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**COUNTY FOR ONLY ONE OF 5 MEASURES**  
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W. Leonhardt, La Grande candidate for superintendent of public instruction, a handsome five to one lead over Forrest E. Danton, his opponent for the nomination.

Supreme Court Justice John L. Hand polled 2106 votes to George H. Bagley's 704 in this county.

The remainder of the county vote follows:

Measures:  
County indebtedness: yes 1286, no 1581.  
Criminal trial without jury: yes 1698, no 1494.  
State tuberculosis hospital: yes 1647, no 2161.  
State insane hospital: yes 942, no 2165.  
Sales tax bill: yes 640, no 2360.  
Democratic ticket:  
Congressman Pierce, unopposed, 1561.  
For governor: Martin 569, Mahoney 1265.  
For secretary of state: Shelton 174, Walter 1023, Logan 282.  
For superintendent of public instruction: Danton 231, Leonhardt 1449.  
Jack Allen, Pendleton Democrat, was unopposed for joint senator nomination.  
Fred M. Huffman, Democrat, and W. P. Ashman, Republican, were unopposed for the nominations for constable.  
For state representative: Chandler 455, Hull 1220.  
For county commissioner: Tucker 773, Myers 921.  
Republican ticket:  
For congress: Graham 387, Upton 781.  
For governor: Holman 351, Lonergan 153, Brown 271, McAlexander 114, Dunne 574.  
For secretary of state: Abrams 511, Snell 1013.  
For commissioner of bureau of labor: Anderson 511, Gram 886.  
For state senator: Bean 715, Richards 626.  
For county commissioner: Ledbetter 949, Watkins 589.  
Less than a 50 per cent vote was cast in Union county, although a few precincts cast a little more than half of their registered votes.

**LEONHARDT IN RACE FOR DM. NOMINATION**  
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Earlier in the day Leonhardt was leading by less than 500 votes. Charles A. Howard, incumbent, was unopposed for the Republican nomination.

In Union county, Leonhardt was given a majority of 1192 votes over Danton.

**UPTON WILL FACE PIERCE IN NOVEMBER**  
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One of these candidates will be elected in November to fill the place be-

**The Weather**

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
Oregon: Cloudy with showers in northwest portion tonight or Sunday; moderate temperature; moderate south wind offshore.  
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**About Stamps**  
By Elza Martin, Well Known Stamp Authority

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Of the Mother's day stamps there were 11,600,000 flat-bed printed and from the rotary plates 215,433,300. The flat-bed stamps were used first and supplies were sent to Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico and Virgin Islands. Also many were used by the Washington post office on first day covers. The issue of flat-bed stamps will not be plentiful and as an investment they can be expected to yield the most return for the money.

The above figures represent the total number of stamps printed and from which the spoilage in printing must be deducted. The flat-bed stamps have straight edges on two sides of the sheet, which make 14 per cent of the sheet of stamps worthless for collecting purposes.

There has been reported a new design of stamps to be used for parcel post in Belgium. The central design of the stamp is a locomotive.

A General Van Steuben commemorative stamp was issued in commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of General Van Steuben and in recognition of the exceptional services rendered the colonial cause during the Revolutionary war in drilling and organizing the army. The stamp is of the same size and shape as the regular issue and is printed in red ink. Across the top of the stamp is arranged in two lines in a curved panel are the words "United States Postage" in white Roman letters. Extending below the panel is a vertically striped background, the upper border of which is composed of narrow scrolls. In both lower corners appear the white numeral "2." In a dark panel connecting the circles is the word "CENTS" in white Roman letters. Arising from each circle on the right and left is a scroll which lends support to the large circular medallion in the central portion of the stamp bearing the raised head and bust of Von Steuben modeled from a medal. In a semi-circle along the upper edge of the central medallion is the wording "1780—General Van Steuben—1830" in Roman type. This stamp was first placed on sale Sept. 17, 1930, at New York, N. Y. The issue was 66,487,000 stamps.

**PERKINS AUTO BUSINESS TO NEW LOCATION**  
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Mr. Perkins has builded here with his Ford sales and service a most enviable position in automobile business, not only in this section but throughout the state.

**USING 'LEFTOVERS'**

Leftover cooked meat or fish can be served creamed, scalloped, in salad or sandwiches, sliced cold in croquettes, heated in small amount of gravy, used for pies or made into dry or moist hash.

Fredling tests at North Carolina State college show a 30 - pound pig can become a 200-pond hog in about 20 weeks.

Seasonal sales of farm fertilizer in Mississippi are about double those for the same period last year.

Livestock breeders advise that calves be fed whole milk the first two weeks to assure them a good start in life.

**In Washington**

By Herbert Plummer  
**WASHINGTON**—The rumor that there's to be another important change in President Roosevelt's cabinet continues to circulate among those who profess to have a knowledge of what goes on inside.

The most persistent report is that Secretary Morgenthau will leave the treasury, possibly for some choice diplomatic post in Europe.

Those intimately acquainted with the secretary of quick to discount the idea. They say he is happy where he is, that he has no desire to leave.

One person, who should know if anyone does, says that Morgenthau was offered an ambassadorship by the president immediately after the election. He is said to have declined with thanks, declaring he preferred to remain in Washington where things were happening rather than to be stuck away in some foreign country where he must rely on cables and the newspapers to keep up with the progress of the "new deal."

So far as is known there have been no indications he has changed his mind.

**Senatorial Leader**

And speaking of leaders, the absence of Joe Robinson, democratic leader of the senate, for a week or so recently, was sorely felt in the senate. For days the senators floundered around. That rarely happens when Robinson is there. He may have his faults, but when he is on deck he keeps things moving even if he has to resort to slave-driving tactics.

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beneficence goes unappreciated and unwarded, for the mountain folk believe her a witch.

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Copy for this Column must be in by 9 a. m.

**DANCE TONIGHT**  
At Goodrich's Hall, Union. Auxiliaries of American Legion. 5-19-11

Passenger flights at Airport tomorrow. Those interested in flying lessons inquire of Geo. Puls, Airport. 5-19-11p

Special meeting of La Grande Chapter No. 9, R. A. M., on Tuesday evening, May 22, with work in the R. A. M. degree. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. to which all resident and visiting members are invited as guests of the chapter. C. M. HUMPHREYS, Secretary 5-19-21

**FOR RENT**  
Beautifully furnished apartments at La Grande Hotel. 5-19-15

**AN ANNOUNCEMENT**  
Everything has been changed around and hundreds of things suitable as gifts for the Girl and Boy Graduates are now on display at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop. You will enjoy seeing the many new things which every girl and boy likes for their graduation gifts at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop. See their windows for suggestions. 5-14-5 f.

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON.**  
In the Matter of Carl W. Cook, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Carl W. Cook, of La Grande, Union County, in the State and District aforesaid.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the said Carl W. Cook was duly adjudicated bankrupt by the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on May 17th, 1934, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of H. E. Dixon, referee, La Grande, Oregon, on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

H. E. DIXON,  
Referee in Bankruptcy  
(All claims must be sworn to on bankruptcy blanks before filing.) 5-19-11

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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
On Monday the 18th day of June, 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the court house in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, I will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Union County, Oregon, to-wit:

All of the W 1/2 of the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 32, T. 2 S., R. 38 E., W. 2 M., except the right and privilege for the heirs and assigns of John E. Hough and wife, and Nesley Ditch Company, to convey water through said premises for irrigation and domestic purposes, and also 20 feet off the West side thereof for road purposes, together with the easements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. Said sale is made under execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County, to me directed, in the case of Julius L. Meier, Governor, P. J. Stadelman, Secretary of State, and Rufus C. Holman, State Treasurer, complaining the State Land Board of the State of Oregon, plaintiffs, vs. Carl W. Cook, C. M. Allstott, Julia C. Loftus, Ayers Jennings and Effie Jennings, his wife, Union County, Oregon, a municipal corporation, School District No. 27 of Union County, Oregon, a municipal corporation, and all persons unknown claiming any right, title or interest in the said real estate, defendants. Dated this 19th day of May, 1934.

**JESSE BRESHEARS,**  
Sheriff of Union County, Oregon  
May 19, 20, June 2, 9 and 16

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of Washington, in the District of Columbia, as the State of Oregon, made in the insurance commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law.

**Income.**

Total premium income for the year	\$9,351,597.05
Interest on investments	1,120,000.00
Dividends received during the year	2,560,704.29
Income from other sources	634,522.86
Income during the year	\$13,666,824.20
Total income	\$12,982,584.69

**Disbursements.**

Paid for losses, endorsements, annuities and surrenders	\$5,550,671.42
Expenses for salaries, rent, interest, etc.	1,120,398.60
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	1,512,076.65
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	222,783.59
Amount of all other expenditures	1,089,085.27
Total expenditures	\$9,465,925.53

**Assets.**

Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$5,794,212.76
Value of stock owned	2,200,000.00
Value of bonds and mortgages owned	4,201,670.85
Loans on mortgages and collateral	20,472,147.22
Premium notes on hand	10,702,542.74
Cash in banks and on hand	1,920,712.53
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	3,428,252.72
Interest and rents due and accrued	879,211.98
Other assets (net)	12,000.88
Total assets	\$61,704,172.43

**Less amount due reinsurance companies** \$4,602.85

**Less reserve for possible losses on uncollected notes and loans and real estate** \$10,000.00

**Total admitted assets** \$51,127,569.58

**Liabilities.**

Net reserves	\$46,617,369.59
Gross claims for losses unpaid	297,080.56
All other liabilities	2,589,099.29
Total liabilities	\$49,503,549.44
Surplus over all liabilities	\$1,307,644.13
Surplus as regards policy holders	\$3,207,644.13
Net	\$1,307,644.13
Total	\$51,127,569.58

**Business in Oregon for the Year.**

Gross premiums received during the year	\$196,930.28
Premiums and dividends returned during the year	\$1,287,644.13
Losses paid during the year	\$1,920,712.53
Name of company: Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Company	
Name of president: William Montgomery	
Name of secretary: J. E. Egan	
Statutory resident attorney for service, insurance commissioner:	

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The Auxiliary to the Old-Timers club will give a benefit card party at the club rooms in the depot Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Public invited. 5-18-2 f.

**SCHOOL CHILDREN**  
You can get scratch paper for school at the Observer, Nov 2 pds 6c. 5-14-1 f.

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**CITATION**  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County. In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Chestnut, Deceased.

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