

Grant Critchfield is in from Catlow.

William Stirling took his departure this morning for Portland on a short business trip.

Scott and Pete Haley are up from their home near Malheur Lake. Scott says they had a hard rain down there the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loid Crandall are expected here from Vale this evening to visit for a few days with relatives and friends. Mrs. Crandall was formerly Chespa King.

Harry and Ross Spry are here from Nampa where they have been living for the past several months. They are here on some business and expect to return to Idaho in a few days.

Mrs. E. J. Newell called at this office this morning. She stated they had disposed of what personal property they desired to sell and she and Mr. Newell expect to leave tomorrow for Montour, Idaho, where they will make their home on a ranch which they recently purchased.

Several of the boys are under the impression that the sage hen season opens next Monday but this is a mistake. A special law governing this and two adjoining counties prevents our shooting chickens before the first of August, according to the district attorney.

Frank Keuny was in town the other day from his flocks and ranches.

W. T. Lester arrived home yesterday afternoon from Portland where he had been a witness in court.

C. S. Green, in charge of the sheep of the Eastern Oregon Live Stock Co., with headquarters in the Catlow country, was in the city yesterday.

Everything a newspaper man has to buy is higher than ever before and yet he has to get out the same size paper for the same money and is expected to give his space freely to all causes for war or otherwise. This last week the postage rates on second class matter was raised and this is an additional burden that must be loaded onto him. It might be well to consider an advance in subscription and advertising rates.

Harney county is not "over the top" yet on War Saving Stamps. We must all hustle to make our quota. It is going to take the stipulated amount from each of us and then some to bring Harney county up to 100 per cent. Many of our citizens are not able to subscribe for the limit and then too, so many are gone away to war, the ship yards, the harvest fields on the outside where they have crops, that it is a hard job for us to pull through. We must keep digging.

SAW REAL TRAGEDY

Movie Spectators Were Treated to Two Shows.

One Among the Audience Might Almost Be Called a Comedy, Unless One Had to Pay for Crushed Headgear.

My seat was directly behind those occupied by the trio who figured in a serio-comic accident that convulsed nearby spectators in a Broadway moving picture theater the other afternoon. I therefore am able to tell just what happened and give details that must have puzzled persons sitting a little farther away.

The two women were loaded down with parcels and small packages when, right in the middle of a thrilling drama they slowly and cautiously fitted themselves into two orchestra chairs near the middle aisle.

It was a tight fit, for neither of the ladies could be described as sylphlike in form, and the armfuls of purchased bundles contributed in no way to facilitate adjustment of the generous cargo nature previously entrusted to each. Parcels of various sizes slid from their knees into recesses under the seats in front and slipped into the aisle from the lap of one who sat nearest to it.

The theater was in semidarkness, and it was only by the groping of many hands, in response to whispered appeals, that the troubles of diligent hours spent in shopping were returned to them. They then apparently for the first time discovered that the adjoining seat—third from the aisle—was unoccupied, and into it they dumped their bundles and their hats.

Quiet in the immediate vicinity had scarcely been restored when a stout, middle-aged man arrived with coupon calling for the seat they had just converted into a sort of family catch-all. Regardless of their exclamations of despair he inched his way in, while they with frantic haste struggled to clear off the place upon which he was to sit.

Peace finally descended again upon the neighborhood, and we had given ourselves up to undisturbed wonder concerning the fate of the film heroine should the villain penetrate her disguise as a French artillery officer, when one of the package-laden women said to the other:

"Mercy! I promised to be home by five o'clock. Lucy is going out and I forgot all about it."

While the speaker, who sat nearest the aisle, arranged her hat and pierced it with a couple of pins, her companion struggled to convert the fruits of their shopping into two portable pyramids. Suddenly she uttered a little scream, and then whispered to her friend in awe-stricken tones, "I can't find my hat. I believe that man is sitting on it."

"Gracious goodness," said the other. "Ask him."

"I can't do it," said her friend. "You ask him."

Thus appealed to, the holder of the two turned to the man, who appeared to have heard nothing of their conversation, and said:

"I think you are sitting on this lady's hat."

"I am not doing anything of the sort; why should I?" was the amazing reply she received.

"Sit down," cried several voices to the hatted and hatless ones, from whose arms bundles again began to leak.

"I am not sitting on your hat, ma'am," said the suspected male, "but if it will do you any good, I'll prove it."

Then he arose, and from under his ponderous body the hatless woman removed what had once been a towering millinery creation, with twin plumes soaring aloft, but which was now only a pancake of cloth and feathers.

A wave of mingled applause and protestation swept that part of the theater, as the shoppers departed, pausing every few feet to recapture some meandering parcel.—Madge Arthur, in Buffalo Courier.

B. C. 55.

"The next morning, as treacherous and hypocritical as ever, a large company of Germans, which included all the principal and senior men, came to his quarters, with a double object—to clear themselves (so they alleged) for engaging in a battle the day before contrary to the agreement and to their own request therein, and also by deceit to get what they could in respect of the truce." This is not an extract from an account of current happenings in Russia between that country and Germany. It is from Caesar's history of his dealings with certain German tribes in the year 55 B. C. Replying to the spokesman of these Germans (who had crossed the Rhine to invade Gaul) the narrative reads: "To this Caesar replied as seemed good; but the conclusion of his speech was as follows: He could have no friendship with them if they remained in Gaul." These extracts from a famous book are commended to the attention of powers that be.—From the Outlook.

Famous London Meeting Place.

Before the war Trafalgar square, London, was the favorite meeting place of the suffragettes. The lions at the column's foot were frequently the platform from which Mrs. Pankhurst and her daughters addressed the London crowd. The shops along the Strand were often given the attention of militant women, with the result that for a long while most of their windows were boarded and barred.

No. 6295.
Report of the condition of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BURNS
In the State of Oregon, at the close of business, June 29, 1918.

ASSETS.	
Loans and Discounts	\$15,458 25
Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold)	400,608 28
U. S. Bonds (Other than Liberty Bonds of 1917)	54,000 00
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation	54,000 00
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. Deposits	25,000 00
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure Postal Savings Deposits	1,000 00
U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	76,000 00
Total U. S. Bonds	76,000 00
Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged	800 00
Liberty Loan Bonds pledged to secure U. S. Deposits	1,000 00
Liberty Loan Bonds, pledged to secure State or other deposits or bills payable	20,000 00
Payments actually made on 4 1/2 per cent bonds	2,512 50
Bonds securities, etc.	29,312 50
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	1,000 00
Securities other than U. S. bonds owned unpledged	26,882 88
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank	3,000 00
Value of banking house	4,800 00
Furniture and fixtures	4,400 00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	35,435 46
Cash in vault and net amount due from national banks	99,275 00
Net amount due from banks and bankers, and trust companies other than included in last three items	4,860 02
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	204 72
Total of last five items \$108,839 74	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	1,209 12
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500 00
Total	\$782,135 92
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$30,000 00
Surplus	50,000 00
Undivided profits	35,018 81
Less current expenses	55,948 81
Interest and taxes paid	20,000 00
Circulating notes outstanding	60 61
Net amount due to National Bank	60 61
Total of items 12 and 13	60 61
Demand deposits subject to Reserve	387,041 21
Individual deposit subject to check	43,125 28
Certificates of deposit due in less than 90 days	43,125 28
Certified checks	7,862 14
Cashier's checks outstanding	439,739 33
Total demand deposits subject to Reserve	439,739 33
Time deposits subject to Reserve:	
Certificates of deposit	107,594 03
Postal savings deposits	203 78
Total time deposits, subject to Reserve	108,197 81
United States Deposits:	
War loan deposit acct.	15,000 00
War savings deposit certificates and thrift stamps	
United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	8,867 12
Bills payable, with Federal Reserve Bank	25,000 00
Cash letters of credit or travelers checks outstanding	1,027 25
Total	\$782,135 92
Liabilities for rediscount, those of the Federal Reserve Bank	24,800 00
Total contingent liabilities	24,800 00

STATE OF OREGON,
COUNTY OF HARNEY, ss:
I, J. L. GAULT, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. L. GAULT, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
R. T. HUBERT
GRANT THOMPSON
A. C. WELLSOME
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1918.
J. S. COOK, Notary Public.
My Commission expires June 15, 1920.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE
Burns, Oregon, July 11, 1918.
Notice is hereby given that Charles Ward, of Fife, Oregon, who, on September 26, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 06999, for S 1/2 Section 4, Township 21 S., Range 24 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Chas. A. Sherman, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Fife, Oregon, on the 14th day of August, 1918.
Claimant names as witnesses:
E. J. Laughlin, James Perkins Paul Warner all of Fife, Oregon.
Henry Street of Suntext, Oregon.
V. G. COZAD, Register

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR HARNEY COUNTY.
In the matter of the estate of Amos Oldfield, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has filed his final account in the above entitled cause and the County Judge has set Monday, the 12th day of August, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M. at the office of the County Judge in Burns, Harney County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections thereto.
JAMES M. DALTON,
Administrator of the estate of Amos Oldfield, deceased.

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