

BOULEVARD.

Mrs. E. B. Butler leaves tomorrow for Boise where she will visit relatives and friends for a week.

L. H. Patton and wife of Little Willow, Idaho, spent Thursday at C. U. Stover's home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dean visited Sunday at the B. K. Newman home. Mr. Newman will leave soon for South Carolina having rented his place to Mr. Studobaker from Ellsworth, Kansas.

Wesley McCombs celebrated his twelfth birthday with a party Saturday afternoon. A fine time was reported by each one.

The a'prent Teacher Association of White Settlement and Lincoln schools met Thursday at Lincoln school house. A splendid program was given among the speakers were Miss Fay Clark and Ms. Curry.

A musical entertainment will be given at the Arcadia school house Tuesday evening, February 27th. A splendid program is being prepared. Some talent will be present from Boise. The proceeds will be used toward paying for the piano recently purchased.

The home talent play, "Back to the Farm," will be given at the Grange Hall both Friday and Saturday evenings.

Chas. Lovitt and wife left Tuesday for Vale for a visit with relatives after which they will go to Boise returning about March 5th when they will take charge of the Dorman ranch. Clinton Reop and family who have been in charge the past year will go to Washington.

A crowd of neighbors and friends gathered at the Holden Clement home Wednesday evening. Games and a social time was enjoyed by all present.

IT WAS TURN ABOUT.

After the Farmer Got Through the Blacksmith Had His Say.

While the village blacksmith toiled manfully over the old farmer's plowshare the owner of the share recounted at some length the wonderful success he had had with three litters of pigs he had marketed that day. "Them pigs were less than eight months old," the farmer ran on, "and they brought me 10 cents a pound, or a little more than \$400. Why, a few years ago those same pigs would have brought me only half as much. I tell you, the farmer is having his harvest now."

The smith, having finished sharpening the share, handed it to his customer. From a well worn purse the farmer took two dimes, the usual price for the job, and dropped them into the smith's hand.

"You'll have to come again," said the smith, still holding the money in his outstretched palm. "I charge 25 cents since the first of the year for sharpening that size plow."

"Why, how now?" the farmer exclaimed testily. "That's an outrage. Why have you raised the price on me?"

"To buy some of that high priced pork you were telling me about," was the smith's calm reply.—Youth's Companion.

GENERAL FUNSTON



General Frederick Funston, who directed the American troops ordered across the Mexican border for the capture of Villa, and who died suddenly after dining with friends at San Antonio, Texas, Monday evening.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Miss May Flock left for her home in Fruitland last week completely recovered.

Miss Marion Stetler is still at the hospital and on the road to recovery, she expects to leave soon.

Mrs. M. L. Parlin, Yale, who had a slight operation performed left the hospital Saturday last.

Mrs. P. Vasseau, Ontario, was operated on and is doing nicely.

Mrs. S. J. Peer, Nyssa, left the hospital Monday.

Henry Solterbeck, New Plymouth, was operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. J. M. Barton, Weiser, was operated on last week. She expects to leave here in a few days.

J. M. Barton had a slight attack of la grippe, but is able to be around again.

Miss Blanch Sidford is still at the hospital but is much better.

The practical demonstration to the pupils of the training school in connection with the course in dietetics will be given by Miss Leona Rader, teacher of domestic science in the local high school.

One of the latest makes of operating tables has been installed in the surgery to the great satisfaction of the doctors who patronize the hospital. This addition represents an outlay of some \$400 and gives ample evidence that the Sisters intend to keep the institution up to the high water mark of efficiency. About one-half of the purchase price was contributed by physicians and friends of the hospital.

ALL THE YEAR 'ROUND.

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CHURCH NEWS.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Sunday, February 25th. Sunday School at 10 a. m., Mr. J. C. McCreight, superintendent.

Morning church service at 11 o'clock. Special music by the quartet: Mrs. W. W. Letson, soprano; Miss Rose Kroessin, alto; Mr. Edward Cope, tenor; Mr. Irwin Troxell, bass; Miss Luella Callin, pianist. The subject of sermon, "Two Kinds of Churches: The Church Secretive and Exclusive and The Church Receptive and Infectious."

Evening Service at 7:30. Subject, "Poor Use to Make of a Man."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

The subjects for discussion at the Methodist church Sunday are as follows. At the 11:00 a. m. hour, "Childhood Religion," at the 7:30 hour, "The Old Testament Problem." These are both live subjects and will be frankly met and handled in the light of modern thought and science. Must the science of the Bible agree with the science of today? Come and see. The Epworth League will be led by Miss Bessie Morton at 6:45 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid met at the church last Thursday. Several new members joined after which the ladies enjoyed a social hour.

Rev. Earl Hanna, Pastor.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Our Christian Endeavor Society sent the Misses Jennie, Jennie and Emma Von Readen as delegates to the state C. E. convention which met at LaGrande the 16th and 18th. The attendance was better than last year and the convention excellent throughout. The delegates will report at the evening meeting next Sabbath.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Bible School at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. You are welcome to all services.

W. N. BROWN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The Rt. Rev. Robert L. Paddock, D. D., Bishop of the Episcopal church in the District of Eastern Oregon, will make his annual visitation to the Episcopal mission here next Sunday. The Bishop will hold services, administer confirmation and preach in the Masonic hall at 10:45 Sunday morning, to which everybody is cordially welcome.

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In a household about 85 per cent of the heat from the furnace is wasted. Our children take more than they can eat and waste the rest. But before we correct them we should look at our own plates. The amount of gas wasted in jets unnecessarily kept burning in a single day all over the United States would, if we could compute it, be a staggering indictment of our folly.

The American business man goes on the principle that it is easier for him to make more money to pay for the waste in his home than it is to "waste" his time in trying to stop it. His wife is unconsciously influenced by his example.

What can we do about it? Something, anyway. We can talk about it, gesticulate about it, think about it and make up our minds right now to fight it in every way possible.—Life.

Talking Shop.

"I don't like to wait on grouchy customers."

"Nor I."

"I hate to have a customer growl at me."

"Mine don't growl," said the dentist, "but they all show their teeth."—Kansas City Journal.

What's in a Name?

Old Gent—What's your name, my little man? The Little Man—They call me "Corn" at school, sir. Old Gent—Good gracious! And why? The Little Man (cheerfully)—'Cause I'm always at the foot of the class, sir.—London Telegraph.

Room For Reconciliation.

"We can file a cross bill," explained the lawyer.

"Not too cross," cautioned the wife. "I still love my husband."—Pittsburgh Post.

Corrected.

Mr. Gungas—I slept like a log last night. Mrs. Gungas—A log? You slept like a whole sawmill.—Chicago News.

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