

## Senate Passes Huge Revenue Bill

### Irvine To Speak At E. O. N

### EDITOR WILL GIVE TALK AT GRADUATION

Baccalaureate Service Will be Held June 5 With Portland Minister Here

### ABOUT SEVENTY TO GET DIPLOMAS

Commencement Week Will Begin at Normal School With Formal Dance Friday Evening.

Commencement week will open at the Eastern Oregon Normal school Friday evening, June 3, and will culminate in the commencement exercises and president's reception next Wednesday afternoon, June 8. President H. E. Inlow announced today. The number of seniors in the graduating class has not been determined, but it is believed that they will number about 70.

### ISLAND CITY BIBLE SCHOOL OPENS JUNE 6

The Island City Community church is the first church to announce a Daily Vacation Bible school for this summer. The school will open next Monday morning, June 6, with sessions each morning at 9 o'clock and continuing until shortly before noon. The boys and girls of Island City and surrounding territory are not only invited but urged to attend this school, for which no fee is required.

### County Grand Jury In Session Today

The grand jury session, preceding the opening of the June term of circuit court on June 6, began today at the court house, Judge J. W. Knowles, circuit judge, announced today. After the grand jury session closes, the court calendar will be announced by the circuit judge.

### Ontario Woman, 102, Passes On Sunday

ONTARIO, Ore., June 1 (AP) — Mrs. Elizabeth A. Doty, 102, who had celebrated her last ten birthdays by running a footrace, is dead.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Oregon: Somewhat unsettled tonight and Thursday; occasional rains in the north-west portion; moderate temperature; moderate south to west winds offshore.

### WEATHER TODAY

7 a. m.—49 above. Minimum: 44 above. Condition: Cloudy.

### WEATHER YESTERDAY

Maximum 63, minimum 46 above. Condition: Cloudy, rain 01 of inch. Range—21 degrees.

### WEATHER JUNE 1, 1932

Maximum 83, minimum 55 above. Condition: Clear. Range—28 degrees.

### Excess Rainfall For Five Months 5.42 Inches Here

June Comes in Cloudy Although May Weather About Normal; March Wettest Month so Far.

The month of June came in cloudy and not exactly warm in La Grande today, with the temperature at 44 above and only 49 above at 7 o'clock. This compares with a low of 55 and a high of 83 above for June 1, 1931. Incidentally, a check of the weather records for the current year revealed that the rainfall for 1932 is 5.42 inches above normal for the first five months of the year.

### Co-op Creamery, Grain Growers To Hold Picnic

The Grande Ronde Co-operative Creamery association and the Union County Grain Growers will hold their annual picnics together this year, meeting at Riverside park on Monday, June 6 at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. A picnic dinner will be enjoyed at noon and members of both groups are urged to bring a basket lunch. Ice cream and coffee will be furnished by the two associations.

### Robert Ragsdale Elected Today As Student Head

Robert Ragsdale, Grass Valley, was elected president of the student body of the Eastern Oregon Normal school for 1932-1933, at the recent elections.

### J. E. Shelton Will Be Here Thursday

J. E. Shelton, of Eugene, state manager and Charles S. Gunther, of Portland, manager of the membership department of the Oregon State Motor association, will meet with members of the association in La Grande tomorrow noon at a luncheon meeting at the La Grande hotel to discuss tourist travel in Oregon.

### Otto Hartwig Will Succeed Laurence

SALEM, June 1 (AP) — Governor Julius L. Meier announced today that while he had not yet made an official appointment, Otto Hartwig, former head of the State Federation of Labor, would be named to succeed Arthur W. Lawrence as a member of the state industrial accident commission.

### GRAIN PRICE TAKES SLUMP IN CHICAGO

Crop Estimates Bullish But Sharp Setbacks Occur in Market.

### SENATE ACTION IS GIVEN BLAME

Tax of Five Cents on Each \$100 of Sales of Produce For Future Delivery Held Cause.

### CHICAGO, June 1 (AP) — Notwithstanding unofficial crop estimates the most bullish in years, grain prices today underwent sharp setbacks, interpreted by trade leaders as a natural response to midnight action of the United States senate.

Wheat today closed 1 to 2 cents a bushel lower than yesterday's finish and corn 1 1/2 to 2 cents down. July wheat at the last was quoted at 55 1/2 to 55 3/4 cents and July corn at 29 to 29 1/2 cents.

### TO SELL STOCK SHOW TICKETS

Union Men Will Be Here Tomorrow — New Arrangement Made Today

A group of five or six Union business men will be in La Grande tomorrow for the purpose of selling tickets for the Eastern Oregon Livestock show, it was announced by Tony D. Smith, secretary of the stock show association.

The tickets are being offered in blocks of three for \$1.50, and it was announced today that a new provision has been made whereby if a couple purchased a block of three tickets, using only two to enter the show, the third may be traded for a grand stand seat.

### LIONS TO BE HERE JUNE 4 FOR MEETING

Delegates from Lions clubs in the Eastern Oregon district and their ladies will be entertained in La Grande on June 4, at the Sacajawea Inn, with the La Grande club and auxiliary acting as host and hostess.

### Public Market Opens June 4

Most of Grade School Teachers To Spend Vacation in La Grande.

Summer addresses of the grade school teachers of La Grande, which have been compiled by J. T. Longfellow, city school superintendent, indicate that the majority of the teachers will spend their vacations in La Grande.

### LANE COUNTY WILL COMBAT SCHOOL BILL

Five Thousand at Mass Meeting Held at Eugene Tuesday Night.

### CONSOLIDATION WOULD JUMP TAX

Homer D. Angell, of Portland, Predicts Depreciation in Value of Much State Property.

LA GRANDE HOLDS MEETING A group, members of which believe that consolidation of the state institutions of higher learning would prove unsound financially and bring disaster to the state school system at this time, met yesterday at noon at the La Grande hotel for a luncheon and to outline a program by which they hope to be able to cope with the consolidation threat.

Representatives of Ashland, La Grande and Monmouth Normal schools and the University will meet in Eugene this weekend and H. E. Brady, an alumnus of both the State college and the University, was appointed to represent those who are interested in the Eastern Oregon Normal school and its progress.

### WORLD COURT PLAN FAVORED BY COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — A favorable report on the world court was laid before the senate today by its foreign relations committee.

### High Court Acts On Wallowa Case

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — Reviews passed upon by the supreme court Tuesday include: Granted — the decision that the Sevier Commission company, doing business at North Portland, Ore., stockyards, was liable to the Wallowa National Bank of Enterprise, Ore., for the sale of livestock in 1926 shipped by a dealer named Hansen.

### MAY BE CUBA'S PRESIDENT



Well-informed political circles in Havana assert that appointment of Dr. Orestes Ferrara as Cuba's secretary of state portends the resignation soon of President Gerardo Machado. Under Cuban law the secretary of state succeeds to the presidency when that office becomes vacant.

### Prohi Plank On G.O.P. Platform To Be "Liberal"

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — Postmaster-General Brown, a high counselor in the Hoover ranks, expressed the opinion today the Republican platform prohibition plank would be one "to which we all can subscribe."

### Army Balloon Wins Litchfield Trophy

OMAHA, June 1 (AP) — Officials of the Omaha Air Race association received at noon today from Lieut. Wilfred J. Paul, pilot of the No. 2, army balloon in the national balloon race, notifying them the bag landed at one o'clock, 13 miles north of Hatto, Saskatchewan, Canada, to win the race and the Litchfield trophy.

### Safecrackers Get \$78.69 At Dallas

DALLAS, June 1 (AP) — Expert safecrackers visited Dallas last night and dynamited the safe at the Farmers' warehouse, taking \$78.69 in cash and \$100 in checks behind. Clarence Curry, manager, who at the warehouse until 10 p. m. and the robbery occurred between 10 and 11 p. m. and when employees arrived this morning. State police are investigating and searching for finger prints.

### Stocks Rebound Hopefully Today In Wall Street

Bullish Movement Result of Senate Passing Tax Bill—Advance \$1 to \$5 a Share.

SELLING TEMPERERS RISE NEW YORK, June 1 (AP) — Stock market enthusiasm over passage of the tax bill by the senate was tempered by fresh selling today and the close was heavy. Reports that a large corporation with broad powers for stabilization was to be formed under auspices of Young credit committee were circulated in Wall street during the afternoon. It was said that an announcement of definite plans to this end might be made in a few days.

### LEADERSHIP RACE WAGED IN SALEM

Campaigns Under Way in Both House and Senate in Oregon Legislature.

### CROWD HANGS PRISONER AT PRINCETON, KY.

PRINCETON, Ky., June 1 (AP) — Walter Merrick, 48, was removed from the county jail by a mob late last night, and his body was found hanging from a tree three miles from here today.

### Colorado River On Rampage; 3 Reported Dead

BLYTHE, Cal., June 1 (AP) — The mighty Colorado, on what may be its last great rampage, swept through the desert today threatening the lands it has made possible to farm.

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At least three persons, all negroes, have been drowned and a seventh negro was missing near Yuma.

### Provincial Troops Crush Communists

HANGKOW, China, June 1 (AP) — Military authorities announced today that provincial troops defending the Wuhan district had administered a crushing defeat to the Chinese communists who have menaced the area for many weeks.

### Amelia Dancing Partner of Prince

LONDON, June 1 (AP) — Mrs. Abella Earhart Putnam, the first woman to fly the Atlantic, proved her prowess on a ballroom dance floor last night.

### Descendants Honor Memory of Young

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, June 1 (AP) — Descendants of Brigham Young, second president of the Latter Day Saints church who led the Mormon trek to Salt Lake City, honored his memory today on the 131st anniversary of his birth.

### VOTE OCCURS AFTER LONG, WEARY HOURS

Senators, at 20 Minutes Past Midnight, Approve Bill 72 to 11.

### HOOVER'S SALES TAX IS REJECTED

Tariff on Lumber Remains in Measure — Bill Designed to Raise \$1,115,000,000 in Taxes.

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — Congress acted to conclusion of its greatest peace time task today — that of balancing off a gaping treasury deficit. The billion dollar revenue bill, architect of the bridge over the treasury gap was returned to the house again and directed to a conference tomorrow between the two branches to get final agreement on the legislation.

### COLUMBIA DAM PROFITS WOULD HELP IN COST

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP) — The belief that the government will never be called upon to expend more than \$264,000,000 on the Columbia basin irrigation-power project, was expressed before the house irrigation committee today by L. N. McClellan, of Denver, chief electrical engineer of the bureau of reclamation.

### Veteran of Modoc War Dead Today

KIAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 1 (AP) — Major Watson Overton, courier for the United States army at the time of the Modoc Indian war, died here last night.

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### 50 Growers Are Signed Already By Association

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