Holy Week Approaches

Holy Week, Commencing With Palm Sunday, Tomorrow, Will Be Generally Observed In This City. Churches Not Affiliated or Connected With the Revivals, are Observe Week Specially.

Tomorrow is Palm Sunday and immediately following comes Holy Week, a period always observed with considerable interest in La Grande. The Catholic and Episcopal churches not affiliated with the revival services, are preparing a special program of observance for the week.

At the Catholic Church

There will be services tomorrow, Palm Sunday, at the Catholic church at 10 a. m. Through Holy Week there will be services, Holy Thursday and on Good Friday. More definite announcements will appear later

St. Peter's Church

Palm Sunday, March 20; services at 8 a. m., 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.

Monday and Tuesday; 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday; 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Thursday; 10 a. m. and 4 p. m

Good Friday; 10 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The offerings on Good Friday are for the aged and infirm clergy fund.

TO IMPROVE EQUIPMENT

FREIGHT AND PASSENGER DEPARTMENT TO BETTER

New steel cars and better engines for the O. R. & N. line

Increased efficiency in the freight and passenger department to be afforded by the O. R. & N. hereafter from Portland that requisitions for approximately $1,7750,000 for the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon and for the O. R. & N, systems have been approved and orders will be placed soon through the New York offices. This means that there is not to be another car shortage this fall when the bumper wheat crop is ready for transportation to tidewater ports. It means tha freight trains will be handled in greater numbers and at a greater speed than ever before and that passenger trains will not fall hours behind their ecnedule because they are heavier than the locomotives are capable of transporting at schedule speed.

The figure represent the approximate value of equipment that will be added in addition to new freight cars For the latter on two roads. Manager O'Brien has asked for cars that will mean a further expenditure of $1,850,000 and on which the Eastern officials have given a qualified approval.

In engine equipment the O. R. & N. will receive this year 25 new consolidated engines for freight traffic; 12 Atlantic type engines for high speed trains on low grades and three switch engines.

In new passenger equipment there are to be two steel postal cars, eight steel baggage cars, four combination baggage and postal cars and 12 steel coashes. The freight equipment requisition includes 12 cabooses, 200 stock cars, 300 flat cars and 1200 box cars. In addition, approval has been given to the purchase of a 120-ton wrecking derrick.

HOT LAKE NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. J. E. Smith and Mrs. Chas. Gritman, both of Pendleton, are recent arrivals here.

Mr. Fred Bock, who has been under treatment for the past week, expects to be able to return to La Grande in a few days.

Hot Lake, March 19—(Special)—Walter J. Holman, one of Portland's leading baseball players, is spending the week at the sanatorium.

Mr. Cadderly, who recently submitted to an operation for appendicitis, is able to again appear in the lobby and expects to soon be able to return to his position in the La Grande National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tierny of Walla Walla, are guest of the sanatorium. Mr. Tierney is connected with one of the large implement houses at Walla Walla and is here receiving treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Tierney expect to remain for several weeks.

Notice to Contractors

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Recorder of the City of La Grande Oregon, until 2 o'clock p. m., March 31st, 1910, for the construction of 21322.7 Sq. Yds. or hard surface pavement, Bithulectic, Asphalt, and Hassam, according to the plans and specifications now on file in this office. A certified check of 5 per cent of each bid must accompany the bid. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

D. E. COX,
Recorder of the City of La Grande
3-19-24.

New Bargains in Real Estate at the C. J. Black agency

NO. 12—120 acres seven miles north of La Grande. New 5-room house good barn and other outbuildings Water piped to the house from a good spring. 80 acres under cultivation. Alfalfa and timothy hay and also grain land. Small family orchard. 40 acres timber and pasture land, level and well adapted for orchard land when timber is removed. 250,000 feet of saw lumber on the place. Saw mill adjoining property. 4 head of splendid work horses, 1 yearling colt, 2 milk cows, 2 sets of harness 3, 1-2 wagon, hack, surrey, new mowing machine, new disc plow, furniture in the house and all other farm tools on the place. All for $10,000.00. $4,000.00 cash and balance in terms to suit purchaser

NO 13—140 acres, 1 1-2 miles south of Imbler, Oregon, All under fence fields cross fenced with dog tight wire, 320 acres in meadow and grain, 80 acres in fall and winter grain. 1 1-2 story house, 4 rooms down stairs an dtwo up. Barn and other outbuildings. $50.00 per acre; half cash, balance on terms.

NO. 14.—62 acres in Mt. Glenn. All under cultivation, small family orchard, 5 room house and barn. All splendid land. Price $3200, $1100 cash, balance on easy terms.

NO. 15.—50 acres in Mt. Glenn, Oregon, 30 acres under cultivation, Three acres of orchard and balance ance in fall wheat. Good springs on the place; 4 room house, barns, etc. 20 acres timber on the place. Price $3000. $1500 down, balance in two years.

NO 16.—A three room house, one lot on Jefferson Ave. House furnished. Good well and wood shed. All for $500 on easy terms.

NO. 17.—5 room brick house, modern Barn, wood shed, etc, two lots 124 by 124, small orchard, nice lawn and shade trees. All fenced, for $2000, easy terms.

NO. 18.—A four room cottage on O street, two lots, city water, price $1300 on terms.

NO. 19.—Eight lots and fine new house in Old Town at the head of 4th street. City water inside, also pump; good, big barn, orchard of 52 trees. A beautiful home and room to build several houses. The price is $5000.