

LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Golda Hopper has gone to Baker City to visit friends.

Mrs. J. F. Gilham went to Imbler today to visit friends a few days.

Mrs. William Webster of Allice, who has been in the city the past few days, returned home this morning.

Miss Grave Foy has returned to her home in Cove after undergoing treatment here by Dr. C. H. Upton.

A. W. Stults, who is farming the Bartness ranch on Grave creek, is a La Grande visitor today.

J. B. Halley of La Grande, arrived Saturday for a visit with his son, J. R. Halley.—News-Record.

Miss Rachel Turner left this morning for Wallowa to transact business. She expects to be absent several weeks.

Principal E. B. Conklin of Ontario, who is well known in this city, reached here this morning as a delegate from his school.

James Spikehart, one of the successful and enterprising Sandridge farmers, was a La Grande guest this morning.

Architect C. R. Thornton is back from Wallowa county, where he has been on business matters the past week.

Mrs. C. E. McKennon of Allice, who has been visiting friends in La Grande the past few days, returned home this morning.

Mrs. William Saunders left this morning for Enterprise, where she will visit friends and relatives a few weeks.

Rev. Bradley of Elgin, came up this afternoon to attend the banquet of the Methodist Brotherhood, which takes place this evening.

Mrs. Charles Clements left this morning for Walla Walla to visit her daughter, Miss Maud, who is attending Whitman college.

Commander Faulk desires every member of Oliver P. Morton post, G. A. R., to be present at the next meeting to be held Saturday afternoon, at 1:30 sharp.

Samuel L. Story and F. S. Bramwell took their departure this morning for Ogden, where they will confer on business matters with David Eccles, the sugar king.

Tom Maxwell, who was convicted of the larceny of an overcoat, was escorted to Salem last night by Sheriff Childers, where he will be the guest of the state for the next two years.

Willis Johnson of Ladd Creek, is transacting business in La Grande this forenoon. Mr. Willis reports that crop conditions in his home district are good and there is every prospect of a successful year.

The March number of the Pacific Monthly has arrived and subscribers entitled to the leading magazine of the Pacific coast, can have it by calling at once. The March number is especially fine.

Mrs. Clara Rhodes, Elgin's leading milliner, who has been in Portland the past few weeks arranging for her spring stock, passed through La Grande en route home this morning.

Prof. Roy Conklin, principal of the Cove schools, arrived last evening to attend the conference. Since Cove has boasted of a high school, athletics have been under the supervision of Mr. Conklin, and it is well supervised, too.

George Ruckman, the Allice farmer and stockman, was a town visitor this afternoon. Mr. Ruckman drove in with his blue ribbon drivers, and said he came so fast that the mud did not have time to fly into his face.

William Hall, the May Park fruit man and horticultural booster, returned this morning from a business trip to Portland and Eugene. He reports seeing many orchards but not superior to many to be seen in the Grande Ronde valley.

William Snider, the Wallowa barber, is in the city today visiting old-time friends. It has been several years since Mr. Snider has been in La Grande, and he says that he is more than pleased with the wondrous growth this city has made since his last visit.

Attorney Leroy Lomax of Portland, is in the city on circuit court matters and will probably be here until tomorrow evening. Attorney Lomax is located in the Swetland building in Portland and his friends will be pleased to know that he is building up a splendid practice in the metropolis of the state.

All interested in missionary work will please remember that Miss Holmes will speak to the ladies Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. C. Henry, to which all missionary societies in the city are cordially invited, also at the M. E. church Sunday morning, and at Epworth league Sunday evening.

J. H. Minnaugh of Wallowa, came in on the Joseph train today.

Contractor S. R. Haworth came in on the train this afternoon from Enterprise.

Elder Mayfield of Elgin, is here, en route to Touchet, Wash., where he goes on church matters.

J. L. Caviness, who has been in Wallowa county several days, has returned home.

B. B. Boyd, a real estate dealer and capitalist of Wallowa county, is doing business here today.

The Misses Vera and Hilda Hart are down from Hilgard today, visiting friends.

Attorney John S. Hodgins is in Baker City today, holding bankruptcy court in the matter of Grant Thornburg and his creditors.

The funeral of the late Joel Crandall took place from the family home in South La Grande today. Many of the old pioneers were present.

C. P. Walker of Seattle and Ed Willard of Portland, stock buyers, left for points east today. They report prime cattle quite scarce at this time of the year.

Rev. Halley and District Superintendent Gillilan, arrived yesterday evening from Wallowa county, where they organized a Methodist Brotherhood. They will be prominent on the program at the banquet this evening.

SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES.

St. Peter's Church.

First Sunday in Lent. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; Bible class, 4:15 p. m.; evening service, 5 p. m. Services during Lent are each Wednesday and Friday evening at 7:30. The vestry will meet Monday evening at 7:30. Rev. Upton H. Gibbs, rector.

First Presbyterian Church.

Washington avenue and Sixth street. Morning subject, "Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh." Evening subject, "The Labor Problem," with a people's forum. Special music by the choir. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., W. L. Brenholts, superintendent; teachers' meeting Monday, 7:30 p. m., at the home of F. B. Currey. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Baraca class social at the manse Friday evening. Rev. S. W. Seemann, D. D., minister.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Corner M avenue and Fourth St. Sunday, 9:45, Bible school, George H. Currey, superintendent; 11 a. m., morning worship. Miss Holmes, for eight years a missionary to India, will speak on the work among the Hindus. At 6:30 p. m., Epworth league hour, Union Young People's service, addressed by Miss Holmes; 7:30 p. m., evening worship, "Our Master." Monday, 7:30 p. m., Bible study class. Thursday, 7:30, prayer meeting. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. C. E. Deal, pastor.

DRAG SESSION

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has made little progress during the prolonged session. Many congressmen expressed the belief that consideration would be concluded today.

Continue Waterways Commission.

The house today voted overwhelmingly to continue international waterways commission, representing the United States and Canada, with an appropriation of \$25,000, contained in the sundry civil appropriation bill.

Expunge Clark Attack.

The house today by a viva voce vote adopted the resolution by Representative Tawney for the appointment of a select committee of five to consider the speech of Congressman Cook of Colorado, attacking President Roosevelt, with a view of having it expunged from the records.

A GALA TIME.

Many Unionites Wish Their Names Had Been Forged.

Since the subpoenas have been flying around this city and valley for the past few days and as each train sees an exodus to the metropolis of the state, not a few wish that their names had been forged, so they, too, could have been called to Portland at the expense of the state. It is always thus. Now some of the men who are compelled to go would gladly exchange places with almost anybody. However, the following are already there or will be Saturday morning: L. L.

McKennon and B. F. Webb of Allice; H. C. Rinehart, Summerville; Sheriff F. P. Childers; J. C. Henry, J. J. Carr, J. B. Thorson, Elgin; W. R. Hamilton, Walter Pierce, Jerry Foley, Ed Rumble; G. E. Fowler, J. D. Casey, Hilgard; N. K. West and Walter Pierce will go down Sunday or Monday.

Early Spring Hats.

Early Spring Gage hat showing at Mrs. L. Smith's.

VETOED 53 BILLS.

All Work of Oregon Legislature Has Gone Through Executive Hands.

Salem, Feb. 6.—All legislation of the 25th legislature has gone through the governor's hands. Chamberlain vetoed 53 bills; 17 before the legislature adjourned and the remainder this week.

The Appointed Day.

The revival meetings in progress in the First Baptist church continue with deepening interest. Mr. Bailey preached a most intensely earnest sermon last night. This evening at 7:30 he will speak on "The Certainty of Judgment." Text, "God hath appointed a day in the which He will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he hath ordained," whereof He hath given assurance unto all men in that He hath raised him from the dead." Cordial welcome to all. W. H. Gibson, pastor.

Plowing.

Orchard or garden plowing on short notice. Phone black 1011. Careful and painstaking. Young trees plowed around with care. A. HERMAN, South La Grande. 2-25tt

NEW BILL TONIGHT.

Pastime Offers Attractions Extraordinary for This Evening.

In the first place the Pastime will have a complete change of pictures this evening. We feel sure they will prove pleasing as well as instructive. Then Fox and Durkin will present an exceedingly funny comedy, "A Case of Mistaken Identity and Miss Hadley, the wonderful change artist will present "Mamma's Boy" and "Kate Kearney" with special electrical effects which she carries for this special act. M. B. Sherwood will operate the picture machine this evening. The public knows what this means.

For Marshal.

The undersigned takes this means of informing the voters of La Grande that he is a candidate for re-election for city marshal, and respectfully asks consideration at the hands of citizens of this city. J. W. WALDEN.

Apple Shipments.

Apples are moving briskly from this market. Wright and Lambert have shipped a car each day this week and will send out another car tomorrow. Grande Ronde valley apples are beginning to be moved in the market, where formerly they were an unheard of commodity.

Dr. W. D. McMillan Painless Denistry La Grande National Bank Bldg Both Phones

DRILLING

There are several kinds of drilling but the kind that makes the kind that makes the farm pay is the drilling which makes water available. There is no need of a dry farm. The task is not so great as you may think. I have had years of experience and understand the well business thoroughly.

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