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ORCHARD TRIAL SATURDAY

Caldwell, Jan. 12.—The decision of the attorneys interested in the prosecution of the murder case against Harry Orchard not to grant the request of Attorney Fred Miller for the defense to postpone the preliminary examination of the prisoner for a week was received here with evident satisfaction. The prosecuting attorney voices the general opinion that nothing could be gained by a postponement of the case beyond Saturday.

Prosecutor Van Duyn was assured yesterday in Boise that Chemist Jones would have his analyses of the suspicious powders and liquids ready by that time. There seems absolutely no doubt but there will be sufficient evidence at hand to insure that Orchard will be bound over for trial in the district court.

It is reported that immediately after the preliminary examination, Orchard being bound over for trial, that he will be taken to Boise to await the convening of the district court, which is slated for February 20. For this reason, if for no other, it is deemed advisable to have the preliminary examination as soon as possible, for the jail facilities here are not adequate for the holding of a man charged with the crime of which Orchard is suspected.

SPENDING MONEY FOR CONVICTION

The Caldwell Banking & Trust company, of which Frank Stuenkel was president has determined to devote the amount of the reward offered by it for the apprehension of the assassins, to the work of ferreting out and prosecuting them. It has announced its determination in the following official statement:

REWARD WITHDRAWN

In as much as the Caldwell Banking & Trust company offered no reward until after all present arrests were made since, in the matter of the assassination of Frank Stuenkel, said reward is hereby withdrawn. As much, or more if necessary, will be used for the detection and prosecution of the perpetrators of the crime, and the directors think more good can be accomplished in that way.

CALDWELL BANKING & TRUST CO.

HILGARD ITEMS

Plenty of snow.

Messrs Holverson and Christofferson and J. D. Casey have finished their ice harvest.

A number of Hilgard people visited La Grande this week to take advantage of the great sales. Mrs. Lee Young, Mrs. Duce Hampton and Mrs. Frank Brown being among the number.

Miss Nora Casey who is attending St. Mary's Academy in Portland returned to Portland Saturday night after spending the holidays with her parents. Her father accompanied her, and returned home Tuesday morning.

Miss Helen Hart returned to St. Helen's Hall.

Mr. Henry Charlton, who was so severely hurt two weeks ago, is improving nicely. On Friday, Dr. Smith, the attending physician, will place the broken arm in plaster cast. It is to be hoped Mr. Charlton will soon be recovered.

Mr. C. N. Lewis raffled off his fine cutter this week and no. 23 was the lucky number, and was held by Mr. Charles Minnaugh of Perry and drawn by little Ruth Hawes.

Miss Maud Morton and Miss Thompson of La Grande were guests of their friend, Frankie Heritage, over Saturday night.

Mr. Kile Charlton, who has been visiting Athena friends, returned home Monday evening.

Miss Audrey Low took a sleigh ride to La Grande with her uncle Mr. Geo. Stanton, who is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Jennie Low.

Talk about sleighing parties, a great one took place Sunday afternoon when Mr. Chas. Hawes offered to take all the married ladies a sleigh ride. As all of the young girls get plenty of chances to sleigh ride, so he would not allow one of them in his party. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. McGeary, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. Chas. Tremmer, Mrs. Jim Holm, Mrs. Neils Holverson, Mrs. Duce Hampton and Mrs. Rebecca McGeary.

The ladies voted it the finest sleighing party of the season.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the Oregon, Montana Development Company will be held in the city of La Grande, Oregon, on Friday, January 26, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing officers and board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting.

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HOME MADE MINCE MEAT

From now on, the ladies of the M. E. church will have home made mince meat for sale at Grady & Russell's meat market. Don't forget this when you are in need of mince meat.

FUEL FAMINE

The coal famine which struck Baker City early in the winter is now sweeping over the towns of Eastern Oregon and Southern Idaho. In Payette where they have no wood, it is said the famine is very acute as over 200 families are out of coal and all of the schools have been closed down.

There was a brief breathing spell in the Baker City situation this week, when a few cars of coal were received by local dealers. But this did not last long and the demand for fuel is far from being satisfied. The Brooklyn school was furnished with coal through the efforts of Mayor Johns, who took the matter up directly with the railroad people.

POSTPONED

C. C. Rockwell, appeared before Recorder Snook late yesterday afternoon entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct in running a twenty one game, and the case was set for 2 o'clock Saturday.

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