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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Marion Kennedy is convalescing. Col. Freeman went to Portland today.

Mr. J. A. Gulliford of Dufur is in town today.

Mr. L. H. Kretzer went to Lyle this morning.

Mrs. J. A. Crossen left this afternoon for Portland.

Messrs. John Hertz and E. Jacobsen are in Portland.

Mr. W. H. Lochead is ill with an attack of typhoid fever.

Dr. Kane returned on the local this morning from Portland.

Mr. H. M. Beall left for Portland on the afternoon local train.

Mrs. W. H. Vanbibber and Miss Lamb left this morning for Portland.

Rev. J. H. Wood is recovering from an illness covering a period of two weeks.

Miss Anna M. Roberts left this morning to assume a position as teacher at Fulton Park.

Mr. John Hampshire is confined to his home with a bad cold and an attack of tonsillitis.

Attorney J. L. Story left for Hartland this afternoon, where he will deliver a political speech this evening.

Miss Charlotte Roberts left for Ritzville, Wash., last night. She takes a position in the public schools of that place.

Mr. J. Darnielle is in town from his ranch. His wheat yield was about twelve bushels to the acre, a scant half crop.

Mr. L. J. Norman is again on the streets, after a long illness of chills and ague, which he imported direct from Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crandall and Miss Georgia Sampson went to Hood River this morning to attend the funeral of Stephen Price.

Mr. S. Wolf of Portland, who has been in the city in the interests of a new secret society, left for home today. He failed to establish a local lodge.

Judge Blakeley left this morning for Portland, to join Mrs. Blakeley, who is undergoing treatment for her eyesight. She is said to be recovering slowly and may spend most of the winter abroad.

Reception to Rev. Skaggs.

The members of the Christian church planned a very clever surprise for their new pastor, Rev. A. D. Skaggs, and family, at their church last evening. Arrangements had been made whereby the pastor's family were to visit at the home of Geo. Miller on Eighth and Court streets, thus making it necessary for them to pass by the Christian church in so doing. On reaching the church, however, the lights were suddenly turned on, arousing the curiosity of Pastor Skaggs, who, on entering the building, was not a little surprised to discover the church full of people, when the fact at once dawned upon him that the congregation had "put up a job on him."

As soon as the pastor and family had recovered their senses, a short program was rendered, which was highly appreciated by all. The exercises were opened with a beautiful vocal duet by the Misses Myrtle and Retta Stone, followed by a solo from Miss Edna Bar-

nett. Mr. George Ernest Stewart was called for and recited "Katie Lee and Willie Gray" in his usual clever manner. He was also requested to give his mirth-provoking reading, entitled "Mrs. Byrde and the Masons," which was highly appreciated by the audience. The church choir then rendered a vocal selection, and Rev. Skaggs closed the program with a few well-chosen remarks, after which refreshments were announced in the basement of the church, whither the audience retired to enjoy a bountiful luncheon and to indulge in pleasant social intercourse, which continued for something over an hour. Everyone seemed to be of the opinion that it was an evening well spent, and highly testimonial of the esteem in which Rev. Skaggs and family are held by the citizens of The Dalles.

French Louis' Fate.

Last Monday the startling intelligence was brought to Canyon, says the News, that the lifeless body of Louis Adams, or "French Louis," had been discovered on his ranch in Silvie valley, just across the line in Harney county. Sunday about noon the boys of the Pacific Livestock Co. were riding after cattle, when they saw the Frenchman's team tied to the fence with the harness on, and a broken double-tree still attached to the harness. Further search across the meadow revealed the man's lifeless body, with his neck broken. It was thought that his team ran away with the wagon and that he was killed by being thrown off as they crossed the irrigating ditch. Louis quit herding sheep some years ago, and with the money that he had accumulated by industry and thrift he purchased the tract of land on Silvie river known as the "Buccaroo ranch." Louis lived on his fertile acres and made his home there until the time of his death. French Louis was a peculiar character while he lived. He was kind to those around him, and was never known to oppress the poor. In all kindness to his memory, the News relates that in life he loved the flowing bowl, and tells the following incident: On one occasion, Louis was giving an exhibition of fire-eating. He had a saucer full of brandy to which he had touched a match, and it was blazing immensely while he partook of the flames by the spoonful, when some fellow poured kerosene into the saucer while the fire wizard was looking in another direction, and the next spoonful burned his mouth and broke up the show. This was merely an incident in the life of the poor fellow, but it points to his sociability in this life.

Program for the Last Concert.

Following is the program for the last of the series of delightful Sunday concerts given by our band:

1. March—"Challenge".....M. Deane
2. Red Hot (serio-comic jamboree).....Beyer
3. Baritone Solo—"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp".....J. G. Miller
4. Waltz—"Die Hydropaten".....Gungl
5. A Hunting Scene (descriptive).....Bucalossi
6. Waltz—"Visions of Paradise".....Bennet
7. Overture—"Celestial".....Prendiville
8. "Forge in the Forest" (descriptive).....Michaelis
9. March—"The Crusader".....Souza

MARCUS LONG, Director.

Something New in Melodrama.

Harry Williams' play "A Bowery Girl" will be presented at the Vogt opera house on the evening of September 30th. Life in New York is the theme in the main, but this is presented in such a radical change of style from the conventional method that it has been received, wherever produced, in a spirit of thankfulness for the innovation. Scenes and incidents of every-day life in a great city are herein presented. To those who are familiar with city life these features will be readily recognized and appreciated all the more. Those who have not visited the great metropolis can receive a very realistic object lesson by witnessing the production of "A Bowery Girl."

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THE CHURCHES.

Lutheran service at First Baptist church at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.

At the Congregational church, corner Court and Fifth street—Sunday services as usual: At 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. worship and a sermon. Sunday school immediately after the morning service. Meeting of the Young People Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; topic Lesson from David's life and worth. All persons not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited.

Dr. F. W. Parker, pastor of the Congregational church at Pendleton, will lecture at the Congregational church in this city, Monday, Sept. 28th at 8 p. m., on the subject, "The Work of the Teacher and the Relation of the Parent to That Work." Prof. Gavin, who has heard this lecture, pronounces it as very entertaining, witty and instructive.

Some months ago we sent one of our pianos to Spokane, Wash. The party who ordered it became involved in financial difficulties and was unable to purchase it. We then transferred it to Mr. I. C. Nickelsen of The Dalles, who has been storing it for us during the last few months. We do not wish the piano re-shipped to us because that will involve a considerable expense of freights. We are therefore willing to sell the piano actually below cost. The piano is the best we manufacture, listed in our catalogue at \$1,200, retail price \$640. We offer it, with stool, scarf and lamp, to anyone who will buy within the next thirty days, for \$275. This is an opportunity to get a first-class piano at absolutely less than cost. Everyone who intends to buy a piano any time at all, ought to see this instrument and consider this offer before making a purchase. The piano can be seen at I. C. Nickelsen's at any time. We have authorized Mr. Nickelsen to accept this price for it. sept25 WING & SON.

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New Schedule.
Effective Tuesday, April 7th, the following will be the new schedule:
Train No. 1 arrives at The Dalles 4:50 a. m., and leaves 4:55 a. m.
Train No. 2 arrives at The Dalles 10:40 p. m., and leaves 10:45 p. m.
Train No. 8 arrives at The Dalles 12:05 p. m., and west-bound train No. 7 leaves at 2:30 p. m.
Train 23 and 24 will carry passengers between The Dalles and Umatilla, leaving The Dalles at 1 p. m. daily and arriving at The Dalles 1 p. m. daily, connecting with train Nos. 8 and 7 from Portland. E. F. LYLE, Agent.

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