

**Time is Short  
That Present  
Must Be Purchased TONIGHT**

**Make the Gift Some Article of Jewelry**

Nothing you can give will be appreciated more, At Schaefer's you will find an assortment of suggestions that will make gift choosing easy and a pleasure.

Remember every article purchased here is guaranteed to be just as represented or your money cheerfully refunded.

**GIFTS OF TASTE AND VALUE**  
Diamonds Watches Jewelry Cut Glass Fancy Clocks Silverware

**A. L. SCHAEFER**  
Articles purchased here engraved free of charge For Jewelry of Quality

**UNION MURDERER  
ESCAPES HANGING**

La Grande, Or., Dec. 24.—T. R. Ellixson's neck escaped the noose as punishment for the killing of Waldo Perry at Union, September 11, or thereabouts, when the jury returned a verdict of murder in the second degree.

This entails the punishment of life imprisonment and forbids hanging, as would have been the case under a first degree verdict. The jury was out about eight hours.

Considerable surprise has been manifested at the verdict. The general opinion was that Ellixson would either be acquitted or found guilty of murder in the first degree. In view of the fact that the state could not bring the defendant nearer than about six miles to the scene of the crime, it was likely the unanimous opinion of the jurors that the evidence was not sufficient to warrant hanging, yet strong enough to convince them that Ellixson did the act.

Ellixson is apparently a man without a country. During the recent census enumeration he gave his permanent residence as "Nowhere," and when quizzed about his birthplace, refused to answer. That was before he was under suspicion in the Perry case. Other matters, however, which have been observed in his conversation and actions indicate the man is a southerner, though why he refuses to reveal his birthplace or whereabouts of his family is not known.

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by all dealers.

See Lee Teutsch about insurance today.

**Delicately Formed**

and gently reared, women will find in all the seasons of their lives, as maids, wives and mothers, that the one simple, wholesome laxative remedy, which acts gently and pleasantly and naturally and which may be taken at any time, when the system needs a laxative, with perfect safety and really beneficial effects, is Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna.

It has that true delicacy of flavor which is so refreshing to the taste, that warming and grateful toning to the stomach which responds so favorably to its action and the laxative effect which is so beneficial to the system when, occasionally, its gentle cleansing is required.

The genuine, always bearing the name of the California Fig Syrup Co. may be purchased from all leading druggists in original packages of one size only, price fifty cents per bottle.

**SOCIETY EVENTS.**

(Continued from Page Five.)

Linwood Livermore is in Spokane the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Tull.

On Wednesday at high noon occurred the wedding of Miss Maggie Watson of this city to Mr. Duncan McDonald of Adams, at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. E. J. Murphy. The rooms were very prettily decorated in green and white and about thirty guests were assembled to witness the ceremony which made the couple man and wife. When Miss Jennie Murphy began the wedding march, the bride entered and was accompanied by Miss Flora McDonald, a sister of the groom, who acted as bridesmaid. The groom was accompanied to the altar by Mr. Frank Watson, a brother of the bride. Little Miss Edna Murphy acted as ringbearer and Reverend Joel C. Lininger of the Presbyterian church completed the bridal party. The bride was handsomely gowned in white silk and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding dinner was served by Mrs. Murphy. The young couple left during the afternoon for the groom's ranch three miles from Adams where they will live in the future.

Messrs. Tom Burke and Vernon Vawter, members of the Oregon Glee club, were the guests of honor at a little after theater party given by Mrs. C. P. Bishop Wednesday evening. Both of the young men belong to the Sigma Nu fraternity at the state university of which chapter Mrs. Bishop's son, Clarence M. Bishop, is a charter member.

At 2:30 on Wednesday afternoon Rev. Nathan Evans of the Methodist church performed a ceremony at the parsonage which made two popular Hermiston young ladies the wives of two Hermiston business men. The contracting parties were Miss Dora Adams and Mr. Charles Holman and Miss Pauline M. Wilson and Mr. Franklin Van Cleave.

The Baptist Young People's Union enjoyed a banquet at the Baptist church on Monday evening. A large attendance was present, among the guests being representatives of the faculties of the various public schools.

On Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage, Miss Effie Leona Cummins was united in marriage to Benjamin Franklin Eckley by Rev. Nathan Evans. They will make their home in Joseph.

On Tuesday, December 20, Miss Agnes Bullfinch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bullfinch of Weston, was united in marriage to Mr. Hugh A. Walker. The young couple will be at home in Wasco, after January 3.

Mr. William Lowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lowell, returned today from Eugene, where he is a student at the University of Oregon.

Mrs. Berkeley Halley and young son are up from Portland to spend the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Halley.

Mr. Hans Collins, who has been in Portland for several weeks to re-

ceive treatment for a slight deafness, returned home Friday morning.

On Friday afternoon the Pendleton hotel was the scene of a very pretty Christmas luncheon given by Mrs. John Vert. The guests of honor being Miss Mary C. Roberts of Hartford, Conn. who is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Judd. The decorations of the table were ferns, holly and poinsettias under which were deftly hidden many little "jokes" which from time to time caused much surprise and amusement. Covers were laid for twelve. A game of bridge brought a very pleasant afternoon to a close.

Miss Louise Wise of the high school faculty left Thursday for Hoquiam, Wash., to spend the Christmas vacation with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Dodd of Hermiston are spending Christmas with Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Alexander.

Miss Viva Warren, principal of the Hawthorne school is spending the vacation at the home of her mother in Weston.

Mrs. William Slusher and Miss Edith Slusher of Portland, are guests of Mrs. W. A. Slusher for the holidays.

Mr. Tracy Baker has returned from the University of Washington to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Eleanor Redfield is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Cameron of Heppner.

Mrs. Ira L. Ray of Portland, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Falling.

Mr. Frederick Stelwer left last night for Salem to spend the holiday week with his parents.

Mrs. John Nissen is the guest at the home of her son, Carl Nissen, in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Judd entertained the Bridge club Tuesday evening.

Dr. W. G. Cole is spending Christmas with his family in Portland.

Mrs. Harry Dyer of Umatilla, spent Wednesday in the city.

**Plenty of Quahogs.**  
Those who complain of the high cost of living should be thankful that the quahog crop is the largest in years. The Canadian maritime provinces are the principal exporters of quahogs, and the total shipments to New York, Boston and other coast cities of the United States reached about 750,000 barrels.

The quahog is known to scientists as the Venus mercenaria, although it bears no resemblance to the famous female and isn't really mercenary. To the American epicure, the quahog is known as the hardshell clam.

The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by all dealers.

**AT THE MOVING  
PICTURE SHOWS**

The Orpheum.  
Excellent program for Sunday's change:

1. The Song of the Wildwood Flute. Biograph, 1000 feet long. An Indian picture which touches upon the gentler side of the red man's character, showing him as a lover and introducing some of the little known customs connected with his wooing. The ending is happy, leaving a favorable impression.
2. The Vampire. Selig, 1000 feet long. A picture dramatization from Sir Ed Burne-Jones famous painting, mous poem by Ruyard Kipling, each conceded a peer in the literary and world of art.
3. Picturesque Majorca. Gaumont, 500 feet long. This picture will appeal to everyone who loves the scenic beauty of the great outdoors.
4. Both Were Stung. Gaumont, 500 feet long. A love comedy depicting the chagrin of two young fellows who both fell in love with the same girl, but who spent so much time in their makeup that a third man carried away the prize. A simple comedy but amusing.

- Sunday Musical Program.**
1. March ..... College Life
  2. Waltz ..... Amorita
  3. Overture ..... Happy Minstrels
  4. March ..... Waupamah
  5. Waltz ..... Laura Lillian
  6. Skirt Dance. From Lutz's Barbeque.
  7. March ..... The Glow Worm

**The Pastime.**

A long program for Sunday. "Love at First Sight." Eessany, comedy drama. A college comedy with a pretty love story and numerous amusing situations. "A college boy jokingly advertises for a wife. A young lady answers the ad but sends the photograph of her girl chum instead of her own. The complications which follow are decidedly funny. The scene opens in a college fraternity house, where three or four young men students are gathered. Tom, our hero, is idling over a book, hopelessly bored. Suddenly seizing the paper he notices a matrimonial ad which offers inspiration for a practical joke. So Tom writes the following ad: "Young athletic man of good family desires to meet a woman. Object matrimony. She must be dark and pretty." Well, you want to see the finish.

"Suspicion." Vitagraph drama. This is a strong Vitagraph story with a vein of human interest and many incidents of excellent dramatic qualities. A story that will please all.

"The Fishing Smack." Gaumont, drama. One rubs one's eyes when this picture flashes on the screen, for one seems to have stepped out of the present rushing, hurrying world into another century. Even though the love story is an added feature, the beauty of the picture is in the reproduction of the picturesque scenery and the life about the village.

Four big reels for Sunday at the Pastime, the show of quality.

If you have \$1500 to loan on good security, see Lee Teutsch.

**HERE IS A SNAP  
FOR CHRISTMAS**

Now is your opportunity to secure a valuable Christmas present at a moderate price. We have just received our spring order of trunks and suit cases. The factory made a mistake and shipped these goods three months too early and in order to make room and get them off our hands we will sell them at greatly reduced prices until January 1.

**Don't Be Hopeless**  
about yourself when you're crippled with rheumatism or stiff joints—of course you've tried lots of things and they failed. Try Ballard's Snow Liniment—it will drive away all aches, pains and stiffness and leave you as well as you ever were. A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

**A Prosaic Fellow.**  
"You can get an armful of daisies for a dime," pointed out the optimist, "and just look at their bright, merry little faces."  
"What do I want with an armful of daisies?" growled the pessimist. "I'd rather have a cheese sandwich."  
—New York Journal.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Everybody goes to the Orpheum to see the best and the clearest pictures.

Save money by reading today's ads.

Unfurnished housekeeping rooms in East Oregonian building. Steam heat, gas range in kitchen, electric lights, hot and cold water and bath. Recently renovated. Enquire at E. O. office.

Lost, Tuesday, while shopping, lady's gold brooch, floral design. Finder return to Thos. Fitz Gerald at city hall. Liberal reward.

**Y AND Y REMEDY NO. 1**

ALTERNATIVE AND TONIC.  
THIS world famous Chinese Root and Herb Compound remedy has never been offered to the public before. It is a superior and efficient cure for such dreadful diseases as Bright's, Nervous Debility, Weak Vitality, Consumption, Catarrh, Stomach, Lungs, Heart and Inflammation. It is up-to-date, and no other medicine is equal to it. We compound it so that it agrees with both weak and strong stomachs, and cases where Cod Liver Oil is not palatable. We personally guarantee it to cure early and chronic cases. Most people who are suffering and miserable have weak kidneys. This remedy is prepared especially for such cases. People who have any of the following symptoms should take this remedy at once. Yellow or pale complexion, blue rings around eyes, blurred or tired feeling, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, night sweats, cold hands and feet, dreams, lost ambition, easily excited, loss of flesh, coughs, headache, dizziness, pain in chest or back, constipation, fever, take cold easily, etc.

Price \$1.00 per bottle. We want every Druggist to handle our remedy. The only genuine made by YORK & YORK CHINESE MEDICINE CO. 210 W. Main St., Walla Walla, Wa.

**CHRISTMAS GOODS**

We are selling Cheaper than the other fellow. Reason—Our Policy

**We Pay Cash and Sell for Cash**

**F. J. DONALDSON**  
RELIABLE DRUGGIST

**Chickens! Chickens!! Chickens!!!**

All kinds, sizes and colors, young and old

For choice dressed ones phone your order night before. We dress none except for orders so if you like cold storage poultry patronize the other fellow or store yourself.

**East End Grocery** Telephone Main 536  
Residence Phone Black 2661.