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S. S. S.
PURELY VEGETABLE

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

LOCAL ITEMS.

J. W. Snodgrass came over from Hot Lake this morning.

Attorney C. E. Cochran returned from Portland this morning.

H. A. Clemens, of the Pilot Rock News, is a visitor in the city today, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otto E. Didion.

Omen Bishop of Union, republican nominee for county superintendent, had business in the city last evening.

Miss Della Rayburn came over from Elgin yesterday afternoon and is visiting with friends for a few days.

E. Polack returned home last night after a two weeks' outing in Harney county.

Mrs. S. L. Aikin of Crescent, Ida., returned home this morning after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. A. McCarty.

Rev. George H. DeKay of Berkeley, Cal., passed through La Grande this morning on his way to Wallowa, in the interest of the Anti-Saloon league work.

I. W. Faulk returned from Portland this morning, where he accompanied Irene Kinzie to the home of the Good Shepherd. While in Portland Mr. Faulk visited his brother, Adam Faulk.

Ira Watson, who recently submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the hospital in Ricksburg, Ida., is reported to be improving rapidly and will soon be able to leave the hospital. His mother, Mrs. H. A. Watson, expects to leave that place for La Grande Saturday night.

Mrs. Hattie McDona returned last night after an extended visit with friends in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bragg went to Imbler this morning to attend a school picnic, and will return by the late train.

H. P. Oliver of La Grande, arrived in the city yesterday and will be here for a few days on business.—Baker City Herald.

E. P. Staples returned to his home in La Grande last evening and will return to Baker soon because of the seriousness of Mr. Brichoux.—Baker City Herald.

Lou Rayburn, truck superintendent for the George Palmer Lumber company at the camps, came over from Elgin yesterday afternoon and returned on the morning train.

A. W. Leffel, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is able to take his run on the Elgin train again and Brakeman Payne, who has substituted for him, has returned to the main line.

H. L. Anderson, a prominent sheepman of Malheur county, passed through La Grande this morning with a trainload of sheep, billed for sale, and from there he will go overland to the Death Valley country.

J. F. Clire of Starkey, is attending to business affairs here today.

The Elks have begun laying the linoleum in some of their rooms.

George Palmer returned from Elgin on the afternoon train.

Miss Bell Myers, head nurse at the Gradye Ronde hospital, returned after a week's visit at Summerville.

George Ruckman, a prosperous farmer, came in from the Sandridge today.

G. W. Chenault, one of the pioneers of the valley, and a prominent fruit raiser, came over from Cove today.

William Grandy, a well-to-do farmer of Ladd Canyon, made a business trip to La Grande today.

William McCall, a prominent farmer from Promise, is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lefin Day.

Mrs. John Golthan has returned from the Clover creek farm, where she spent a few days this week.

G. W. Huffaker expects to leave soon for a trip to Boise and the Yellowstone park.

F. D. Gaskill, one of the leading wheat raisers of the valley, is in town today.

J. B. Baker of Meacham, is a business visitor in the city today, having business at the Williamson land office.

La Grande won from Pendleton yesterday afternoon in a fast game, by a score of 4 to 1.

Lloyd Scriber and James Pepper take possession as managers of the city livery stables, recently purchased by Fred Housh from G. W. Huffaker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hansen and Ralph Hansen came down from North Powder last night in the car belonging to Ralph Hansen.

Miss Mary Reiland today received her commission as deputy secretary in Union county, for the civil service commission.

Attorney C. T. Godwin of Freewater is in the city as attorney for the administrator in the Longley probate case, on hearing before Judge Henry today.

T. W. Clark of Oregon City, who owns a large share of the stock in the Red Apple company, returned to his home this morning after transacting business here briefly.

E. E. Romig, a former resident of La Grande, but now located in Portland, arrived this morning to transact business here. He will remain a few days.

The management of the band announces that those who purchased seats for the second performance of "For Brother Tom" can be refunded by presenting their tickets at the Jay Van Buren store.

Miss Eva Nell, cashier at the Golden Rule store, leaves in a few days for a trip of two months in the Willamette valley. She will remain in Portland for a while then go on to Eugene to visit her brother, who is at the State university at that place.

Rails Distributed.
The new heavy rails which are to replace those now used on the mountains, have all been distributed and are ready for placement. The territory to be supplied with the heavier steel is the O. R. & N. main line between Hilgard and Huron.

Purchase Billiard Tables.
The Elks have purchased the billiard and pool tables formerly owned by the proprietor of the Little Gem pool stand on Adams avenue. The property was removed to the Elks' hall today.

New Baseball League.
Boston, May 1.—New England's new baseball league, the Atlantic association, will open its season tomorrow.

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Team Sure Going.
Full arrangements have been made for the game with North Powder next Sunday and a crowd of players and fans will make the trip. Some good talent will be included in La Grande's line-up and the amateurs hope to win.

Evening Observer, 65c per month.

Donates to Department.
Max Bloch has donated \$20 to the fire department for services rendered by it during the fire in the Bloch store some time ago.

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H. C. GILMAN, Water Supt.

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