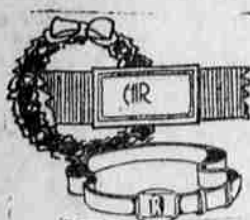


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Notice.
A recital under the auspices of the Episcopal church will be given December 27th, in honor of the late Mrs. Fredericka Schiller, lyric soprano; Miss Isabelle Miller, reader; Mrs. G. Birnie, accompanist. Program will be announced later. Tickets may be had at Silverthorn-Wright's drug store.

Notice.
Call Main 1 for prices on high grade Delicious and Jonathan apples.

When in doubt give books for Christmas. See the big variety for men, women and children at Newton Book and Stationery Co.

Stockholders Annual Meeting.
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the La Grande National Bank will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected to serve for the year 1924 and such other business will be transacted as may properly offer.

P. L. MEYERS,
Cashier.

Annual Stockholders Meeting.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States National Bank, of La Grande, Oregon, will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 8th, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

T. J. SCROGGIN,
Cashier.

One, two and three pound boxes of fine candles, from the best eastern factories. Better buy before they are all sold. You can get them at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

(Question)—"What shall I get the girl for Xmas?"
(Answer)—"A toy sewing machine."

White Sewing Machine Co. Rent and repair. New Policy Bldg. 533-W.

There will be a fine large Xmas Eve dance Monday night, December 24th, Zuber hall. Music by Olson's orchestra.

BEAUTIFUL PICTURES
Hundreds of subjects, including reproductions of the old masters, Madonnas, Maxfield Parrish, and W. L. Taylor. Prints, the latest thing in the form of the Pyra Pictures, and Views of Eastern Oregon, all framed in appropriate frames ready for gifts, ranging in price from 75c to \$25.00. The most complete line of framed pictures ever shown in Eastern Oregon now at the Richardson Art & Gift Shop.

STONE FISH WAS WROUGHT BY AN ANCIENT ARTIST

OREGON CITY, Ore. (AP)—Deep in the original channel of the Willamette river here was found recently a "stone fish," which has been added to a collection of relics of prehistoric life in the possession of Dr. A. Hollingsworth. The stone was uncovered when excavation was being made for an addition to a local paper mill.

The stone, about 16 inches long and seven inches high, is roughly carved in the shape of a fish, with mouth, eyes, gills and fins. Hollingsworth believes the stone, which shows signs of being worn by water, was carried along the river in floods of bygone years from the upper Willamette, possibly from the region of the mound builders near the present site of Albany, Ore. In his opinion, some early day savage with an artistic pen saw the stone by chance and, noting its general shape was that of a fish, took his rough instruments and carved in the eyes, gills and fins.

Radium Brings High Prices

PRAGUE, (AP)—Czechoslovakia is one of the few countries in the world that produce radium. Twelve per cent of the world's total, or 24 grams, has been mined here since 1919. The annual output now fluctuates between two and one-half and three grams, worth about \$220,000.

The man who keeps up with his conscience sets a pretty good pace.

Low Cases \$2.25. All Hand Embroidered with DMC Threads. The Stitching and Art Shop. 12-1813.

Mrs. Wells dancing classes will continue at Rex Hall every Saturday from 10:30 A. M. to 2:30 P. M. for information call 341 W. 12-18-51.

Victrola and Edison records make real Christmas gifts. Non-fetter. A large assortment, including Christmas records, at Newton Book and Stationery Co. 12-21-21.

Watch the bulk candy sale at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store, where they are specializing high class candy at 55c a pound. This class of candy is very generally sold throughout the land at 50c and 60c a pound. 12-19-17.

A few special packages of pretty vory in new patterns of this year's story run. See them at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-21-21.

Large Annual Christmas Dance, Zuber hall, Tuesday night, December 24th. Music by Olson's orchestra. 12-19-51.

Notice.
Shooting match, two miles south-west of Imbler, at C. C. Conrad's farm, Sunday December 23rd. 12-19-41p

Holly wreaths and beaded holly has arrived. Cherry's Florists. 12-21-21

Foot Trouble.
Dr. Ingle, Osteopathic physician, uses the "Foot System" for reconstructing fallen arches. 12-20-61

Notice.
Washing done by private family. 50c a dozen. Called for and delivered. Call 345-J. 12-20-61

A fine line of real hot water bottles and fountain syringes. Hot water bottles that will keep you warm all winter at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store, where every bottle is warranted for two years. 12-21-17

SCHOOLS OUT FOR HOLIDAYS

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work in preparation for the holidays. In the Riveria, Greenwood and Central grammar schools, appropriate exercises were held yesterday, ushering out the last school day in 1923.

In the Riveria school Miss Otto Miss Reeves and Miss Galloway's classes each gave a short program Thursday afternoon and following the exercises the Christmas gifts were taken from the tree and distributed to the happy kiddies. On Friday Mrs. Nell, Miss Kane, Miss Wright and Mrs. Cleaver each held a short program with Christmas trees as the predominating feature.

THIRTEEN HELD TO BE LUCKY

CHICAGO (AP)—Thirteen is not lucky after all. Harry Hoffmann decided Friday, when he appeared in court to obtain a divorce. He lives at 1013 West Thirtieth street, he told the court and was married January 12, 1885. His wife left him December 15, 1913. After hearing the evidence Judge Joseph Smith said he would grant a divorce decree January 15, 1924.

Churches to Observe The Yuletide Season

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Sunday school superintendent. A Christmas tree, gifts to the children, recitations by the children and remarks by the pastor will feature this hour. Christmas services will be also held Christmas day at 8 o'clock in the morning. The Christian church, Bible school annual entertainment will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The morning service tomorrow in the church will be a special Yuletide service.

In the Baptist church, from 10 to 12 o'clock Sunday will be devoted to a Christmas service, featuring an original drama "The Meaning of Missionary Message" by the W. W. G. S. a girls' organization.

The Episcopal church Christmas services will be at 5 o'clock tomorrow. A midnight service, at 11:30 o'clock, will be held on Christmas eve and Holy Communion will occur at 8 and 10:30 o'clock Christmas day. The Salvation Army plans an all day observance of the Christmas. Through the courtesy of the Eagles lodge they will hold a poor children's Christmas tree at the Eagles' hall on Christmas night. A program following, has also been planned: Spelling Merry Christmas by the primary department; song by the Sunday school; recitation; solo, selected, by Myra Smith; dialogue; song and doll drill by six little girls; song by the Sunday school; play "Snow Queen and Fairies"; play by the Sunday school; recitation by Ernest Potts; song; star drill by ten children; dialogue; play, "Mr. St. Nicholas"; tableau "Holy Night"; song; tableau, "Nearer My God to Thee."

ROBBERS OF BANK TAKEN IN PORTLAND

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refusal to talk, Wells denied any knowledge of the holdup.

Murray Ex-Convict
Murray, who admitted he was an ex-convict of San Quentin, was caught as he was carrying an armful of wood into his house. He submitted smilingly.

The officers visited Ida Chase's house after arresting Murray and Walker and found at her home Mike Dennis, Jimmie Wells and are holding them for investigation.

Murray Confesses
Murray told the officers of the holdup and their movements since including an account of being shielded by Lane county ranchers, who are under arrest, and to whom he said money was paid for protection.

Murray said he went to Marshfield and then came to Portland from there by train.

PORTLAND (By the Associated Press)—Police and private detectives today are endeavoring to locate more of the money stolen from the Lane County State Savings bank at Florence, December 11, following the arrest here last night of five men and the recovery of \$1425 which one alleged robber had given a Portland woman for safe keeping.

Tommy Murray, leader, was caught at a house here he had rented and furnished. He confessed.

Eddie Walker, caught in Murray's house, refused to talk but the police say he gave Ida Chase the money recovered.

Three men were arrested at the Chase woman's house and are being held for investigation.

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Christmas Cheer For Lonely Folk On Pitcairn Isle

HONOLULU — (I. N. S.)—Christmas cheer in the form of fresh fruit and vegetables, candy nuts, and clothing is being sent from Honolulu to the lonely inhabitants of Pitcairn Island, a tiny, isolated speck of land in the Southeastern Pacific. The island is off the regular trade lanes of Pacific steamers, but this Christmas one of the steamers bound from Hawaii to the Panama Canal will swing from its course and send ashore this boatload of supplies.

Many Pitcairners are familiar with the tragic story of Lincoln Clark, the Californian who succumbed by the loss of his young son to Pitcairn Island, where they have since lived with the descendants of the Bounty mutineers who discovered and settled on the island more than 100 years ago. Clark's son, now in manhood, is married to one of the island girls. The residents of the island, more than 100 in number, are devout Adventists.

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