coach, J. L. Turnbull, principal, and N. B. Richards, all of Ontario, and R. D. Russell, of Boise.

**To Entertain**—Mrs. Orville Dean will leave tonight to spend the weekend transacting business in Enterprise. She will return here Monday evening.

**Portland**—Roy Farnam left this morning for Portland where he will transact business. He plans to return Tuesday morning.

**Celebrates Birthday**—C. L. Hatterberg, of Silverton, retired, for 37 years resident of Silverton, celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary quietly at his home one and one-half miles west of Silverton. He was born in Hardanger, Norway, March 31, 1852, and came to the United States when he was 21 years old. He was a resident of Lisbon, Ill., and of Hawley, Iowa, active as a farmer, carpenter and lumberman previous to his coming to Silverton in public affairs. He served in the house of representatives in 1909 and has been a member of the school board as director and as clerk numerous terms in the Brush Creek district where his home is located. Mr. and Mrs. Hatterberg have the parents of eight children, living near Silverton, excepting one daughter who lives in Montana, and a daughter who is teaching school in La Grande. He has been Hatterberg's privilege to have been chosen to serve on many federal juries, grand juries and district courts.

**Dies**—Mrs. Sadie Bell Balthazore, 77, wife of Mitchell L. Balthazore, died at her home near Sunnyside, recently following a lingering illness. She was a native of Indiana, born there Feb. 13, 1855. A resident of Elgin, Ore., some 25 years, she later moved to Portland for three years, then went to Walla Walla where she made her home for five years before moving to the Sunnyside district. She had lived there the past seven years. Besides her husband, she leaves the following children: Mrs. Carrie Fitzgerald, Elgin; Mrs. Malissa Johnson and John Crawford, La Grande; Mrs. Maude Horrell, Brewster; Selis E. Balthazore and Sidney M. Balthazore, Walla Walla; Mrs. Maryeun Wartfield, Yakima. Fourteen grandchildren and 12 grand grandchildren also survive.

**I. O. O. F.**—J. M. Wilson, of Portland, Grand Patriarch of Oregon, will make his official visit to the Star Encampment No. 31 on Monday evening, April 4th. All members of the Encampments and members of all I. O. O. F. lodges in the county are asked to be present.

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lower than had been reported and after a long distance conversation with the writer, Wright refused to make the advancement. The next day Orem left for Portland but returned in October to make the collection of the \$10,000 or interest on the renewal. It was at this time that Marvin refused to meet with Orem.

Sery testified that after the bank went into liquidation Marvin came to the bank and made an effort to secure more charged off notes which he claimed were the property of the directors, but Childers had already listed these notes as belonging to the Joseph State bank, and Sery refused to turn them over. In cross examination the defense brought out that in refusing to meet with these men, Marvin was justified since these men were not acting in the interests of the state banking department, but for the U. S. National corporation, and Marvin had refused to meet with them with the directors. Marvin made no effort to remove any of his papers from the bank after it closed and that all transactions made were recorded on the books of the Joseph State bank, testimony showed.

The state rested its case at noon. The first witness called by the defense was defendant, Edgar Marvin. According to testimony Mr. Marvin is 62 years of age. During his residence in Wallowa county he has been engaged in farming, sawmilling, grocery business and since 1918 the banking business. First connected with the Lottine bank, which was later moved to Joseph, Marvin and his family were the biggest stockholders of the bank, holding 113 of the 250 shares. Marvin gave his version of the borrowing of the \$10,000.00 in Portland. It was his contention that the money he loaned to the bank was given to him with no restrictions and to be used in the manner he considered most beneficial to the bank in taking out the Williamson, Draper and Rucker notes totaling \$8302.80. He maintained he was acting for the benefit of the bank by removing slow paper and putting in the actual cash. He testified that the C. D. note of \$1297.70 by signing D. G. Tucker's name which he claimed was made out in Tucker's name solely for convenience. He testified he made out a check for the amount of \$1297.70, which he said was later lost and because of this instructed Childers to get him a blank note so that he could fill out the check. The directors, Marvin testified that he put the C. D. note in the collection book, The Williamson, Draper and Rucker notes were credited to loans and discounts of the bank, but not the ordinary way. The books of the bank showed these notes paid but not the notes themselves since the makers themselves had not made the payments. Marvin testified that he took his own note, using some of the credit of the C. D. testifying that his note with the Williamson, Draper and Rucker notes were criticized as bad paper. When Marvin signed the C. D. note he made a note for the amount and filed it with the other three notes. These were kept in the collection pouch until the notes were collected. Marvin testified that he collected the notes and other notes not belonging to the bank. Marvin testified that at the time the \$10,000.00 was put in the bank he took out \$8302.80 paying off the notes of Williamson, Draper and Rucker and that he made records of all these transactions. These records with the notes were left in the possession of the bank, and after Childers closed the bank he got them and asked for these notes, stating that they were the property of the directors. Sery refused to let him have them. Marvin found some of his personal checks on the desk, he took these, Sery refused to let him have any of the other papers. D. A. Burleigh, of the defense, went to Mr. Sery and asked for the papers. He got them but the Edgar Marvin guardian account checks could not be located. In his testimony Marvin stated that he had not given Childers any of the bank books, but had given him the ledger, the guardian account checks, and that when he asked permission to examine the books, he was refused. He applied to Judge Knowles for permission and was again refused permission to examine them himself, but was permitted with the aid of the counsel.

Marvin's testimony was in accordance with Orem's in regard to calling of Wright and the refusal of loaning of any more funds.

At this time the witness broke down and it was necessary for the judge to call an intermission.

Judge testified that the records showed complete transactions handling the \$10,000.00 and that nothing was covered up, and also that he felt himself liable to the directors for the \$1297.70. Marvin testified that the notes he tried to get from Sery were not property of the bank but were some were property of the directors and others that had been paid and belonged to the makers.

PLAN TO AID UNEMPLOYED IS ADOPTED (Continued From Page One)

Angus McAllister, Clyde Bunting and Roy Farnam. They will work out the details of the drive and will report final arrangements for the approval of the remainder of the representatives at a meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the chamber of commerce.

The cost of the plan will be very small, therefore the canvass can be started at once without any preliminary activities to raise money, it was pointed out last night.

Judge Couch stated 711 men are unemployed in the county, many of whom live in La Grande, and it is necessary for the city to do something, since the county cannot cope single handedly with the problem of unemployment. The newly organized plan will concentrate on the county judge in putting men to work.

Klamath Falls and Corvallis have both successfully carried on work promotion plan with a building, buying and remodeling platform, and Klamath Falls set its goal at \$300,000, while Corvallis set its goal at \$150,000 after achieving lower goals.

Those present at the meeting last night were Mr. Boone, Mr. Palmer, Mr. McAllister, Mrs. Alice Marquardt, Judge Couch, Edward Fitzgerald, Rev. Paul De F. Mortimore, Mr. Farnam, Harry McCarthy, Mrs. Kate Hanley, Henry Warmholtz, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Bunting, Hugh Leonard, W. R. Ledbetter and C. B. Kendrick.

They will meet again on Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the chamber of commerce.

**GUNS BOOMING ON POLITICAL FRONT IN UNION COUNTY** (Continued From Page One)

friends have been urging Tom Johnson, of Lower Clatsop section of the county, to toss his hat into the ring for the Democratic nomination for United States congressman from the second congressional district. It is

# SOCIETY NEWS

Miss Rose Duke, Society Editor  
Telephone Main 666 Until 9:30 a. m.

**Chapter I, P. E. O. Entertained At Luncheon Meeting**

At a one o'clock luncheon at the Sacajawea Inn, Mrs. J. W. Knowles and Mrs. George H. Curry entertained Chapter I, P. E. O. yesterday afternoon. Luncheon was served at small tables, each of which was decorated with a centerpiece of buttercups.

A discussion of contemporary literature was enjoyed during the afternoon. A group of young authors, none over 35 years old, who are little known by La Grande readers, were included in the discussion which covered their literary aptitude.

Mrs. C. H. Bidwell will entertain the group in two weeks.

**Mrs. Leo F. Miller Hostess to Club**

Mrs. Leo F. Miller was hostess at a delightful event last night when she entertained for 12 members and guests of her bridge club.

Mrs. E. L. Knight was high scorer among the members of the club, Mrs. Fred Price received the high score among the guests, while consolation was awarded to Mrs. Andrew Loney Jr.

Mrs. Lloyd Pierce will entertain in two weeks.

**Birthday Party For Miss Jesse**

Miss Patsy Jesse was complimented on the occasion of her birthday anniversary at a party at which her mother, Mrs. Dwight Jesse, entertained last night at her home. Bridge was played during the evening, and refreshments were served at a late hour.

A large birthday cake was the feature of the evening after bridge prizes and cards were awarded to Kathleen Bears, first, and Winnifred Scott, consolation.

Guests for the evening were the Misses Betty June Staple, Winnifred Scott, Mildred Green, Kathleen Fears, Patricia Clark, Elsie Guckison and Patricia Leonard.

**Miss Vina Conley Entertains Club**

Miss Vina Conley entertained her club last night at the home of Mrs. C. Crapp. Bridge was enjoyed during the evening, and the prizes were entering the race, he would be pitted against Ex-Governor Walter M. Pierce, of La Grande, and Francis Scott, Mildred Green, Kathleen Fears, Patricia Clark, Elsie Guckison and Patricia Leonard.

Up in Wallowa county things are even merrier than in Union. So far 10 men have filed declarations of candidacy for the nomination for sheriff, either on the Republican or Democratic ticket. Contests in several other county races also are quite heated.

L. P. Allen, Republican incumbent, yesterday filed his candidacy in Salem for nomination for state representative from Wallowa county. Representative Allen is the incumbent, having won in the last term of legislature. All filings for offices in the county and state to be voted on at the May 20 primary election must be in the office of Secretary of State Hal E. Hoss not later than 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, April 5. Mr. Hoss states that filings placed in the mail before 5 o'clock and received at Salem the next day, could not be considered. He emphasized that candidates must have their declarations in his office before that time.

**MARTIN AND BUTLER FILE**

SALEM, Apr. 2 (AP)—Charles H. Martin, Democrat of Portland, and Robert R. Butler, Republican of the Dalles, today filed for renomination and reelection to their seats in congress, Martin representing the third district and Butler the second.

One word for a slogan sufficed for Martin while he did not file a platform for the secretary of state. His slogan is "Incumbent." Butler's slogan is "Present incumbent; will continue faithfully to serve the people of the entire district." Butler in his statement said: "I will continue to work for the entire district, not for one section to the neglect of another; continue to aid soldiers; have consistently advocated Columbia river development; will continue without demagoguery. Advocate economy consistent with proper administration and development of our resources. Taxes should be levied on ability to pay, not on necessities."

**OUT OUR WAY**

HERE, SOMEBODY HOLD MY SWEATER AN' CAPI AN' SOMEBODY COME ALONG TO REFEREE.

HERE, TAKE AN' HOLD THESE FER ME—AN' A COUPLE O' GUYS COME ALONG FER JUDGES.

GOIN' OUTSIDE TO FIGHT IT OUT, HUH?

NO—THER GOIN' OUTSIDE NOT TO FIGHT IT OUT! THEY'RE ADVERTISING, TO GET TH' WHOLE SHOP OUT, SO TH' BULL O' TH' Woods WILL MISS EVERYBODY AN' STOP TH' FIGHT BEFORE IT STARTS.

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in the meetings which the Allied Campaigners are to hold here. Arrangements have been made for a special women's luncheon on the first day of the local campaign, and all women in the city who are interested in prohibition will be invited to attend.

Miss Norma C. Brown, secretary of the Allied Forces for Prohibition and the only woman speaker making the tour with the Allied Campaigners, will give a picture of this new movement for support of the 18th amendment and point out ways in which all citizens can aid in the fight.

**"Backwards Party" At Normal School**

Students of the Eastern Oregon Normal school entertained last night at an April Fool dance in the ball room of the Normal school building. The event was a "backwards party" and those who attended wore their clothes backward.

Music was furnished by the Melody Vendors, Normal school orchestra. Two students were presented by women students as special features of the evening.

Patrons and patronesses were Miss Helen Moor, Miss Jennie Peterson, Miss Mildred Hawksworth, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stevenson and Miss Dorothy Steffen.

Floyd Baxter, social chairman, was in charge of the dance.

**April Fool Party At High School**

April Fools' day was the inspiration for an interesting party yesterday afternoon given by the Associated Girl Students at the La Grande High school auditorium. Margaret McAllister was in charge of the program.

Miss Barbara Coolidge played a piano solo, "A special feature was presented by Miss Leola Wilcock, dressed in the costume of a hired man, and accompanied by Zelma Serrins; a piano solo was given by Lois Jean Davis.

Miss Catherine Sartain, director of dramatics, presented "The Snake," a dance interpreting a weird and modern narrative character of the underworld. A "black dance" was a stunt given by a 1900 gym class, sponsored by Miss Catherine Osborne, director of physical education.

The gym was decorated with dance caps and with colorful paper. Happy-jacks were served for refreshments.

**Pathfinder Class Enjoys Evening**

The Pathfinder class of the Methodist church was entertained at a "backwards party" on the occasion of April Fools' day last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burnett. The greeting at the door, the games, refreshments and stunts were all backward in keeping with the motif.

"Clementine," with picturesque effects, was sung by Mrs. W. H. Hertzog, Mrs. R. F. Tyler, Mrs. Glenn Wagner and Mrs. Will Adler.

Mrs. Reswick Clark was elected president of the class at a business meeting which was held during the evening. Mrs. Henry Leduc is vice president and Mrs. Guy Miller is secretary and treasurer.

Assisting Mrs. Burnett were Mrs. Gerald Tucker, Mrs. Otto Ott, Mrs. Guy Miller, Mrs. Hertzog, Mrs. Leslie Duncan.

**Italian Literature Will be Discussed**

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**Informal Meeting Of F. B. Auxiliary**

An informal meeting was enjoyed by the Francis Brown auxiliary to the Daughters of the American Revolution yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Garity. Mrs. Julius Roesch is president of the group.

Mrs. Walter M. Pierce was a guest of the group.

April 28 is the date of the next meeting, the hostess to be announced later.

**Music Pupils Hold Recital at School**

The pupils of the Melody Way piano class, under the direction of Mrs. John Bennett at the Fruitdale school, closed their winter studies yesterday with a recital at 2:30 at the school. The program included: "The Melody Way," "My Piano," "Magie Music" W. Otto Miesner Solo—Marjorie Charrier

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"Little Wooden Shoes" French Melody Verneal Dyal Ensemble playing—W. Otto Miesner "Lady Moon" Lavagnon Dyal, Phyllis Simonson Solo—German Melody "Evening Song" Lynn Salkield Harmonic duet—Verneal Dyal Rhythmic games—W. Otto Miesner "The Bells" W. Otto Miesner Solo—"Happiness" Old Melody Ensemble—Brylyn May Charrier "My Pony" German Melody Verneal Dyal, Phyllis Hyneserson Transposition—W. Otto Miesner Choice of selection—Lila Thomas, Choice of selection—Verneal Dyal, Solo—"Tenor Drum" W. Otto Miesner "Tenor Drum" Evelyn Carbine Rhythmic—"Play Ball" W. Otto Miesner Solo with reading—Vance Morton "The Jumping Frog" Lila Thomas Ensemble—"To a River" French Melody Lytle and Lynn Salkield Song—"April Fool" Susan Southworth Those receiving awards for competition in the music work were Verneal Dyal, Lila Thomas, Lynn Salkield and Phyllis Simonson. Several contests were also staged during the afternoon. The first was a spelling contest and the winners for each grade were Veiva Besson, first and second; Warren Chandler, third; Carrie Orr, fourth; Evelyn Carbine, fifth; Lynn Salkield, seventh; and LaVera Carbine, eighth. In the final Carrie Orr won first place and Evelyn Carbine second.

In the bird show contest Evelyn Charrier received first place for the girls, and Duane Estes placed first among the boys. Katherine Wagner and John Chandler were awarded the second places.

Beth Gubrecht received first place in the agricultural posters, both in livestock and poultry, and as a result Gubrecht placed second in both the divisions. In the agricultural note books James Voelz placed first in livestock and poultry, and Verona Dyer.

Following the contests and the piano recital, the Fruitdale Parent Teacher association held its regular meeting.

**Informal Banquet At High School**

An informal banquet was given Friday evening for the officers and chairman of the Associated Girl Students and home room representatives at the La Grande High school. The table was decorated with yellow carnations, daffodils and green candles. Places were arranged for 20 girls.

After dinner talks were given by Arline Conrad, Clarice Taylor, Atha Duncanson, Evelyn Carbine, Margaret Davis was in charge of the program and Elda Berry, of the dinner.

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**Young People Of Church in Party**

The Young Peoples' department of the Methodist Church South entertained the adult department in the basement of the church Friday evening April 1st.

Games by Dennis Elam were enjoyed by the 40 members present. The entertainment being suited to the day and occasion. At the close of the evening refreshments were served by Misses Margaret Wells, Velma Winburn and Clara Winburn.

**SOCIAL CALENDAR**

Saturday, April 2  
7:30 Talk of the Town Bridge club, with Miss Elizabeth Milne.  
Monday, April 4  
1:00 Luncheon club, with Mrs. Fred Holmes.  
2:00 Wakelita club, with Mrs. Alval Crowley.  
2:00 Art Ramblers, with Mrs. Clyde Seils.  
8:15 La Grande City Council of Parent Teacher associations, at the La Grande hotel.  
7:30 Neighborhood Literature club, at the La Grande hotel.  
8:00 Eastern Star Social club, at the Masonic hall.  
8:00 Gleason Girls of the M. I. A., with Mrs. Stanley Jenkins.  
Tuesday, April 5  
1:00 Mizit club, with Mrs. Fred

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Spaeth, 2:30 M. I. L. club, with Mrs. A. J. Van Valkenberg. 2:00 Neighborhood Art club, at the La Grande hotel. 2:00 Goodwill club of W. R. C., with Mrs. Laura Davis, North Greenwood St. 7:30 L. A. to the B. of R. T., at the Sacajawea Inn. 8:00 Neighbors of Woodcraft, at the Odd Fellows hall. 8:00 Bridge club, with Miss Alice Marquardt.

Wednesday, April 5  
2:00 Methodist church Ladies Aid, with Mrs. H. E. Dixon. 2:00 Ah Deith club, with Mrs. I. M. Hoyt. 2:00 So No Ho club, with Mrs. Florence Richardson. 2:00 Holomala club, with Mrs. Harry Hanson. 2:30 St. Peter's Guild, Honan hall. 6:00 Queen Esther circle of the M. E. church, with Miss Helen Hertzog. 7:30 Delphin chapter, at the Sacajawea Inn. 7:30 Rebeekah, at the Odd Fellows hall.

Thursday, April 7  
11:00 Friendly Corner club, with Mrs. Henry Hermann. 1:00 Luncheon club, with Mrs. M. L. Larson. 1:00 Jolly Bridge club, with Mrs. Ed. Moon. 2:00 G. I. A., at the Sacajawea Inn. 2:00 Missionary society of the M. E. Church South, at the parsonage. 2:00 Poppy club, with Mrs. F. S. Lyons. 2:00 Diversity club, with Mrs. Claude Puckett. 2:00 Safeway club, with Mrs. Dorothy Mathews. 2:00 Mary Elizabeth club, with Mrs. Eva Wiseler. 8:00 Thre D club, with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hoyt. 8:00 Fifty-Fifty club, with Mrs. Ernest Pauls. 8:00 Triangle club, with Mr. and Mrs. Don Gaily.

Friday, April 8  
12:15 Women's luncheon, La Grande hotel. 1:00 Lucky Dozen club, with Mrs. Charles Sting. 2:00 Westway club, with Mrs. Nellie Chariton. 2:00 L. C. B. club, with Mrs. Mollie L. Peeler. 2:00 L. I. club, with Mrs. Albert Wardell.

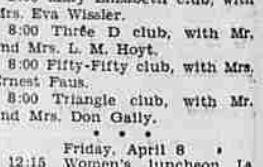
**New Petition Filed Against Long-Bell**

KANSAS CITY, Apr. 2 (AP)—An amended petition was filed in United States district court Friday by attorneys representing bond holders who seek a receivership for the Long-Bell Lumber corporation and its subsidiaries, an \$83,000,000 concern. The action was taken after Judge Merrill E. Otis ruled the pleadings of the first petition were insufficient. The judge allowed the filing of an amended bill in equity, stating he did so because of the importance of the case, and in a memorandum said it was his opinion, backed by the law, that the demurrer of the corporation attorneys to the first petition should be sustained.

Long-Bell attorneys have 20 days to answer the petition as it now stands.

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