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LOCAL ITEMS.

O. P. Pratt of Union, is a La Grande visitor today.

Editor Scibird, of the Union Republican, is a La Grande visitor today.

Joe Carroll of Union, went to Elgin this morning.

Miss Syra Kuhn expects to go to Portland tonight.

Miss Jessie Henry came up from Imbler last night, returning on the morning train.

Mrs. I. Bonnell went to Pendleton this morning for a few days' visit with her brother, Frank Coykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chenault came down from North Powder this morning.

Judge and Mrs. Messick of Baker City, passed through La Grande this morning on their way to Portland.

Mrs. B. H. Crisp, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to her home in Durkee this morning.

Miss Ruth Bush, Miss Helen McHugh of La Grande, and Miss Brown of Portland, leave tonight for Omaha.

C. R. Thornton, the architect, went to Joseph this morning on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schwalger of North Platte, Neb., are visiting Mr. Schwalger's sister, Mrs. E. Polack of this city.

Victor O. Hegsted, a prominent business man of Rexburg, Idaho, is looking over the valley with a view to locating.

Sheriff Childers has appointed Mr. Schuyler, agent at the O. R. & N. depot, a special deputy sheriff.—Union Republican.

J. D. Carroll of Union, spent yesterday in La Grande, and went on to Elgin this morning, where he will visit with his daughter, Mrs. R. H. Lloyd.

Miss Grace Hindman, May Good and Tina Mayfield returned to their home in Elgin this morning after having spent the winter in school at Weston.

Mrs. O. H. Schwerdtmann went to Baker City this morning to visit with her brother, Arnold Ross, for a few days.

Mrs. E. J. Marshall returned to her home in Elgin this morning, after visiting for a few days with Mrs. Becker of this city.

Mrs. Thomas Robbs and Mrs. W. H. Alston, returned this morning from Portland, where they attended the Rose carnival this week.

General A. J. Goodbrod of Union, was a passenger this morning on the route home from Seattle, where he went to view the fleet.

Assessor Hug went to Elgin this afternoon to spend Sunday.

B. F. Wade went to Meacham this morning to transact business.

Mrs. Earl Jones left this afternoon for Elgin to spend the week visiting friends and relatives.

The Misses Ruth and Imogen Russell returned from Walla Walla last evening, where the latter had been taking a course in music at St. Paul's.

Attorney Robert Lloyd returned to his home at Elgin this afternoon after spending the week transacting legal business at the court house.

R. A. Crawford, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago, will soon be able to leave the hospital.

A. A. Roberts went to Pendleton this morning to meet Mrs. Roberts, who has recently returned from southern California.

Miss Pauline Leledec returned last night from Seattle and Portland, where she has been visiting friends for the past month.

Miss E. E. Graves and sister, Mrs. T. C. Miller of Turlock, Cal., arrived last night on their way to Wallowa, where they will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Russell and family of Rock Island, Ill., arrived in the city last night and took the morning train for Elgin, where they expect to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thorsen returned this morning from an extended trip through Washington, returning by way of Portland, where they attended the rose carnival.

C. O. Pollard, special agent of the land office, is looking up records in the local office. A. R. Bowman, one of Mr. Pollard's assistants, went to Elgin on business this morning.

Mrs. F. H. Tatman, who has been a visitor at Portland during the week, returned this morning. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Gertrude.

Mrs. Eg Leach and children left this morning for the Palmer camp to join Mr. Leach, who is employed at that place. They expect to be away most of the summer.

Burton E. Gibson and sister, Miss H. Gibson of Wooster, O., who have been visiting with their brother, J. L. Gibson of this city, left this morning for Portland and other cities on the coast.

Mrs. A. J. Overtuff of Pendleton, is expected to arrive this evening to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Russell, and daughter, Mrs. Otto E. Didon, for several days.

The usual band concert was given this afternoon and if any one questions whether or not the work of the band boys affords the people pleasure

which their music affords the people one has only to note the crowds which congregate upon the streets during their concerts.

Mrs. C. E. Cochran of La Grande passed through Wallowa Wednesday on her way to Powwaka to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ghoreley. She was met here Tuesday night by her brother, Cecil Ghormley.—Wallowa Sun.

SOCIETY.

Social Events for June.

June bids fair to be a busy month among the social circles of the city, it says nothing of the June weddings, four which have already taken place: the contracting parties this week being Charles P. Dye, Jessie Fisher both of Union county, W. A. Packet and Lena Venable of North Powder; James Downing of Wallowa county, and Mrs. A. L. McParlin of Union county, and James Walnum and Bessie Goodnow both of La Grande. Most of the clubs have discontinued for the summer.

The Five Hundred and the Kaffee Klatch still continue their meetings and several of the churches are planning social affairs to take place soon.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will give a Trip Abroad the 19th, and some time soon the St. Peter's Guild will hold a sale. Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women" will be given by the Neighborhood club some time soon.

And, last but not least, the organ and song recital to take place June 27, at the Latter Day Saints' tabernacle, promises to be a rare treat.

Burnett-Sullivan.

The marriage of Mr. Alva Burnett and Mabel Sullivan will take place at the home of the bride's brother, Elmer Sullivan of South La Grande, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. Deal of the Methodist church will officiate.

Elmer Sullivan will act as best man and Mrs. Nina J. Sullivan as matron of honor. The bride will appear in a gown of cream silk and the groom will wear the conventional black. Elaborate preparations are being made for the affair. The happy couple will stand under an immense bell of white flowers, with festoons of white flowers reaching to different parts of the room.

The color scheme in the dining room will be red. Over the center of the table a red bell with streamers of red ribbon reaching each corner of the table. The place cards are red hearts. A dainty two-course luncheon will be

served. Only relatives and a few intimate friends will be present.

Both parties are popular young people of Starkey, where they will make their home.

Tennis Club.

Much enthusiasm is being shown among the tennis players of the city. The grounds are in excellent condition and great care is being practiced to keep them so.

Among the expert players of the club are Mr. Bruce, Dr. Moore and George and Charles Cochran.

Plans for a tournament in September are being discussed. The members of the club are as follows: Dr. F. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Van Buren, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. George Cochran, Charles Cochran, Frances and Floy Massee, Ethel and Lulu Gulling, Iva Long, May White, Ruth Russell, Stella Oliver, Roy Goodenough, H. M. Bay, A. W. Nelson, W. Slegrist, Dr. Price, George Abegg, C. O. Ramsey, H. French, F. Bruce, L. Ivanhoe, Rev. Seemann, E. E. Bragg, A. C. MacLennan.

The officers elected at the last business meeting are: President, George Cochran; vice-president, A. W. Nelson; secretary, Lulu Gulling; treasurer, Frances Massee.

A Notre Dame Lady's Appeal.

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers free. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

At the Pastime.

Patrons of the Pastime received a real treat with the present program. The most striking picture is the set, "The Mystery of the Diamond Necklace." This is a real drama and shows the work of a clever girl detective and wily criminal. The songs and the music are good, and the entire program is better than the usual run of the programs. This program will be exhibited again this evening.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Ore.
May 19, 1908.

Sufficient contest affidavits having been filed in this office by Charles N. Farrier, contestant, against contestees the unknown heirs of Christian Bechgaard, deceased, who made homestead entry No. 13718, for S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 24, Tp. 2 S., R. 36, E. W. M., or the 19th day of July, A. D. 1904, in which affidavits it is alleged that said Christian Bechgaard, died on or about September, A. D. 1906, and that at the time of his death, he left no widow and that the names and residence of his heirs are unknown; that prior to his death he had wholly abandoned said homestead, and that neither none of the heirs of said deceased, have at any time since his death, resided upon or cultivated any portion of said land, and that he left no last will or testament, the said unknown heirs of said Christian Bechgaard are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence, touching the said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1908, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in La Grande, Oregon.

The contestant having in a proper affidavit filed May 19, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.
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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

Louis Keys, plaintiff, vs. Earl Keys defendant.

To Earl Keys, Defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court, and suit on or before the expiration of the time prescribed in the order directing the publication hereof, to-wit: Six consecutive weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons which is March 26, 1908, and if you fail to appear, answer or otherwise plead within the said time, the plaintiff will ask the court for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between this plaintiff and this said defendant and awarding the plaintiff an absolute decree of divorce. By virtue of an order of the Hon. T. H. Crawford, judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 14th day of March, 1908, this summons is published in the Weekly Observer, a weekly newspaper printed and published in La Grande, Union county, Oregon.

COCHRAN & COCHRAN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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We have voted dry. Let us give the plan a fair trial; it may be better than you think.

Don't you think that eastern people will think just as much of us? Who is to blame? Wallowa county professes to be content. The majority over there was in excess of that of the previous election.

C. J. Richards, the auctioneer, returned from Elgin this afternoon.

HEARTILY ENDORSE COOPER REMEDIES

Dealer and Patient at Hallowell, Maine, Make Statements Under Oath

In connection with the intense interest manifested by the public at large in the theory of L. T. Cooper as to the human stomach being the source of nearly all ill health, the statements of Mr. W. D. Spaulding, of Hallowell, Me., one of the oldest and best-known druggists in that state, and of Mrs. Frederick Harvey, a well known nurse living in the same place, will be interesting to thousands of persons who are today suffering from ailments directly traceable to the stomach. The fact that these statements are made voluntarily, under oath, removes all element of doubt. The statements follow:

"HALLOWELL, MAINE, July 20, 1907.

"TO THE COOPER MEDICINE CO., Dayton, Ohio.

"Gentlemen—The policy at Spaulding's drug store is to gain the perfect confidence of the public by never recommending any medicine or treatment until its virtues have been fully established. The Cooper Remedies were to us an unknown quality, we were very skeptical of their medicinal value, and it was not until several of our customers had received such beneficial results from their use that we could no longer doubt their value that we consented to take the agency for the Cooper Remedies in this territory, heartily endorsing the same.

"Herewith we give the testimonial of a lady whose case came under our personal observation from her being a regular customer, and she says:—

"Gentlemen of the Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton Ohio: It is with pleasure I recommend your New Discovery

medicines, of which I have taken the contents of three bottles, and can today eat anything without inconvenience to myself. For a number of years I had suffered intensely with severe headaches, sour stomach, indigestion, pains in my side, and complications which made it exceedingly hard for me to accomplish even my household work. Physicians had given me dozens of prescriptions, which failed to accomplish a cure or even relief. Your New Discovery medicine advertisement attracted my attention, and I purchased a bottle of the medicine, which I took according to directions and before it was half gone, I felt very much better; when I had taken the contents of two bottles I gained courage to eat many things which for years I had denied myself, and found they caused me no ill effects. Today, after having used three bottles of the New Discovery, I can eat anything and feel that I am a well woman, once more, and therefore would advise anyone to take Cooper's New Discovery, for I feel sure it will cure them.—Mrs. Frederick Harvey, Hallowell, Me.

"We endorse the above testimonial, under oath, as being correct.

"W. D. SPAULDING.

"Testimony before me under oath this 22nd day of July, 1907.

"Geo. A. Safford, "Notary Public."

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I want to send you a complete ten day's treatment entirely free to you to see that you can cure yourself at home, easily, quickly and surely. For number, that it will cost you nothing to give the cure, or less than two cents a day. It will not interfere with your work or occupation. Just send me your name and address, tell me how you suffer, and I will send you the treatment free of charge, in plain wrapper, by return mail. I will send you the treatment free of charge, in plain wrapper, by return mail. I will send you the treatment free of charge, in plain wrapper, by return mail.

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