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LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Pauline Lederle spent Sunday with her relatives at Pendleton.

W. A. Woodward of Baker City, is a business visitor here today.

T. S. Harris left this morning for a business trip, which will take him to Portland and intermediate points.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rinehart were up from Elgin and spent Sunday with friends.

Charles Palmer of Baker City, came down Saturday to be with his mother, "Grandma" Palmer, for a few days.

E. Z. Carline returned today from Baker City, where he spent Sunday with friends.

L. J. Davis and Lucius Wright of Union, are business visitors in La Grande today.

Mesdames E. Polack and Mac Wood spent Sunday at Hot Lake. They returned this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Grandy returned today from a Sunday visit with relatives in Union.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones of Portland, arrived last evening to visit her mother, "Grandma" Palmer, who is ill.

Dr. M. K. Hall and Jay Van Buren visited Union yesterday. They made the trip with an auto and report the roads in excellent condition.

Fred Page, Jr., member of the firm of Page & Son of Portland, wholesale fruit dealers, is in the city today on business matters.

Two car repairers were sent to North Powder this morning to repair a freight car which was knocked off center there last night.

Mrs. George Duffield and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McLellan, have left for Hood River, where they will be employed on Al Ruhnke's large fruit farm. Mr. Duffield preceded the family several days ago.

G. W. Williams, who has been in the employ of the Pioneer flouring mills, was an Observer office caller this morning. He states the mill is running night and day and are kept busy filling its carload orders to outside points.

J. D. Haines, the popular and efficient orchestra leader of Baker City, arrived Saturday night to take charge of the orchestra during the Elks' minstrels. His baton always inspires the orchestra members, and consequently inspires the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Harrison left last night amid appropriate showers of rice, for their extended honeymoon. They go direct to Los Angeles, after one day's visit in Portland, and will return, with stops at Sacramento, San Francisco, Oakland and Portland. They will return about March 1.

Last night W. C. Calder left for New York and other eastern cities where he goes to confer with parties who have invested heavily in eastern Oregon timber to ascertain what their plans are for another year. He expects to be absent from Baker for six weeks, as it will take him that long to visit the points necessary and transact his business.—Baker City Herald.

J. L. Walrod of Wisconsin, arrived in the city last night, while on his first tour of the great northwest. Upon arriving here he ascertained that his old-time friend, L. B. Stearns of Cove, was living here, and he phoned over to him. As a result Mr. Stearns came over and took Mr. Walrod home with him. Like other observing men, Mr. Walrod was not prepared to see such a country developed as it is and with such unlimited possibilities on every hand.

Sheriff Frank Childers made a hurried visit to Hot Lake this morning.

An adjourned meeting of the city council will be held this evening.

Richard R. Williams of Touchet, Wash., made proof on a five-year claim this morning.

B. M. Rogers today filed his legal documents with the city recorder, which make him a candidate for the office of chief of police.

Councilman J. T. Williamson and son Kenneth, who have been sick for several days, are both reported better today.

Those having horses to dispose of should not find it difficult. There are three buyers in the city at the present time. Stock between 1200 and 1400 pounds seems to fill the requirements.

Fred Haisten has about completed the repairs to his building, which included the enlargement of his basement. This will greatly increase his display room.

Contractor S. R. Haworth, who has been in Wallowa county for several months on construction work, is expected to return home within the next few weeks.

This will be a busy evening for the Owls. Initiation, installation of officers and a banquet. Members are requested to report promptly at 7 o'clock.

The Sunday school of the L. D. S. is preparing to have a social evening on Friday. There will be a musical program followed by a dance. The grand march will start promptly at 8:30.

Henry Geible, who for the past six weeks has been the guest of his son Fred, left this morning for The Dalles, where he will visit his daughter a short time before returning to his home in Yamhill county.

Messrs. and Mesdames Harry Miller and Clinton Draper, all of New York, arrived in La Grande Sunday morning to remain here until after the Elks' minstrels. They came here from Spokane.

Indoor baseball adepts who are members of the Commercial club, will meet this evening to organize a team. The "Gobblers" will also organize later in the week and several matched games will result.

Manager Housh of the Grande Ronde Electric company, went over to Cove this mornig, and this afternoon phoned that on the ditch it snowed six inches last night and froze and for the people not to expect any light until it again turned warmer.

The services to have been held this evening at Island City by the L. D. S., have been postponed until Thursday of this week. The quartet had other engagements that prevented their attendance this evening. Hence the postponement.

Jennie Neilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Neilson of Cove, was operated upon in the hospital in this city Saturday afternoon by Dr. Hubbard, for mastoid, is recovering nicely from the shock and no serious results are expected to follow.

Word has reached the Real Estate, Loan & Commission company, that a party of homeseekers from the Tieton valley, in southeastern Idaho, was unable to reach here because of a terrific blizzard and snowstorm in that section of Idaho last week. The stages are snowbound. The temperature dropped to 36 below zero.

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SOCIETY.

Harrison-Hunter.

A quiet, yet extremely novel wedding occurred at Island City at 5 o'clock last evening, when M. A. Harrison, Jr., of this city, and Miss Pearl Frances Hunter of Island City, were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. G. W. Hunter, by Rev. S. W. Seemann of La Grande.

Novelty and unique decoration schemes marked the event. Unattended, except by Miss Carrie Hunter, who later turned on what seemed to be a myriad of electric lights, the bride descended the broad stairway, amid a soft strain of a wedding march played by Miss Katie Hunter, to the hall, where the groom, also unattended, awaited her.

Standing in front of 24 artistically arranged electric incandescent lights, the popular couple were joined by the officiating minister after the only attendant, Miss Carrie Hunter, had switched on the brilliant flow of light resulting from the glare of 34 white globes.

The bride wore white organdie trimmed with insertions and lace.

In the hall where the nuptials were performed, decorations were of white crepe paper interwoven between the numerous lights, which had previously been connected by the bride, who has acquired considerable knowledge of electricity, while in the employ of the Grande Ronde Electric company.

In the dining room, where the intimate friends and immediate relatives of the bride and groom were assembled, to join the wedding dinner, decorative schemes similar to those adopted in the hall, were in vogue. Twinning in and out between 34 colored electric globes, and centering at a magnificent white bells suspended above the festal board, were streamers of white crepe paper.

The groom is the son of ex-County Judge and Mrs. M. A. Harrison of this city, and holds a responsible position as chief clerk to Division Foreman J. H. Watson. He has spent several years in this city and has a large list of intimate friends.

The bride is an accomplished daughter of La Grande. She has made her home in Island City and La Grande almost continuously, and her circle of friends is solid and large.

After an extended honeymoon in the south Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will be at home in this city.

Black-Porter.

One of the pretty weddings of the season occurred Monday afternoon, January 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Andrews, 780 East Burnside street, when Miss Margaret Porter, of La Grande, Ore., was united in marriage to W. A. Black of this city. The Rev. A. J. Montgomery, of the Third Presbyterian church, officiated.

The ceremony took place before an altar of greens intermingled with pink and white carnations, canopied with a lover's knot of pink and white ribbon, the scheme of the bridal parlor being pink and white. Miss Bertha Walsinger of La Grande, Ore., and Miss Laura May, of this city, acted as bridesmaids. The bride was attired in a lovely gown of white, and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations.

The groom was attended by Harold Bain of this city, who acted as best man. The ceremony was performed in the presence of intimate friends, after which the wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Balck will make their home at 780 East Burnside street.—Portland Oregonian.

Walt-Hopper.

Bert S. Walt of Seattle, and Miss Grace V. Hopper of La Grande, Ore., were married at the residence of Frank L. Walt, 911 77th avenue, Friday evening, February 7, at 8:30 p. m., in Seattle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. H. Lingenfelter, of the Fremont Christian church.

Mr. Walt is a draftsman for Bebb & Mendell, architects. Their residence for a while will be at the above address. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hopper of this city.

Zwickey and Kemp Tonight.

In Central Church of Christ the Swiss Canadian artist tonight in illustrated lecture, "The Philosophy of the Beautiful. Platform studio. Beautiful pictures. Kemp in, "If I were King," early in March. Kemp delighted us with "Sevenoaks" last spring and we called him back. Either entertainment 50 cents. Ticket for both, 75c. Children half price. Reserve seats at Selder's.

Specials For This Week

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



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- Union Linen, 19 x 40, fringed, fancy, 18c
- Union Linen, 21 x 45, fringed, plain, 25c
- Huck Linen, 19x 37, fringed, plain, 25c
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- Plain Swiss Battenburg trimmed, White and Ecru 1.35
- Plain Swiss Lace trimmed, Ecru 2.00

Brussels Net

- Trimmed with Battenburg Braid 2 1/2 yards long 2.65
- Trimmed with Battenburg Braid, cut out pattern 2.75
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- Brussels Net Battenburg trimmed, beautiful designs 5.00
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Trees and Shrubs.

Trees, shrubs and roses—The Union Nurseries, Union, Ore., have a large stock of apple, cherry, pear and shade trees, they are selling at reasonable prices. Send for their price list. 2-6tf

Strayed.

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