

### CITIZENS TO TENDER TEACHERS RECEPTION

Preparations have been practically completed for the reception to be given by the citizens of Hood River to the teachers of the Hood River public schools on Thursday evening at the quarters of the Commercial Club, under the auspices of the Hood River School and Home Association.

The program for the evening gives promise of making this an event which will be thoroughly enjoyed by all who participate, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. Prominently will be banished, and every effort will be put forth to make this an occasion for parents and teachers to become thoroughly acquainted. The following order for the evening has been decided upon by the committee in charge:

- Informal reception and greetings.
  - Address of welcome.
  - Plans for the year.
  - Musical and literary program.
  - Light refreshments.
  - Lingering good nights.
- The following compose the committee in charge: Leslie Butler, chairman; Mesdames Button, Orr, Stewart, Gould, Bartmess, Hartley; Miss Davidson; Messrs. Dumble, Vaughan, Cram, Wood, Truman Butler, F. A. Bishop, Henry Howe, George Thomson.

### CHRISTIAN ALLIANCE PRAYER CONFERENCE

The annual prayer conference of the Christian and Missionary Alliance is now in full swing at the Alliance chapel, 720 May street.

The following delegates have already arrived: Rev. H. C. Chrisman, district superintendent, of Portland,



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Rev. A. B. Eddy of Seattle, Rev. O. J. Stone of Tacoma, Rev. W. P. Kirk and wife of Portland, the Misses Moore and Yoder of Chehalis, Rev. J. C. Baker of Anderson Islands, Rev.

and Mrs. A. C. York of Everett, Wn., Rev. C. E. Perry, superintendent of the Hood River branch of the Christian and Missionary Alliance. Other workers are expected to arrive later.

The day sessions are for workers only. Each evening at 7:30 there will be a meeting open to the public. Each one of the workers will address the meeting during the week. The ministry of song will be a feature of the evening services.

Miss Grace Allen, the blind singer formerly of Boston, will sing from time to time during the week. The public is cordially invited to attend all of these evening services.

### WEDDING IN PORTLAND OF LOCAL INTEREST

Sunday evening, Nov. 26th, a very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bedford, at E. 26th and Sherman streets, Portland, Ore., when Mr. Elwood Stanley Minchin, formerly of Hood River, and Miss Sarah Olive Sturgis, of this city, were united in marriage by the Rev. John Frederick Hanson of the Friends church. The wedding took place promptly at 7 o'clock. The bride was beautifully gowned in white ecru with white chiffon overdress, and carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses. Miss Dalls Perkins, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. She was tastefully dressed in light blue silk and carried pink carnations. Mr. Albert Lathrop acted as best man. Only friends and relatives of the bride and groom were present.

Ivy, ferns and cut flowers constituted the decorations. Many beautiful and useful presents were received.

After congratulations and refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Minchin left on a short honeymoon trip, and will be at home to their friends after Dec. 15th at 825 E. Stark street, Portland.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED IN NOVEMBER

All records in this county for marriage licenses were broken last month County Clerk Hanson having issued an even dozen. This beats the former high record, last June, when eleven permits to wed were given out.

The question now agitating the officials at the court house is whether this record indicates that prosperity has struck Hood River, or whether the race to get into the marital harness indicates the approach of a cold winter. Following is a list of the licenses issued for the month of November, 1911:

- Nov. 4—P. G. Skene, 43, Nettie L. Hugglev, 29, Hood River.
- Nov. 6—Melville C. Hammach, 27, Portland; Gladys Adams, 29, Hood River.
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- Nov. 8—Ormel P. Hottman, 25, Hansum, Wash.; Ruth O. Brown, 19, Hood River.
- Nov. 11—Charles P. Stewart, 26, Buhl, Ida.; Nettie Gleason, 26, Hood River.
- Nov. 15—Caples Dave, 30, Alice Jim, 28, Hood River.
- Nov. 15—Myron D. Jencks, 24, Elsie J. Wolgamuth, 22, Hood River.
- Nov. 18—Warner Lee Kirkpatrick, 25, Pearl E. Foster, 21, Hood River.
- Nov. 21—Harley A. Bates, 22, Hazel E. Lucas, 18, Hood River.
- Nov. 23—Walter J. Burlingame, 22, Vancouver, Wash.; Rachel M. Boston, 20, Hood River.
- Nov. 23—Harry Douglas, 23, Belle Rossman, 19, Hood River.
- Nov. 29—Arthur C. Pierce, 30, Hood River; Beale Hudson, 20, Parkdale.

### BIG LAND DEAL IN PINE GROVE

One of the largest real estate deals of the year was closed Saturday when Philip D. Atwater, who recently sold his 12½-acre place on "Shepard's Lane," bought the 40-acre bearing orchard of C. T. Roberts in the Pine Grove district. This sale was consummated by G. Y. Edwards & Co., who also sold the west side place for Mr. Atwater.

Mr. Atwater takes immediate possession of his purchase and will proceed to erect a large and modern apple storage house adjoining the Mt. Hood R. R. track, which runs across one corner of his property.

Mr. Roberts has rented the home of T. W. Yates on Oak street and will spend the winter in town.

Hood River orchards are a money making proposition, and no one knows it better than our local people. The largest sales of the year have been made to local people and in every instance the property sold has changed hands at higher prices per acre than properties bought by newcomers in the valley. All of which goes to show that the best and highest priced orchards are not considered too good or too dear by the man who is thoroughly familiar with the apple business.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. D. Horner of Portland is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Mayes.

Lost—One heavy plush laprobe and one yellow horse blanket. Reward for return to Fashion Stable.

Mrs. Fred Shoemaker visited with Hood River friends over Thanksgiving.

Christian Science services are held in Reading Room, No. 6, Davidson building, Sunday at 11 a. m. and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

The Schubert Trio will give a concert at the Unitarian church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 13. A musical treat is assured. Don't forget the date. See bills.

George Bigler is clearing up the old box factory site on Columbia between Third and Fourth, burning the rubbish and selling off what good wood there is among the waste material from the old factory building.

Rev. W. B. Young, pastor of the Hood River Methodist Episcopal church, left last evening for Spokane to attend the Columbia River conference of the Board of Church Extension. He will be absent several days.

The new piano for the Baptist church has been received and placed in the church, and to fittingly observe the occasion a special song service has been arranged for next Sunday evening. There will be a brief sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Hargraves, but the main portion of the service will be musical.

A social conference was held at the Unitarian church Sunday evening, at which the following program was rendered: Address, "Civic Righteousness," Rev. H. A. McDonald. Light Refreshments. Discussion of the Peace Treaties with England and France, introduced by Hon. Ernest C. Smith. Singing. Question Box. Silver Collection.

Please see the program of musical selections to be rendered by the Schubert Trio Wednesday, December 13. It includes some of the finest compositions. This promises to be a fine concert.

Miss Rachel M. Boston of this city and Walter J. Burlingame of Vancouver, Wash., were married last Wednesday evening at the M. E. parsonage, Rev. W. B. Young performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame will make their home in Vancouver.

Thanksgiving day was generally observed in Hood River, business houses closing the entire day, permitting employes and proprietors to enjoy a quiet day at home. Union religious services were held in the Baptist church, Rev. H. A. McDonald delivering the sermon.

William Vogt, a former Hood River business man and a brother of J. C. Vogt of this city, was quietly married last Saturday at Portland to Mrs. Elizabeth Reuter of The Dalles. The young couple will reside at The Dalles.

A. N. Bergman and M. D. Brittain have opened a general repair business in the Stewart Hardware company's building, under the firm name of Bergman & Brittain, and are prepared to repair anything from a broken key to an automobile. Their ad appears in another column.

It was a sweeping victory that the Dalles high school team won over the Hood River Booster Club at The Dalles on Thanksgiving day, the score being 117 to 0. The high school boys were able to walk all over the visitors and make a touchdown whenever they wanted to.

Oak street was the scene of about ninety minutes of excitement Monday afternoon, caused by a team belonging to C. T. Roberts running away. They started near the upper end of the street and ran through the entire business section, and were finally stopped by Fred Ingalls just after turning the corner at the foot of the street. There were several narrow escapes during the wild dash of the team down the street, but no one was hurt and no damage was done.

Every Elk Every Elk in Hood River and the valley is requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the Commercial Club rooms Saturday night, Dec. 9. Matters of vital importance to every Elk, Hood River and the valley will be discussed.

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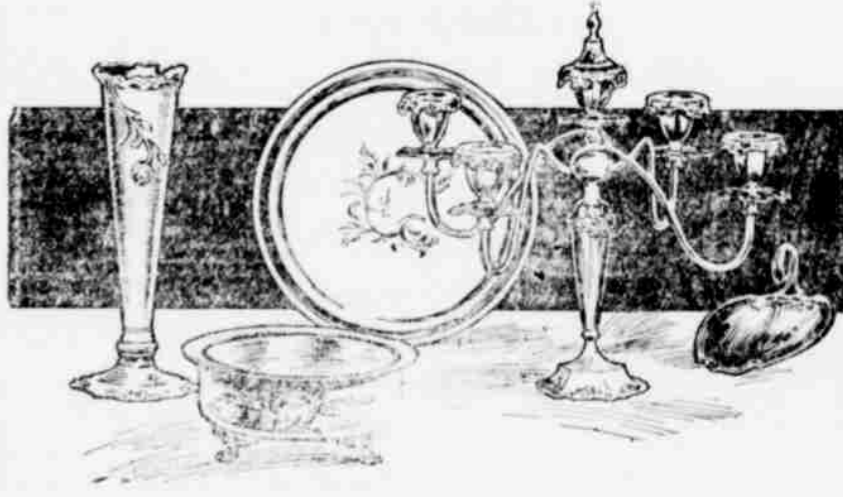
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