

LOCAL ITEMS.

Frank Owsley has returned to Colfax.

Mrs. Charles Thornberg went to Elgin today to visit friends.

Julius Roesch spent the day in Elgin on business matters.

Al Long came up this afternoon from his farm near Elgin.

Miss Bertha Slater left today for Portland to remain during the Rose show.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gulling expect to leave tonight for Portland and Seattle to remain in definitely.

Justice of the Peace Joe Parkes is over from Pendleton today on one of his frequent visits to the land office.

Sam Patterson arrived today from Baker City where he spent a month in the employ of a mining concern.

C. R. Thornton, the architect is a business visitor in Enterprise and Joseph today.

Mrs. B. Gibson has arrived from Tacoma to join her husband who is an engineer here.

The Northwest Shriners special train of six cars passed through here last evening.

Mrs. A. E. Murchison attended the De Lapp funeral at Island City today.

Agent Weatherspoon of Elgin returned today from Portland, where he had spent two weeks.

Miss May Robinson leaves tonight for Nampa to visit her sister Mrs. Bert Haug.

Mrs. J. P. Donnelly expects to leave this evening for Cambridge, Idaho, to visit relatives for a few days.

Fireman Helmick was "set up" today. There is a serious demand for firemen and engineers during the rush of business.

M. Millman, janitor at the court has given up his place, and will move to his home in Cove within a short time.

Miss Marion Blake, of Vallejo, Calif., arrived last evening on a visit to her Aunt, Mrs. John McKenna, 1503 6th street.

Mrs. T. N. Murphy and daughter Irene took their departure today for Portland to attend the Rose show and to visit the A-Y-P. later in the summer.

The Lambda Phi Alpha club of the Presbyterian church will be entertained this evening at the home of Loy Wissler on Adams avenue.

Rev. W. H. Gibson went to Hermiston today to participate in the ordination of Homer D. Pease to the gospel ministry. He will return tomorrow morning.

Rev. Alexander Blackman of the Baptist church at Baker City was a passenger today en route to Hermiston, where he will attend the ordination ceremonies.

Twelve carloads of sheep from Enterprise passed through the city this afternoon. There were also 30 cars from Pilot Rock, destined to points East. Such shipments as these help fatten payrolls in La Grande.

E. W. Oliver has returned from Portland where he took over a large boarding house in exchange for some of his valley property. He has no intention at present of moving to Portland, and has only disposed of a small amount of his property.

Prof. Hughes who has been lecturing in the city and giving lessons in "Higher Thought" left this morning for Baker City where he will organize a class. He expects to return in about two weeks and instruct another class.

This morning east bound train took with it several from this city who go to Salt Lake as delegates to the Y. M. M. I. A. convention to be held there this week. Among those to go were Mrs. E. Rosenbaum, Mrs. Maud Schofield, Mr. Victor E. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Nibley and daughter Miss Aurelia, Mrs. Stringham of Iradier and Mrs. C. W. Nibley Jr.

Judge Crawford and Attorney Baker did not go fishing this afternoon as they promised earlier in the day. Mr. Baker says that the other fellow backed out. We have not heard from Mr. Crawford, who is an enthusiast, and not likely to back out where a fishing trip is concerned. Joking aside, they learned that Meadow creek is too high just now and decided to wait until they are more likely to catch enough fish to talk about.

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