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## LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. F. S. Ivanhoe went to Pendleton yesterday to visit friends.

Robert Blumenstein of Elgin, was a business visitor here last evening. Don Pruet of the Baker City Herald, is in the city on land office business.

Miss Irene Murphy is visiting friends in Pendleton.

John Crow, a wealthy wheat grower of Pendleton, is in La Grande today on business matters.

Rev. Meske, the German Lutheran minister, has moved into the George Ackles cottage, in North La Grande.

E. O. Anderson of Wallowa, transacted business in La Grande this morning.

Miss Floy Massee is in Walla Walla visiting relatives. She will return tomorrow evening.

Councilman A. V. Andrews went to Pendleton this morning on a business trip.

H. E. Cooldidge filed his declaration to become a candidate before the republican primaries for county clerk.

Mrs. George Miller went over to Weston today to visit her daughters, who are attending the Normal school.

Miss Miller, formerly stenographer for A. A. Gust, when the latter was manager of the Oregon Produce Co., is in the city from Prosser.

Mrs. W. M. Quinn and daughter Miss Mildred, left last evening for Portland, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. J. M. McCall left last evening for Eugene, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Seitz, for a short time.

W. Oliver is resting as easily today as conditions will allow, after his accident of yesterday, when he again broke his left thigh after 12 weeks of convalescence.

Lou Daly, the Spokane boxer, and Manager Butler of the Spokane Athletic club, returned to their home in Spokane last evening on the delayed westbound.

Miss Nell DePeat, manager of the local Western Union office, who has been visiting relatives in southern Oregon, is expected back to this city about the 15th.

W. F. Gulon, managing editor of the Pendleton Tribune, is in La Grande today, visiting friends. He leaves tonight for Hot Lake to take treatment a few days.

Lytton Ivanhoe and E. E. Mack, who were rooters at the Pendleton basketball game last evening, went to Walla Walla this morning from Pendleton, for a day's visit.

A representative number of La Grande school teachers are in Union today attending the Union county Teachers' meeting. Prof. Mickleson read a paper before the meeting this afternoon.

Including players, 20 La Grande people witnessed the basketball games in Pendleton last evening. With a few exceptions, the rooting force and the two teams returned to La Grande this morning.

Councilman J. T. Williamson has been confined to his home for several days and today he was compelled to remain in bed. His little son Kenneth, who has been ill for the past few days, with pneumonia, is reported to be little, if any better today.

J. W. Riley, one of the best known hustlers in the county, is in the city today. Mr. Riley since the first of year has been running the hotel at Hilgard. In addition to running quite a number of logging teams he has had

same movement toward a most important reform.

Second—Because the treating habit has become a tyranny against which every self-respecting man should rebel.

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Fourth—Because the treating custom leads people to drink who would otherwise not contract the habit.

Fifth—Because it induces people to drink more than they want; one drink is enough, two is satiety, three is gluttony, beyond that is beastliness.

Sixth—Because the treating habit involves a foolish and sinful expenditure of money, which in the vast majority of cases is sorely needed at home.

Seventh—Because the movement against treating, without interfering with your individual rights, enables you to do a great service to your neighbor who is cursed by the tyranny of the habit.

### POPULARITY CONTINUES.

La Grande Girl Heaped With Praise for Musical Ability.

One of the most pleasing musical events of the week was the recital given in the college chapel on Thursday evening by the pupils of Miss Harriet Esther Young. Miss Young has long been recognized as one of the most talented musicians in the city and has met with marked success in her two years as a teacher of piano. This year she has a large class and her gifts as a teacher were shown in the success which her pupils met with in their first recital of the year on Thursday evening. Every number on the program was well received.

Especially pleasing were the two numbers played by the younger pupils of Miss Young. The charming "Spring Duet" rendered on the piano by Miss Maysie Penrose and Miss Margaret Reynolds appealed to all in the audience. The effect was similar with the "Hunting Song" from Gurlitt, played by another small maiden, Miss Margaret Paxton.—Walla Walla Union.

the Freeman Ladd farm in the valley leased for three years, and last year had one 20-acre field of wheat that averaged 47 bushels per acre.

The Blue Mountain house was sold yesterday afternoon to Messrs. Gassett and Stearns. The new proprietors have taken possession, and the former owner will devote his attention to the Spokane cafe entirely hereafter.

Zwickey gives his illustrated art lecture in Central church Monday evening. It is something different from the usual entertainment. Mr. Zwickey is not a cartoonist but an artist who draws and lectures. His theme is, "The Philosophy of the Beautiful." Reserved seats are 50c; children 25c. The play is now open at Selder's.

### Anti-Treating Pledge.

Rev. Dr. P. A. Baart of Marshall, Mich., has asked every male member of his congregation to sign an anti-treating pledge. He enumerated the following reasons for the request: First—Because it is a moderate and

# LA GRANDE TEAMS WON AND LOST LAST NIGHT

La Grande won and lost at Pendleton last evening in two games of basketball that teemed throughout with free throws occasionally numerous fouls on both sides, and in which La Grande shone as superior in every respect in one game, but outclassed in the other.

The big game, the one which La Grande followers entertained fond hopes of winning, was captured by the local club girls from the Pendleton high school by a score of 12 to 10. The latter team won a tie game here recently by a score of 6 to 4.

The La Grande club boys were not so fortunate, for with but little practice and no actual experience on the floor, went against a team of state championship caliber, which outclassed the locals in many phases of the game. Don Scott went out of the game because of injuries, after the first half and was replaced by Bernie. McMicken displaced Caylor at forward in the second half. The change in line-up failed to help matters much. However, in the last of the second half the La Grande boys dropped their defensive tactics and became more aggressive with the result that Childers was able to score the only field goal made by La Grande. From free throws, La Grande netted 8 other points, while the final score for Pendleton at the end of the game was 25. The Pendleton team has had more experience, but La Grande has a chance of capturing laurels with additional practice, which will be had hereafter.

The girls' game was a sensational one, with honors in favor of the La Grande quintet throughout. Spectacular free goal throwing by Hattie McMurray is responsible for the decisive score. So closely did the Pendleton guards camp on the trail of the La Grande forwards, that attempts at field goals were few and far between. Miss McMurray did, however, land one field goal, as did also a Pendleton player. With one field goal each, and 10 free throw goals for La Grande and 5 of them for Pendleton, the final score stood 12 to 10 in La Grande's favor.

The visiting team showed improved form over the last game. For one brief minute the almost perfect machine work broke and Pendleton scored a field goal. The patch was healed instantly and from then on Pendleton girls were either held to an even break or outclassed. This was especially true in the second half when remarkably clever aggressive work by Floy Massee kept the ball continually in La Grande's territory. Ethel Gulling was handicapped with slight illness, but the score sheet fails to record an error in her playing. Ruby Thelsen played her usual splendid game at center.

At forward Frances Massee and Hattie McMurray were in the game every minute and played an errorless game.

A bad taste was given the girls' game by persistent interference and seemingly purposely ungentlemanly conduct on the part of the umpire. His actions smacked of babyism.

The umpire who officiated for Pendleton in the boys' game was very satisfactory to all.

A delightful reception was tendered the visitors at the Armory following the game.

### CITY POLITICS.

Petitions Being Circulated for Several Offices—A Busy Day.

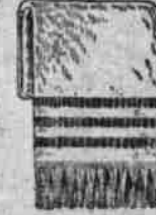
Yesterday was a busy day along municipal political lines. Friends were circulating petitions for S. N. Bolton of the First ward, C. S. Dunn of the Third, and David Bay of the Second. C. J. Vanderpoel filed his petition with the recorder to become a candidate for city recorder, and J. W. Walden filed his declaration for marshal.

It is reported that petitions are out for C. E. Cox and J. A. Mattot for city recorder and for G. M. Curtis of the Fourth ward for councilman.

Mayor Richardson filed his nomination for re-election. As yet no one is an announced candidate against him.

# Specials For This Week

Extra special values in a large lot of Linen Towels, just received from Eastern jobbers. Pure Linen, Unions, Huck, etc.



- Pure Linen, 21 x 43, fringed, 48c
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## AMONG THE CITY CHURCHES

**Catholic Church.**  
Low mass, 8 a. m.; high mass, 10 a. m.; rosary and benediction following 10 o'clock mass.

**Latter Day Saints.**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; regular service, 2 p. m.; mutual improvement association meets conjointly at 7:30 p. m.

**St. Peter's Church.**  
First Sunday after Epiphany. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 5 p. m.

**St. Peter's Church.**  
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany—Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 5 p. m.

**Christian Science Services.**  
Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. The reading room is open Tuesday and Wednesday and Saturday from 2 to 4 p. m. All are cordially invited.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
Sunday, 9:45 a. m., Bible school. Geo. H. Currey, Supt.; 11 a. m., public worship, subject, "A Visitor and His Vision"; 12 m., class meeting, Hannah Rogers, leader; 6:30, Epworth league; 7:30, public worship, subject, "A Man Disinherited." Monday, 7:30, Bible study class. Thursday, 7:30, prayer meeting; Thursday, 8:30, teachers' meeting. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. C. E. Deal, pastor.

**Central Church of Christ.**  
Bible classes for all ages, from 3 years and older; special classes for adults, at 10 a. m. The Lord's sup-

per followed by sermon on "The Apostles' Teaching" 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor meetings, 6:30 p. m.; song service, 7:30 p. m.; address, "Does Death End All," 8 p. m. Special attention is called to the evening address. If you doubt hereafter, come.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., W. L. Brenholts, superintendent. Morning subject, "Christian Faith." C. E. service, 6:30 p. m.; evening subject, "The Young Lady." Brotherhood meeting at the residence of Col. F. S. Ivanhoe on Monday, at 8 p. m. Subject, "La Grande's Greatest Need." Leader, H. R. Hanna. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. S. W. Seamann, D. D., minister.

**First Baptist Church.**  
At 9:45, Sunday school, Dr. J. E. Stevenson, superintendent; 11, morning worship, sermon, "The 'Must' That Sways Omnipotence." 6:30, young people's union will be led by May Noyes, theme, "Ministering to Strangers and the Sick"; 7:30, evening worship, sermon by pastor, "On the Walls of an Imperiled City." Thursday, 7 o'clock, mid-week service, "A Study in Personal Work." At 8 o'clock, teachers' meeting. W. H. Gibson, pastor.

**Grafting**  
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