

# LOCAL BRIEFS

**Child Knocked Down**—Mrs. William Koeter, of 2115 Cedar street, reported to police yesterday afternoon that at 5:15 o'clock a small boy, whose name was not given, hit the back side of her car and was knocked down. The boy was not hurt to any extent, according to reports. Mrs. Koeter said she was driving along Cedar street when the boy darted out. She swung her car over to the left side but he hit the back side of her automobile and fell down, she said.

**Small Fire**—The fire truck was called to 1502 First street by a slight fire at 8:30 o'clock last night. The blaze was out when the firemen arrived and nothing was used. The recall was at 8:40. This is the first fire alarm in several days.

**Receive Announcements**—Friends in the city received announcements this morning which read as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Leslie D. Lewis, of Wenatchee, Washington, announce a recent change of management with the arrival of Betty

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discussed plans for making the dining room and a basement play room for the house to be exhibited by the Camp Fire Girls of La Grande in May. Miss Margaret Milne, guardian, was hostess. The girls also planned birthday honors for the council fire which will be held the last of April. All of the girls have been invited to a birthday party at the home of Miss Violet Coggburn, 301 Main avenue, on Saturday afternoon, April 9 at 2 o'clock. Those present were Verna Ward, Violet Coggburn, Frances Millering, Marie Worrell, Nancy Lindsay, Maxine Noah, Virginia Smith and Mina Newman.

**Eye Operation**—G. H. Baker, of Cove, underwent an eye operation at the Bouvy hospital today.

**Elks to Meet**—Since Judge Ekwall, district deputy of the Elks, is unable to attend the installation of officers tonight at 8 o'clock at the Elks temple, he has appointed L. H. Bramwell to officiate in his place. Mr. Bramwell will be assisted by the past exalted rulers. After the installation the meeting will be turned over to the new officers.

**Regular Meeting**—A regular business meeting will be held tonight by the members of the Eagles lodge at the hall.

**Shows Improvement**—Harvey Patten, who is seriously ill at the Grande Ronde hospital, is reported as showing a slight improvement today. Mr. Patten was taken to the hospital over a week ago.

**Dorian Camp Fire**—The Dorian Camp Fire circle met Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock and

Caldwell plan to return on Sunday. Mrs. Playle has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, and of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playle.

**Has Operation**—James Nelson, constable of the La Grande district for several years, underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital Wednesday.

**Ill**—Judge U. G. Couch, county judge, is confined to his home by illness. Judge Couch has been very active lately in fostering the county relief work program.

**Returns**—Sherwood Williams returned late Tuesday evening from Pocatello, Idaho, where he spent the weekend transacting business. He left La Grande last Friday.

**Tourist Season**—Tourist activities portend a busy season here, with travelers from over all the United States already coming through Eastern Oregon. Four sections on local hotel registers last night, with Winnifred James and Dorothy Dickinson, of Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Judd, of Chicago; L. F. Wright, of Little Falls, Minn., and W. L. Hearn, Edwin W. Galtner and J. B. Hollenworth, of San Francisco, Cal.

**Men's Club to Meet**—Rev. J. George Walk, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Presbyterian Men's club tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Harold Finlay, 806 N. avenue. His subject

will be "Growth and Development of the Church."

**Recovered**—Tom Deborde, after being ill for the past two weeks has returned to his duties as janitor at the court house.

**Umatilla Senator Here**—L. L. Mann, state senator from Umatilla county, was in La Grande yesterday transacting business. Mr. Mann makes his home in Pendleton.

**BIDS OPENED ON 8 HIGHWAY JOBS TODAY**  
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considered the low bidder on the ten miles of grading, widening and resurfacing of the Merrill-Malin section of The Dalles-California highway. His figure was \$102,805. C. Nyberg, of Spokane, was low on the construction of six miles of the Durkee-Gales section of the Old Oregon Trail.

**Four States Bid**  
Bids were entered from Idaho, Washington, California, as well as Oregon. Seventy-eight miles of road will be improved with the completion of the contracts to be awarded today, with work in 11 counties.

The low bids on the projects were:  
Baker county: Grading and resurfacing Durkee-Gales section of the Old Oregon trail. Construction of 6.3 miles of highway roadbed. Carl Nyberg, Spokane, \$99,527; Johnson Brothers company, Klamath Falls, \$107,280; James Creek, Spokane, \$107,805.

Klamath county—Grading and resurfacing Merrill-Malin section of The Dalles-California highway, 10 miles of grade widening and resurfacing. A. S. Wallace, Roseburg, \$102,305; Kern and Kibbe, Portland, \$107,719.50; Saxton and Looney, Corvallis, \$109,866.

Douglas and Coos counties—Grading and resurfacing Endicott Creek-Mystic Creek section of Coos Bay-Roseburg highway. K. Leen, Portland, \$19,400; Leisch and Tofte, Marshfield, \$19,880; A. S. Wallace, Roseburg, \$20,400.

Curry county—Grading and resurfacing 19.43 miles of Port Orford-Euchre creek section of the Oregon coast highway. A. S. Wallace, Roseburg, \$60,700; Houch, Independence, \$48,600; Saxton and Looney, Corvallis, \$57,520.

Baker and Malheur counties: Grading and resurfacing 10 miles of Huntington-Slides section of the Old Oregon trail. Dunn and Baker, Klamath Falls, \$65,980; J. C. Compton, McMinnville, \$68,756; Wenn and Greenough, Portland, \$72,580.

Folk and Yamhill counties: Grading and resurfacing Boyer-Valley Junction of the McMinnville-Tillamook highway. Wren and Greenough, Portland, \$161,988; A. Milne, Portland, \$163,869; Joplin and Eldon, Portland, \$171,804.

Union county: Hot Lake-Union section of Old Oregon trail, construction of 4.9 miles macadam. J. C. Compton, McMinnville, \$21,610; J. E. Forbes, Olympia, Wash., \$24,512; Standard Asphalt Paving company, Spokane, \$24,827.

Wasco and Sherman counties: Dillon-Biggs section of the Columbia River highway, construction of 11.1 miles of macadam. J. C. Compton, McMinnville, \$19,772; J. E. Forbes, Olympia, \$51,888; Northwest Roads company, Portland, \$54,385.

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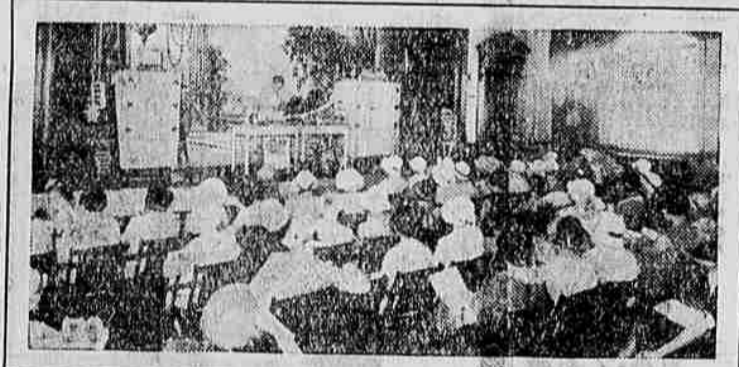
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**CONFERENCE FAILS**  
LONDON, April 7 (AP)—The four power conference called to consider the economic problems of the Danubian states will adjourn tomorrow without having come to an agreement, it was announced tonight.

**No New Cases Of Smallpox In Promise Area**

By Mrs. Bertha Carper (Observer Correspondent)  
**PROMISE (Special)**—No new cases of smallpox have been reported since week before last and it is hoped that the disease has run its course. The disease did not seem to hurt the younger folks so much, while some of the older folks were quite ill.

The Easter services here were called off because of illness in the neighborhood.

The Promise Mutual Telephone Co. met Monday with Fred Henning, of La Grande, present. A good many plans were suggested but owing to the small representation present, due to sickness, the business meeting was postponed until April 11. There is a strong indication that the main line from Promise to Wallowa will be taken over by the West Coast Co.

Ed Deaton is quite busy repairing the barn on the Hescock place which collapsed last winter with a heavy weight of snow.

March went out quite warm but left a record of storm, rain and snow. John Doud who has kept a record of the snowfall, reports 194 inches since the first of last November. This is mostly gone now only on the north slopes and in the sheltered places, and grass is growing and flowers blooming. The roads are very bad. The supply of hay here is about exhausted and the canyons are covered with stock. Most of the farmers will have to do their farming on grass feeding.

John Carper is confined to the house ill of the mumps.

P. G. Potter, Mrs. Bursell and two children, Faye and Arthur, were Sunday guests at C. P. Carper's. J. A. Doud spent the day at I. S. McDonald's.

Mr. Roby and daughter, Edna, visited at John Carper's and Winnie Roby and Myra Gorbett visited with the Denton girls.

Mrs. Theresa Teel and son, Vernon, are visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. Allie Smith. Her father, Lee Smith, went to Powatka Sunday and brought her over. Maurice Teel is serving on the jury at Enterprise this week.

Wirt McChinnis, who was taken from the George Brooks place last week to Wallowa, was suffering from an attack of appendicitis, but is now recovering. He is with his sister, Mrs. Harry Coleman, at Wallowa.

The farmers are all busy building fences, repairing buildings, trimming apple trees and all such preparatory work and will soon be plowing and seeding.

Fred Carper hauled a load of hay from the old Johnny Phillips place Thursday.

Mrs. Evelyn Moore and Dee Moore visited Wednesday at the homes of John Lyons and Howard Carper. They report that one of Howard's cows did quite a long way on the canyon over rims and brush but got up and walked away and did not seem to be seriously hurt.

Charles Moore has traded his sheep to Vesper Henderson for cattle.

Rolin Gorbett is sawing wood this week for Boyd Carper.

Mr. Thompson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Maude Bursell. Mr. Thompson is 82 years old and is quite hale and hearty despite his age.

Lacy Trump was down from Maxville Wednesday and spent the night at Boyd Carper's getting some potatoes. Boyd reports that his potatoes have not kept well. He had them buried in the ground and the heavy snow kept them so warm that a great many rotted.

C. E. Gorbett is herding sheep in the Wild Cat canyon. He reports that the coyotes are very brave and will come into a band of sheep and try to catch them while he is watching. The coyotes have succeeded in getting five head since he has taken his sheep out.

**Graves of Indian Warriors May Be Free From Vandals**

THE DALLES, Ore., Apr. 7 (AP)—No longer shall the white man ravage the graves of Indian warriors who once roamed the mid-Columbia coun-

try. And no longer shall the bones of the red men be disturbed by plunderers in search of invaluable trinkets.

Yesterday Indians of this section gathered together the bones of their ancestors and under the leadership of Sam Williams, 78, Indian missionary, carried the skeletons in boxes to an island in the Columbia river. The bones, including more than 200 skulls, were placed in two huge wooden boxes that served as coffins. Christian and pagan burial rites were combined in the funeral services.

After the ceremony the tribesmen burned all vegetation from the island and all traces of the new common grave and former graves were destroyed. Thus will the Indians thwart persons in search of Indian "relics." The island is near Big Eddy.

**Second Hand Husband**  
It's pretty well understood that there must have been something wrong with the second-hand car you buy or the original owner wouldn't have got rid of it, but women will grab a grass widower as if they thought he were merely a perfect husband whose first wife didn't appreciate him.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**WORK PROMOTION SOLICITORS NAMED**  
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organizations in the city attended the meeting held last night at the La Grande chamber of commerce, when all details were discussed and worked out.

Business men and women have offered their time to make the project a success, and they ask the cooperation of the citizens during their calls. Activities to foster business and furnish employment for La Grande's residents who are out of work can be completed sooner if householders and owners of business houses will make all necessary improvements, repairs and so forth now instead of putting it off until next year.

Harold C. Boone is chairman of the general committee and has been assisted by an executive committee, composed of Otis Palmer, Clyde Bunting and Roy Farnam, and enthusiastic representatives of civic organizations. The plan is not being carried on for the greater glory of any organization, and no small group will receive the credit for its success, but it will be a city-wide endeavor to take care of the city's problems.

The solicitors are:  
Clyde Zimmerman, Fred Henning, Cecil Myrick, John Garity, George T. C. L. Wagner, George Walker, Dr. Mark T. Phy, Oscar Warnock, Harry McCarthy, Dr. C. L. Gilstrap, L. L. Snodgrass, Otis Palmer, Norman Desilet, Oscar Johnson, Rev. Paul Mortimore, Glenn Wagner, Dr. R. F. Murphy, Dr. W. K. Ross, Jack B. Ferris, Harold Finlay, George Gibson, Andrew Loney Jr., R. O. Williams, M. G. Swain, E. F. McFadden, Hugh E. Brady, Ralph Clark, Roy B. Curry, Fred B. Read, Frank Finley, L. C. Morehead, C. F. Erbe, Dr. James J. D. Haun, E. McManis, F. L. Robinson, W. C. Perkins, L. P. Kingsley, Elliot Finlay, Edward Fitzgerald, Charles Playle, Gene Walker, Clyde Bunting, A. McAllister, Harley Richardson, Hugh Leonard, Claude Berry, Judy Moore, D. D. Miller, Clark Fitzgerald, D. W. Hall, Francis Greulich, Clyde Pennington, C. E. Gibson, H. B. Parker, Mrs. Hazel C. Graham, Mrs. Kate Hanley, C. R. Leighton, H. T. Smith, H. T. Edwards.

ante his work and is not responsible for the type of work he does, but is usually an itinerant who deprives other painters, who live in a city and pay taxes for the upkeep, of needed work. If one is in doubt as to the reliability of a painter, he is asked to call the chamber of commerce where the names of the reliable workmen are on file.

**RAYBURN RAILWAY AID BILL APPROVED**  
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prescribe just and reasonable rates, the commission shall give due consideration, among other factors, to the effect of rates on the movement of traffic; to the need, in the public interest, for adequate and efficient railway transportation service at the lowest cost consistent with the furnishing of such service; and to the need of revenues sufficient to enable the carriers under honest, economical and efficient management to provide such service.

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