

# Keep February 19 An Open Date

This will be the biggest thing in twelve months, so keep the date open.

## THE CITY

F. G. Owen is a business visitor in town.

Mike Trapman has been ill with la grippe.

Elvin Kuhn was a Sunday visitor in town.

Seth Dixon returned from Portland last Sunday.

Chas. A. Sherman is in Prineville today on business.

Oscar L. Chitwood was in Prineville last Sunday.

Carey Foster is in Portland taking the Shriner's degree.

Harry Kennard of Sisters was in the city last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Elkins and son are in Portland this week.

C. W. Martin from the Ochoco mines was in town this week.

Judge T. E. J. Duffy was a business visitor in Bend this week.

Walter and Will McFarland returned from Mitchell Saturday.

John W. Ayers of Maupin was in Prineville yesterday on business.

S. B. Rathfer of Baltimore, Maryland, was a Prineville visitor last Friday.

The Artisans held their usual social time and dance last Monday night.

Miss Grace Reams of Post has accepted a position with Mrs. J. W. Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Little of Seattle registered at the hotel last Sunday.

B. F. Johnson went on a surveying trip in the Lone Pine country last Monday.

Frank Johnson is improving rapidly and expects to be back at work in a day or two.

H. H. Wilcox of Bend and Wm. Birdsong of White Salmon, were in town last week.

Dr. F. M. Bloom of Bend was a week end visitor at the home of his son, J. E. Bloom.

Ike Mills of Paulina was in town yesterday on business and visited his sons while here.

A well is being drilled on the Ralph Porfily place just east of the city by E. Wagoner.

Hugh Lakin has sold his residence to Ray Putnam and will move to the old Winnek property.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brummer and F. H. Thompson of Post were in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Morgan and their daughter of Bend, made a short visit in Prineville Tuesday.

Monday afternoon the grade school teachers went on their first hike and picnic.

Mrs. Henry Howard returned to Prineville this morning. She has been visiting in California.

David Williams of Suplee was in town yesterday transacting business at the County Treasurer's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris of Paulina have been in town this week visiting with friends and relatives.

J. H. Reed, representing the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company, is in town today on business for the company.

The Central Oregon Tile and Loan Company is having the furniture re-upholstered and are also cleaning house.

C. A. Luelling is visiting at Visalia California, where Mrs. Luelling is spending the winter because of poor health.

W. G. Mason, a timberman of Portland, who has been looking over some timber north of town, left for Portland Sunday.

A party was given at the home of Collins Elkins Jr. in this city Tuesday evening to which were invited a number of friends.

The Tuesday Night Bridge Club met this week at the home of Mrs. Carlson. Mrs. Willard Wirtz won the prize for high score.

The committee in charge of the sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals report the receipt of \$1.50 sent in by Miss Ridgeway of District No. 46.

Henry Howard of the Inland Auto Co. was out at the home of Ralph Broese last Tuesday, installing a Deleo-Light System at his ranch.

Dr. A. W. Grater has filed the necessary papers with the Real Estate Department at Salem to obtain a license to sell real estate in Oregon.

Henry Poulter, traveling freight agent of the O. W. R. & N. railway, was in Prineville on business Tuesday.

The Crook County High School's basketball quintet will go to Madras Friday night to match the basketball team of that place. This game will be the first of the season with an outside team.

Roy Anderson and wife are in Portland this week. Mr. Anderson is taking a few treatments there for a strain that he received while wrestling.

Max Crandall, Bessie Roberts, and Nancy Hanks will audit the county books for the year 1919. Miss Roberts and Miss Hanks are already in town.

The second semester for the grade school started last Monday. The morning was spent in arranging the classes and there was no school in the afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyld at La Grande, Oregon, January 16 a son. Mr. Wyld was at one time a resident of this city and has many friends here.

The Michel Grocery Company has installed a new vegetable stand and customers need no longer fear stumbling over stray onions etc. when entering the store.

Charles Ross went to Portland on Tuesday night to be initiated into the order of Shriners. While there he will visit with Homer Ross in McMinnville.

Omar Wilson bought a Model Four Overland Roadster and Model Four Touring were sold to W. T. Morris and Albert Way recently by the Inland Auto Co.

Mrs. George Nicolai is in Portland for a short visit. She is expected to return the last of the week. Mrs. Morgan is staying with her family until her return.

Word comes to Prineville friends that C. I. Winnek has sold his business in Klamath Falls. Mr. Winnek is well known here where he was in business several years.

Dolly Hodges has completed the census survey of Prineville except for taking strays. Have you been enumerated? If not kindly notify Miss Hodges so she may include you and make the Prineville census one larger.

Census enumerators report that the task of taking the census in this vicinity will be completed within a week. If you have not been enumerated, call on the enumerators so that the task may be easily finished.

Otis McKinnon has been selected by the Inland Auto Company as the member of the force to attend the Service and Sales Course given by the Modern Appliance Company on February 2.

C. G. Compton and F. J. Warner of Prineville and Oscar Parrien of Silver Lake, spent 11 hours walking in to Bend from the high desert Tuesday night, after the drive shaft of their car was broken.

R. H. Cosler, general passenger agent, R. W. Pickford, assistant general freight agent and J. T. Hardy, traveling freight and passenger agent, all of the S. P. & S. railway system, were in Prineville on Monday of this week.

The Knights of Pythias have changed their meeting night from Wednesday to Thursday. The next meeting will be a week from tonight and will be a big one, as they intend to put on the third rank.

The Inland Auto Co. sold all four of the Chandler cars which they received a short time ago. C. F. Smith bought the Chandler Dispatch, C. J. Johnson and Hugh Lister bought touring cars and the fourth went to a Bend garage.

The second semester for the High School will commence next Monday. All those whose grades did not reach an average of 90 have to take the final semester examinations which will be given today and tomorrow. Those not required to take the examinations will be excused during this time.

NOTICE, LADIES

Ladies, I have just received the new spring styles in dress goods samples. Latest style silks and all kinds of spring and summer fabrics, also winter fabrics.

Prospective brides and graduates will find their needs. Orders received by sample. Your patronage solicited.

MRS. LAURA CROWN,  
1111c 141 Cor 2nd & D Ss.

MASKED BALL FOR FEBRUARY 14

Valentine Day Event At Club Hall Prizes To Be Given

A masked ball is to be given at the club hall on February 14, which promises to be a big event.

Prizes are to be given for the best sustained characters, the best waltzers, and other characters.

Tickets are to be on sale at Michel Grocery.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The District Missionary will preach both morning and evening. The morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Power of Prayer." Evening service at 7:30, subject "Why We Know There is a God and That We Must All Meet Him." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

## HAVE YOU MADE YOUR INCOME TAX RETURNS?

The following letter received from Milton A. Miller, collector of internal revenue, is self-explanatory:

"The time has again arrived for making out your Income Tax Returns. The law provides that all returns must be in the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue at Portland on or before March 15, 1920. Those failing to comply with the law are subject to heavy penalties.

All taxpayers are urged to make out their returns at once, thereby avoiding the rush at the last hour.

For the purpose of assisting taxpayers of Crook county in making up their Income Tax Return for 1919, Deputy Collectors Wells and Howsley from the Internal Revenue office will be at Prineville February 26, to 24, 1920.

For any information you may desire in preparing your statement, please call upon the Deputy Collector, as per announcement herein made.

Respectfully,  
MILTON A. MILLER,  
Collector Internal Revenue

RUTH TRUNKY INJURED

Little Ruth Trunky suffered a fracture of the left arm above the wrist on Tuesday when she fell on the sidewalk in front of the Trunky home.

REPAIR BILLS DON'T WORRY HIM

Driving 126,216 miles with a total repair expense of \$28.27 is the proud record of G. T. Carlisle of Pamaona, California. "Mr. Carlisle, I am told," said C. M. Elkins, "is the right hand man of J. D. Barry, general manager of the American Beet Sugar Co., at China.

"Two years ago they bought a Huson Super-Six, according to Mr. Carlisle, had 126,216 Huson miles to November 1 without one expense, occasioned when their Super-Six was bumped by another car, entailing an outlay of less than \$30."

Those having eye troubles or nervous troubles should call and see Dr. F. H. Day, 510 Main St., Prineville, Oregon. 1111c

Kenneth Harlan, Arthur Maude, Bonnie Hill, Ned Norworth and Lucy Donahue. Henry Otto directed the production which was made under the personal supervision of Maxwell Karger, Director General.

## "The Microbe"

STARRING VIOLA DANA

AND A

JESTER COMEDY

"BUSINESS WITHOUT PLEASURE"

Wed. & Thursday, Jan. 28-29

THE CALL OF ROMANCE IS ANSWERED

"THE Mysterious Client at The Lyric Theater Monday and Tuesday

Every man and woman has felt the desire to go in search of romance but the ramrod of convention prevents most of us from accepting the challenges of the imagination. Jeanne Darcy, heroine of the Lyric Play "The Mysterious Client," at the Lyric theater Monday and Tuesday, is not so timid.

If you are eager to see what might have happened to you if you had gone in search of adventure and romance don't fail to see "The Mysterious Client."

Many startling things happen to the pretty heroine and to the hero, as well. The incidents are taken from real life by Charles Dacey, whose theme for the story is that "truth is stranger than fiction."

Jeanne Darcy, like thousands of girls, does not look with favor upon the suitors chosen for her by her wealthy father. So she suggests a novel scheme for challenging chance

J. STUART BLACKTON'S

## "A HOUSE DIVIDED"

With SYLVIA BREMER, HERBERT RAWLINSON, SALLIE CRUTE, WILLIAM HUMPHREY, LAWRENCE GROSSMITH.

Adapted by Anthony Kelly from Ruth Holt Boucicault's Powerful Novel, "The Substance of His House."

"I don't believe in divorcing—I will not agree to it. Everything forbids it—Religion—Custom—Position."

The story is absorbing—the situations tense, the climaxes extraordinary. Undoubtedly the greatest play of the Season.

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and meeting fate half way in the selection of her mate. Her father is a "good sport." The proposition appeals to him in view of the fact that it furnishes some severe tests for the moral and physical strength of his son-in-law to be.

What happens to Jeanne Darcy might happen to you if you had the daring to seek romance as she does.

"A HOUSE DIVIDED" THIRD CONSECUTIVE FEATURE

"A House Divided," J. Stuart Blackton's next feature release, which will appear at the Lyric theater Friday and Saturday, is the third consecutive Blackton feature produced from an Anthony Paul Kelly script. The author of "Three Faces East" the current Broadway stage success, adapted

"The Common Cause" for Commodore Blackton from the play by J. Hartley Manners and Major Ian Hay Belth. Vitagraph is now distributing this special. "Life's Greatest Problem" the second of the series, was entirely Mr. Kelly's brain child, both the story and script being his work. The third of the Blackton-Kelly association, "A House Divided," was adapted by Mr. Kelly from the novel, "The Substance of His House" by Ruth Holt Boucicault.

"A House Divided" presents the same quintette of stars who are scoring such a success in the Blackton special, "The Common Cause." Sylvia Bremer and Herbert Rawlinson are again featured in the leading roles, with Lieutenant Lawrence Grossmith and Violet and Charles Blackton heading the supporting cast.

Sunday Only

## The Other Man's Wife

January 25

"THE MICROBE" IS VIOLA DANA'S LATEST SUCCESS

Clever Metro Drama Appeals To A Large Audience At The Lyric

"The Microbe" a whimsical drama by Henry Altimus, published in Alsie's Magazine, and the attraction at the Lyric theater on Wednesday and Thursday, gives Viola Dana a role of clever originality.

The Microbe, a gutter waif, is rescued from the slums by De Witt Spense, a distinguished young author who is losing his fame for lack of inspiration. He takes her home, much to the fury of Judith Winthrop, who even him with matrimonial intent. Judith leads the Microbe to believe that she is the cause of De Witt's failure thereby causing the girl to leave the only happiness she has ever known.

Strange letters signed "Blanca," begin coming to De Witt—letters so full of inspiration that he writes a novel that restores him at once in the popular favor.

Judith claims authorship for the letters and in gratitude he asks her to marry him. De Witt is called to the hospital that night and finds the Microbe very ill. While there he hears the treacherous part Judith has played—he also learns that the Microbe is "Blanca," and realizes that she has been his inspiration. The love which he has been stifling for many months flares forth and the Microbe at last realizes complete happiness.

The distinguished cast includes

MRS. VERNON CASTLE IN

## "The Mysterious Client"

AND

EPISODE NO. 6 OF

"THE TIGER'S TAIL"

Monday & Tuesday, Jan. 26-27

