

LOCAL ITEMS.

Frank Phy is a Union visitor today. He will return on the evening train.

Jay Brooks is spending the day in Cove.

Mrs. A. P. Lyman left this morning for Pendleton, where she will visit her son.

Mrs. H. Norrie and children left this morning for Kamela, where they will remain during the hot months.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Baugh of Logan, Utah, arrived in the city this morning to visit Mrs. Baugh's sister, Mrs. H. W. Nibley.

Mrs. J. Dale and son arrived this morning from Weiser and expect to leave tomorrow for Elgin, where they will visit Mrs. Dale's brother.

Miss Edna Tyre of Grants Pass, who has been the guest of her uncle, J. M. Chapman of this city, the past four weeks, returned home this morning.

John Reeves of Union, came over last evening to spend the night with his sister, Mrs. S. C. Zuber, and left on the morning train for Imbler.

Mrs. T. E. Buehler and daughter, Bessie, left this morning to spend a few weeks with relatives in Boise City.

J. Decker of La Grande, arrived in the city Saturday night to spend Sunday in the city with friends.—Baker Herald.

Mrs. A. Morrison and little daughter arrived in the city this morning from her home in Michigan. She is on her way to Waterville, Wash., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. G. W. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. German of Silverton, Ore., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. G. Adcock, returned home this morning. It has been 22 years since Mr. and Mrs. German last visited the Grande Ronde valley, and it is but natural that they have seen many changes.

Jerry Foley received a telegram today from his brother John, who resides in Kansas City, informing him of the death of his son, which occurred early this morning. The young man was about 19 years of age and was in

La Grande with his father about six years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hendricks of Water ville, Wash., who have been making an extended tour of the east, stopped off this morning and left for Elgin, where they will visit D. B. Hendricks. The brothers have not seen each other for some time, and the visit will undoubtedly be a most pleasant one.

Fred C. Fische, a former member of the faculty of the high school, with his wife, visited La Grande friends yesterday afternoon. Mr. Fische is making a name for himself in school work, being now a member of the faculty of the high school in a suburb of Detroit, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Fische have been visiting his uncle, Mr. Alexander, near Imbler, for some time. They left for Portland last night.

F. G. Taylor, secretary of the La Grande Commercial club, is a Portland visitor. He is spending a short vacation here after a year of strenuous work in the boosting of Union county and eastern Oregon. The reports of persistent advertising in the eastern states is being felt and many immigrants are being added to the population of the eastern Oregon counties.—Portland Journal.

McDonald Yet Missing.

Jesse Kirby McDonald, who was to meet his family in La Grande this morning according to arrangements made with his wife before he left his home in Vollmer, Idaho, a week ago, has not yet put in an appearance. Mrs. McDonald, who, with her children, is staying at the Blue Mountain house, is growing uneasy regarding her husband's non-appearance, and is afraid he has met with foul play. He carried some money on his person. The only other theory that she is able to feel may account for his absence, is that, not liking this town, or being unable to secure work here, her husband has gone to some other place and notified her in a letter which she failed to get, having left their former home before she was expected to. Upon her arrival here Sunday morning, Mrs. McDonald immediately wrote to the postmaster at Vollmer, asking

that her mail be forwarded. If any was in the office there, it ought to be received here not later than tonight. In the meantime the mother and children are apprehensive regarding the well being of the husband and father.

FOLLOWING OREGON'S PLAN.

Idaho Citizens Will Try for an Experiment Station.

Steps have been taken at Dalton Gardens to secure an experiment station for this end of the state. A meeting is called for tomorrow evening at the school house at that point to organize a boosters' club, which will push the matter. Professor H. T. French of the Idaho university at Moscow, has been consulted and encourages the proposition.—Boise Capital News.

WASHINGTON GROCERS

Will Ask for Law to Protect Their Accounts.

Retail grocers will ask the next legislature to follow the lead of New York, Michigan and California, and pass a "wife's liability" law, which will make it impossible for a man to avoid being sued for payment of just debts for the necessities of life by putting his property in his wife's name.

CHEERFULNESS.

There is scarcely an evil in life which we cannot double by pondering upon it; a scratch will thus become a serious wound, and a slight illness be made to end in death by the brooding apprehensions of the sick. On the other hand, a mind accustomed to look upon the bright side of all things will repeal the mildew and dampness of care by its general sunshine. A cheerful heart paints the world as it sees it. Like a sunny landscape; the morbid mind depicts it like a sterile wilderness; and thus, life, like the chameleon, takes its shade from the soil upon which it rests. Cheerfulness keeps up a daylight in the mind, filling it with a perpetual serenity, and is in itself an offshoot of goodness.

Hicks Will Recover.

Prof. Hicks, the balloonist, will recover from the injuries sustained, recently while attempting an ascension at Baker City last Friday. His condition is reported, according to a message from Baker City, to be much better yesterday.

Picnic on Ladd Creek.

Sunday a crowd of young people, consisting of Roy Currey, Roy Goodenough, Jess Rosenbaum, Lucrece Wood, Olive Dodge, Clifford Wood, Elsie Wagner and Marie Fox spent the day on Ladd creek, under the chaperonage of Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Fox.

For the Defendant.

Judge Knowles rendered a decision this forenoon in the case of Briggs of Starkey, who was charged with contempt, in not complying with an order of the court, restraining him from using certain water for irrigation. The hearing was heard several days ago, but the decision was not rendered until today.

Fine Cherries.

Attorney J. D. Slater left a limb of the May Duke variety grown at his home in this city, at our office, that would be a credit to any exhibit anywhere. After all the force had eaten a handful or two, someone suggested that we count them. The limb is on display in our office and speaks well for the kind of cherries that can be produced in Grande Ronde valley.

Attention.

There will be a regular meeting of Rescue Hose Co. No. 1 tonight, at 8 o'clock. C. JACKSON, Foreman.

Overdoing.

You overeat if your food is not honestly earned. You oversleep if the mortgage is awake and growing. You overtalk if you have time to waste on gossip. You overwork if you meddle with the affairs of other people.

DENTIST.

Dr. W. D. McMillan. Red 551. Fairless extraction. Expert gold work. Special attention to children's teeth. La Grande National Bank Building.

Milton, Umatilla county, has three lumber yards, all doing a good business—and the territory has been dry over 15 years.

STEVENSON ON TRIAL AGAIN.

Doctor Given Jury Trial and Will Make a Strong Fight.

Justice Stewart's court this afternoon is occupied with the case of the State of Oregon vs. Dr. J. E. Stevenson. The defendant is charged with practicing dentistry without a state license. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty and asked for a jury trial, which was granted. The jury is composed of Price Gates, J. M. Hilt, E. Alberson, E. J. Carbine, Ed Birk and J. A. Matott.

Attorney Charles E. Cochran appeared for the defendant, and District Attorney F. S. Ivanhoe is looking after the interests of the state.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an act of the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, approved February 25, 1889, the following county warrants which were issued more than seven years prior to the first day of July, 1908, but have not been paid, will be paid by the county treasurer of Union county, Oregon, if presented for payment within 60 days from July 1, 1908, and if said warrants or any of them, are not presented for payment within 60 days from July 1, 1908, they will be cancelled by the county court of said county and payment of the same will be thereafter refused:

- Class HH, No. 1929, City of Union, \$4.15.
Class II, No. 1155, Ambrose Wright, \$1.50.
Class II, No. 1480, A. Wright, \$7.60.
Class II, No. 1759, Steve Correy, \$2.20.
Class JJ, No. 141, G. C. Horton, \$7.
Class JJ, No. 947, J. E. Moore, \$1.20.
Class JJ, No. 1714, Union Electric Light Co., \$25.
Witness my hand and seal of said county court this 27th day of June, A. D. 1908. J. B. GILHAM, County Clerk.

Maccabee Social.

The Lady Maccabees will give a lawn social Thursday evening, July 23, at the home of Mrs. Frank Baker, corner of Eighth and O streets. 7-23

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Public Land Sale.

La Grande, Oregon, Land Office, July 10, 1908. Notice is hereby given that, as di-

rected by the commissioner of the general land office, under provisions of act of congress approved June 27, 1906, Public—No. 303, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 25th day of August, next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: S 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 29, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 32, Tp.

4 S., R. 30, E. W. M. Any persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are advised to file their claims or objections, on or before the day above designated for sale. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register. A. A. ROBERTS, Receiver. 7-17-8-21

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