

HUGH E. BRADY'S MOTHER PASSES IN PORTLAND, ORE.

Mrs. Rosanna Brady, mother of Judge Hugh E. Brady, of La Grande, died in Portland, Dec. 24.

Funeral services will be held at Tigard, Ore. on Wednesday, Dec. 27. Mrs. Brady was born at Armagh, County Cavan, Ireland Apr. 2, 1861, and came to Portland with her family in January, 1890, and resided in Oregon since that time.

Four of her sons served in the World war and her family has been prominent in the social and fraternal life of Oregon for the last 30 years.

Besides Mr. Brady, she leaves two daughters, Margaret Wilson, of Newberg, and Teresa Brady, of Portland; and the following sons, Thomas Joseph, John Edward and Leonard, all of Portland.

Silver Wedding Celebrated At Elgin Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Paxton, of Elgin, entertained at a dinner celebrating the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richards recently. Mr. and Mrs. Richards received attractive silver pieces.

Those present were: Alice Tracy, mother of the guest of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tracy and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tracy and children, Mrs. Amadora Sherwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paxton and sons, all of Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin N. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Dahl and son, Walter, all of La Grande; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richards of Baker, formerly of La Grande.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Dec. 26 (AP) — Butter — Prints, extras, 20c; standards 19½c lb.

Butterfat — Portland delivery: A grade, 16½c lb.; farmer's door delivery, 13½c lb.; sweet cream, 5c higher.

Eggs — Pacific poultry producers' selling price: fresh extra specials 24c, extra 22c, standards 20c, medium 18c down. Buying price by wholesalers: fresh extra 18c doz.; first 11c; medium 11c doz.; undergrade 11c; pullets 11c dozen.

Milk — Contract price, 4 pct., Portland delivery, \$1.70 cwt; B grade cream 37½c lb.

Country meats — Selling price to retailers: country-killed hogs, best butchers, under 150 lbs., 6½¢ @ 7c; vealers 90-100 lbs., 7c lb.; light and thin, 50-60 lb.; heavy calves 40 lb.; lambs 10-11c lb.; yearlings 4¢ @ 5c lb.; heavy ewes 3c lb. medium cows 3¢ @ 3½¢ lb.; canner cows 2¢ @ 3c lb.; bulls 4c lb.

Potatoes — Local white and red, \$1.00 @ \$1.05 cental; Yakima, \$1.25 @ \$1.35; Deschutes, \$1.30 @ \$1.40 cental.

Wool — 1933 clip nominal; Willamette valley, 22¢ @ 25c lb.; Eastern Oregon, 16¢ @ 21c lb.; Southern Idaho, 16¢ @ 20c lb.

Hay — Buying price from producer: alfalfa No. 1, new crop, \$15.00 @ \$15.50; vetch, \$15; Willamette valley timothy, \$15; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$17.50; oats, \$15 ton.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Dec. 26 (AP) — Cattle: 450; calves 100; steers 25c higher.

Steers, good and choice, \$4.85 @ \$5.85; steers, common and medium, \$2.50 @ \$3.25; heifers, common and medium, \$2.25 @ \$4.50; cows good, common and medium, \$2.25 @ \$3.50; low cutter and outlier, \$1.00 @ \$2.25; bulls, cutter, and medium, \$1.75 @ \$2.75; vealers, good and choice, \$5.00 @ \$6.00; cull, common and medium, \$2.50 @ \$5.00; calves, good and choice, \$4.00 @ \$5.00; common and medium, \$2.00 @ \$4.00.

Hogs: 3500; 50c higher for killers, packing sows 25c higher. Lightweight, good and choice, \$3.75 @ \$4.50; medium weight, good and choice, \$4.10 @ \$4.50; heavyweight, good and choice, \$3.65 @ \$4.25; packing sows, medium and good, \$2.50 @ \$3.35; feeder and stocker pigs, good and choice, \$2.75 @ \$3.25.

Sheep: 2000; fully steady. Lambs, good and choice, \$5.25 @ \$6.00; medium, \$2.75 @ \$3.25; yearling wethers, \$3.75 @ \$4.50, even, \$1.00 @ \$2.00.

SUGAR AND FLOUR

PORTLAND, Dec. 26 (AP) — Sugar: Cane, granulated, \$4.45; fruit or berry, \$4.60; beet sugar, \$4.30.

Domestic flour — Selling price, mill delivery, 25-bbl lots: patent, 49s, \$5.40 @ \$7.10; blended flour, \$5.75 @ \$5.80; bluesken, \$5.00 @ \$5.05; soft white pastry flour, \$5.40 @ \$5.55; bakers' hard wheat flour, \$5.65 @ \$6.50; rye, \$5.50 @ \$6.10; whole wheat, \$5.40 @ \$5.50; graham, \$5.30 @ \$5.50.

OMAHA SHEEP

OMAHA, Dec. 26 (AP) — (U. S. D. A.) — Sheep: 8,000; lamb trade not established, bidding around steady, asking higher; sheep steady; feeders strong; fed wooled lambs up to \$7.10, held higher; ewen up to \$3.25; feeding lambs \$6.50 @ \$6.65.

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"Let's put on our fighting clothes and back the president," shouted Edward A. O'Neal of Alabama, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, representing 1,000,000 farmers, when, as shown here, he opened the organization's annual conference in Chicago. Radicalism on the farm is dead, O'Neal declared, predicting a rapid upward trend for agriculture.

PETER ALLEN IS CALLED BEYOND CHRISTMAS DAY

Peter Allen, a resident of La Grande for about 30 years, died at his home at 1600 M avenue Christmas day. Funeral services will be announced later. The body is at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman mortuary.

Mr. Allen, a retired farmer well known over the valley, was born Jan. 5, 1849 and was 74 years, 11 months and 20 days of age.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Peter Allen; two daughters, Mrs. Dan Locke and Mrs. Dave Beveridge, of Portland; the following sons and daughters: Mrs. Linden Pitkin, Caldwell, Ida, Mrs. James D. Fitzgerald, La Grande; Henry Allen, Klamath Falls; Ezra Allen, La Grande; Ray Allen, La Grande; Heber H. Allen, La Grande; Elmer Allen, La Grande; Mrs. Price, La Grande; Hyrum Allen, La Grande; Parley Allen, Medford; Annie Messinger, Astoria; Maroni Allen, Nampa; Joseph Allen, Nampa; Hannah Allen, Los Angeles.

Cottonwood grown in the Pacific Northwest is in demand for the manufacture of matches in the Orient. Original growth trees furnish most of the supply, though some 35-year-old planted trees have recently been cut for this market.

MRS. PURKHISER DIES MONDAY AT DAUGHTER'S HOME

Missouri Augusta Purkhiser, 78, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Jones, at 1602 Seventh street at 5:30 a. m. Monday, after a brief illness. At her bedside were Mrs. Jones and another daughter, Mrs. James A. Dement.

Funeral services will be held from the Snodgrass & Zimmerman chapel Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock, after which the body will be sent to Portland and laid by the side of her husband, L. B. Purkhiser, who preceded her in death in June, 1921. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Walter Jones, of La Grande; Mrs. Bert Pitcher, of Salem, Ore.; and Mrs. James A. Dement, of Walla; two sons, Clarence D. Purkhiser, of Caldwell, Ida.; and Ross S. Purkhiser, of Salem, Ore.; a brother, William C. Salt, and a sister, Mrs. El Winder, both of Cincinnati, and 15 grandchildren.

Those wishing to view the body may do so at the mortuary this evening or tomorrow morning before the services.

"Lure Of City" Staged Monday Night at Eagles

The cruel, bloodless city that lured Nellie Barton from her poor old blind mother to a life of wrong was the theme for "The Lure of the City," a typical melodrama that has stirred many audiences to tears in its time, and which was revived Monday night by the Majestic Stock company, of La Grande, at the Eagles hall.

The first act took place in a Chicago court of morals where is first seen Ellen Blake, a reformed dope fiend, played by Ida Nebeker, Ellen, when given a chance to reform by the stern yet kind-hearted judge, played by Emil Geist, is taken to Davis Corners, South Dakota, by Abner J. Pinkham, a hick constable, where she poses as Nellie Barton and in return for a home gives the widow, Mary Barton, portrayed by Margaret Paradise, loving, tender care.

The villain is played by Elias Webb, and almost tears down their little house of cards but is foiled by Kate Weston, played by Betty Johansen, who proves to be the real Nellie Barton but who feels herself unworthy of her mother's love.

The hero, a minister, played by Louis Pinson, falls in love with Ellen and the play ends with everybody happy.

Nick Hughes played the role of Cassidy, the Irish assistant to the judge. Dancing followed the play.

The Majestic Stock company will present another drama on New Year's evening at the Eagles hall.

Standish O'Sullivan, Alaska prospector, uses an airplane to reach remote areas of the territory in his quest for gold.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Holidays Here—Mrs. B. F. Edlin, of Weiser, Ida., is spending the holiday week in La Grande at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lockwood.

To Attend Funeral—C. D. Purkhiser, of Caldwell, Ida., and Ross S. Purkhiser, of Salem, arrived in La Grande Monday to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. M. A. Purkhiser.

Guests Here—Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hartenbower, of Caldwell, Idaho, and their daughter, Miss Patty Hartenbower, of Klamath Falls, Ore., are guests at the home of Charles Playle this week. They are former residents of the city.

Students Here—Packey McFarland and Robert Stoddard, students at Stanford university, arrived in La Grande Saturday to visit. Mr. McFarland is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McFarland, while Mr. Stoddard is the guest of his brother, David I. Stoddard.

Visits Home—Miss Margaret McAllister arrived home last weekend to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McAllister. Miss McAllister attends Whitman college.

In Portland—Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Erwin and daughter, Miss Eva Jane, are among the La Grander who are spending the week in Portland. They left during the weekend to spend Christmas with relatives.

In Portland—Mrs. Ed Kiddle, her daughter, Mrs. Netta Eakin, and the latter's sons are in Portland spending the holidays with Mrs. Kiddle's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl.

At Condon—Miss Nora Myers, director of domestic art at the High school, is spending the holidays with her parents in Condon, Ore.

In Enterprise—Among La Grander spending the Christmas holiday in Enterprise were Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Taylor.

Visit At Shelton—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ebell are in Shelton, Wash., visiting for a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Scott. Mrs. Scott was formerly Miss Edith Ebell.

Visitors Here—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carrett and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Costa, of the Emily Lumber company, are visitors in Baker for a few days.

Return to Pomeroy—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Ripley were the guests of Mrs. Ripley's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Brownson, during the holiday weekend. They left this morning to return to their home at Pomeroy, Wash.

Christmas Here—Mrs. W. F. Park, of Bremerton, Wash., and the latter's brother, Edwin Kirby, a student at the University of Oregon Medical School in Portland, arrived Saturday to spend Christmas week with Mrs. Park's and Mr. Kirby's mother, Mrs. E. G. Kirby. Lieut. Park is an officer in the United States marines, stationed at Bremerton.

From Portland—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Carey during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gregg, of Portland. Mrs. Gregg was formerly Miss Hester Hopkins and is the sister of Mrs. Carey.

Home for Holidays—Dolph Siegrist, who is a student at the North Pacific Dental college in Portland, is here to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Siegrist, before returning to school. Miss Sally Siegrist, a sophomore at the University of Oregon, also is visiting her parents.

From Baker—Mr. and Mrs. Earl "Tige" Larson, of Baker, spent Christmas at the home of the latter's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Suydam, in La Grande. Mr. Larson is on the coaching staff at the Baker High school.

Holidays Here—Miss Ann Giehluber, who teaches in the Lincoln school at Pendleton, is spending the holidays in La Grande with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Giehluber.

To Return—Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Batley and son, Billy will return this evening from Twin Falls, Idaho, where they spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives and friends. They made their home in Twin Falls before coming to La Grande where he operates the Standard Laundry.

Miss Eberhard etc.—Miss Dorothy Eberhard, who teaches in the high school at Klamath Falls,

arrived Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colon R. Eberhard, and brother, Franklin, of San Francisco, who also is a visitor in the city.

To Portland—Mrs. Jessie Hoskins left for Portland Sunday evening to spend Christmas there with her daughters. She left following the program at the La Grande hotel in which the Symphony Singers appeared under her direction.

Visiting Mother—Harold C. Boone, secretary of the La Grande chamber of commerce, is in Portland visiting his mother, Mrs. Estelle Boone, during the Christmas season. He expects to return Thursday.

Return Home—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barbee and children have returned to their home in Nampa, Idaho, after spending the past few days in La Grande at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reynolds.

From John Day—Joe Zimmerman, formerly of this city, is spending a few days here from the John Day country visiting friends.

In Portland—Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Ralston and family are spending the holidays in Portland visiting relatives. They expect to return Wednesday.

Leave For Homes—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hayes, of McCall, Idaho, and the latter's mother, Mrs. Betty Harland, of Ontario, Ore., left this morning for their homes after spending Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chandler. Miss Marilyn Chandler, daughter of the latter, returned to McCall for a month's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. M. F. Chandler are sisters.

Returns Home—Earl Baker, of Union, who underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital several days ago, returned to his home on Sunday.

From Boise—Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Hughes, of Boise, are visiting relatives and friends in La Grande for a few days, having enjoyed Christmas here.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	.81½	.81½	.81½	.81½
May	.84 @ .84½	.84½	.83½	.84 @ .84½
July	.87½ @ .88	.88	.83½	.83 @ .83½

CHICAGO CORN				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	.44½	.44½	.44½	.44½
May	.50½ @ ½	.51½	.50½	.50½ @ ½
July	.52½ @ ¾	.53	.52½	.52½

PORTLAND WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	.72½	.72½	.72½	.72½
Dec.	.69½	.69½	.69½	.69½

CLOSE HEAVY IN STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 26 (AP) — Stocks showed little resistance to selling pressure in today's post-Christmas session and losses of 1 to around 3 points predominated. Trading was on the dull side, generally, and there frequently were wide gaps between bids and offers. The close was heavy. Transfers approximated 1,200,000 shares.

Closing figures included:

Air Route	98
Al. Chem. and Dye	144½
American Can	96
American T. and T.	106½
Bethlehem Steel	35½
Col. G. and E.	10½
J. I. Case	56½
Continental Can	72½
General Motors	34
Johns Manville	57
Libbey-O-Ford	34½
Liggett and Myers B.	73½
Montgomery Ward	21½
National Distill.	22
J. C. Penney	51
Pub. Ser. of N. J.	33½
Southern Pacific	18½
St. Oil of Cal.	38
St. Oil of N. J.	44
Union Pacific	109½
United Aircraft	30½
United Corp.	4½
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	48½
U. S. Steel	47½

EGG PRICES GO DOWN ONE CENT

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 26 (AP)—Cut of 1c a dozen in the price on eggs as announced previous to the holiday by local co-ops, now effective, was the result of further price cutting by so-called independents and outsiders.

Surprising volume of undergrades from outside the state were still being consumed by restaurants of Portland, to the detriment of the local trade. Prices on these were said to be little lower than what is being asked for the better locals.

Prices in the east have not held up as well as expected and local prices were a trifle out of line.

Receipts of fresh eggs continued to take care of current demand locally.

More liberal arrivals of butter and butterfat were reported locally over the holiday and the trade in general has caught up with its orders with a slight surplus at the moment showing. There was no change in price.

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