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OPEN MONTH'S STAND ON NEXT MONDAY.

Will Bring Headliners From Walla Walla For Occasion.

S. M. Curtiss and his leading lights, who last spring pleased La Grande audiences, and who has had his company at Walla Walla all summer, will open a four of five weeks' engagement at the Pastime theater next Monday night. A few of the Pastime aggregation will remain, while others who have been constantly at work for 18 months will take a needed rest. Curtiss is to bring his headliners here and combine to make the finest repertoire company that has held long engagements here in many years. Lack of room in the auditorium will be the chief difficulty.

It is not yet known whether Mr. Curtiss will retain his company name, or whether the company will be temporarily known as the Pastime Stock company.

Regardless of what the names, the stuff handed out to the public will be the same clean, high class attractions for which Mr. Curtiss is renowned for.

HART VISITS IN THE CITY

REPORTS POLITICAL BEES A BUZZIN AT HOME.

Johns And Churchill Talked of as Big Candidates.

State Senator J. N. Hart and Jesse Parrott of the Parrott, Cottrell & Parrott, engineering and contracting firm of Baker City are in the city today transacting business at the land office.

The Baker City solon, who is an influential figure in Oregon politics, affirms there is "nothing stirring" of any great significance in Baker county as an introduction to the coming state election.

"A political bee or two is buzzing in Baker," affirmed the senator, "but on the whole, politics are quiet."

J. A. Churchill is talked of as a likely candidate for state superintendent of instructions, but I do not believe he has stated he wants to undertake the race.

"Our man Johns is also said to be after gubernatorial honors, but his intentions have only been hinted at, for he has made no definite assertion that I know of, that he will be a candidate. Otherwise than this, I know of no other state politics of much importance."

The senator and engineer say that there is great activity in the lower Powder valley district where the Elmer Evans and Thatcher factions are fighting for rights to reclaim the large section of land there. Each has a foothold, and interest is intense in knowing who will eventually be given authority to carry out the project under the Carey act.

Fruitmen in Session.

BALTIMORE, July 29.—Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the United States Department of Agriculture, is on the program of today's summer meeting of the Maryland State Horticultural Society at Mountain Lake Park. Dr. Wiley's subject is "The Pure Food Law as Affecting Fruit Products."

LADD CANYON NEWS ITEMS

HEAVY RAIN SOAKS DISTRICT EAST OF LA GRANDE.

Personal Mention of Thriving Little Settlement.

LADD CANYON, July 29.—(Special)—John Graham has returned from Hot Lake where he had a large cancer removed from his neck. Dr. Phy pronounces it to be one of the worst cancers he ever saw. Mr. Graham is getting along as well as can be expected.

A steady rain visited us all day yesterday and a portion of the night, which is not welcomed by those who have hay down and stacks unfinished. Of course it is fine on gardens and second crops of alfalfa.

Miss Ellen Stevens of La Grande, visited over Saturday and Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Adolph Peebler returned from Cove Sunday, where she visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Johnson.

Mrs. Harvey Stansberry of La Grande, is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Mabel Counsell expects to spend next week in La Grande visiting friends and relatives.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that letters of executorship have been issued by the County Court of Union County, Oregon, to Angus Shaw, Jr. upon the last will and testament of Angus Shaw, deceased, and all persons having claims against said deceased are notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned at his residence, La Grande, Oregon, R. F. D. No. 1, within six months from date of this notice.

Dated this June 21, A. D. 1909.
ANGUS SHAW JR.,
Executor.

(d-m-5-t) J. D. Slater, atty for Ex.

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DR. A. L. RICHARDSON. Physician and Surgeon. Office over Hill's Drug Store Office Phone 1362. Residence Main 55.	J. C. PRICE, D. M. D. Dentist. Room 23, La Grande National Bank Building. Phone Black 1297.
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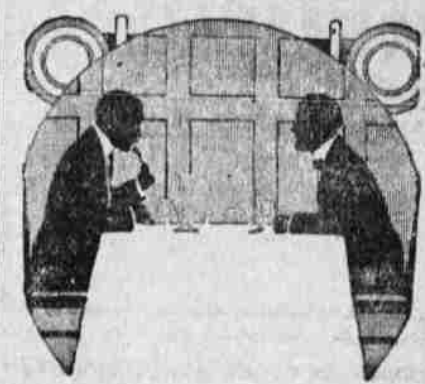
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