

PEOPLE YOU ALL KNOW.

Mrs. L. Alfred is in the city from Teton Lake. Hugh Jackson came in from Gallego Dale yesterday. C. E. Jones and wife were down from Waco yesterday. Mrs. M. A. Ewing has returned from a visit to her son in Vancouver. W. E. McGraw and F. E. Simpson are business visitors from Hood River. Miss Wrenn left the city yesterday afternoon, where she attended the opera last night. Miss Nell Mitchell is in the city from Stevenson, the guest of Mrs. J. A. Giesendorf. Mrs. Fress Saunders is down from Arlington visiting friends and is the guest of Miss Edith Barfield. Mr. Saunders will arrive tonight and spend Sunday in town. G. E. Stewart, a brother of Jennie, was a pleasant caller at the Gazette office Monday. Mr. Stewart has been engaged in the law office of Judge Bennett at The Dalles for the past four years and is taking a much needed leave. He departed for Lone Rock Monday, where he will spend a few days visiting friends. Monday's Daily. Mr. and Mrs. Fress Saunders returned to their home in Arlington last evening. Ed Mitchell, who is now enjoying at Stevenson, came up yesterday and spent yesterday in the city. Scott Chubbart, who is attending business college in Portland, spent Sunday at his home in this city. Mrs. Nellie Wilson, of the Campbell & Wilson Military partners, left on yesterday's afternoon train for Portland on a business trip. Dr. Gertrude French arrived from Portland Saturday and spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith French, returning this morning. Dr. and Mrs. Logan left this morning for Portland, where they go to meet Miss Minnie Lay, who is returning from a few months stay in St. Louis, Mo. A. L. Gude, who has spent the past three weeks at his home in Los Angeles, returned last night and today resumed his duties in A. M. Williams, shoe department. Mrs. Brewer, who has accepted the pastorate of the Lutheran church here, arrived in the city last Friday. He left for Oregon City today to install his successor in the work there and will return Saturday to remain permanently. Rev. U. F. Hawk made the trip to Portland today to visit his little son, who is in the hospital there. From reports his condition is very satisfactory, and the physicians express the opinion that he will eventually be able to walk with not even a sign of lameness. R. H. Lomdale, who has spent the past six weeks at his home in Columbia, Mo., returned yesterday afternoon. It is not unlikely that Harry may return to his old home permanently. His many friends here, however, hope such will not be the case, although the persuasion of his parents will no doubt have great weight. Tuesday's Daily. H. E. Moore is down from Nansene on business. Hugh Glenn was a homing passenger from Portland on last night's train. E. P. Marshall, one of Umatilla's leading sheep men, is down from Pendleton. Frank H. Johnson, a wool buyer from Chicago, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. Miss Lillian Shelton, of the Crowsnest force, left on the train yesterday afternoon to spend the remainder of the week with relatives in Portland. Miss Myrtle Smith, who has been spending the time since she left here in Seattle and Pendleton, returned yesterday afternoon and will remain for several months. Mrs. W. Lord, who with her husband, has spent the past few months at Santa Barbara, Calif., returned home Sunday night. Mr. Lord will arrive tonight, having remained over in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sinnott and N. J. Sinnott went to Portland on the after-

noon train yesterday; the former to hear the James-Edder combination at the Harmon and the latter to attend the League of Republican Clubs. BIRTHS. In this city, Friday, Feb. 2d, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Douglas, a son. It is now Grandson Whipple instead of Kenneth Whipple. Midwinter Campmeeting. The following program will be observed at the Midwinter Campmeeting, which commences tonight at the Salvation Army barracks and continues for ten days: Saturday, Feb. 3. Subject—'Fidelity.' Brigadier and Mrs. Marshall. Sunday, Feb. 4. 9:30 a. m.—'Holiness Meeting,' by Brigadier and Mrs. Marshall. 10:30 a. m.—'At First Congregational church.' Brigadier and Mrs. Marshall. 7:30 p. m.—'Sermon charge on Faith.' Brigadier and Mrs. Marshall. Monday, Feb. 5. 9:30 a. m.—'Sound Exhortation.' Brigadier and Mrs. Marshall. Tuesday, Feb. 6. 7:30 a. m.—'Bible, Faith and Christian Endeavor of the Congregational church will talk to "Young Men." Wednesday, Feb. 7. 7:30 p. m.—'Rev. Clark and Epworth League of the Methodist church. Thursday, Feb. 8. 7:30 p. m.—'Rev. Clifton and Young People's Society of the Baptist church. Friday, Feb. 9. 10:30 a. m.—'All Day Basket Meeting.' Holiness Convocation of night. Saturday, Feb. 10. 10:30 a. m.—'Thank Service.' W. C. T. U. special singing. Sunday, Feb. 11. 9:30 a. m.—'Kismet Drill. 10:30 a. m.—'Holiness Meeting. 11:30 a. m.—'Free and Easy. 7:30 p. m.—'Holiness Meeting, the subject, "One Thousand and One on a Prayer." Monday, Feb. 12. 7:30 p. m.—'Mary and Martha,' special song. Tuesday, Feb. 13. 7:30 p. m.—'Subject—'Will President McKinley return to his home, go to Hawaii? What will the answer be? come and hear.' Wednesday, Feb. 14. 7:30 p. m.—'Rev. Bocking and Christian Endeavor of the Christian church. Thursday, Feb. 15. 7:30 p. m.—'United Brethren church people "for the war path." On behalf of our soldiers, we invite you to be present at one and all of the above meetings. Child of God, come praying, and to work for world. CAPT. TOM HILBISH. LEAVY FRANK JAFFER. Officers in charge. "The Little Minister."

BULLER STILL SOUTH OF TUGELA

War Office Knows of No Such Movement—Commanding May Have Been Practise.

FORCES ARE NEARING LADYSMITH

Movements of Importance are Proceeding—Heavy Fighting Going on.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—A correspondent of the Associated Press learns from an official source that absolutely no confirmation has been received by the war office of the report that Buller has recrossed the Tugela river and is marching on Ladysmith. On the contrary, according to the information of the war office at the present moment, there is every indication that things are quiet at the front, and that no immediate movement is anticipated. Regarding despatches from Ladysmith saying Buller's guns have been heard there, it is surmised that some practice may have been going on with new batteries which have just reached the front. The war office statement that it has received no confirmation of the report that Buller has recrossed the Tugela river has failed to shake the public belief that operations of tremendous importance are proceeding on the Tugela, and it is thought that either the denial was prompted by a desire to keep the military movements as secret as possible until something is accomplished, or that Buller is keeping the home office in the dark pending results. It is obviously extremely difficult to extract the truth from the conflicting statements regarding Buller's movements, but most of the commentators agree that the gist of the items tend to confirm the belief that movements of importance are in progress. It is true correspondents at Buller's headquarters convey the impression that his main force is still south of the Tugela, but it is equally conceivable that the despatches are so censored.

night? is a question that disturbs many an anxious father and mother's mind and heart in reference to this offspring ranging in years from 15 to 25 years. Many of these disturbing thoughts, with their doubts and fears, might be avoided in their most serious aspects had they arisen with sufficient force to produce action a few years earlier in the life of the boy. There are many fathers and mothers today, who are laying the foundation for future trouble by neglecting some little particular that could now be attended to with no great effort. The period between school hours and dusk is a convenient one for small boys to congregate in secret places, and conduct scenes to which they would not much relish the presence of their parents. The By-stander knows of several boys belonging to good families that can be seen almost any late afternoon banded together in a well shaded back yard and in vacant out-buildings in the neighborhood, where they smoke cigarettes, and indulge in various practices that are sure to land their parents on the anxious seat in a few years unless the bit and bridle are put on immediately. There is no use in locating the group here spoken of, because there are doubtless several of them in Salem. They range in years from 11 to 14. They are seen by neighbors and are sometimes spoken to about the propriety of their actions, but they become saucy and unmannerly. They carry matches and firecrackers and may at some time or other be the means of calling out the fire department. "The father or mother who knows where his or her boy of 11 to 15 years old is in his spare hours, who knows the company he is with and the practices indulged in, will have much less cause to ask with a sigh in future years, "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" It might be well to remark that there is nothing said here in relation to keeping track of the boys that will not also apply to the girls."

A WARM SYSTEM. Such is the New Fire Alarm Recently Put in in The Dalles. The fire boys evidently thought they were in for a genuine fire—a warm number—this morning, for an alarm on such a breezy day caused added terror at the sound of the bell. Reaching the engine house, however, they found it was but another test of the new system, P. De S. Olney, manager of the board of fire underwriters, being in the city to make the test preparatory to making the ten per cent reduction in the insurance.

Mr. Olney examined every feature of the new system thoroughly, and expressed himself as greatly pleased with it in every particular. He says The Dalles has now a better system and better boxes than has Portland. He was also pleased with the new hook and ladder outfit and the chemical engine, the latter not being among the provisions necessary to the reduction. Another thing which assured that gentleman that the companies would lose nothing at the hands of the Dalles fire department, was the prompt manner in which they responded this morning, and the large number which turned out to give assistance. The CHRONICLE just here desires to inform all underwriters and others concerned, that The Dalles fire department can't be beat, and their equal is hard to find. Too much cannot be said in their favor regarding the noble work they have done in the past. They may ask any who have knowledge of their record and the same opinion will be forthcoming. So far as known now it will not be necessary to give any further alarms in testin; the system, so that any future alarms may be known to be genuine, excepting the three taps which will be given each day at noon in order to determine whether the system is in working order.

Chief Lauer has turned over the thirty-five keys to the boxes which will be well distributed, and we would advise all to preserve the cards containing the number of the boxes, which were recently given out by Pease and Mays, that they may be used for reference. They are as follows: Two taps followed by seven in succession; is the general alarm at the engine house; two with six succeeding, in the vicinity of third and Lincoln; two-five, Umatilla House district; two-four, Second and Washington; one-six, Second and Laughlin; one-three, Second and Madison; one-four, Second and Taylor.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employe of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardiner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houlehan and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and offered to pay back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy, and have since always turned to it when I get a cold, and soon find relief. I also recommend it to my friends and am glad to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

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When New York has placed the stamp of approval upon a play it does not always mean that it will be successful elsewhere. The exception which proves the rule, however, is without a doubt "The Little Minister," and the hearty welcome that has been accorded this wonderful play everywhere shows that its success has been a solid one. Those who have read the book may wonder how such material could be thrashed into form for a play. The play abounds in neat speeches, its characters to those who have read the book are familiar from the first; its scenes carry with them the prettiness of the theme, leaving nothing lacking in the telling. There are no tears, so essential it has been fancied to produce "heart interest" but the merry laughter, and roguishness of "Babbie" are so winning, that if at times consistency is strained it is forgiven. J. M. Barrie who has made the dramatization of "The Little Minister" from his famous novel of that name has given us, it is said, one of the prettiest plays ever seen. Certainly no play produced in many years has achieved the wonderful success this one has. We often hear of the remarkable success of plays in New York and other large cities and of the phenomenal engagements they play, and doubt them, but all that has been said regarding "The Little Minister's" is true. Its run in New York of 300 performances and everyone with audiences that taxed the theaters is a feat that would be hard to duplicate. Since it has been seen out of that city it has done a remarkable business. Everywhere the same story is told, "every seat sold" before the company arrives. It will be seen in this city at the Vogt on the 15th.

Notice to Voters. Under the provisions of the registration law all persons when registering are required to furnish to the registering officer the following information: If naturalized, the time, place, and court of naturalization. In this connection, it is necessary to produce naturalization papers, or declaration of intention. Residence must be specific; giving precinct, section, township and range; if within town or city, the street, No. if any, and No. of lot and block; if in any building where rooms are numbered, the number of the room and floor must be given. In order to avoid unnecessary delay and inconvenience, every person desiring to register should be prepared to furnish the above information. Facilities will be furnished in every precinct in the county by either Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. A. M. KELRAY, County Clerk.

F. B. Thirkield, health inspector of Chicago, says, "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cannot be recommended too highly. It cured me of severe dyspepsia." It digests what you eat and cures indigestion and heartburn, and all forms of dyspepsia.

Hon. R. A. Irvine Dead. ALBANY, Or., Feb. 4.—Hon. Robert A. Irvine, one of Linn county's most prominent pioneers, died suddenly this morning at 6 o'clock, from a paralytic stroke, at the age of 75 years. He was born in Kentucky, moving from there to Missouri when a young man, and thence to Oregon in 1852, locating in Linn county, where he resided on a farm near Lebanon until several years ago, when he moved to Albany. He was prominent in politics as a Democrat, was sheriff of Linn county two terms, and state senator for one term. For many years he was marshal at the state fair. He played a leading part in the development of the county. He was a leader in the establishment of the Patrons of Husbandry in this county. The deceased left a wife, two sons, J. H. Irvine and Dr. E. L. Irvine, and three daughters, Mrs. A. B. Slanson, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. E. L. Thompson, of Portland, and Mrs. L. Bilyeu, of Eugene.

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WHERE ARE THEY? A Number of the Wandering Boys Are Disturbing Our Churches. Were a few of the parents in The Dalles to sing "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" with the "spirit" and the understanding," the churches at least would not be disturbed in their worship as has been the case for the past few Sunday evenings when a gang of hoodlums gather in front of the Lutheran and Baptist churches and with shooting, etc., raised such a disturbance that was impossible to hear but a small portion of the service. The following article, written by a "Bystander" in the Salem Statesman touching on this very question, is right to the point: "Where is My Wandering Boy To-