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Behold, God will not cast away a perfect man, Neither will he uphold the evildoers.—Job 8: 20.

## STILL A GREAT NEED

Although the federal government has broken all precedent in the extent of its campaign to relieve unemployment, it is still true that private charity occupies the front trenches in the war on hunger and privation.

This is made inescapably clear by the remarks of President Roosevelt and Relief Director Harry Hopkins at the recent relief conference at Washington.

No matter what the federal government may do, as the president pointed out, in the end the whole thing comes back to the responsibility of individual citizens and organizations.

And as a supplement to this there is Director Hopkins' blunt assertion that "I don't know a place in the United States where relief is adequate."

All of this, of course, simply means that Community Chest campaigns this fall have got to be supported as never before. The federal government can help provide unemployed people with shelter and with food. But that, after all, is only part of the fight. You may keep a man from freezing to death or starving to death, but he can still be everlastingly miserable if the job doesn't go any farther than that.

His children have got to have normal educational and recreational facilities. The health of his entire family must not be allowed to suffer. The deadly empty hours which come to a man who has no job have got to be filled somehow, and if the community doesn't provide some way in which they can be filled advantageously the man is very likely to go to pieces.

These are fields which the federal government can hardly touch. They are up to local agencies; and since most city and county treasuries are pretty empty, the burden has got to be carried very largely by private charity.

And that, in turn, can be translated into very simple words: we have got to dig down in our own pockets again this fall and winter, and we have got to dig down pretty deeply.

It won't be easy, of course. None of us will enjoy it much. But unless we do it in a most whole-hearted way the depression will leave scars which will be a generation in healing.

## Autumn Season Here At 4:10 p. m. Today

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ed their plants, but clouds formed later and staved off the threat of frost.

Rain fell yesterday to the amount of .05 of an inch, bringing the September total so far to 1.92 inches. Baker's maximum yesterday was 56, Dobo 56, Medford 64, Pocatello 68, Portland and Roseburg 62, San Diego 66, Seattle 60, Walla Walla and Yakima 60.

The weather forecast was for continued cloudy skies in Eastern Oregon over the weekend but with slightly warmer weather. Unsettled weather with occasional rains and temperature near normal were predicted for next week.

## C. A. HOWARD IS SPEAKER AT INSTITUTE

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for his remarks on the work of the State Teachers association. It is our desire to thank all participants in the program given in connection with this institute.

The services and accommodations offered by the La Grande High school in making this institute a success are much appreciated. We wish to thank the publishers of the La Grande Evening Observer for their foresight in furnishing copies of the Observer for distribution to the teachers.

Whereas, the efforts of the administration to overcome the distressing economic conditions meet with our approval, we hereby resolve and pledge that our individual and concerted efforts as teachers and public servants of Union county are placed in support of the NRA.

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## The Weather

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
Oregon: Cloudy, showers in northwest portion tonight and Sunday; slightly warmer in southwest and northeast portions tonight; fresh south and southwest winds offshore. For the week: Unsettled weather and occasional rains; normal temperatures indicated.

**LOCAL WEATHER**  
Friday: maximum 55, minimum 44 above. Cloudy. Rain .05 of an inch. Today: minimum 39, 7 a. m.—42. Cloudy.

## AT THE LIBERTY



George Arliss, whose portrayal of Voltaire hits a new dramatic high, will be seen at the Liberty Theatre Sunday.

Sunday-Monday: "Voltaire," starring George Arliss with Doris Kenyon and Margaret Lindsey. "Hey Hey Westerner." Technicolor musical; "Fisherman's Fortune." Sportlight; "Grisham McNamee News."

Tuesday-Wednesday: "Prisco Jenny," starring Ruth Chertoff and James Murray. "Here, Prince." Liberty comedy; "Shanty Where Santa Claus Lives," cartoon; Liberty-Observer News.

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.: "Adorable," with Janet Gaynor and Henry Garat; "Fatty Arbuckle in 'Hey Pop!'; "Manhattan Medley." Magic Carpet; Liberty News.

A new George Arliss picture for Warner Bros., "Voltaire," said to excel even his memorable "Drafiel" in magnificence, interest and dramatic appeal, opens at the Liberty Theatre Sunday.

This is a picture in which Mr. Arliss, recognized as the dean of actors in America, realizes a life long ambition to bring the character of one of the greatest Frenchmen to life on stage or screen.

Not even the life and career of "Drafiel" offers such a rich field for dramatic exploration as did the character and times of Voltaire. Produced with a magnificence never before equalled in an Arliss picture, "Voltaire" marks the high water mark of the star's career, outranking in importance all previous screen offerings he has made.

A stellar cast of able players support the star in this picture. Doris Kenyon lends her exquisite beauty to the role of Madame Pompadour. Margaret Lindsay plays Nanette. Theodore Newton, Reginald Owen, Alan Mowbray, David Torrence, Doris Lloyd and Ivan Simpson are others featured in the imposing array of talent appearing in "Voltaire."

## LOSTINE PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Magill left Monday for Chicago to attend the Century of Progress fair and visit with relatives and friends. They expect to be away six weeks or more.

Two boys from Wallowa were arrested Friday and appeared before City Recorder John Bratton, and pleaded not guilty for reckless driving. They had been to Enterprise and when returning home drove all over the road. About the Sam Brown farm they steered their car at some school children who had difficulty avoiding being run over. When they got to Lostine they ran over J. J. Chapman's farm dog, crippling it so badly it had to be killed. Mr. Chapman swore out the warrant for their arrest. They later changed their plea to guilty and were given a fine.

Lewis Olson has returned from Madison, Minn., where he completed his junior year in high school. He started as a senior in the Lostine High Wednesday, Sept. 13.

Wynthe Downs and Joyce Windings (both seniors), who have recently returned from Freewater, entered as regular students Sept. 18.

Other new students who entered the high school last week were Lester Adams, a sophomore, and Ellis Allen and Reed Wade, members of the freshman class.

## GOLD PRICE TODAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—Today's newly mined gold price was announced by the treasury at \$31.86, an increase of eleven cents an ounce as compared with yesterday's quotation.

Meteorological services in Poland are under direction of the government institute of meteorology and hydrography at Warsaw.

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# TODAY IN BRIEF, IN AND AROUND OREGON

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**"MISSING" COUPLE GET DEER**  
EUGENE, Sept. 23 (AP)—Triumphantly displaying a two-point buck deer, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pierce, Portland couple feared lost in the high Cascades, reached Eugene today, to hear to their amazement they were "missing."

**DECIDES ON HOME LOAN BONDS**  
SALEM, Sept. 23 (AP)—Bonds of the Home Owners Loan corporation can not be accepted by the state laid board in exchange for securities held by it as investments of the state school funds, Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle held in an opinion handed down Friday.

**RE-ELECT SAWYER**  
BAKER, Ore., Sept. 23 (AP)—Robert W. Sawyer, publisher of the Bend Bulletin, was re-elected president of the Oregon reclamation congress at the concluding session of the annual convention here yesterday.

**STARTS SORGHUM MILL**  
SILVERTON, Sept. 23 (AP)—A. W. Klopstein said today that his new sorghum mill will begin operation here a week from Monday to convert approximately 40 acres of sorghum cane.

**SALEM PLANS SAVING**  
SALEM, Sept. 23 (AP)—A saving of about \$22,000 compared to last year was proposed in a tentative 1934 budget for the city of Salem drafted by a citizen-alderman committee last night.

The greatest reductions proposed were in taxes for interest on and redemption of general obligation bonds.

**NORTH POWDER PERSONALS**  
Charles Nice is planning to leave for Portland, where he will attend school.

Lawrence Gray has been on a week's sick leave from the C. O. C. in Baker.

Mrs. Moody Coles and sons, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Haefler in Cove, returned to the home of her father here.

Eugene Bowman has gone to Moscow, Idaho, to attend the University of Idaho.

The local schools opened Monday with the following teachers: William Kratt, superintendent; James Agee and Beatrice Westhoff, high school; J. Maurice Adams, seventh and eighth grades; Lucille Hudson, fifth and sixth; Vivian Johnston, third and fourth; and Margaret Fuller, first and second. All were here last year except Mr. Adams, who replaces Robert Poucher, resigned.

William Hastings, of Waitsburg, Wash., visited last week with his brother, Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bailey, of Los Angeles, are guests at the Albert Carlson home. Mr. Bailey is assisting in the store while Mr. and Mrs. Carlson are making a business trip to Portland.

**LOWER COVE PERSONALS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and son, Clinton, and Miss Marjorie Alexander, of High Valley, returned from Portland last week.

Mrs. Foster and daughter, Grace, of Kansas City, are at the T. B. Johnson farm. Miss Minnie Cole having returned to her home in Imbler.

Frosty school opened on Sept. 11 with Miss Vera Case as teacher, for her fourth term and with 10 pupils. Miss Edna Wiseman is enrolled in the seventh grade. Grace Foster and Raymond Morris, sixth; Della Morris and Betty Koger, fifth; Lroy Childers and Betty Kight, fourth; J. Newton Fisher, third; Elda Mae Childers, second; and Marie Kight, first.

T. B. Johnson sent a load of cattle to Portland this week. He also purchased a purebred dairy herd sire for Mr. Ogilvie.

Lavon Koger left Thursday for Salem, where he will enter Willamette university.

Glen Hartley, of Nampa, Ida., is visiting his brothers, Ray and Emory Hartley.

A party was given at the Lee Childers home Tuesday evening, honoring the newweds, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Laird.

Mrs. Mary Chambers, 90-year-old pioneer, spent three days at the home of Mrs. Neil Kight last week.

## SUGAR AND FLOUR

PORTLAND, Sept. 23 (AP)—Sugar—Cane granulated, \$5.05; fruit or berry, \$5.20; beet sugar, \$4.00 100 lbs. Domestic flour—Selling price, mill delivery, 25-bbl lots: patent, 49¢, \$7.50; bluestem bakers, \$6.40-\$6.50; do bakers' blended flour, \$6.25-\$6.70; soft white pastry patent, \$5.65-\$5.80; bakers' hard wheat flour, \$5.75-\$6.95; rye, \$6.90-\$6.70; whole wheat, \$6.20; graham, \$6.00 bbl.

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## Phone Company Offers Service Without Charge

According to information in an ad which appears elsewhere in this paper no "Service Connection" charge is being made for this period between Sept. 25 and Oct. 9 for having a telephone installed.

Local telephone employees are rolling up their sleeves in preparation for a special effort to gain new telephone subscribers. "The replacement of a number of telephones in the past few weeks," reports District Manager F. G. Henning, of the West Coast Telephone company, indicates that as prices and business get better, people are realizing the need for their telephones to help speed things along.

"During the past three years many families, in an attempt to reduce expenses, removed their telephones, but found that such action robbed the home of a service that is priceless. Now that conditions and prospects are rapidly improving, people everywhere are having their telephones reconnected and again are getting in touch with their neighbors and entering the business life of the community."

"We are doing our part in bringing back better times and furthering General Johnson's 'Buy Now Campaign' by installing telephones during the period from September 25th to October 8th without making a charge for installation," stated Mr. Henning. "Everybody who wants now or additional telephone service should take advantage of the offer and place their orders during this period."

so many pupils and believing it to be more economical, the school has been opened and Mr. Brown is the teacher.

**Grange Meets—**  
The Wolf Creek grange met Saturday night at their hall near North Powder with a large attendance of the members—24 in all. Mrs. R. G. Cusick gave a brief outline of the products needed in the booth for the grange's exhibition at the coming fair. Some practicing was done for the Pomona grange meeting the last of the month. When refreshments were served, the centerpiece was a large birthday cake of Ruth Cusick and Laura Astell. The grange will hold a special meeting Tuesday night to entertain state master, Ray W. Gill, of Portland.

**Lovely Angoras—**  
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ritchey, whose attractive home near La Grande out toward the saddle hill road, have something very interesting on their place and something which we have not seen elsewhere in the valley. They are raising the white Angora wool rabbits and have some fine pedigreed stock. If we remember correctly there are about 40 of the beautiful rodents in the hutches. The wool, which we are told is much in demand for such fine material, is clipped at stated intervals, only to grow out again very rapidly.

**Countrywomen's Club—**  
Members of the Countrywomen's club will note that the meeting which would have naturally come this week has been recalled and the next meeting will be on the regular meeting day which comes Oct. 13.

**Conclusion Visit—**  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKinnis and children, of Tracy, Cal., and Mrs. Rose B. Stockton, who returned to their respective homes following a visit among their relatives, the various McKinnis families at Imbler, Summerville and Elgin. During their brief stay in this valley, a reunion of the McKinnis family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thatcher in Imbler when a large company of the relatives came together for the day of visiting with a potluck dinner at noon. Mr. and Mrs. McKinnis were accompanied south by his sister, Miss Frances McKinnis, who joined her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinnis at Tracy to spend the winter.

**Improves Satisfactorily—**  
Richard Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Taylor, of the Island City-Cove market road, is making a satisfactory recovery from his recent accident and it is believed that the sight of the injured eye may be weakened some, but it was not destroyed. It will be remembered that the boy, who is seven years old was whittling when the jack-knife slipped and penetrated his eye.

**Will Teach—**  
Hillard Brown, a graduate at the Eastern Oregon Normal school, has been elected to teach the school on Ramo Plate this year. This is one of the three schools in the Telocaset section and of recent years the school has been closed and the pupils transported to Telocaset. This year, with

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# LOCAL BRIEFS

**Visiting Parent—**  
Jay Kendrick is here from Spokane for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kendrick.

**Back To School—**  
Edwin Kirby, who will enter the University of Oregon medical school at Portland, Clair Perkins, who is a senior at Stanford university, and Packey McFarland, who is a junior at Stanford, plan to leave tomorrow to return to their schools.

**Attend Round-Up—**  
Mr. and Mrs. George Strain and daughters, Thelma and Wanaaruth and Lynn and Richard Smuts attended the Round-Up at Pendleton Friday.

**R. C. STOCKTON DIES IN SOUTH**  
Russell C. Stockton, better known as "Rusty," died at the veteran's hospital in Livermore, Cal., on Sept. 17, according to word received here today. Mr. Stockton left La Grande in July and went to California.

Burial was to be held at the Memorial National cemetery at Presidio, San Francisco, Cal.

**LOCAL COUPLE MARRY FRIDAY**  
Harry G. Mason and Miss Freda Adams, both of La Grande, received a marriage license yesterday at the office of County Clerk C. K. McCormick, and were married by County Judge U. G. Couch.

**TULSA O. ATHLETES MAY GO TO ITALIAN SCHOOLS**  
TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Five University of Tulsa athletes may exchange their knowledge of football, baseball and basketball for six months of Italian schools to study the athletic training established by Premier Mussolini.

The proposal has been taken up with the Italian ambassador at Washington, Augusto Rosso, and already has received the favor of Mussolini, according to John B. Tusa, Italian consul.

The athletes who would make the trip are James Small, George Willis, Robert Kahl, Blake Workman and Walter Casey.

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