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LOCALS AND PERSONALS

I. R. Acheson left Monday on a business trip to Albany.
 Old Mother Goose is working overtime plucking her geese these days.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprout were visitors in Portland over the week end.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lucas visited friends in The Dalles over the week end.
 Samuel M. Blowers of Portland spent several days here last week visiting relatives.
 If you want insurance in companies that pay losses promptly and in full call on A. W. Ontank.
 J. I. Moreland of this place was appointed mailing clerk for the Senate when it convened last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hinrichs have left for a trip to Portland and Tacoma, after which they will go to Southern California.
 Rev. W. F. McCormick, now of Wasco and formerly pastor of the Valley Christian church here, was visiting Hood River friends last week.

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 At a recent meeting of the local Christian Science Society Frank B. Cram of Oak Grove was chosen first reader and Mrs. Mary V. Brownlee second reader.
 Attorney F. M. Saxton was here from Portland Monday on business connected with the formation of the East Side bonded irrigation district. He is a member of the firm of King & Saxton, which represents the ranchers in this matter.
 Fred Donnerberg, who has been employed by R. D. Gould for the past year and a half left Monday for Portland. After a visit with his parents there he will go to San Francisco, where he has secured a position on the exposition buildings.
 During the remainder of January and also during February the public library will be open every day from 10 to 12 a. m., from 1 to 5 p. m., and on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 7 to 9 in the evening. The hours on Sunday are from 2 to 5 for reading only.
 Local dentists, including Dr's. E. L. Scobee, C. H. Jenkins, H. D. W. Pineo, and Dr. Hawkins, attended a recent meeting at The Dalles when the Columbia River District Dental Association was organized. Dr. A. S. Essen of that city was elected president and Dr. Jenkins secretary.
 A large delegation of Hood River music lovers attended the Maud Powell violin recital in The Dalles the last of the week. Among them were Misses Lolla Radford, Freda Johnson, Meda Carter, Evelyn Turney, Wilma Thomson, O. Walker, N. Smith, Della Sewell, Stella Richardson, Florence Furrow, Lella Hershner, Hazel Stanton, Nettie Allen, Mesdames Grace Carter, G. W. Thomsen, D. Kanaga, May A. Gilbert, Messrs. E. D. Kanaga, C. F. Gilbert, Homer Wood and Harold Hershner.
 C. T. Roberts has purchased of Guy Y. Edwards the latter's interest in the Guy Y. Edwards & Company real estate firm. Mr. Roberts, who is one of the oldest and best known residents of the valley will be associated in the business with L. C. Simms and it will be known as Roberts & Simms. Mr. Simms became associated with Mr. Edwards about two years ago, since which time he has been in active charge. Mr. Edwards withdraws on account of continued poor health and, with his family, will make his home in Portland for the time being. He is undergoing treatment there.

O. D. Blom of Portland visited his brother, E. L. Blom, the first of the week.
 L. S. Miller of Pine Grove has returned from a visit with his mother in Minnesota.
 A. T. Shere left Friday for Calgary, Alberta, where he expects to make his future home.
 Mrs. Eva Dunn has returned to Rupert, Idaho, after a visit with Mrs. M. M. Fewel.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lisle Weygandt of Portland are guests at the Hotel Oregon for a few days.
 B. E. Duncan, who, with his family, is spending the winter in Portland, is here for a week or two.
 Paul Shaw of Tacoma is here installing a large, new X-ray machine for Dr's. Bronson and Waugh.
 F. A. Fleming, now of Portland but a former Hood River resident, was greeting friends here last week.
 J. H. Bywater came from Portland the last of the week to take charge of the Hall ranch in the Belmont district.
 Mrs. Pettigrew of Portland was a guest at the Mt. Hood Hotel last week. She was here to address the Woman's Club.
 G. Wertgen of the Upper Valley, who has been spending some time in San Diego, returned the last of the week.
 Reymund Early, who has been spending the winter at his home here, is planning to resume his studies at the U. of O. next month.
 Among the out-of-town visitors at Hard Times dance Friday were J. E. Slade and family, Miss Evelyn Tripp and Frank Fox of Husum.
 William Cummings of Sargent, Neb., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayes, fell Saturday and broke his right leg at the hip joint.
 Among those from out of town who attended the Hard Times Dance Friday evening were F. X. Arens, Miss Lorene Leasure, Egmont Arens and W. B. Arens of the Upper Valley.
 Trains on the Mt. Hood Railroad have been able to maintain their scheduled trips every day except Saturday following the heavy snow of the preceding night, when the engine only went through, clearing the track and carrying the mail.
 The telephone company hooked up onto its new auto-manual system at seven o'clock Sunday morning. Owing to damage done by the heavy snow, the new system is not yet in perfect working order, but the experts are working to correct inaccuracies.
 Recent births have included the following: a daughter was born Sunday, January 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barton on the Heights; a son was born Wednesday, the 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Seward Turnball on Cascade Avenue; the stork brought a boy to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark at Parkdale on Thursday, the 9th.
 Residents on R. F. D. Route No. 2 have been without mail service during the present week, C. E. Pullen, carrier on that route, having quit with the expiration of last week. Mail is now being delivered to residents on this route from the window at the post-office. Postmaster Lucas says he has an applicant and that service may be resumed the last of the week.
 Realty transfers filed Monday included the following: Melissa J. Blowers, widow of A. S. Blowers, to Lawrence Blowers and others, five acres at Oak Grove, south 100 feet of lots 1 and 2, block 1, Blowers Addition, also lots 3 and 4, block 8, Winans Addition; Sarah E. Taylor and husband to Sarah A. Alger, tract 155x520 at Cascade Locks, \$999; Laura L. Batchelder to J. F. Batchelder, 49 acres near Blouchers.

Regular Sunday excursion to Parkdale. Pleasant trip for yourself and friends.
 Mrs. Jepson of the Oak Grove district fell last week and sustained a broken arm.
 Woodmen of the World here have changed their meeting nights to the first and third Mondays of each month.
 Please remember to post the dates of proposed public gatherings in the directory of entertainments at the public library.
 Vesper services will be held at Immanuel church (the Heights) next Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Mr. Hargreaves will preach; sermon subject "The Third Commandment."
 What is a house without some kind of music in it? What will a Music House be in Hood River without your patronage? Waggener's Music House has the goods, and Waggener wants your trade.
 Recent departures have included the following: Oscar Krussow to Corvallis; Mrs. Eva Dunn to Rupert, Idaho; E. E. Rhodes to St. Joseph, Mo.; E. G. Beltel to Omaha, and Mrs. Louis C. Kennedy to Valley, Idaho.
 Crandall & Roberts, the Portland auditors who are experting the county's books for a period covering the past two years, will complete their work here this week and expect soon to submit the complete report.
 J. F. Thompson has resigned as local manager of the Hydro Electric Company and left Saturday. He is succeeded by S. R. Danforth of Portland. The latter has assumed charge. He is living at the Mt. Hood Annex.
 Sheriff Johnson took off a westbound train the last of the week and placed under arrest Clyde Moore of Baker, Oregon. Moore was wanted there on a larceny charge, having stolen clothes, jewelry and other articles, it is alleged.
 The local Rebekahs gave their annual chicken dinner to Odd Fellows and their families at the hall Monday evening. A delicious and bounteous repast was enjoyed. Afterwards the Rebekahs held a public installation of officers.
 Mrs. "Wes" Sloat was called to John Day the last of the week on account of the serious condition of her son, Glenn, who was injured by being crushed under a horse which he was riding. Although his injuries were severe it is said that he will probably recover.
 Bishop Paddock preached at St. Mark's Episcopal Church Sunday. He was not yet prepared to make definite announcement relative to Rev. Mr. Simpson's successor, but expects to be able to do so probably this month. Next Sunday Professor J. W. Crites will conduct the services and a week from Sunday Bishop Paddock will again be here.
 Deputy Game Warden Fritz has recently returned from the Upper Hood River Valley after investigating reports of killing of deer. Officers found where deer had been killed in the mountains and where two fawns were lingering around a bloody bed of snow where their mother had been slain. The officers found deer meat stored away under a bed in the Odell district. They say that the guilty parties will be brought before the present term of court.—From the Journal.
 Next Saturday the State Railroad Commission will give a hearing at the county courthouse to the complaint brought by O. M. Bailey of the Upper Valley against the Mount Hood Railroad. Mr. Bailey complains of alleged inadequate service, excessive freight rates and also wants a freight agent at Parkdale. The hearing will be open to the public and witnesses will be heard on both sides.

ELEPHANTS AS WORKERS.

Without Them Burma's Teakwood Trade Would Languish.
 Since 1886 the export of teakwood from Burma has increased enormously; but, despite the phenomenally high price of the wood, it would not be profitable to work it, even in these days, without the elephant. In this trade the Burmese elephants, massive animals whose strength is almost unlimited, are seen at their best as beasts of burden.
 From the time when the forest areas are purchased, before the trees are felled, to the hour of export on the ocean going vessels at the port on the Indian ocean the elephant is the main worker. Far away in the malarial swamps and almost impenetrable jungles this majestic beast first tramps down a passage through the undergrowth. Then, guided by his Indian keeper's prong, the elephant commences his arduous labor of dragging the felled trees to the river, where they are conveyed by raft down country to the sawmills.
 These enormous trees, untrimmed and cumbersome, are sometimes dragged up and down the jungle and mountain forest pathways en route to the river with rare precision. At the mills again the work of packing and stacking is done exclusively by elephants. When the trees are sawed into lengths the elephants do the piling, bringing the huge planks from the sheds and arranging them in an orderly manner in numbered piles.—Argonaut.

PIPE ORGAN RECITAL

Frederick W. Goodrich of Portland, the noted pipe organist, has been secured to give the opening organ recital at the Asbury M. E. church. The date will be announced later.
 The Oregonian says: "Mr. Goodrich's playing was a treat, and he fully sustained his reputation as one of the most finished pipe organists in the Pacific Northwest."
 Christian Science
 Christian Science services are held in the Reading Room, Room 2, Davidson Building, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Truth." Sunday School at 10 a. m. Wednesday meeting at 8

p. m. The reading room is open daily from 2 to 5 p. m.
 M. E. Church Services
 Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Themes, morning, "The Soul's Moorings;" evening, "Who Cares?" There will be special music at both services. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to attend these services. W. B. Young, pastor.
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 When in need of printing remember the News.

Our Present School System Should Be Left to Stand

By Dr. NATHAN C. SCHAEFFER, State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania

WRITERS who have never taught a school successfully, who have never had a child of their own to educate and who could not make a dress or cook a palatable meal with the best effort, are always LOUDEST IN THE CRY FOR REFORM.
 Without doubt teachers are in danger of being too conservative. Life is ever changing, and progress is the watchword everywhere. The SCHOOLS NEED READJUSTMENT as civilization advances and the conditions of life change.
 THE THEORIST AND THE REFORMER ARE NEEDED AMONG A FREE PEOPLE, BUT THEY SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO LAY VIOLENT HANDS UPON THOSE FEATURES OF THE SCHOOL WHICH HAVE STOOD THE TEST OF AGES AND WHICH CONTRIBUTE TO THE JOY OF LIFE DURING THE HOURS NOT DEVOTED TO BREAD-WINNING.

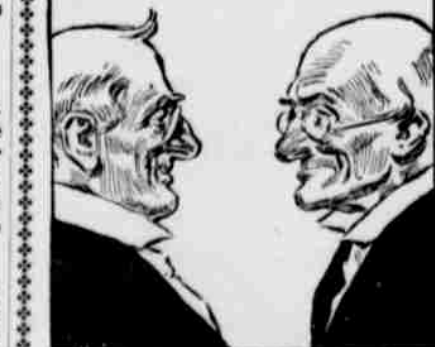
ONE-HALF MILLION DOLLARS

Represents in round numbers the amount of land which we have succeeded in disposing of during the past two years for our clients in Hood River Valley. Not at all bad we are thinking considering the rather unsettled condition of the general real estate market of the country during that time. We are rather proud of the record which accounts for our "blowing our horn" in this manner.
 In view of the fact that so much property has been sold from our lists we find that we are short on some few classes of places, and we would be very glad to have listings on any good properties that are for sale in the valley, which we do not now have.
 We are now making up our lists for the coming season's work which we anticipate will be a good one, and would be glad to have those who have their property listed and those who wish to give us new listings, call on us as soon as convenient.

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