

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF THE CURRENCY RESERVE BOARD IN SESSION.



This is the first photograph of the Currency Reserve Board in session and doing business. It is perhaps the most important body of the kind in the federal government, for it has control of all the national banks. The members shown here are as follows: William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury and ex-officio member of the board, on the extreme left; then John Skelton Williams, controller of the currency and also ex-officio member; and around from left to right, Adolph C. Miller, Frederick C. Delano, Dr. H. Parker Willis, the secretary, W. P. G. Harding, Paul Warburg, and Charles S. Hamlin, the governor of the board.

### ELDER COMING HERE JAN. 24

#### SOUTH METHODISTS AWAITING CHURCH OFFICIAL.

W. A. Orr, in Charge of Oregon District, Will Visit Local Church.

#### MUSICAL SUNDAY NIGHT.

Elsewhere in this issue are published the details of a sacred concert to be rendered by the Presbyterian choir tomorrow evening.

W. A. Orr, presiding elder of the Oregon district for the Methodist church South, will occupy the pulpit of the Northside church a week here. Mr. Orr is well known in this city where he preached often prior to his regular appointment given by Reverend Lumpner, and many without doubt desire to hear him. Special announcements for the various churches in the city tomorrow, to be published in this issue.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

(Fourth and Washington avenue.) W. W. Berry organist. Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m., Robert E. Orr, superintendent. Morning worship, 11:00 subject: "The Christian's Duty." Prayer Meeting at 6:30 o'clock. Leader and subject: "The Christian's Duty." Morning worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sacred Concert by Chorus Choir. Solo by Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Richardson of La Grande and Miss Maude Goodwin of Oakland, Cal. All are welcome. G. L. CLARK, Pastor. Manse 1310 Washington, Phone B-2471.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Corner Sixth and Spring. Sabbath School 9:45 a. m., Jesse Wiseman, superintendent; Iva Wilson, organist. Morning worship 11:00. Subject: "How The Christian Should 'Reckon.'" B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Leader and subject: "Make Bold Beginnings." Evening worship at 7:30. Subject: "Rev. E. R. Martin of Portland will give an illustrated address, using the stereopticon." Prayer and Praise Service Thursday evening at 7:30. R. E. CLOSE, Pastor. Main 766. Sixth and Spring streets.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Seventh and Pennsylvania Ave. Bible School 9:45 a. m., Anna Morgan, superintendent; Ameta Johnson, organist. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject: "The Footprints of Jesus in La Grande." Evening worship at 7:30. Subject: "The Consummation of the Ages." Special revival meetings at the Anthony Building every night, Fir and Monroe streets. Come. Leon L. Myers, pastor. 1304 Penn. Phone Black 411.

#### M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

North Fir Street. Sabbath School 9:45 a. m., V. V.

Croy, superintendent; Mrs. J. H. Lumpner, organist.

Morning worship, 11:00, subject: Manifesting The Christ Life. Epworth League at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject: God's Love. Rev. W. A. Orr, Presiding Elder of Oregon district, will be with us Sunday, 24th to hold our Quarterly Conference and at the close of the Morning services. Let us give him a good hearing. J. H. LUMPER, Pastor. Parsonage 2103 North Fir street.

#### ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH.

(Opposite High School) Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m., William C. Drahn, superintendent, Harris Hummel, organist. Class meeting, 9:45. Morning worship 11:00 o'clock. Subject: "Christ's First Miracle." Evening Service at 7:45, subject: "The New Heart." William C. Drahn, Pastor. Res. 1502 Second St. Phone Black 1291.

#### ISLAND CITY CHURCH.

Island City church, Sabbath school 10 a. m., Walter Williams superintendent, Isis Bryant, organist. Morning worship, 11. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. By R. J. Clark, Gen. Sec. of Y. M. C. A. Epworth League at 7. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Subject: The Thinking Man.

#### REV. W. D. SITTNER, Pastor.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST. M. St. opposite High School. Meetings every Sunday and Wednesday evening on Bible doctrines.

#### ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Corner of Fourth Street and O Ave. Regular Sunday Services. Holy Communion, except first Sunday in the month, 8 a. m. Sunday School—9:45 a. m. Morning Services—11 a. m. Evening services at 5 p. m. Upton H. Gibbs, Rector. Rectory, 1502 Fifth Street.

#### FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

(Corner 4th and Spring.) Sabbath school 9:45 a. m., Dr. Brownson, superintendent; Lucile Jorris, organist. Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject: The Knights of the Great Conviction. Class meeting following morning service. 6:30 Epworth League, W. C. Wickline, president. Evening service at 7:30. Subject: Pilot's Decision. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday. E. B. Fyke, Pastor. Parsonage 1205 4th St. Residence Phone Main 705; Office Main 747.

#### ST MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Fall and Winter schedule of services: Low mass 8:00 a. m. High mass 10:30 a. m. Rosary, Sermon, Benediction, 7:30 p. m. Confessions heard Saturday afternoon and evening and daily before mass. Father P. J. Driscoll, Pastor.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH.

(In I. O. O. F. Hall.) Sunday service at 11:00. Sunday School at 10:00. Wednesday evening testimonial at 8:00 p. m.

#### LATTER DAY SAINTS.

(Tabernacle Fourth and O Sts.) Sabbath school 10:30 a. m. Elmer Stoddard, superintendent. Blanche Black, Organist. Regular service at the Latter Day Saints tabernacle. Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Regular sacrament and speaking services at 2 p. m. Young People's Mutual Improvement Association at 7:00 p. m. All the public are cordially invited. C. J. Black, Bishop. Telephone Main 754.

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES VARIED AND FULL OF PROFIT THE PAST WEEK

#### Last Monday night "The Fra" society held its regular social meeting in the high school gymnasium.

The evening's entertainment consisted of a series of contests in which the "Germans" and "Allies" took part. At a late hour the refreshment committee served punch and wafers. The next meeting will be the usual program and business meeting. This has been postponed until the twenty-fifth, when the following program will be given: Piano solo—Frederika Schilke. Current events—La Verne De LaShmutt.

#### Debate—Resolved that the United States Should Intervene with Mexico.

Nell Bradley, Earl Reynolds. Quartette—Leona Newlin, Lenore Hughey, David Johnson, Melvin Larson. Original story—Lowene Mulkey. Pantomime.

#### Last week was held the try out for debaters and Mattie Schofield and

#### Lucile Lewis carried off the honors.

The work in debate is being pushed enthusiastically by the team, and success is looked forward to in this activity. Union has withdrawn, so that the championship of this district now lies between La Grande and Enterprise. The debate will probably be held January 30. For a long time there has been a need for more debating work in school, especially among the boys. Before vacation this year a few of the boys got together and determined to organize a debating club wherein speaking could be practiced without any formalities. Since then the growth has been rapid and the club has become most successful. There are now thirty active members and the several meetings which have been held had a full attendance. The club also practices punctuality. At 7:45 sharp, at the weekly gathering, the meeting is called to order and the doors are locked so that any

late comer may learn his lesson and come earlier next time.

The new semester begins January 25th. It is not known just how many new Freshmen will enter, but Mr. Girdler does not expect an extra large class.

Semester final exams come next week and unusual industry is now apparent among the students.

Several new classes will be started next semester, namely Household Chemistry, Commercial Law, Commercial English, Solid Geometry, a review in the common branches and possibly a class in Greek.

It is probable, owing to a demand on the part of the students that a course in Greek will be given in the La Grande high school. It has been thought that owing to the size of the school at its position in Eastern Oregon that such a course will be of both practical and cultural value to a sufficiently large number of students. The course will not be compulsory but optional and it is intended to naturally fill a place in the classical course of the high school.

Some idea may be formed of the interest in the subject from the fact that more than thirty students went out in any way being canvassed for, or influenced have signified their intention of taking up the work in Greek.

The Boys and Girl's glee clubs are now working on the well known opera "The Mikado," by Gilbert and Sullivan. This will be given under Miss Ramsdell's supervision. The chorus work is progressing nicely but the date has not yet been set for the performance.

Mr. Lakin, of the science department has been making a study of the relation of barometric pressure to government observations and has found that the predictions have been received that some of the apparatus, which had been delayed on account of the war, is now on its way.

John Dalstrom has entered the high school, from North Powder and is enrolled in the Freshman class.

The second issue of the "Mimis" devoted chiefly to the high school, organization, will be out January 25.

On February 8, Dr. James McLaren, "The Dramatic Orator of California," will speak at the next number of the Lyceum course.

Several new professional books for teachers have been added to the library.

Mr. Girdler is much encouraged with the daily attendance this year. The average thus far has been 214 as contrasted with 156 last year. It is hoped this record will be kept up throughout the year.

by initiated ones... late hour.

Next Monday evening the fire ladies—volunteers who have made La Grande's fire department famous—give their annual dancing party, this time at Rex hall. Over 125 tickets have already been sold and it is apparent that the attendance will be a record one. Good music has been provided for the occasion, and the firemen and their friends look forward to an interesting evening of it. Each year the fire fighters arrange such a dancing party, and the funds thus accruing are used for the furtherance of the interests of the fire department. Tickets at One-Half Price. One-Half Price.

#### SALE PRICES.

MEN'S \$20.00 OVERCOATS NOW \$12.48

MEN'S \$20.00 SUITS NOW \$14.98

All Sheep Clothing at

Robert Rued and wife, formerly of Ellensburg, were given a pleasant evening while in the city early in the week, the guest of his sister Mrs. Frank Chatas of South La Grande. They left Wednesday evening for Eugene where he expects to work as a machinist, and that evening while waiting for the midnight train, Mr. and Mrs. Chatas invited in several of their neighbors. Music, recitations and refreshments were enjoyed until the train whistled out in the valley.

Next Tuesday afternoon the Neighborhood Club begins the study of China and this will be the subject of study for the remainder of the year. Both pleasure and profit are anticipated from the study of this ancient nation which is the exact antipodes of our own in almost every particular. The program for Tuesday afternoon is most attractive beginning with a solo by Mrs. T. J. Scroggin, followed by Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe's paper, "China as seen by her son."

Jerome A. Campbell and Miss Pearl Brigg were married Thursday afternoon, January 14, at the Baptist parsonage, Sixth and Spring. Rev. E. E. Clope, of the Baptist church, officiated. Several friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. The groom is a mechanic, being in the employ of the O.-W., in the shops here. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. W. M. Rollins of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will make their home in La Grande.

Mrs. T. W. King was most delightfully surprised by the Ladies of the Maccabees when at the close of their meeting Thursday afternoon, she was presented with a beautiful gold "Be" pin and invited to the banquet room where a delicious luncheon had been prepared in her honor. The principal decoration was a large birthday cake bearing the requisite number of lighted candles.

Last Monday evening the "You and I" dancing club held forth again and the 75 couples who belong were largely represented at the very pleasant evening's dancing. Five or six of these parties have been held during the winter months by the members of the club.

Ezra Brasel and Mrs. Etta May Snider were married last Sunday evening at the Lutheran parsonage by Rev. W. C. Drahn. Both are residents of long standing in this city and they have a host of friends here. They will continue to make their home in La Grande.

Miss Edna Wissler, formerly a La Grande girl, who now makes her home in Pendleton with her parents, Conductor and Mrs. R. Wissler, has been a guest this week with Miss Irene Murphy.

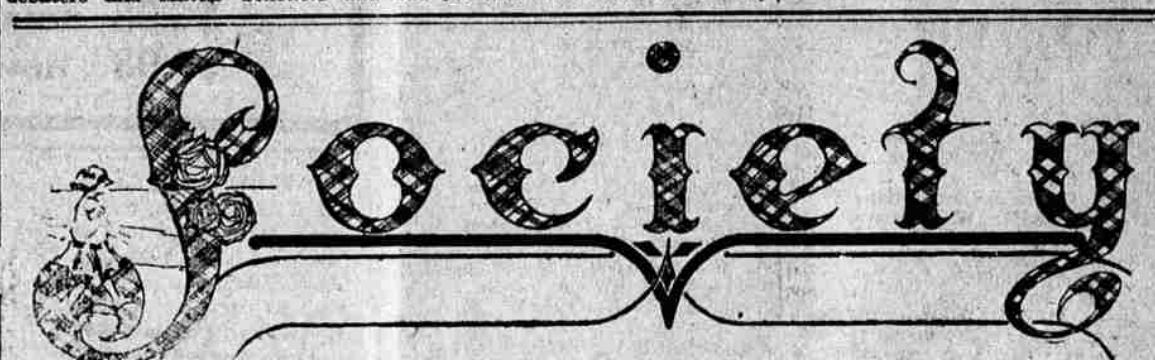
Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp entertained the Eastern Star social club at her home last Tuesday. Mrs. E. C. Tuckey won first honors at Five Hundred.

Miss Ella Copeland who has been visiting with friends in this city and at Wallowa since the holidays returned to her home in Walla Walla this morning.

Mrs. J. W. Laird of Portland who has been visiting in the city with Mrs. G. W. Evans returned to her home this morning.

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TAKE NOTICE. \$20,000 that must be placed on farm property within the next ten days. Will take applications from one to five thousand dollars. Security Land & Savings Co. Adv. 1 15 26.



#### Passengers on the trains de luxe along the Santa Fe and ride some hours on the next train following.

For several years O. A. C. has maintained an enviable position in the musical world and has been conceded second to none of the coast institutions. The appointment of these men for the trip is the first invasion of the east by O. A. C. singers, and is regarded as a high compliment to their ability. They will leave for San Francisco late in January. Last Saturday, January 9, friends of Miss Marjorie Sims planned a pleasant surprise for her benefit in the form of an evening party to celebrate the 18th anniversary of her birthday. Arriving in a body at Miss Marjorie's home they found her unsuspectingly passing the evening with a friend. The "attackers" were invited in and the evening was spent in a pleasant manner playing games. Refreshments were served in due time. The guests also left, in conjunction with verbal congratulations, many valuable presents for Miss Sims. Those who attended were Misses Hazel Last, Iva Leake, Marjorie Snook, Helen Sims, Mabel Oosterling, Violet Larsen, Laverne DeLashmutt, Dora Van Fleet, Dewey Crawford and Jeanette Stoddard; Messers Ralph Westering, Lynn Larsen, Lyman Huff, Chester Thompson, Harry Kennedy, Linville Moore, Victor Adcock, Freddie Bock, Kenneth Williamson, Herbert

#### Hopkins, Lee Chenault and Arnold Ferrin.

Misses Lucrece Wood and Nell Grimmer entertained eight couples at cards Thursday evening at the Wood home, complimentary to Miss Ruth Ruessell who left on the midnight train for a six weeks' stay in Portland. The evening was spent playing five hundred and singing, after which refreshments were served. Miss Ruessell was presented with a "little drum, on which" was pasted "Beat it out of town," and the other members of the party with little tin horns, which afforded music on the way to the depot and while there, waiting for the train. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reuter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoddard, Miss Ruth Ruessell, Iva Head, Stella Oliver Messers. Cox, Froman, Green, Dixon and French.

Wednesday evening Knights and Ladies of Security initiated a big class, and the only reason that it was not twice its size was that the night was very bad climatically. While the lodge meets but twice a month regularly, it is possible that it may have to meet next week to take in other members. Last Wednesday evening, at the close of the initiation a banquet was served and dancing and music followed. All this kept the lodge members and the new-