

LOCAL ITEMS.

Dr. J. D. Gillman is in North Powder today.

L. H. Russell the timberman, returned today from points east.

Clyde Scheurer, postmaster at North Powder, is in the city today, calling on friends.

W. J. Snodgrass arrived home this morning from a brief business visit to Union.

A sidewalk is being constructed on the front side of the new A. & M. building.

Mrs. J. M. Kockensparger has returned home from a visit with friends at Cove.

Mrs. Leon Wade, who has been indisposed for several days, is again at her post in the Newlin Book store.

Attorney J. D. Slater left this morning for Enterprise where he has business with the circuit court.

C. R. Eberhard returned home today from a professional visit to Enterprise.

Several dozen Japs went out to the beet fields today, taking with them a wagon load of provisions.

Attorney C. H. Finn who has been attending court in Wallawa county has returned.

Attorney John S. Hodgins came in on the afternoon train from Wallawa county, where he has been attending court.

Jenks Cameron and March Hebbert of Tacoma, are here looking after bonds and various matters connected with the Surety Bond Company.

Mrs. J. J. Newhill of Summerville is here taking care of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Horstman, who is very ill.

Wm. Miller returned this afternoon from Enterprise where he spent a few days looking after business interests.

Walter Bunker formerly of this city, but now located at Milton, is here shaking hands with his friends. He arrived last evening.

Remember the cake sale at the Bohnenkamp store tomorrow. It is conducted by the Presbyterian church ladies.

The Mission band meeting called at the home of Miss Gladys Miller tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Birlew who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Chatten, returned this morning to their home at Montpelier, Idaho.

Willie Fleming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming of North La Grande, is improving rapidly from a severe case of blood poisoning. He is yet at the hospital, but will soon be recovered sufficiently to return to his home, according to the attending physician, N. Molitor.

President Kerr of the state agricultural college and Dr. James Whitcombe, passed through this morning en route to Union where they will be joined by Regent Walter Pierce and they will look over the work and plans of the experiment station.

FINE FINISH ON GROUNDS

Mr. Taal, who is grading the court house grounds, has laid his teams off and will level the ground by hand in order to save hauling top dressing. This does not mean that he is trying to haul less of the top dressing than is required by the specifications of his contract, but that unless the ground is made level he will have to haul a great deal more than is required to cover the ground to the required depth, two and one inches. The dirt being put on the top is of the very finest quality, and could not be better.

A total of 368 loads will be required.

PRIVATE SALE.

Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, all household goods including table, chairs, sideboard, beds, dressers, range, carpets, refrigerator, canned fruit, etc. Inquire at the home of O. M. Heacock opposite Court House.

STORE FOR RENT.

Store rooms on Elm st., now occupied by the L. C. Smith garage will be for rent on or before June 1st. Inquire of A. O. Huntington, phone Red



A scene from "The Message of Mars" at The Steward May 22.

ENORMOUS CATCH MADE

Five trout that vary in length between 34 and 36 inches, five others that measure 30 inches, and a dozen that measure between 18 and 19 inches, is the story told of a remarkable mess of fish landed by Adolph Newlin in the wallawa river yesterday afternoon. The string is a sight to tickle the fisherman. The largest weighed 14 pounds dressed, and required an even hour in catching. There are four others, almost as large, lacking but a few pounds in weight. It is the banner catch in several years.



Manzan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold at Silverthorn's Family drug store.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,

United States Land Office,

La Grande, Ore., March 6, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Samuel Nelson, contestant, against H. E. No 12273, serial No. 02733, made December 17, 1902, for W 1/2 NW 1/4, section 12, township 2 south, range 37 east, Willamette meridian, by William J. Conrod, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William J. Conrod has abandoned the land for more than six months last past and that he has never resided thereon; that he has never improved and cultivated the land as required by the homestead law, and that said alleged absence from said land was not due to employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation, at 10 o'clock a. m., on April 20th, 1909, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in La Grande, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 6th, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.
J. T. WILLIAMSON,
Attorney for Contestant.
wMar12Apr16

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Black pony "Billy" branded V on left hip, and H on right shoulder, white hind foot. Was last seen near Elchenberger place on Ladd Hill about March 25. Information received and rewarded.

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