

# LOCAL BRIEFS

**Leave**—Mrs. J. D. Killian and son and daughter left last night for Pocatello, Idaho, to join Mr. Killian who was transferred there about two weeks ago by the railroad. Mrs. Killian remained here until the close of school.

**On Business**—W. I. Pembry, of Portland, representative, is in La Grande on business.

**To Portland**—Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Kiddle expect to leave this evening to spend the next few days in Portland, visiting friends.

**Attends Commencement**—Mrs. Justin Beck, of Enterprise, attended the graduation exercises last night at the L. D. S. tabernacle in which her sister, Miss Beulah Sooter, participated. While in the city she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman, but returned to Enterprise this morning.

**Visiting Son**—Mr. H. S. Coleman, of Enterprise, is spending a few days in La Grande with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman, en route to Mt. Shasta, Cal., where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Patterson. She expects to remain here until Monday.

**To Pocatello**—Mrs. C. E. Thornburg plans to leave tomorrow for Pocatello, Ida., to attend the graduation exercises in which her sister, Miss Phyllis Joan Gordon, will participate at the Pocatello General Hospital. Miss Gordon has completed her under-graduate training there and will receive her diploma tomorrow evening.

**New Daughter**—Chief of Police and Mrs. James Steffen are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Monday at the Grande Ronde hospital.

**Leaving Friday**—Miss Margaret Carstairs, critic teacher at the J. H. Ackerman Training school, plans to take advantage of the two weeks vacation following the closing of training school, and will leave Friday evening for Lewiston, Mont. There she will join her sister, Miss Ellen Carstairs, and they will return to their home in Elma, Wash., for a visit of about two weeks. Miss Ellen Carstairs is director of music in the grade schools of Lewiston.

**From The Dalles**—Mrs. John E. Freund and daughter, Jean, of The Dalles, arrived Wednesday morning to attend the graduation exercises of Mrs. Freund's cousin, Clyde Drickell. They expect to spend a few days here visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Smith and her uncle, William Drickell.

**Return Home**—Mrs. Lloyd Young recently returned to her home here from Nampa, Idaho, bringing with her her infant son, John Alan. Mrs. Young had been with relatives in the Idaho city.

**From Milton**—Mrs. Charles Oliver, of Milton-Freewater, has been transacting business in La Grande since Tuesday.

**Visits**—Mrs. Clara Guyan, of Joseph, and her granddaughter, Miss Hazel Ruth White, have returned to their home after spending two days visiting Miss White's grandmother, Mrs. L. Ruth Hynearson, in La Grande.

**From Elgin**—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Z. Terpany, of Elgin, were in La Grande last night and attended the commencement exercises for the La Grande High school.

**DEAN JEWELL SPEAKER AT GRADUATION**  
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Stoddard, president of the Union state of the L. D. S. church, who pronounced the benediction.

Officers of the senior class were Nick Hughes, president; Miss Anna Mae Shafer, vice president; Phyllis Peterson, secretary-treasurer; Miss Joan Pidcock and Arthur Steffen, live wires; and Rollin Hensler, year leader. Miss Alta Lillie, Miss Eleanor Peterson, Miss Beulah Sooter, and J. H. Blunt have been faculty advisors.

A senior who has received special recognition is Carl Helm Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Helm, who has received a scholarship to Whitman college, Walla Walla, Wash., and who will attend there next year. The scholarship was last year awarded to Russell Nelson.

All students will call for their report cards on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

**Other Papers Say:**

**HAWLEY'S DEFEAT**  
Congressman Hawley has apparently been defeated for re-nomination in the Republican primaries after 25 years of continuous service in the house of representatives. His defeat reflects the popular reaction to the economic depression and the resentment against those in power elected on promises of prosperity that failed to materialize.

For nearly all of his 25 years of public service, Mr. Hawley was simply a leading congressman, unopposed from outside his own district and little known in Washington. Besides cooperating with the Oregon delegation, rather ineffectively at times, in post barrel raids, he had done little for either state or district, and not a single bill of national importance bore his name. But he had been a faithful supporter of the party organization since the days of Uncle Joe Cannon and hence assured his committee assignments.

Seniority, length of service, eventually landed Mr. Hawley as chairman of the ways and means committee which originates revenue legislation and the tariff bill bearing his name gave him national reputation. It imposed the highest tariff wall ever raised by any nation, accomplished none of its objectives and instead of restoring prosperity, contributed materially to the severity of depression by destroying American commerce through curtailment of foreign markets as result of reprisal embargoes it provoked.

This attempt to apply the old formula of the 1890's, resulted in the dismal failure that every economist in the land predicted. The tariff panacea had worked fairly well when the United States was a debtor and importing nation, but could not have other than a deleterious effect upon the world's greatest creditor nation which depended upon exports for prosperity. So the Hawley tariff, the inspiration of provincial statesmen and of greedy special privilege, stifled the machines of industry, defeated its author and bids fair to upset the administration.

Mr. Hawley's other bid for national fame was the rebating of hundreds of millions of dollars income taxes to war profiteers. His final achievement, the placing of the \$2,000,000 federal soldiers' home at Roseburg, was so ineptly handled that it aroused the animosity of competing cities. Meanwhile Mr. Hawley had permitted the Champoug memorial and other measures for his district to die in the house after passage by the senate.

Democrats are proverbially ungrateful, but we do not think Mr. Hawley has any complaint on that score. He has been amply rewarded by a grateful constituency for rather mediocre services by being kept in congress, with its salary and perquisites for upwards of a quarter of a century. He had not earned a life tenure of office for he has not progressed with the changing times and is plainly out of tune with the new generation.—Salem Capital Journal.

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**THE "REWARD" OF SERVICE**  
For 25 years W. C. Hawley has served the state of Oregon as its congressman. He has arisen to a place of power that means much to Oregon. Concrete evidence of the way Hawley stands at Washington came when he obtained the soldiers' home for Roseburg, in the face of determined opposition of Washington cities.

Hawley's influence in tariff matters, insofar as Oregon needs are concerned, also was invaluable. His 25 years of service have given him seniority and committee appointments that enable him to command attention in the house when he asks for legislation desired by his constituents. Does Oregon recognize the value of this power, prestige and loyal service? As a community it certainly does not. With election day four days removed, the veteran congressman does not know or care whether or not he has hurled the

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## OUT OUR WAY



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## Few Golf Upsets Today

primary barrier or will give way to an untied man, James W. Mott. The margin is so close that even though Hawley is selected as the party standardbearer, the results of the race will create in his mind a doubt whether or not such service as he has attempted to give for the last quarter century is worthwhile.

Mott, as corporation commissioner of Oregon, has done much to clean up fraudulent building and loan concerns and other corporations of a "shaky" nature. Claims of persecution, as well as prosecution have been made against him, however, and there are some who claim that Mott has been utterly ruthless in sacrificing others to further his personal political ambitions.

From this distance we cannot say which viewpoint is right. We feel positive, however, that Mott has not the legislative caliber of Hawley. He may achieve it through long years of service, but in the meantime Oregon will be suffering from lack of influence at Washington. And Oregon has much to ask in future years, with development of the mighty Columbia river in the offing.

Hawley, the veteran, may give way to Mott, the opportunist. Such is the way of politics. "Those who live by the vote" also die that way. — The Dalles Chronicle.

**Tropics Not for Whites**  
The white man can live in the tropics, according to a scientist who made a study of the question for the Smithsonian institution, but he needs intelligence and a rigid discipline in order to do so successfully. Life in the tropics will certainly become more comfortable as well as safer for the white race, says this authority, but acclimatization in its full and literal sense is and will remain impossible.

**Childish Playthings**  
A comprehensive survey leads to the conclusion that building blocks are the favorite toy for children up to the age of seven. Drawing and painting materials rank high. With little girls, dolls and housekeeping equipment are favorites. Sand and clay for modeling retain the interest of most children. Mechanical toys, on the other hand, are soon discarded. Adults usually enjoy the mechanical toys more than the children for whom they are purchased.

**Bunyan's Great Work**  
Before John Bunyan left prison he had begun his great book, "Pilgrim's Progress." Bunyan's formal pardon is dated September 13, 1672. The first issue of "Pilgrim's Progress" appeared in February, 1678.



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By J. R. Williams

## Low Prices For Hogs Result In Rush to Unload

**By G. C. Meek**  
(Observer Correspondent)

WALLOWA, Ore. (Special) — The prevailing low prices for hogs appears to be causing many growers to get out of the hog raising business as rapidly as possible. During the past several months an unusually large number of hogs have been marketed from this county and reports from many of the farmers say that at no time during the winter and spring season has returns been enough to cover feed costs. One farmer of Middle valley reports that he recently shipped sixteen large hogs and received a check for \$77 for the shipment. This rush to market also appears to be the case from many other sections of the county. A. W. Johnson who has charge of the shipping from this end of the valley in commenting on the number of hogs reaching the market at Portland, says that last Monday when a shipment of hogs from this county was held in Portland, approximately 5000 head of hogs were in the yards there at that time.

Several of the farmers in this community have been busy planting their potatoes, judging from reports from a number of the farms, it does not seem likely that potato plantings here will be as large this year as many times in former years. Reports also indicate that there is somewhat of a scarcity of seed potatoes, even for the small acreage being planted.

A number of small shipments of baby chicks have been received by people of the community during the past week or two. Cold rainy weather of the past several days has made it quite difficult for many to keep the chicks comfortable at all times. The ground squirrel menace is becoming more noticeable in many parts of the community at this time. Young squirrels have been making their appearance during the past two weeks and with much of the bunch grass becoming large and tough, they are moving into the grain fields from all directions. No large amount of poisoning has been done at many of the farms of the community this spring, but recently some have been purchasing supplies of county mixed poison and expect to poison at regular intervals from now on through the squirrel season to prevent as much damage as possible from the rodents.

Mrs. Nora Anderson recently completed a very successful term of school in the Onsay district east of Leap. She spent the past week visiting with relatives at Enterprise. Mrs. Anderson has been hired to teach in school district 40 for the coming year. She expects to leave soon for Hood River for a few weeks visit with her mother and other relatives.

Mr. Stowell, of La Grande, and Jack Evans, of Elgin, spent a few days at the Meek home during the past week.

**Bird-Banding Old**  
The practice of bird banding goes back to 1708 at least. In the winter of that year some people who were hunting in Sussex county, England, killed a cormorant. Around its neck was a silver band on which were engraved the arms of the king of Denmark.

**TODAY'S BASEBALL GAMES**

**National League**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Brooklyn  | R. H. E. |
| New York  | 3 0 1    |
| Clark and Lopes; Hubbell and Hogan, O'Farrell. (12 Innings) | 2 11 0   |
| Pittsburgh  | R. H. E. |
| Cincinnati  | 3 6 0    |
| Harris, Swift and Grace; Lucas and Lombardi.                | 2 8 1    |

**American League**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| New York  | R. H. E. |
| Washington  | 5 7 3    |
| Ruffing and Dickey; Crowder and Berg, Maple.  | 0 5 1    |
| First Game  | R. H. E. |
| Chicago   | 2 7 2    |
| Detroit   | 11 12 2  |
| Caraway, Gregory and Grube; Briggs, Felber and Ruel.  | 1 4 2    |
| Philadelphia  | R. H. E. |
| Barnshaw and Cochrane; Heving; Durham, Lisabee, Moore and Connelly. (Called end 6th, rain.) | 7 10 1   |

**SPORT FINALS**

**JOHNNY ROBBINS WINNER**  
PORTLAND, Ore., May 26 (AP) — Johnny Robbins, Alderwood medalist, defeated Ray Isaacs, a clubmate, 6 and 3 in the Oregon state golf tournament today, and prepared to play Lane Nichols, Lake Oswego in the third round this afternoon. In the next bracket were Joe Brown, winner over Russ Burdette, Inverness, 4 and 3 and Dr. O. P. Willing, Waverly, victor over William Crigley, Portland, 5 and 4. Frank Dolp, Alderwood, had a battle on his hands to defeat Bill Blaufuss, Inverness, 2 and 1. Doug Nicol, Portland, eliminated K. L. Hicks, The Dalles, 1 up. Young Johnny Boyd, Hood River, made Rude Wilhelm go to the seventeenth green before succumbing. Boyd finished four holes on the old master. Dr. C. Baker, Kalama, who startled the golf colony yesterday with a victory over Eddie Hogan, played another fine round today to eliminate J. Wilson Johnston, conqueror of Tal Boyer, Portland city civic champion.

## DOUBLE 'THREE-YEAR' MAN

BLACKSBURG, Va. (AP) — Alfred E. "Al" Seamon, Pontiac, Mich., student at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, has earned his letters in football and basketball three years in a row. He's a junior now, a member of the track team and was recently elected vice president of the intramural club.

## YOUNGSTER SETS COURSE RECORD

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Burl Boles, 15, played sub-par golf to set a new amateur course record for the difficult par 70 Rocky Point course here. His round was played in 67, one stroke better than the previous record set by his 10-year-old brother, Wesley.

## ANOTHER WOODROW WILSON

MILLEN, Ga. (AP) — There's another Woodrow Wilson growing up in Southeast Georgia. Right now he is in the fifth grade at Perkins school, Jenkins county, and his hobby seems to be writing poetry. He wrote a prize winner about eating vegetables for the state board of health.

## NEW MICA PLANTS IN USE

FRANKLIN, N. C. (AP) — Two new mica washing plants have been installed here costing \$15,000 to \$20,000, which have a capacity of about 10 tons of mica day. These plants handle scrap mica, which sells for \$7 to \$10 a ton, affording owners and operators a good profit.

## LA GRANDE WILL PAY TRIBUTE TO HEROES OF WARS

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women's auxiliary, the American Legion drum corps, the American Legion and women's auxiliary, with Company S, 188th Infantry, Oregon national guard ending the parade.

J. W. Oliver, one of the few remaining Civil war veterans in La Grande, will conduct the G. A. R. ceremony at the cemetery, three volleys will be fired by the national guard firing squad, and taps will be sounded by Mr. Loney.

Following the services at the cemetery a dinner will be served at the Knights of Pythias hall to all who participated in the parade by the women's patriotic organizations and auxiliaries. Committees who will serve the dinner are Mrs. Jessie Nelson, Mrs. Una Denham, Mrs. Effie Helvey, Mrs. Margaret Elystone, Women's Relief Corps, Mrs. Hazel Gramham, Mrs. Veda Fallow and Mrs. Minnie Bragg, American Legion; Mrs. Mae Gunnip, Mrs. Anna Platt, Mrs. Fanny Henry, United Spanish War Veterans auxiliary; Mrs. Lucy Buell, Mrs. Goldie Evans, Mrs. Eliza Neukirchner, Daughters of the Union Veterans.

The graves of the soldiers will be decorated on Sunday, and all veterans organizations will attend services at the Baptist church in a body on the same day.

The Observer will not publish an edition on Monday.



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