

LOCAL BRIEFS

Fishing.—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Roberts, of Salem, were visitors in La Grande last night and left this morning for Walla Walla where they will spend a few days fishing.

Old Fellows Meet.—The I. O. O. F. association meetings will be discussed and plans made for the event at the next meeting of the Old Fellows lodge on Friday, Sept. 23. It was decided at a meeting held last night at 7:30 at the hall. Regular business was transacted last night.

To Sing.—E. E. Hurley will sing the offertory song at the next meeting of the I. O. O. F. at St. Peter's Episcopal church.

On Wedding Trip.—Edwin Haskins, of Portland, and Fay Culver, of Langford, who were married recently in Baker, have spent the past week visiting in La Grande.

To Enter E. O. N.—The Misses Laddie Shaw, Eva Rice and Naomi Raulston are expected to arrive tomorrow and to spend the week at Eastern Oregon Normal school on Monday. Mrs. Raulston will spend the next week with her daughter. They make their home in North Powder.

To Visit C.—Miss Virginia C. Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Williams, expects to leave tomorrow, accompanied by her father, for Pullman, Wash., where she will enter Washington State college for the coming year. Miss Williams attended the Eastern Oregon Normal school last year.

New Boy Scout Troop.—A new Boy Scout troop has been organized on the north side of town and will have its headquarters at Lane chapel. Herbert Evans, principal of the Riverside school, is the scoutmaster. Carl Coleman is his assistant, and Fred Geisler is the senior patrol leader. A board of review at which scouts from all of the troops will be examined for merit badges will be held Monday evening at 7:30 in the office of C. H. Reynolds.

From Portland.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeKalb, 1710 Alder street, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. George Ruby, of Portland. They also are visiting friends at Union and transacting business. They expect to leave the first of next week for their home in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Ruby are former residents of La Grande and were married here. They left several years ago to make their home in Western Oregon.

Return From Convention.—Among those who had returned to La Grande yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Eckley, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Swain, Jesse V. Andrews, Roy Curry and R. H. Huron.

Anniversary Meeting.—The anniversary meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges will be held Wednesday evening, Sept. 21, at 8 o'clock at the Odd Fellows hall.

Visit.—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O. Draper and children, Marian, Sarah and Edgar, of Seattle, are in La Grande visiting Mrs. Draper's mother, Mrs. Blue, and her son, Mrs. Nellie Harrison. They will remain for an indefinite visit.

On Business.—W. D. Marshall, contractor for the Union Pacific, was in La Grande yesterday on business.

Transacts Business.—After transacting business in La Grande yesterday, Mrs. C. H. Rogers, of Little Rock, Ark., left this morning for Portland.

Finish Testimony.—Attorneys in the case of Nancy Gann vs. J. M. Gann finished taking testimony yesterday afternoon before Judge J. W. Knowles, and the arguments will be heard later. Nancy Gann has filed suit to attempt to force the defendant to turn over \$5,880 which she alleges he collected for alleged services.

From Iowa.—Mrs. Jessie Bartholomew, of Des Moines, Iowa, is a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blockland. Mrs. Bartholomew is a delegate to the American Legion auxiliary convention in Portland and stopped off here on her way to her home.

At Baptist Church.—Rev. C. W. Cutler, chapel care evangelist, who is giving a series of sermons on soul winning at the Baptist church, spoke last night at the Pastor of a Soul Winner, pointing out that the successful soul winner must have a passion and zeal that make duty a delight and a privilege, and that the only way to acquire such passion and zeal is to acquire the machinery of everyday duties at regular intervals and "take time to be holy." Rev. Cutler will preach at both morning and evening services of the Baptist church Sunday.

Leave.—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Daubner, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. A. W. Daubner, left today for their home in Gooding, Idaho. Mrs. A. W. Daubner has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Gibson, in La Grande.

To Sing.—Sunday morning 11:00 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church Miss Katharine Winsler, soprano, will sing the offertory.

Books Opened or Closed.—Financial Statements and tax returns compiled.

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Fair Staged At Wallowa School This Weekend

By Mrs. C. A. Hunter
(Observer Correspondent)
WALLOWA (Special).—The Wallowa schools are having a community fair this weekend in the gymnasium of the high school. This has been an annual event excepting last fall when the fair was not held. The students have shown great interest in the exhibit and a fine showing of vegetables, fruits and domestic animals are on display. Different business houses in town have co-operated with the school in making the affair a success. The tinsmithy office and Pacific Power and Light Co. both have interesting booths.

H. A. Lindgren, extension livestock specialist from Corvallis, will demonstrate the cutting and curing of mutton Friday afternoon. Mr. Lindgren and County Agent Donaldson, of Enterprise, will assist in judging the exhibits.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Stuart, of New Plymouth, Ida., arrived in Wallowa Sunday and spent two days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McDaniels. Mr. Stuart is a substantial farmer and stockman and despite his 80 years, spends much time in the saddle and looks after his large stock ranch. He relates an experience that almost cost him his life recently when the horse he was riding was caught in quicksand and only after frantic efforts on the part of the horse and rider were they able to extricate themselves.

Word was received here last week of the death of Sept. 6 at his home following a long illness at the age of 74 years. Mr. and Mrs. Cameron are former residents of Wallowa and for years operated the Cameron hotel here. They moved to Rex about six years ago and have been running a service station there. He is survived by his widow who with the help of a nephew will continue the business at Rex.

Miss Lucile Evans is back on duty at the postoffice after enjoying a two week vacation.

Mrs. William Hamilton is visiting relatives in different parts of Northern California and plans to be away for several weeks.

Among the people from Wallowa who are in Portland for the American Legion convention are Mr. and Mrs. Beeson Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Purr, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hook, Dr. and Mrs. F. Jones, Mrs. C. T. McDaniels, Miss Virginia Hunter and John Bratton.

Mrs. Joe Crabtree, of La Grande, has been visiting here with friends for the past ten days. She is a former resident, having made her home in Wallowa for 20 years before moving to La Grande two years ago.

M. J. Beaver, of Berkeley, Cal., is here looking after business interests.

Mrs. Roy Henderson, of Promise, was brought to Wallowa critically ill on Monday. She underwent an operation for appendicitis Monday afternoon at the local hospital.

Jack Gregory plans to leave this weekend for Eugene to begin his sophomore year at the University of Oregon.

E. J. Rinker, who has been attending Buyer's week in Portland, returned home Tuesday.

Albert Curry, of La Grande, was a visitor here Saturday.

Howard O'Brien and his daughter, Jacqueline, and Mrs. Mary J. Holmes drove from Pendleton on Tuesday and spent the day calling on friends and transacting business here.

O. W. McKinnis went to Portland Sunday to attend the convention.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Williams, Mrs. W. F. Poole and Mrs. Earl Peffer motored to Elgin Wednesday to attend the meeting of Blue Mt. chapter, O. E. S. Mr. Williams is worthy patron of the chapter and Mrs. Williams is conductress. They will continue to fill their stations until election of officers take place.

Miss Constance McKinnis left Friday for Eugene where she will enter her senior year at the University of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mumford, of Pendleton, were called to Wallowa the first of the week by the serious illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Mumford. Mrs. Mumford has been a patient at the hospital for the past week. While still very ill, her condition is reported to be somewhat improved.

In the Nation's Infamy
When the first census was taken in 1790, Virginia was first in population, Pennsylvania second, then North Carolina, Massachusetts, New York and Maryland in the order named.

Sport Finals
GONZAGA SCORES ON PASSES
SPokane, Wash., Sept. 17.—A Palouse dust storm, borne by a 40-mile an hour wind, darkened Spokane's skies today as Oregon State's Beavers and Gonzaga's Bulldogs met in a non-conference football game.

Caring nothing for the wind, Gonzaga started its aerial offensive early in the first period and scored a touchdown on the second of two completed. Peterson flipped a short pass to Cassette, who led the score at the end of the first quarter.

A small reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, following the ceremony.

Wedding Ceremony At the Smith Home
At a pretty wedding ceremony, Miss Mildred Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, and Gerald Evans were married last night at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Park Park. Rev. Paul D. P. Mortimer, of the Central Church of Christ, performed the wedding ceremony. A profession of faith was read by the bride and groom. The bride was lovely in a gown of dark crepe and wore a coronet of roses. She was attended by Miss Elma Ames. Virgil Bick acted as best man for Mr. Evans.

Friends and relatives were invited for the ceremony and the wedding supper which was served at the Smith home.

TODAY'S BASEBALL GAMES
National League
FIRST GAME: R. H. E.
Chicago 9 7 1
Philadelphia 0 1 0
Batteries: Root, Grimes, Hermann, Smith and Hartnett, Taylor, Rhem and V. Davis.

SECOND GAME: R. H. E.
Chicago 5 14 0
Philadelphia 1 7 1
Batteries: Malone and Bernheisel, Berge, Betty, Adams and V. Davis, Grabowski.

American League
New York 6 8 1
St. Louis 1 0 0
Batteries: Pennock and Glenn, Cooney, Hebert and Ferrell.

SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. John Y. Richardson, State Regent Of D. A. R. Will Be Guest In This City, Accompanied by Mrs. W. House

Mrs. John Y. Richardson, state regent of the D. A. R., will be a visitor in the city next week, accompanied by Mrs. William House, vice national chairman of radio and state chairman of membership. The Grand Round chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will honor the regent at a tea at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. Murphy.

Mrs. Richardson was recently elected at the state convention in Portland and in making her official visit to La Grande.

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Miss Bees Duke, Society Editor

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B. P. Owsley, near La Grande, while Mrs. Hood was in Portland attending the National Legion convention.

Lee Ferguson, of Ladd Canyon, left last week for Portland where he planned to enter Grant High school.

At Wallowa Lake.—Visitors this week at Wallowa Lake have been Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. John Speckhart, of La Grande.

To Denver.—Mrs. Martin Spencer and her young daughter, Suzanne, have returned within the last few days to their home in Denver following a visit with her mother, Mrs. Edith Fay, at Union, and with other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Spencer has made a splendid recovery from her recent operation for appendicitis which she had at Hot Lake while here.

Conclude Visit.—After having visited here for several weeks at the home of their son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Moore, of the Moore orchards in the Iowa district, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clarke have concluded their stay here and returned to their home at Corvallis relatives who took them to the start of the way home.

Start Out Well.—Willowdale school in the Hot Lake district has a big school, 21 pupils having enrolled on Labor day when the school opened its doors.

Miss Pearce, of Wallowa county, is the teacher. The reception which was to have been given last evening in honor of the new teacher has been postponed until a later date, probably next Friday evening.

Substitutes.—Miss Frances McKinnis, of near Summerville, substituted in the lumber grade school the first of the week for Lee Johnson, of near La Grande, new teacher, who was taken ill the first day of school.

Directs Play.—Miss Beulah Smith, of near Island City, English instructor and dramatic coach in the Enterprise High school, is coaching a play "No Men Admitted" which is to be given by the W. B. A. of that place next Wednesday evening.

To Ohio.—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Spaeth, who have been living in the valley for the past year or thereabouts left the last of the week for their old home at Cleveland, Ohio, where they plan to reside in the future. The couple came out here after Mrs. Spaeth had made a number of visits here and to her sister, Mrs. Helene Lincoln in the Mill Creek canyon. They took a very active interest in social and civic affairs in that locality and made many friends during their stay here.

Return Home.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel, well known in this valley, her former home, has returned to her home in Muddy Creek from St. Elizabeth's hospital in Baker. Mrs. Daniel recently submitted to an appendicitis operation.

Takes Office.—Mrs. Albert Becker, of Lower Cove, was installed this week as president of the society of the Our Lady of the Valley Catholic church in La Grande. Mrs. Becker has been very prominent in this organization for a number of years and has been present at the highest executive office. It is asserted.

The Happy Hour Circle.—Mrs. J. E. Smith, who has entertained the members of the Happy Hour Circle Wednesday afternoon at her home, "Shadowpoint," in the Iowa district. There were twelve of the members present and one guest, Mrs. Jones. The afternoon was a happy one, spent more or less informally with the exchange of quilt blocks, visiting and exploring the Hulse ranch. Mrs. Hulse served some fine refreshments during the afternoon.

Young People Wed.—Miss Margaret Fisher and Clyde Bevan, institution in Joseph High school two years ago, were married last Tuesday at the bride's home in Albany, according to word received by friends here this week. They were both home on their honeymoon at Adrian, Ore., near the site of the newly constructed Owyhee dam.

Bevan, who is with the federal reclamation bureau, is a graduate of Oregon State college. Mr. Fisher is a graduate of the University of Oregon. They have many friends here who wish them much happiness in their marriage.—Herald.

To La Grande.—Miss Lavanna Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers, of near Summerville, has been visiting in La Grande. She is continuing her high school work in the La Grande High school. Last year she spent in California with her sister, Mrs. Wayne Gray and attended school there.

In Hospital.—Walter Cross, of Pumpkin Ridge, is in La Grande where he recently underwent an appendectomy at the Grande Home hospital. Reports as to his condition are encouraging.

From Middlewest.—Mrs. George McDonald, of the Iowa district, is expected home some time during the weekend from Minneapolis, Minn., where she has been the past three weeks visiting with her people. She accompanied Mrs. Hulse to the school of the Normal school faculty who drove to her home at Valley City, North Dakota for her vacation.

To Willamette Valley.—Mr. and Mrs. Willis Moss, of Moss Chapel have returned from a trip to Western Ore., having gone to take their grandson, Gerald Moss, who has spent the summer with them, to his home at Oregon City. They drove on down to Philomath to see their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. S. Alexander and children, who have spent the summer with them, are expected to return to their home at Oregon City.

Enter State.—Lee Reynolds reports that his store at Island City was entered some time Wednesday night and a check up shows that not much merchandise was taken. The guilty parties evidently were folks who were very familiar with the lay of the land, the burglar alarm system, etc., gaining entrance by cutting a hole through the wall in the warehouse.

Island City Aid.—Mrs. Orin Amson will entertain the members of the Island City Ladies Aid society next Thursday afternoon at her home near Island City. A full attendance is urged.

Make Improvement.—An improvement which is thoroughly appreciated by the people who use the Island City bridge, especially the school children who have to cross it by foot, number of times each day is the new foot bridge which has been built along the west side of the structure. The old bridge was never any of traffic there always made it hazardous for pedestrians.

Dates Arranged.—Among the most enjoyable social events held in the valley during the year are the association meetings in which all Rebekah lodges of the county share and in which visits to each other's homes are made. The program for the year has been recently completed and the several lodges will entertain the county group on the following dates: November, Summerville; December, La Grande; January, Corvallis; February, Elgin and March, Cove.

Guest.—When Ralph Austin came from Spokane last week for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Austin of west of Summerville, he brought with him his friend, Gene Barnes, who had a fine visit in this valley. Ralph is connected with the Old National bank in Spokane, while Mr. Barnes is connected with the First National.

At Dinner.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cramstock and family, of the Mill Creek canyon road, had as their guests at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Cramstock, Donald and Charles, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Mills and children, Dorothy, Allen, Lloyd and Gale.

"Oh, Ho, Come To The Fair".—Most of the citizenship of the valley is planning a trip to La Grande, either Tuesday or Wednesday of next week, or both days, to attend the annual Grange Fair and Home Products show. This project, an outgrowth of the fair which the Blue Mt. Grange has always been a large and very successful one, is of great interest and value to the citizens of the county. This year promises to be no exception. Besides individual displays, there are to be those of the Future Farmers of America, the 4-H clubs and the different grange organizations. Townspeople and country people alike, should and will give the fair a liberal patronage.

The "Eve" Demonstration.—County Agent Harry G. Avery, sheepmen and all those who raised the demonstration conducted in this county, Wednesday at the experiment station at Union and Thursday at Corvallis, were rewarded for the effort it cost to get to the meetings, by the two demonstrations had a very good crowd present to watch Harry Lindgren of the extension service of the college kill and dress a ewe, and prepare the meat for home consumption. After the animals had been killed, Harry Lindgren, livestock specialist from the state college, removed the hide, showing in detail where to make the incisions and explained the present methods of skinning to keep the meat from having the strong mutton taste that is objectionable to most people. After the first few cuts, the fists were used entirely in freeing the hide from the carcass and a very neat job resulted. A large number of men and women, including several sheepmen from over the valley, were in the

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