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CITY MANAGER'S REPORT.

The city manager's report follows: To the Honorable Commission of the City of La Grande:—I herewith submit you my report for the week ending March 31, 1917, as follows:

The fire chief reports no fires for the week. Reports having made arrangements with the Electric Light & Power Co. for moving the fire alarm wire over the viaduct.

The water superintendent reports an expense of \$63.50 for work on the Second street 12-inch sewer, \$15 on the septic tank, \$6.00 for reading meters and \$8.50 for tape and repair work. The O.-W. R. & N. Co. is pumping, while the Palmer Lbr. Co. pumps every other day. No thawing weather at the intake.

The street superintendent reports an expense of \$42.17 for teams and drivers, \$25.44 for single hands, \$3.40 for tools and supplies. He further reports having swept the Main streets, cleaned gutters, spread out some snow on streets, and repaired the levy at the river.

Chief of Police reports six arrests, of which two were state and county cases, two for drunkenness, one for traffic violation, and one for pawn shop violation. Three remaining in jail; 20 meals served to city prisoners and 18 to state and county, collection on fines, \$7.50, two lights out on Monday and Tuesday at Elm and Adams. Sleeping accommodations given to 13.

The chief of police emptied a trunk full of whiskey into sewer today. The Chinese tong are still quiet, and Chinese women still in city waiting final disposition of little Chinese girl. I expect to have them out of the city in two weeks.

City Engineer Neal is reported back on the grounds.

We had pictures taken of the viaduct site. The water superintendent reports that pumping at septic tank will be completed by the end of next week. The sewer at Second street under railroad tracks is held up pending arrival of eight joints of pipe. Excavation work is completed, and another day's work for one man will complete the work upon arrival of the pipe. Have ordered same from Spokane.

I have received the government report relative to Beaver creek dam.

Respectfully submitted,
F. B. CURREY,
General Manager.

Church Announcements.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY.
High mass, 8 a. m.
Low mass and benediction 10:30.
P. J. DRISCOLL, Rector.

SALVATION ARMY
Holiness meeting, 11 a. m.
Sunday school, 2 p. m.
Y. P. L., 6:15 p. m.
Salvation Service, 8 p. m.
An enrollment of soldiers will take place in the evening.

OLIVE CHILDERS, Ensign.
JENNIE CONRAD, Lieut.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.
(2103 N. Fir.)

Sabbath School 9:45 a. m., G. E. Walker, superintendent. Mrs. Mabel Walker, organist.

Morning service 11 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:30.
Evening worship at 7:30.
REV. S. M. ROBERTS, Pastor.
Telephone Red 591.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
(Sixth and Washington avenue.)

Sunrise Easter services at 7 a. m. at the Sunday School hour a short Easter service and Decision day will be observed. The Knights of Templar will have charge of the 11 o'clock services. W. H. Bleakney of Walla Walla will deliver the sermon. The young people will hold their Easter services at 7 p. m. Also a reception will be given the new members at the evening services.

G. L. CLARK, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
(Seventh and Pennsylvania Ave.)

Bible School at 9:45, Mrs. E. W. Eastman, superintendent; Annetta Johnson, organist.
Morning subject, 11 a. m., "That Dreadful If."
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday 8 p. m.
Leader, H. L. Ford.
Evening subject, 7:30, "Christian Soldier." Baptism at close of service.
H. L. FORD, Pastor.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH
Morning Program.

Processional Hymn 156
Creed
Prayer
Anthem, "Christ Our Passover,"—Choir
Scripture
Offertory
Solo, "He Was Despised" (Handel)
—Miss Bollman
Sermon
Anthem, "As It Began to Dawn" (Vincent)—Mrs. Carr and Choir
Benediction
Evening Program
Processional, "Onward Christian Soldiers"
Prayer
Scripture Reading
Anthem "Gloria in Excelsis" (Buck)
—Mrs. Carr and Choir
Solo, Recessional (DeKoven)—C. R. Harding
Anthem, "Sing Alleluia Forth" (Buck)—C. R. Harding and Choir
Male Quartet—Selected—Messrs. Harding, Cooper, Robb, Knautz.
Offertory
Anthem, "Trust in the Lord," (Han-



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del)—Choir
Solo, "O Divine Redeemer," (Gounod)—Mrs. J. J. Carr
Violin Solo—Selected—Mrs. Carse
Anthem, "And the Glory of the Lord" (Handel)
Benediction
REV. CHAS. E. EDWARDS,
Pastor.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.
(Tabernacle Fourth and O Sts.)
M. I. A. meet Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p. m. Social hour after class work.

Primary every Tuesday at 4:00 p. m.
Religion class every Thursday at 4:00 p. m.
Relief Society every Thursday at 2:00 p. m.

Choir practice Sunday night at 7:00. All meetings held in the L. D. S. Tabernacle, corner Fourth and O.
CHARLES J. BLACK, Bishop.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Easter Services at St. Peter's Church
First Eucharist, 8 a. m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Children's Service and baptism 5 p. m.

Musical program at 11 o'clock Service.
Processional Hymn, "Come Ye Faithful."

Xt. Our Passover," Easter Chant.
Chant.
"Gloria Patri"
"Te Deum"
Benedictus
Nicene Creed
Hymn, "To Him Who for Our Sins Was Slain."

"Gloria Tibi"
Hymn, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"

Anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord," (Stainer)
Doxology
Sanctus
Amen

Communion Hymn 227, "O Saving Victim"
Gloria in Excelsis
Amen

Recessional Hymn, "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

UPTON H. GIBBS, Rector.
Residence 1501 5th St.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH.
(In I. O. O. F. Hall.)

Morning services at 11 a. m.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Wednesday night meeting 8 p. m.
Subject: "Unreality." Golden text: Jeremiah 2:5, "Thus saith the Lord, what iniquity have your fathers found in me, that they are gone far from me. And have walked after vanity and are become vain?"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
(Sixth and Spring)

Sabbath School, 9:45, John Carter, superintendent. Dr. Starba, church organist.

Morning service at 11 o'clock.
Evening service at 7:30.

An Easter sermon will be delivered in the morning and Easter exercises will be held in the evening under the auspices of the Sunday School.

REV. J. J. TICKNER, Pastor.
Residence 1407 Sixth St., phone Red 1811.

Red Cross Chapter To Be Organized Here

The Ladies' Gymnasium class of the Y. M. C. A. contemplates the organization of a Red Cross Chapter in La Grande and at their regular class this afternoon, the information sent them by Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie, chairman of the Portland Chapter, was discussed.

The matter has been discussed by the members for several weeks and at this meeting definite action will be taken.

The meeting was held in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. and all the facilities of the association will be offered them.

While the first meeting was attended by only the Ladies' Gymnasium class the organization of the Chapter will be open to all that wish to render service to their country. The following ladies are the present members of the class: Mesdames T. J. Scroggin, W. H. Bohnenkamp, Chase Bohnenkamp, G. L. Larsen, Frank Bay, Floyd Charboneau, C. C. Ball, Frank Recklin, E. Pollack, H. S. Brown, C. E. Anderson, A. H. Prince, J. A. Ritter, J. C. Dell, J. H. Dupes, J. P. Graham, H. M. Bradshaw, George Cochran, and A. Stewart.

The many friends of Forrest Ivanhoe, son of Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe, will be glad to learn that he has been given the assignment of instructor of recruits at Goat Island in San Francisco Bay. This is an important duty and may continue for several months. Forrest is a La Grande boy and has been six years in the Navy. Mrs. Ivanhoe received the news in a letter from him today.

Professor Will Go to War.

Eugene, Ore., April 7.—(United Press)—"You bet" said Professor Allan C. Hopkins, of the school of commerce of the University of Oregon, when asked today if he were going to war. Claiming that when he goes to war he must have excitement. Hopkins declared that he is much interested in the dispatch service.

AT THE CHURCHES.

The annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church was held Thursday evening in the main auditorium of the church.

Reports from the various departments were read. The year's work shows a substantial increase in membership, in benevolences, and in general church activities.

W. F. Landrum, J. K. Wright and W. B. Pickens were re-elected for a term of three years as ruling elders. Also L. B. Moe, C. E. Anderson and E. E. Norris were re-elected for a term of three years as trustees. As an evidence of the services of the pastor, G. L. Clark, an increase in salary was unanimously voted.

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Her Lucky Day.

Portland, Ore., April 7.—(United Press)—And speaking of taking a gambler's chance, Mrs. L. C. Parrish, 314 Main street, is telling a story to her friends today which would make a wooden cigar store Indian risk every cent he had on any kind of a game. Mrs. Parrish went to a moving picture show the other day and as she paid her admission she received a chance in a turkey drawing. She won the turkey. That, however, was only the beginning of her luck. In the kitchen at home she opened up the turkey and in the bird's craw she found several nuggets, which her jeweler told her were worth several dollars. Now Mrs. Parrish is hoping that her luck will continue. She is trying to find some trace of the birthplace and gather some knowledge of the early training of Mr. Turkey. "If a turkey can pick up several dollars' worth of gold in a handful of gravel," she asks, "what could be gotten from a ton?"

To Give "Dokie" Degree.

Pendleton, April 7.—(Special)—Plans are being made by Khaled Temple, D. O. K. K., of La Grande, to hold a ceremonial session in Pendleton in the near future for the purpose of initiating local Knights of Pythias into the mysteries of the side degree. Monday evening 12 candidates were pledged and it is desired to have a class of 20 or more. The date for the session will be announced later.

Who Will Win This Contest?

The Union Live Stock Association has opened to the public a contest for the slogan for this year's show.

The slogan must consist of less than seven words and all suggestions must be mailed to Secretary of the Association at Union. A prize of \$10 has been offered to the winner.

Many slogans have been received by the Secretary and the contest promises to be interesting. Send in your slogan. You may win.

College Students Patriotic.

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., April 7.—(Special)—The Board of Trustees of Whitman College, on petition of the men students of the institution, has adopted compulsory military training. President Penrose, who has just returned from the East, has advised the men not to enlist as privates, but to remain in college for the present and prepare themselves for officers.

The girls of Whitman College have volunteered their services to the D. A. R. of Walla Walla and will assist in the preparation of hospital supplies.

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