

CONTINUE C. W. A. WORK INTO SPRING

FALL TERM OF E. O. N. TO END FRIDAY

Student Body Busy With Their Examinations This Week.

TRAINING SCHOOL CONCLUDING WORK

Registration at E. O. N. Fall Quarter 240; Winter Quarter to Begin January 2.

The fall quarter of the Eastern Oregon Normal school will come to a close Friday, and the winter quarter is not scheduled to begin until Jan. 2.

Two hundred and forty students enrolled at the Normal school for the fall term, and examinations for these are under way this week, and will continue through Friday, when the Christmas vacation period will open.

The registration this fall was a gain over that for the similar period last year.

A large enrollment for the winter term also is expected, and inquiries have been received from several prospective students.

The Ackerman Training school also will close Friday although other city schools will not close until Dec. 22.

M'COY TO BE MANAGER HERE

L. B. McCoy has been transferred from Reno, Nev., to La Grande where he will act in the capacity of manager of the Home Lumber and Coal company.



And Herod called his chief priests and his scribes before him and demanded of them where the Christ Child should be born.

SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

OPOSSUMS DISPLAYED AND YARNS ARE SPUN

There are several stories being circulated about the two opossums that are on display in the window at the Grande Ronde meat company.



WILL ROGERS says: BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Dec. 12—The best writer on the Pacific coast, Harry Carr, making a world tour and seeing all of the governments in action, says England is over the hump and going great.

Now that's the country that was held up to us as a horrible example, because they were giving aid to unemployed. We adopted it two years later than we should.

Will Rogers

BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE PLAN EXPLAINED HERE

Secretary of State Bankers Association Speaks To Local Rotary Club This Noon.

Proposed operations and intentions of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation which becomes active January 2 in the insurance of bank deposits of \$2500 and under throughout the nation, were explained to the members of the La Grande Rotary club at noon today by Theodore Cramer, secretary of the Oregon State Bankers association.

Mr. Cramer explained that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation is organized the same as any other insurance corporation, except that the board of control is made up of men appointed by the president of the United States with the comptroller of currency as ex-officio member.

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AMATEUR BOXING BOUTS TONIGHT

Fistic followers of Eastern Oregon will throng into town tonight to see La Grande's favorite amateur fighting men make a valiant attempt to blast their way to victory over the invading foemen from other points in the Eagles big relief fund benefit tourney of champions and near champions at the Sacajawea arena tonight.

From the time little Bobby Dougherty of Wallowa, enters the ring and starts throwing gloved fists at Francis McClure, La Grande junior flyweight amateur, until Big Ray Berney gets through with his setto with Stanley Bessey or some other mountain, the fistic fur will fly and there will be excitement aplenty for

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HERE'S ELMER



Yes, this is Elmer Layden, one of the Four Horsemen, who is the new head coach at Notre Dame, succeeding "Hunk" Anderson. He has been coaching at Duquesne university.

LEGION MEMBERS PLAN TO ATTEND BAKER SESSION

La Grande members of the American Legion and its auxiliary are making preparations this week to attend the conference of the seventh district of Oregon to be held in Baker Saturday, Dec. 16.

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NO ACTION ON LIQUOR HERE UNTIL LATER

Commissioners May Pass Ordinances at Regular Meeting Next Week.

With the new state liquor control plan not yet received here in complete form, the city commission does not expect to take any action on the liquor question in La Grande at its weekly meeting tonight at the city hall.

Any ordinances that are passed here must conform with the state law, and therefore, lacking detailed information on the new bill which was presented to Governor Julius L. Meier last night after it was signed by Fred E. Kiddle, president of the senate, and Earl Emell, speaker of the house, any action taken prematurely would have to be changed later.

So rather than go into that, the commission plans to wait another week. Ordinances for control of liquor in La Grande probably will be before the commissioners next Wednesday, it was said today.

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More Shipments Of Food To Be Received Soon

Eggs, butter, flour, canned beef and smoked pork will be shipped to La Grande in the near future by the government for relief purposes in Union, Baker, Umatilla, Grant and Malheur counties, it was learned today.

A communication from Washington was received by J. H. Peare, chairman of the Union county relief committee. No announcement was made as to the time any of the shipments could be expected, but this information will be forthcoming later. Two carloads of pork already has been received and distributed in this district.

AT THE NORTH POLE



WELL, I DON'T SEE WHY NOT! LINDBERGH'S WIFE WENT WITH HIM

Show Crown Won by Girl's Lambs



Everywhere that Katherine went, her lambs went right along. And when they went to the International Livestock Show in Chicago, they won the junior feeding championship.

"THE FIRST NOEL" STAGED AT E. O. N.

In Bethlehem in Judea the baby Jesus was born in the year one. Commemorating the birth of the Christ child, the pupils at the J. H. Ackerman Training school, presented "The

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JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

ASK INSULL'S SURRENDER HIRAM JOHNSON FOR F. R. QUAKE IN SAN JOSE ENGLAND PAYS \$7,500,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (AP)—A petition signed by more than 25,000 American citizens of Greek extraction asking the Greek government to deport Samuel Insull as an undesirable alien will be sent to Athens Saturday, the American-Greek Democratic association announced today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP)—Senator Johnson of California said at a press conference today the country must go through with the Roosevelt program or it was "going to hell economically." He again pledged support to the president.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Dec. 13 (AP)—A sharp earth shock that rattled windows but did no damage was felt here at 7:30 a. m. today. The shock, which lasted about a minute, was the second within a week.

LONDON, Dec. 13 (AP)—A check for \$7,500,000 is expected to be handed over to the United States in Washington Friday by Great Britain as a token payment on its war debts, it was authoritatively stated here today.

CIVIL WORKS DECISION IS MADE BY F. R.

Informed By Hopkins 4,000,000 Will Be On the Job By Saturday.

\$350,000,000 MORE MONEY IS NEEDED

Will Taper Work Off Between March 1 and May 1; P. W. A. Future Still Unsettled.

ABOUT 165 WORKING HERE News that President Roosevelt will continue the C. W. A. until next spring was welcomed in Union county, where about 165 men already are at work. It is expected that 336 will be employed when other county projects are approved by the state board.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP)—President Roosevelt will continue the civil works administration until ... (Continued on Page Five)

PASADENA CRIME SENDS PROMINENT DENTIST TO DEATH

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 13 (AP)—Dr. Leonard Stever, a prominent dentist and society man, was found shot to death today in a driveway alongside the Scottish Rite cathedral here. There were bullet wounds in his chest and head.

A cursory investigation disclosed no clues about the body and police concluded that Dr. Stever had been slain but whether by robbers or an enemy they had not determined. The dentist was about 30 years old. He had been prominent in music and art circles here and had been identified with a number of civic enterprises.

In one of his coat pockets police found a cryptic note and a possible clue to the mystery of the crime. Scribbled in pencil it bore these significant words:

"11 p. m. Tuesday" "The name of a Pasadena man, possibly, was signed but they decided to reveal his identity."

Examination of the body indicated that a watch and purse had been taken from his clothing. In the automobile door police found a key protruding from a lock but the door had not been unlocked.

Ten Men Working On Cove Streets

COVE (Special)—Work started on the city streets here Monday with ten men at work. This is a GWA project, the city being granted \$200 to take care of its unemployed. Those who have been taken care of by the county for the past year, or longer, were given work first.

The old board sidewalks are being torn out, will be gravelled and other necessary work done. C. W. Clark has charge.

Snow And Cold Fatal to 52 In Last Few Days

By the Associated Press Winter's weapons of snow and cold, responsible for 52 deaths in the nation the past several days, were aimed today at widely-separated sectors. The nation's most refrigerated area was a strip along the upper Atlantic seaboard. Greenville, Me., reported a temperature of 10 degrees below zero—lowest in the country. Bitter cold gripped the interior of Canada. At Docquet, Que., it was 40 degrees below.

Fifteen degree temperatures were reported in Pennsylvania and New York and the national capital shivered as the thermometer dipped to 18 degrees. Pittsburgh had a low of 14, and New York City's minimum was 15.

Snow was falling in the Great Lakes region and the mercury tumbled to 15 at Cleveland. Chicago reported a reading of 24. Cincinnati 29, Louisville 32 and Evansville 33. The remainder of the country enjoyed comparatively mild weather. Heavy rain making slippery streets and poor visibility contributed to the traffic accident toll in Los Angeles which counted six deaths and many injuries today. In Los Angeles 2.67 inches fell during the night.

Lindberghs Rest At Port-of-Spain

PORT-OF-SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 13 (AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh are expected to continue on their return flight to the United States tomorrow.

They rested here today after an 1100-mile flight yesterday from Manassas, Brazil.

GOVERNMENT REGULATION IS EXPECTED

Administration Studying Telephone, Telegraph and Radio Agencies.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 (AP)—The administration is making an intensive study of the communications problem with preliminary reports toward the creation of merged telephone, telegraph and radio agencies under strict government regulation.

A special committee of the department of commerce has submitted a tentative report to the president, who is reserving an opinion pending further study by the congressional committees involved.

The report sets out the three possibilities:

- 1. A continuation of existing conditions. 2. Creation of monopolies in the telephone, telegraph and radio fields under strict government regulation. 3. Government ownership of communications.

The preliminary report was stated authoritatively to tend toward the second proposition—monopolies under federal control.

This would involve, of course, a merger of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph in the telegraph

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Wheat Today

The price of local cash wheat stood at about 48 1/2 cents bulk today, according to quotations at the Pioneer Flouring Mills. Portland cash 47 cents.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13 (AP)—Liquidation developed in the grain markets late today, and May wheat dropped to about 4 cents under Monday's high point.

Wheat closed nervous, 1 1/4 to 2 1/4c under yesterday's finish, corn 1 1/4 to 1 3/4c down, oats 1 1/4 to 1 3/4c off, and provisions unchanged to 2 7/8c lower.

OREGON'S OLDEST WOMAN PASSES ON

ROSEBURG, Ore., Dec. 13 (AP)—Mrs. Mary Margaret Ehrhridge, who last October reached the age of 101 years, died in Roseburg last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Puchett. Mrs. Ehrhridge was born in Louisville, Ky., October 7, 1832, and spent the greater part of her life in California, coming to Roseburg last May to reside with her daughter.

She is survived by one son, J. F. Etheridge of Kansas City, Mo., and by five daughters, Sarah E. Brown, Kansas City; Mrs. George W. Kincaid, Deer Creek, Oregon; Mrs. Burchett, Roseburg; Mrs. Bela Callaway and Mrs. Ella Callaway, Bolivier, Missouri. It is believed she was the oldest woman in Oregon.

LA GRANDE STORES PRESENT MATCHLESS OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

DEPENDABLE SERVICE OFFERS HOST OF PRACTICAL, USEFUL, PLEASING GIFT ITEMS

By Bess Duke "System pays," according to Stoddard King, the late Spokane poet, and for the woman who budgets the family pay check before the Christmas days (let, you know) the local stores have amazing bargains on high quality merchandise.

Practical and useful gifts predominate in popularity among the Christmas shoppers too, and undies, frocks, house furnishings, cosmetics and other articles of wearing apparel will fill the stockings after the visit of Santa Claus on Christmas Eve.

The famous new doll has put new life into the Christmas season. Brilliance and color characterize the wide variety of gifts, their brightness enhancing their charm yet not detracting from the practical durability which is so necessary for the particular shopper.

Just dial-high are the new radio stools which are shown at Fitzgerald's Furniture Co. as the ideal Christmas present to the house. Antique walnut, rich in tone, is combined with luscious velours or silk rayon tapestry equally expressive of deepness and richness.

The pungence of sealed spice jars, the allure of the Orient, the brilliancy of crested, flaming birds are symbolized in the hand-embroidered Japanese dragon robes at the J. C. Penney company. Artistically woven materials, embroidered with Jacquard designs, are shown in red and black, exotic red flowers and birds embroidered against the black of the cloth.

The bizarre robe which was struck by the architecture at the Century of Progress Exposition has permeated modern design and in practically no place has it been used to better effect than in the new small radios at the Radio Music and Supply. A subtle stability characterizes the low priced machines of two-tone walnut which add a harmonious note to even the most luxuriously furnished room.

Blankets that snuggle around the shoulders, their fleecy softness conducive to slumber, are among the practical items which Montgomery Ward and Company suggest for Christmas. Satin-edged blankets are shown in plaid or solid colors for full sized bedssteads.

and Trotter's are featuring them among their Christmas gifts for men. The scarfs wrap around the throat double, the ends pass through the loops and fit down over the shirt front, revealing a monogram. Contrasting colors are fashionable, a white monogram on red wool crepe, blue on grey material, or brown on yellow.

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