

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



THE SHOW TROUPE THAT WAS TO PLAY IN THE OPRY HOUSE TONIGHT, NEVER LEFT THE WAITING ROOM STOVE, ON ACCOUNT OF THE INTENSE COLD TODAY.

Local News 'In Brief

Spent Evening in Town—

Lyle Stringham, cashier of the Imbler bank, drove in last night and spent the evening in the city.

Visiting Here—

Mrs. Edwin Boswell, who makes her home near Cove, is visiting at the home of J. E. Stearns, of this city.

To Reside Here—

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ashby of Pleasant Valley arrived in La Grande last evening and will make this their future home.

Perry Lady Here—

Mrs. Love spent yesterday in the city shopping, returning to her home in Perry in the evening.

To Visit—

H. C. Nelson of Baker arrived in La Grande where he will visit for some time with relatives.

To Telocast—

Mrs. C. M. Hutchinson of La Grande left for Telocast to spend the week-end visiting.

Return Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts of Baker returned to their home after spending a couple of days in La Grande.

Kamela Visitor—

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ingerson of Kamela were down visiting Wednesday, returning to their home in the evening.

Pendleton Lady Here—

Mrs. L. S. Kidal of Pendleton was spending the day in La Grande on business Wednesday.

Passes Through—

Mrs. C. O. Knodell of Enterprise, left for Eugene where she will visit her son who is attending college.

Hilgard Girl Here—

Miss Irene O'Neil of Hilgard spent the day shopping in La Grande, returning to her home in the evening.

Portland Visitors—

Mrs. G. Dunbar and two daughters, Melba and Sheila, arrived in La Grande on a visit. They are from Portland.

In from Imbler—

J. W. White was in La Grande from Imbler last evening and was a guest of the Savoy hotel.

Elgin Man Here—

Henry Sommers came in from Elgin last evening to spend a few days in this city. He is registered at the Sommer hotel.

Goes to Portland—

Mrs. G. W. Franklin came down from Enterprise last evening and left this morning for Portland where she will visit for a short time. Mrs.

Franklin was a guest of the Savoy last evening.

In from Elgin—

Thos. D. Todd arrived in La Grande from Elgin last evening and is visiting in this city for a short time as a guest of the Savoy.

Goes to Haines—

Mrs. H. A. Thomas of the Riverside Park left this morning for Haines where she will visit her sister for a few days.

On Business—

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Buchwald of Iowa, who have been stopping in this city for the past few days left this morning for Portland, where they will visit for some time.

To Visit at North Powder—

Mrs. W. R. Reuter and son, Bobby, left this morning for North Powder, where they will visit Mrs. P. Bidwell for a short time.

Return to North Powder—

Mrs. J. L. Metcalf and children returned to their home at North Powder this morning after spending the past few days at the home of Mrs. Will Jack of this city.

Left for Boise—

Mrs. M. G. Berry and small daughter, Mrs. L. M. Berry, left for Boise, where they were called by the illness of a relative.

In from Imbler—

Mrs. W. H. Reuter and son, Bobby, left this morning for Imbler, where they will visit Mrs. P. Bidwell for a short time.

Here from Salem—

Mrs. H. W. Stark arrived in this city this morning from her home in Salem to visit as a guest of Mrs. R. C. Hubbard.

Returns Home—

Mrs. Cecil McKinnis returned to her home in Imbler this morning after spending a short time as a guest of the Savoy hotel in this city.

In Good Condition—

Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe, county superintendent of schools, spent Tuesday at Perry and Hilgard, visiting the schools and reports that she found them to be in very good condition.

Returns to Elgin—

Mrs. Sam Knight and small daughter returned to their home in Elgin this morning after spending a few days in this city on business.

Down from Telocast—

Leo Young, a prominent rancher of the Tlucost region, was in La Grande yesterday on business. He states that the farmers in his section are very well satisfied with the weather and that they are looking

forward to a big year in the farming business.

At Foley—

F. T. Turnipseed, who makes his home in Vincent, is in this city for a few days as a guest of the Foley hotel.

Here from Pendleton—

Miss Eva Johnson was a Pendleton visitor in this city yesterday. She was registered at the Foley hotel.

On No. 17—

Miss Pearl Giles, who makes her home in Joseph arrived in this city last evening on the branch line train and left this morning for Adams, Oregon, on business.

Purchases Home—

William McGuire recently purchased a house and two lots on A avenue from the La Grande Investment company.

Leaves for Portland—

Mrs. James E. Clark left yesterday for Portland where she will probably spend a week visiting friends.

Visiting in La Grande—

C. E. Ryder and wife are visiting in this city from Elgin and are stopping as guests of the Foley.

Down from Enterprise—

Rex McRae came down from Enterprise last evening on business and is stopping at the Foley for a short time.

Here Visiting—

Miss F. Barnes of Elgin is in this city for a few days visiting and shopping. Miss Barnes is registered at the Sommer hotel.

To Salt Lake—

Miss Dorothy Macklin left this morning on No. 24 for Salt Lake City, where she will visit relatives and friends for some time.

Return Home—

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Brooks returned to their home in Pleasant Valley this morning after spending a short time in this city visiting.

Down from Joseph—

F. D. McCully is in La Grande from Joseph visiting for a few days as a guest of the Sommer hotel.

Returns Home After Visit—

K. D. Stringham returned to his home in Imbler this morning after spending a short time in this city as a guest of the Savoy hotel.

To Visit at Union—

Mrs. Ray Snider left this morning for Union where she will spend the remainder of the week visiting as a guest of her mother.

Returns to Huntington—

Mrs. J. O. Pilecher returned to her home in Huntington this morning after spending a short time in this city attending to business.

Buya Home—

C. F. Roberts recently bought a home at 809 Fourth street from Dick Jones. Mr. Jones is erecting another home in that vicinity.

To Locate at Baker—

Ray Williams and family are moving to Baker where Mr. Williams will be employed by the railroad.

Gym Classes at Y—

The women's volleyball class will meet tonight at 7:15 o'clock and the young men's class will convene an hour later.

Sells Property—

Claud P. Faught has sold his property at 1804 Z street to W. P. Galore of this city. Mr. Faught has bought a lot on Z street from C. J. Black and expects to build himself a new home.

On Branch Line Train—

Mrs. W. S. Sion and Mrs. Henry Hug left this morning for Pampkin Ridge where they will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Returns Home—

Mrs. Sadie Givens and Mrs. J. L. McCrary both of Portland, who have been visiting in this city with Mrs. McCrary's sister, Mrs. Robert Patterson, for the past week, returned to their home last evening.

Property Changes Hands—

Mrs. Grace Daymon recently sold her property on the corner of Y and north Spruce to J. H. Bark of Union who is moving his family here and expects to make La Grande his home. This sale was made through C. J. Black & Co., real estate dealers.

Scoutmasters to Meet—

A meeting of all scoutmasters and assistant scoutmasters will be held this evening at 7 o'clock sharp at the Y. M. C. A. building. The meeting will be of short duration but several important matters will be discussed.

Drove to Baker—

Mrs. Ray Williams, Mrs. Hattie Ferguson, Mrs. W. McDonald and Mrs. T. Felker drove to Baker yesterday and spent the day there visiting and returned home last evening. They report that the roads are in excellent condition in that part of the country.

Here from Baker—

Mrs. W. T. Buchanan arrived in La Grande this morning from Baker and will spend a short time visiting Mrs. M. A. Harrison. On leaving here she will go to Pendleton where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter.

Mixing Squirrel Poison—

Ray Fucase, connected with the bureau of biological survey of the Oregon Agricultural college, is in La Grande this week and is assisting H. C. Avery, county agent, in the mixing of poison oats for ground squirrels. Squirrels of this variety are a dangerous pest in farm crops and, as in the preceding years, the county agent will aid the farmers in their extermination.

Rooms Being Decorated—

The rooms committee of the Business Women's club have started decorating the rooms and promise that they will be finished by tomorrow morning. They are being fitted with such cream and appropriate drapes

and comfortable furniture will be provided. The Business Women's club officials wish for every business woman and girl to consider herself invited without a special invitation. They urge that everyone be present at the big reception Friday night.

Former Valley Farmer—

W. L. Evans, formerly proprietor of a farm near Union but now living near Astoria, Washington, is in the city today on some business matters. "It hasn't been necessary to feed my beef cattle any winter feed so far this season and the weather conditions are ideal in the Astoria section." Astoria is about 600 feet above sea level and is situated in a section where the beef industry thrives largely through the natural advantages of the country in reference to this phase of the agricultural industry.

Baker Registration Larger—

Thirty junior high students entered the high school Monday which brings the total number of students in high school now up to 388. Twelve other students also entered upon the course of higher learning, most of whom have been working or have been out of town for the first semester. Ten young people who dropped the first semester on account of sickness and causes have come back to continue their studies. The total registration at this time shows an increase over that of last semester by a total of 41 more students in high school. There are 210 girls and 172 boys in the high school. Four students have come from out of town places; they are Alma Shulton, senior from Eagle Valley, Laura Malone, sophomore from Vale, Amie Heater, freshman from district No. 13 and Fredrica Giberling, freshman from Halfway. Ray Kinnison is taking a post graduate course. —Baker Herald.

Reverses Situations—

An opportunity to reverse a situation which at times caused considerable embarrassment when the well-known "buck" private was the recipient of a stream of abuse from the "shavetail" of army days, doesn't present itself every day, according to H. L. Hess, a young attorney of La Grande, but whenever it does he believes he has sufficient reason to take advantage of it. Hess was a "buck" private in the ordinance corps during the World war and spent 18 months in the unwholesome vicinity of the ammunition dumps in the Argentine woods and numerous other places during the sojourn overseas with the American expeditionary forces. When he returned to his home in Eastern Oregon he joined forces with R. J. Green and the two men have a law office in La Grande. The long cherished opportunity to "haul out" a few of the second "shavetails" who made life miserable in some quarters during the war came to Hess when he was appointed bonus attorney for Union county. Since his appointment several hundred civilians, who formerly ranked from privates to majors, have waited in line while Hess looked over the claims and put his official stamp of approval on them. Thus has come the chance to reverse the situation. —Oregonian.

Revival Meetings—

The revival meetings at the Baptist church continue to grow in interest. Rev. Gray has the advantage

Taxi Line CLUB CIGAR STORE Main 768 A Car Always Ready For You

BOXING MATCH Star Theatre TONIGHT Kid Sarp vs. Krankie Dean Ten Rounds WALLACE vs. TIFFNEY Six Rounds FERGUSON vs. THOMPSON 4-Rounds-1 DANIELS vs. FORD 1-Rounds-1 RINGSIDE, \$1.65 GENERAL ADMISSION, \$1.10 LADIES AND CHILDREN, 50c T-I-C-K-E-T-S A-T T-H-E I-M-P-E-R-I-A-L

Our 4th Annual Jan. and Remodeling Sale Still Going On. Save Now on Standard Merchandise of Quality Compare Our Prices Men's and Boys Jersey Sweaters, now half price Men's and Boys' Entire Shirts Line now one-fourth off Men's and Boys' Entire Line of Shoes ten per cent off SALE ALL MONTH CLINT'S CLOTHIERY 'THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE'



NEW TODAY FOR RENT—5 room house. Inquire 1608 Y or call 173-R. 1-25-22 LOST—A man's wedding ring on Adams avenue. Return to Anthony's Restaurant. 1-25-21 STRAYED—From Phillips Creek Range, four red yearlings, three steers, one heifer, all branded bar under H on right hip, crop under and upper bit in right ear, all dehorned. W. C. Hill, Elgin, Ore. 1-25-11 TRADE FOR TRUNK OR FOR SALE—Pillows, thermos bottle, Olympia books and charts, Irish crochet baby cap, opera glasses, canary and cage. Room 1, 1325 T avenue. 1-25-11p FOUND—One key on ring in front of Skagg's Grocery. Inquire Observer. 1-25-21 USED CARS 1918 Ford touring, good condition. \$165.00 1917 Chevrolet, runs fine, \$140.00 1919 Chevrolet, a bargain, \$200.00 1919 4 passenger Franklin. On terms that are easily met. W. H. Bohlenkamp Co. 1-25-1f LOST—A gold class pin, initials F. S. A. "13." Return to Observer. 1-25-31 HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE—Overstuffed davenport, dining room chairs, rockers, library table, fancy bird cage, electric sweeper and heating stove. Call 276-R or 1611 Fourth street. 1-25-21 GET RESULTS WITH A WANT AD

DEMPEY ISSUES CHALLENGE The Lawson Cypress company has secured a tract of 500 acres of timber near Myrtle point. The purchase price is said to have been \$70,000. Any La Grande subscriber to the Observer who does not receive his paper by 8 o'clock in the evening, please call Western Union, Main 24, and a special messenger will deliver a copy.

Announcement THE PALACE NOW OWNED AND OPERATED BY SHODGRASS & MACPHERSON Adams Ave. Opposite FOLEY HOTEL! The management assures you the best in ice creams - fountain drinks - lunches and home-made candy.

ARCADE THE VALLEY OF SILENT MEN STARTS TODAY From the Smashing Popular Story By JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD Also Fox News

New Arrivals In Spring Work Shoes Every Pair Guaranteed \$2.85 to \$14.00 See Our Window ASH BROS. Across the Street from Peare's 1113 Adams 'The Store That Keeps Faith With the People'