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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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We carry distinctive candies for those who want the best.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 4-12-tf.

Deputy Sheriff McIlroy spent the week end in Union visiting his relatives and friends.

La Grande Carpet and Rug Cleaning Works—With our preparation we thoroughly clean, remove spots, and restore to former brightness your carpets and rugs. General house-cleaning. Give us a trial. Phone Red 2351.—Adv. 4-27-6t.

E. V. Miller, of the State Highway commission, was in the city Saturday.

Come to our store when in need of typewriting and carbon paper or typewriter ribbons.—Newlin Book &

Stationery Co.—Adv. 4-19-tf

Public Notice.

On account of high cost of living we will be compelled to advance prices of paper hanging and painting after May 15. Work taken between now and then at old prices. Telephone now.—W. A. Deputy, phone Red 2171.—Adv. 4-27-2t.

You should see the new patterns in silks at the Golden Rule.—Adv. 4-28-1t

Lyle B. Kiddle returned home this morning from O. A. C. due to the ill health of his father, Fred Kiddle.

McKibben hats are still \$3.00 at the Golden Rule.—Adv. 4-28-1t

Money to Loan.

On improved city property on easy monthly payments. Apply J. R. Oliver.—Adv. 4-7 1m.

A fine display of manual arts has been placed on exhibition in the windows at West's Lilly's and Hills' stores. This work is turned out by the La Grande high school Industrial department. The boys have on exhibit unfinished work and finished work. Tables, bookcases, taborets, hall racks and all make a display that any school should be proud of. All work shown has been made by the boys themselves under the instruction of Mr. Mason.

Money to Loan. On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment Co.—Adv.

New line of misses' and ladies' sport hats just received at the Golden Rule.—Adv. 4-28-1t.

National Mazda lamps please your eyes and pocketbook, relieves the strain on both.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 4-12-tf

J. D. Meyers returned this morning from Corvallis.

Now is the time to use squirrel poison to get results.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 4-12-tf.

Ice cream that is just right and whipped cream in any quantity while you wait. Try it at Silverthorn's Family Drug store.—Adv. 4-23-tf.

Fred Brown, National Bank examiner, is in the city making his regular visit.

All motorcycle and bicycle accessories at cost. Now is the time to buy. Leighton Garage. 2-17-tf

When in Portland you will find The Observer on sale at the Oregon Hotel news stand and Imperial Hotel.

A new and complete line of fine stationery. All of the new cuts and styles.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 4-12-tf.

Sidney Lyle, the piano tuner will be here in May. Leave orders at Newlin's Book store.—Adv. 3-23-tf.

Curtains hand laundered, 50c pair, 603 Adams.—Adv. 4-12-16tp.

Tubes repaired while you wait.—La Grande Vulcanizing Tire & Rubber Co., 1406 Jefferson.—Adv. 4-13-tf.

"Hell Morgan's Girl" has thrills and sensations galore with gripping scenes and incidents. Coming to the Colonial next Monday and Tuesday.—Adv. 4-23-tf

Announcements

Notice.

The annual meeting of the Summerville cemetery association will be held at the cemetery Saturday, May 5, 1917 at 1:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for the following year and transacting other business that may come before the meeting. MARY WOODLELL, Clerk.

J. C. BONNETT, Chairman. —Adv. 4-27-6t.

A Trip to the Overland.

Galloway-Rees Co., today received by express a fine moving picture film showing "A Visit to the Overland Factory." This is a great educational film and it will be shown for the benefit of the public at the Arcade theatre Monday night.—Adv. 4-27-3t.

The La Grande National bank has control of several vacant city lots and acre tracts close to La Grande which they will rent to parties for the purpose of growing garden truck. Call at bank.—F. L. Meyers, cashier.—Adv. 4-20-tf.

Notice to Chicken Raisers.

On and after May 1, 1917, a city ordinance making it a misdemeanor punishable by fine for owners of poultry to allow same to run at large will go into effect and will be strictly enforced.

FRED B. CURREY, City Manager. —Adv. 4-27-tf.

Annual Clean-up Day.

The city will conduct its annual clean-up Wednesday, May 2. This year the ladies' Neighborhood club will lend its assistance to the city and will assist in overseeing the work. Property owners will have their cans and other rubbish properly sacked or boxed and piled on the alleys or streets where it will be conveniently available to the teamsters. Property owners will understand that this does not bend itself to remove manure piles and barn litter or piles of ashes. The clean up will start promptly at 8 o'clock Wednesday, May 2.

F. B. CURREY, City Manager. —Adv. 4-30-2t.

Parish Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the members of St. Peter's parish tonight, in the church, at 7:30 for the election of wardens and vestrymen. A large attendance is particularly requested.—Upton H. Gibbs, Rector.—Adv. 4-30-1t

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the Union, and also by the National Council through its directors, and by the various Fourth Degree assemblies; and I can state without fear of contradiction that there is hardly one Council in this State who has not furnished their country with some of its membership for some part of the military service.

A good many of the audience tonight took several promises with me during this day, but I shall now ask them to take one final public pledge. If the entire audience will arise, I will ask them to pledge their allegiance to Our Flag. (The entire assembly arose and in unison pledged their allegiance.)

Continuing, Mr. Peare, delivered the following beautiful eulogy to Our Flag:

"As this flag holds the most honored place in our hearts as Loyal Americans so should it hold as honored a place in our hearts as Loyal Knights of Columbus.

"I know no more suitable words to salute our National emblem with than with these, written by one of our local poets recently, Mr. A. Marker, who has been lying sick in the hospital: "Oh beautiful emblem of liberty's tree,

Dear star-spangled gem o'er the land of the free

We will carry thee forward through billows of fire Till we build for the tyrant a funeral pyre

While proudly Old Glory to the breezes unfurled Waves a message of hope to the oppressed of the World."

R. J. Sullivan, Grand Knight said: "I just want to say a few words regarding the growth of the La Grande Council, and in connection with it must be connected the growth of the Order in Eastern Oregon. About the year 1904 Brother Murphy, then district deputy, and one other brother plowed through the snow and mud of the valley and hills of Union County in their efforts to secure enough candidates to institute a council at Baker. The results of their earnest efforts were successful and they secured about 15 candidates from the vicinity of La Grande and instituted the Council in Baker, consisting of 47 members. About a year later these two good brothers believed that La Grande should have its own council and that Baker was strong enough to stand alone. So they endeavored to organize a Council at La Grande, which was accomplished. But it was soon learned that Baker and La Grande had two very weak Councils numerically and financially. La Grande then advocated consolidated with Baker, which was done, and the La Grande members went back to Baker. About five years later in May, 1911, the same brothers attempted a second Council at La Grande with a charter membership of 47 loyal Catholic citizens. Since that time La Grande Council has prospered and we now have a membership of 140 true and loyal Knights. Soon after the re-organization of the La Grande Council, Ontario was organized after which Pendleton Council followed. Now brothers there is a brother behind all of this, whom you know. He is a brother that never misses an opportunity to advance the interests our Hold mother Church or the Order of Knights of Columbus. There is no task too hard for him to undertake and almost invariably bring to a successful ending. He is in reality the father of the Knights of Columbus in Eastern Oregon, having over kept his watchful eye off every Council in his district, and is at all

times ready to assist either the Council itself or its individual members. This brother is well known to every brother at this table and it is hardly necessary to mention his name as every brother here could guess the first time, and guess Brother J. H. Peare, Past Grand Knight of La Grande Council and District Deputy for Eastern Oregon for the past five years, and if ever the time comes that the Knights of Columbus of Eastern Oregon are given an opportunity they will certainly demonstrate by their actions the appreciation of the valuable service rendered by Brother Peare."

Rev. P. J. Driscoll spoke briefly and told of the sons of local Knights, Messrs. O'Connell, Corbett, Ferguson and others who had joined the navy.

One of the interesting features of the banquet was that a dozen prominent young women of the city assisted in serving.

During the speech-making musical numbers were interspersed which made the affair very enjoyable. W. Pearson sang a solo. Mrs. J. F. Corbett was loudly applauded for singing in beautiful voice "Kathleen Mavourneen". For an encore she sang "Mother Machree". Miss Henrietta Foley's voice was heard in two pleasing numbers, "Verses of the

Woods", and "Killarney", the latter as an encore. W. M. Peare sang a patriotic song that made a great hit, "If You Don't Like Your Uncle Sammy". Mrs. P. A. Foley aroused the patriotic sentiment of the audience by singing in a spirited manner, "Columbia The Gem of the Ocean", the audience joining in the chorus.

At the close of the banquet, the audience all arose and sang the "Star Spangled Banner".

Mrs. Wilson Sews For RRed Cross. Washington, April 30.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, wife and cousin of the President, are sewing for the Red Cross. They are doing the needle work personally.

NEW TODAY

WANTED—An apprentice at Smith's garage.—Adv. 4-30-2t.

FOR SALE—4 room house with a half acre of excellent garden spot and a few cherry trees, \$500. Just adjoining the city limits, can keep hog, chickens or cow or will raise 75 sacks of potatoes.—J. L. Mars, S. Avenue.—Adv. 4-30-tf.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished three room apartment.—Darland Apartments, 4 Depot street.—Adv. 4-30-tf.

WANTED—Refined capable woman alone wants position as house-keeper. Must have work at once. Address M, care Observer.—Adv. 4-30-1tp.

WANTED—Employment as steam or gas engineer for plowing and threshing season; 5 years' experience; can do repairing; \$75 a month and board for 5 months or more. Address Engineer, Care Observer.—Adv. 4-30-1tp W. 5-4 1tp.

FOR RENT—Farm of 400 acres; 160 in cultivation, 80 acres in fall wheat. Will sell horses and machinery.—J. F. Phy, at Security Land & Savings Co.—Apr. 30; May 2-4-7-9-11-14-16-18-21.

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