

LOCAL ITEMS.

Judith McCully has filed suit for divorce against Guy E. McCully.

Mrs. Ed Eckley is visiting friends in the north end of the county today. Superintendent D. W. Campbell of the O. R. & N. is here on a regular visit.

Another contest case, being that of Larsen vs Foreman, is being heard at the land office today.

A marriage license has been issued to Otto H. Hall and Elizabeth K. Barckardt.

Mrs. M. Wood went to Elgin this morning to visit friends for a day or two.

Mrs. Winn Bunker left this morning to join her husband at Joseph, where he is employed with the O. R. & N. there.

The Curtiss Comedy company went to Pendleton this morning. From there they will continue their tour of eastern Washington.

Tomorrow morning Christiansen Bros open their new barber shop in the building formerly occupied by Hewitt the Jeweler.

The band boys are practicing three or four times a week in preparation for their big concert the evening of April 15th.

James Kilpatrick went to Eugene this morning where he will visit the university as a guest of his brother Earl.

All ladies of the Tuesday Musical who practice in the chorus work are requested to meet in the club rooms Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Prof. E. E. Lewis, who at one time conducted a business college here, arrived today from Utah points to visit his daughter, who is attending school here. He will leave again tonight.

Mrs. G. B. Wyrick, of Pendleton, is at Hot Lake visiting Mrs. Wyrick who was operated on recently, and Mr. Wyrick who is also ill at the sanatorium—Pendleton Tribune.

Engineer "Dad" Moon of the Pilot Rock run is in La Grande staying at the Sommer house while he is suffering with a slight illness. Engineer Hendrahan has been assigned to his place.

G. W. Benson of Union is in the city today on oil business. He is thoroughly convinced that the Ontario-Vale oil field is of great importance and that before very long the whole country will have its eye focused on that district—Baker City Herald.

Earl Kilpatrick and Charles Townsend, the U. of O. debating team, defeated at Salt Lake, passed through La Grande this morning en route to Eugene. Salt Lake papers say Earl's address was one of the features of the debate.

Owing to the pressure of other business the soliciting committee appointed by President Collier of the Commercial club to look after subscriptions to the Meadowbrook project will not be able to do anything more with the list until Friday and Saturday.

A neat sum of money was netted last night by the Tuesday Musical at the 15 cent musical given under the able direction of Misses McDonald and Oliver. The affair was a most enjoyable one.

WANTED AT ONCE—A strong boy to learn the bakers trade, Royal Bakery. 3-31-19

NEW RECEIVER HERE.

Receiver-to-be Colon R. Eberhard arrived today from Joseph to make preliminary arrangements for moving his family to La Grande and accepting his position in the land office. He received official notice of his appointment yesterday. His bonds will be ready as soon as the blanks arrive. For the present securities must total \$35,000.

PORTLAND, March 31.—Harriman today authorized the expenditure of \$2,000,000 within a year for completion of the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company's line, known as "The Lytle" road from Portland to Tillamook President E. E. Lytle of the road hopes to have the road completed by the end of the present year.

Religious Moving Pictures. "The Star of Bethlehem" is the title of an interesting film that will be produced at the Pastime tonight. To followers of Biblical history the picture will be something seldom if ever witnessed before. It is clear enough to be understood by him who is not so well versed in Bible history. "The Return of Ulysses" is another remarkable film to be seen tonight. These two pictures comprise a rare electrical picture program. Every vaudeville actor at the Pastime is a first-class singer, which augmented by clever acting, makes them all interesting characters to listen to. A complete change tonight.

WORK BRINGS RESULTS.

Lincoln Farm Association Committee Gets Quick Response.

If you want to belong to the Lincoln Farm association, send your 25 cents or over to Mrs. Fred G. Schilke, who is chairman of the committee appointed some time ago by Mayor Hall. The committee met last night and decided that this would be the best plan for raising a creditable amount to contribute to the work of caring for the birthplace cabin and farm of Lincoln. Below we print a coupon for the use of any one who wishes to receive a certificate of membership.

The Lincoln Farm Association. Mrs. F. G. Schilke, Treasurer: Enclosed you will find \$..... which is my contribution to the work of the Lincoln farm association. Please send certificates of honorary membership to Name Address

The names of the committee appointed by Mayor Hall follow: David Hay, T. H. Crawford, S. W. Seemann, W. M. Ramsey, Mrs. George Palmer, Dr. A. L. Richardson, J. H. Watson, L. H. Russell, J. M. Berry, Mrs. Ellen Cross, William Miller, Rev. Father Whyte, I. W. Faulk, O. F. Colledge, F. E. Holm, William Ash, Mrs. F. G. Schilke.

Five dollars have already been donated in small amounts.

HILL ANSWERS PIERCE.

Starkey Land Owner Affirms He is Not "Holding Up" Dam Site.

Starkey March 28 (To the editor) Kindly allow me space in your paper to answer a statement made by Walter M. Pierce at the irrigation meeting held in La Grande on March 20, that one of the land owners in the reservoir site district had refused to consider any offer for his land less than \$158 per acre. As I am the only one that did not agree on a price with the company two years ago, I suppose I am the party referred to. But I have never asked any company or any person \$158 per acre for any land or even one half that much and I have never asked the company any more than I would ask of a private party or any more than I have been offered by a private party. Mr. Pierce has been misinformed by some one as I never asked any such price. H. T. Hill. Honesty must

JACK O'BRIEN HURT.

Erstwhile La Grande Manager Injured at Hannabel, Mo. Today.

Mrs. Jack O'Brien late this afternoon received meager advices from Hannabel Mo., where her husband is managing a baseball club, that while practicing early this morning, Jack stumbled, falling in such a way as to break a shoulder blade and dislocate one ankle. The accident will upset his summer plans as well as cause him much pain. Mrs. O'Brien anxiously awaits additional facts.

Sackers are running in streams around Bonanza.

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Sage rats made their appearance March 1, says the Prineville Review. They are a fearful menace to grain crops and grangers expend several hundred dollars annually for poison to keep down the increase, but they are very prolific. The sage rat allows himself five growing months to a cure provender for the remainder of the year, and on the 1st of August every last one of him disappears into his underground palace to enjoy a life of ease and sage rate prosperity.

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