LOCAL ITEMS.

Clay Rinehart came in last evening from Elgin to transact business.

Mrs. Laura Biggers took her departure for Portland this morning.

Dr. Phy, of the Hot Lake sanatorium, came over this morning on No. 1.

Mrs. E. E. Bragg left this morning to visit friends in Union.

Wood is now selling at from $4 to $4.50 per cord at Meacham and is in good demand.

Mrs. F. Theison is somewhat improved after a short but serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stoddard, who have been visiting their old home in Logan, Utah, returned this morning.

Conductor and Mrs. H. C. Grady left today for a short visit with relatives in Walla Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lincoln are home from Huntington, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Lincoln's father.

Dr. Hubbard has moved into his handsome new brick residence, which has just been completed.

F. I. Julseth and family arrived this morning with a car of household goods. They will make their home in this valley.

Mrs. Kate R. Hanley is home from Portladn, where she went to undergo a surgical operation some time ago. She is much improved in health.

Conductor Topings will have charge of the logging train between here and the Palmer camps during Mr. Grady's absence from the city.

Fred G. Taylor, superintendent and manager of the sugar factory, left last night for Portland on a short business trip.

Mrs. F. C. Bramwell and children returned this morning from an extended visit with relatives in Logan, Utah.

Miss Gladys Oesterling returned this morning from Baker City, where she was visiting her cousins, the Palmers.

Mrs. Robert Cotner, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Enloe of Silverton, arrived home this morning.

District Superintendent J. D. Gillilan left last night to visit the charges in Grant county and will be away until August 1.

C. P. Cummings, is building a modern cottage on the corner of O and Hemlock streets. It has a stone foundation, plastered and modern in every respect.

Mr. and Mrs. Darby, who for the past week have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Logan, left this morning for Salem, where they will remain during the summer.

Mrs. G. W. Biggers, who has been here for a week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCrary, returned to her home in Portland this morning.

A. W. Nelson leaves in the morning for a week's outing in the mountains. Mrs. J. J. Carr will be connected with the local and news gathering staff during his absence.

Mrs. William Wigglesworth and children, who have been visiting Mr. Wigglesworth here during the past week, returned to the homestead in Wallowa canyon this morning.

Postmaster Richey has received instructions from the department to secure maps of the city for the use of the agent, who is expected to arrive in a few days to select a site for the new federal building.

Julius Fischer left today for Walla Walla, where it is reported he will open a saloon.

While playing with her sister Hilda last night, little Lucile McCrary, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCrary, in some way had her arm wrenched so badly that it was necessary to call a physician this morning.

Fireman Elliott, stationed on the helper run out of Kamela, with his family, will leave for Hillsboro tonight to pay a long deferred visit to his father. After leaving Hillsboro they will go to Cape Horn, Wash., and visit Mrs. Elliott's mother.

E. W. Davis, formerly register of the land office, accompanied by his children, Ethel, Aris and Vernon, Mrs. Mary Mallory and daughter Maud, left last evening for southern California, where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Mallory already owns a fruit ranch in that section of the Golden state, and Mr. Davis will probably also purchase a tract.

Mrs. H. J. Hockenberry and her sister, Miss Martha Huffman, left this morning for Portland and Los Angeles. In Portland they will remain for a week or more with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hockenberry, and in Los Angeles they will be the guests of Mrs. M. Galbreth, their sister. Mrs. Hockenberry will be away about two months, and Miss Huffman may remain a year or more in Los Angeles.

Baby's Arm Broken.

Little Lucile McCrary, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCrary, last evening while playing with her sister, Hilda, fell and hurt her arm. The hurt was not thought to be serious, but the little one fretted all night and this morning when Dr. Hall was called he found that the limb was broken. The little girl is now resting easily, the arm will no doubt be fully healed in a short time.

Contempt Case Postponed.

The contempt case against H. F. Briggs of Starkey, in which argument was to be heard today, has been postponed until 10 o'clock Monday.

The arguments in the divorce case of Dray vs. Dray, in which Mrs. Dray is suing for divorce, charging cruelty, are being heard this afternoon.

Crowds at Sherwood Theater.

Standing on the street waiting for their turn to get inside the doors of the Sherwood Electric theater last evening, is the story of the unprecedented rush on that place of amusement this week. The new change, which was seen by three full houses last night, is a splendid one. Especially one, "A Blind Woman's Story," is heart-touching.

Many at the Pastime.

The Pastime theater last evening The large, commodious Pastime theater last evening enjoyed a most splendid run. The program is longer than usual this week and teems with good things. The songs are also better than the usual run of excellent songs, if such a thing is possible.

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SOCIETY.

Afternoon Reception.

A reception that was informal, but nevertheless elaborate and largely attended, was given by Mrs. R. H. Hanna yesterday afternoon at the Hanna residence, in honor of Mrs. Mary Mallory and Misses Ethel Davis and Maud Mallory, who left last evening for their California home. A large number of friends of the guests of honor were in attendance, and though there was no set program, the afternoon was delightfully spent in visiting with those who were to leave in the evening, and enjoying the impromptu musical program. Mrs. A. L. Richardson and Mrs. O. E. Silverthorn each rendered highly appreciated vocal solos, while Mesdames W. W. Berry and E. W. Mack rendered piano solos.

With Mrs. Hanna on the reception committee were Mesdames A. T. Hill and Andrew Anderson. Refreshments in the way of punch and wafers were served by Misses Naomi Williamson, Oma Richardson and Mrs. W. D. McMillan.

The Hanna home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. With asparagus foliage as the background, and nasturtiums, pansies, roses and sweet peas liberally sprinkled over it, the scheme proved tasty.

The guests of honor are popular in La Grande and their host of friends are grieved to learn of their departure. The occasion yesterday afternoon gave many an opportunity of spending a delightful afternoon with Mrs. Mallory and Misses Davis and Mallory, before their departure.

Invitation list was as follows:

Mrs. Mallory, Maud Mallory, Ethel Davis, Mesdames Knowles, Crawford, Kirk, Robert Miller, Anson, Turner Oliver, Ivanhoe, Eppinger of Pendleton, N. Molitor, George Currey, Will Landrum, Stella Ingle, Grace Barrie, Carpy, Robert Smith, Wright, Cleaver, Brenholts, Osburn, E. W. Mack, Silverthorn, W. Berry, A. L. Richardson, J. T. Richardson, Williamson, Bragg, Charles Cochran, George Cochran, Anna Brooks, A. Anderson, J. Gilham, Kiddle, C. Bidwell, Foster, Lippincott, J. M. Berry, Clemens, Shea, Clancy, Conners, F. Jackson, Young; Misses Margaret Anson, Maud Clemens, Naomi Williamson, Oma Richardson, Flora Mack, Bertha Young, Harriet Young, Nell Young, Kathryn Connors, Amanda Miller, Netta Kiddle and Jessie Foster of Island City.

Supreme Chief Not Coming.

It is not likely that Supreme Chief Ranger John J. O'Grady will visit La Grande, which is contrary to original plans. It is contemplated to have eastern Oregon orders of Foresters give the supreme chief a big reception at some central point in this section of the state, but after studying the matter it was found that Baker City and La Grande were about the only orders that could take a part. It has been found that the expense for such a plan of entertainment would be great and the scheme has been practically dropped. O'Grady is coming to Oregon soon.

Amateurs Will Play.

The La Grande Amateurs is the name of the reorganized "Booster" team. The Amateurs were out yesterday afternoon and enjoyed a brisk practice. They will play a third game with Cove on the grounds here one week from Sunday, and fully expect to win, notwithstanding that the Cove boys are very fast. The team which will meet the Cove boys will be selected from Salee, Graham, McClure, Childers, Bruce, Gamble, Fox, Pidcock, Siegrist and Williams, and ought to put up a fast game.

Lived on Raw Fish.

Seattle, July 17.—Two castaways from the barkentine Fremont of San Francisco, who, when rescued in the Unimek pass, had subsisted on raw fish for three weeks, arrived last night from Nome. The men, William McDonald and Ernest Welzer, are fisherman of the Fremont, and had put out in dories to attend to their lines. When they attempted to return to the ship they found they has lost their bearings, after which they drifted for three weeks.

Misused Wife Drinks Acid.

Spokane, July 17.—Because her husband slapped her face, Mrs. Florence Phipps, wife of Sydney Phipps, drank carbolic acid in the Club cafe last night and will probably die. She is the daughter of John Hinkle, the furniture dealer of Sandpoint, Idaho.

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms for light housekeeping. Modern residence, ground floor. 'Phone Red 1712. 7-16tf

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45c — Men's Summer Knite Underwear, complete assortment, 60c to 75c values; fine balbriggans, fancy and plain knit, complete line of colors 45c

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Pants 47c — Neatly and well made, lace or embroidery trimmed, good value at 65c to 75c; to close out the lot we have reduced them to this exceptionally low price: $1.20 to $1.35 values...87c

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Corset-Covers — 20c to 25c regular goods .....17c; 30c to 45c numbers .....[illegible]; 50c to 65c numbers .....[illegible]; 75c to 85c numbers .....[illegible]

Skirts — All numbers at $1.20 to $1.40 on sale during this three-days special at ..98; $1.50 to $1.75 at $1.23

Now is the time to lay in a supply of Muslin Ware; they will go quietly at the above prices.

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Overalls 48c — Good grade denims, well made, all sizes, to close out, 48c. Also a line of heavier weights at.....68c. Complete line of the best Work Shirts 45c

Dishes — Johnson Bros., semi-porcelain ware; best goods on the market; nice white patterns; set of 47 pieces $4.98

Odd China — Decorated SALAD BOWLS, regular 50c goods .....28c; 35c Berry Bowls .....18c; 75c Water Bottles 39c

Shoe Department — 20 pairs Women's canvas Oxfords, $1.75 values .....98c; 40 pairs misses' canvas Oxfords, $1.25 values .....50c; 50 pairs children's Shoes, samples, size 5 to 8, $1.00 values 60c

Large line of sample and odd ends in Shoes to close out at greatly reduced prices. 25 to 50 per cent BELOW FORMER PRICE.

16-inch Pathfinder Lawn Mower, regular $5.00 machine $3.75
18-inch Electric Lawn Mower, regular $7.50 machine $5.00
18-inch Guilt Edge Lawn Mower, regular $7.50 machine $5.50
20-inch Achilles Lawn Mower, regular $10.00 machine $7.45

Common Screen Doors, size 2-6 and 2-8, well made; regular $1.50 values $1.09
Fancy Screen Doors, size 2-6, heavy and well braced; regular $2.15 values $1.63
Fancy Screen Doors, size 2-6, heavy and well braced, $2.25 values $1.68
Fancy Screen Doors, size 2-8, heavy and well made, $2.50 values $1.73

Refrigerators — $18.00 values; measures high, wide, long ..... $13.85; $21.00 values; measures high, wide, long ..... $16.90. These Refrigerators are of Standard make and will be found to be as good as any on the market.

Rubber Hose — All 13c numbers, 9*c; all 15c grades, 12c; all 18c grades, 14c; all 25c grades 18*c; cut in 25 and 50-foot lengths, with couplings. All garden tools greatly Reduced in Price.

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A Correction.

Mrs. Mary E. Fraker, district deputy president, installed the officers of Crystal Rebekah No. 50, also was herself installed as R. S. N. G. and the name of E. B. McKiddy as O. G. was left out of the report of installation.

MRS. R. E. WORSTELL.

For Sale.

Two extra fine fresh milk cows will be sold cheap if taken at once. Apply to Robert Miller, B avenue.

Land Office Business Light.

Business was rather light at the land office today, less than a dozen entries being made. Homestead proofs were made by William F. Butts, Nicholas Howland and Rose McPherson, all of Pendleton, and by John Wiggin of Wallowa county. Homestead applications were made by Charles Gregory of Baker City, and Roy G. Edgmons of Wallowa county. Roy Smith of Pendleton, secured a timber claim.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or.,
May 11th, 1908.

RAY HANSON,

of La Grande, Oregon, who, on May 6th, 1908, made Timber and Stone sworn statement No. 6021, for NW¼ NW¼, Section 10, Township 4 S., Range 37, E. W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on the 5d day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mike LePage, Mary E. Wilson, Blanche Baker, James McIntyre, all of La Grande, Ore.

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