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Local Notes.

Prof. Paul is again with us. Go to Bishops for all kinds of pickles. B. F. Doherty was in our city Tuesday.

Don't miss the masquerade Christmas night.

Mince meat at Bishop's at 15 cents a pound.

For your Sunday dinner go to the Palace.

E. L. Padberg, of Ione, came up Monday.

Keep your eye on our windows. Patterson & Son.

Don't overlook Patterson & Son's holiday goods.

Harvey Blake, of Rock creek, is visiting his family.

Ed. Ashbaugh came in Wednesday attending lodge.

Elegant prizes will be awarded at the masquerade ball.

A bunch of keys at this office for the one who lost them.

Sam Wilkinson is with us. Perhaps it is wool he wants.

The china goods in Patterson & Son's window are elegant.

The Heppner Transfer Co. will always serve the people right.

When you buy your Christmas candy go to Patterson & Son.

Frank Engleman, of Ione, spent Monday night in Heppner.

John Busick bought a band of sheep of Oil Justice last week.

The Fair is a place of toys. Santa Clause has camped there.

The Wizard Oil Company will be here after the first of the year.

C. A. Repass, of Hardman, was a Heppner visitor Tuesday.

Minor & Co's. Christmas goods are going fast. Call at once.

Say girls, have you your masquerade suits for Christmas night?

W. T. Hamilton, of Hamilton, was in town the first of the week.

A dance given at Smith Birch's last week, was a grand success.

Fred Ashbaugh brought in a load of hogs from Hardman Monday.

Emil Scharrf, of Monument, was in Heppner on business Tuesday.

Saturday will be the opening of Swagart & McAttee's elegant saloon.

Jacob Boitzer, of Eight Mile, spent a few days in Heppner this week.

For a Christmas present, neat and elegant, go to Patterson & Son's.

P. K. Shorte, of Pendleton, paid Heppner friends a visit last week.

Stacy Roberts, a prominent Eight Mile farmer, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Isaac Ennis returned here this week after an absence of three months.

Every body talks the Christmas night masquerade. It will be a great event.

Samuel Esteb and mother, of Gooseberry, registered at the Palace Tuesday.

The Palace dinner Sunday was enjoyed by many prominent Heppnerites.

The greatest of the cake-walk artists will shine Christmas night at the ball.

Seed Rye for sale at the Morrow County Land and Trust Co's warehouse.

You are all invited to the 'Xmas tree' at the M. E. church next Monday evening.

Jeff Neel, of Lone Rock, was doing business with Heppner merchants this week.

J. N. Fordyce and Mr. Maklin were relieving the business men's wants this week.

Apple butter like your mother used to make at Bishop's and Oregon apple cider.

All delinquent in subscription to the Gazette are requested to come in and settle.

The finest lines of Christmas candies ever brought to Heppner at Robinson & Co's.

The report that Hyle Corbin and John Barker had sold out their ranches is denied.

Tuesday we experienced a forerunner of a blizzard which caused us all to hug the stoves.

J. M. Cowdrey and Evie Cowdrey, of Hardman, were in our city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lowney's Christmas candies are fine and fresh in neat boxes at Patterson & Son's.

Great meetings at Lexington. Devil howling, saints rejoicing, sinners being saved. Amen!

Christmas trees will be given at both Methodist churches and at the Salvation Army barracks.

Henry Blackman is improving slowly and now leaves his bed for short spells during the day.

Andy Tillard returned from Portland Tuesday night. His family will remain for some time yet.

Dr. J. W. Vogel, specialist for refractive and defects of the eye, will be here very three months.

Frank Farnsworth, the Hardman carpenter, was enjoying a social season in Heppner this week.

Wm. Huzbes, with Mrs. Hughes and little daughter, are enjoying a visit of a few weeks with Portland friends.

Rosco Day has sold his Morrow county possessions and gone to Arizona, for the benefit of his wife's health.

Chas. Long was in town Tuesday, having returned from Washington, where he will remove in a few days.

Miss Mabel Leezer is the happy recipient of a valuable nugget from the Klondike, a present from Wm. Radio.

Ed Cox, the popular Hardman politician, was in our city Tuesday. Mr. Cox is a man of sterling worth to our county.

The elegant Christmas goods displayed in Gilliam & Bisbee's new windows this week have attracted much attention.

B. F. Swagart, the well known race-horse breeder, came in from his stock farm this week. He reports his stock in fine condition.

A telephone line is a convenience of the near future between Fossil and Waldron. A company is formed with Representative Conley at its head.

Robert Johnson will leave for his old home in Denmark the first of the year, after an absence of over 40 years. He will be gone about three months.

We have inside information on the organization of a First National Bank at Canyon City. Many prominent local men are interested, aided by Portland capital.

Rev. C. D. Nickelsen will preach on the following subjects next Sunday at the M. E. Church. 11 a. m. "Christmas;" 7 p. m. The Oregonian, "An Open Bible."

T. L. Dorman, of Ione, came up Tuesday on business, remaining over night. Mr. Dorman like many others is enjoying a siege of rheumatism, the result of this cold snap.

At the old familiar corner, the Belvedere, a smile awaits you. Within will be found the choicest brands of liquors and cigars. Billiard and pool tables kept in prime condition.

Senator Morrow congratulates himself on securing the services of one of the best cooks in the Northwest and his diningroom service is meriting the praise of all whom board there.

Les Matlock accompanied Al Roberts to Portland Tuesday morning, where he will remain several days. Les has been considerably under the weather of late and goes on a recuperating trip.

Deputy U. S. Marshal, Al Roberts, came up to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frank Rogers, remaining over until Tuesday morning, when he returned to Portland. His many friends enjoyed his visit.

Gilbert Coats, the popular wheat raiser, paid the Gazette a visit Tuesday. Mr. Coats seems satisfied with conditions that prevail, and, like all others, will await until his crop is harvested before celebrating.

The large plate glass mirror, 20 feet long by 5 feet in width, a part of Swagart & McAttee's fixtures, was shattered in transportation from Chicago. This means a cost of not less than \$350 to the transportation company.

At the gallery of M. Galloway an enlarged group of the Matlock brothers is on exhibition. The likenesses are perfect and the picture receives much favorable comment. Those who have not seen it should call before it is taken away.

Hon. Phil Metcham, in connection with Mr. C. W. Knowles, has taken charge of the Imperial Hotel, of Portland. The reputation of these gentlemen insures the success of the enterprise. The diningroom is excellently managed and is unsurpassed.

The infant child of Harry Bartholomew, of Butter Creek, died last week and was brought to Heppner for interment Monday. The services were conducted at the M. E. church, South, by Rev. Thoroughman, in the presence of a great many friends and relatives.

Miss Edna Van Dyan leaves for Sumpter next Friday, where she will spend the Christmas holidays. Miss Edna's many friends in Heppner hate to see her go, but she carries with her the best wishes that she may have a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

The Salvation Army will give a coffee supper in their hall next Saturday night and the proceeds will go to help pay for moving and fitting up their new hall and all the friends that are interested in the army work to come and give us a lift. Coffee and cake, 10 cents. Admission free.

"Ecco Homo" at 11 a. m., and "The Greatest Question Ever Asked, Answered" at 7 p. m. at the M. E. church, South, next Sunday. Special 'Xmas music at morning service. League at 6:15 p. m., P. M. Howard, leader. Welcome for all. Wonderful times expected all day.

A card to the Gazette from Mrs. Jas. M. Thompson, written at Rhode Island, states that Boscoe has entered school at Mt. Hermon, Mass., after having enjoyed a fine visit throughout the East. At the conclusion of a visit to Boston, Mrs. Thompson and daughters will return to their home in Heppner.

While John Dupuy was dancing away the midnight hours last Friday night, his favorite cow was munching frozen potatoes. John was without milk the next morning. He now has a cowhide on the fence, a relic of the mazy dance. Bob Dexter's kennel was quieted on the meat, now the neighbors can get in and sleep.

Geo. B. Tedrowe with his wife came over from Sumpter to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frank Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Tedrowe left here about two years since for Sumpter and are now enjoying their share of the prosperity which has recently overtaken that town. They are both enthusiastic over the prospects for their city.

The Ed R. Bishop Co. have an exhibition at their store a sample of a portable pantry which is complete in every detail. No kitchen can afford to be without it. Its storage reservoirs will save its cost over again. Call and examine it.

Sheriff Newt Livingston and John A. Ambrose returned to Heppner Saturday staying until Tuesday morning. Their "escape" is yet making tracts somewhere north, east, south or west of the jumping-off place. The gentleman wore the "same old smile."

The Hyacinth remedies are a new system of Homeopathic cures for use in the family, and are much superior to any other heretofore known. They are easy to take, always safe, and very effective, 50 cts. each. Mrs. A. M. Gunn agent for Heppner and vicinity.

Something new—The Salvation Army will have a Christmas ship in the Army hall 'Xmas night. A fine program for the evening singing and speaking by the children and a swearing in of soldiers and the taking in of members into the army. Every body feel free to bring what you have for your friends Admission free.

Messrs. Leach and Johnson, the energetic wheat buyers of Lexington, have been dealing extensively the past few weeks. On Thanksgiving day they bought 9,000 sacks, portions of the crops of County Commissioner Becket, T. Anderson, O. Pierson and D. W. Smith. They report having bought over 25,000 bushels along the branch line since Thanksgiving day.

William Gilliam, the enterprising produce producer and political "nut cracker", paid the Gazette a substantial visit this week, adding his name to our list. Mr. Gilliam, we must admit, drives his logic home, and when jumped on the money question or political schemes, usually comes out on top. He is one of those left whose convictions are not kept up his sleeves.

Mrs. M. M. Hunter came up from Ione Friday night returning the next morning. Mrs. Hunter has sold out the Ione hotel furniture to Mat Halvorson, who assumes its management, and has gone to Portland and Astoria for a few weeks' visit. Ione will miss the presence of the Hunter family very much and all regret that they have severed their interests with the town.

Attorney Phelps and his charming bride came in on Friday night's train, gladdening the hearts of their many friends, and at once took possession of the cottage recently vacated by Herb Bartholomew and family, which he has changed and furnished to suit their aesthetic fancy. Coily settled they will add much to the enjoyment of Heppner society, of which they enjoyed the distinction of being leaders.

Mrs. James McHaley, of Monument, Grant county, is being cared for at St. Vincent hospital in consequence of a fracture of the pelvis, sustained recently though being thrown from a bucking horse. The injury is considered a very serious one and it will take a long time to reduce the fracture. Mrs. McHaley's body, in the meantime, being incased in such a manner that great care must be exercised in moving her. Her husband is in attendance.—Morning Oregonian.

Laid to Rest.
On Tuesday night, December 19th, Frank Rogers left Phoenix, Arizona, with the remains of his wife, arriving here the following Saturday night. A delegation of the prominent business men met him at the depot with conveyances. The remains were taken to the home of her parents, and on Sunday at 2 p. m. the funeral services were held at the Christian church, Rev. Nickelsen performing the last sad rights. The church was filled and many were compelled to remain on the outside. The ceremony was touching in the extreme, and many were the tears shed in remembrance of one whose character had endeared her to the entire community. The order of Elks, of which Mr. Rogers was a member, escorted the remains to their last resting place in the cemetery on the hill, where she was laid beside the remains of her infant child, that had crossed the river of death in advance of its mother.

A Worthy Cause.
Sunday night the M. E. church was crowded to overflowing in anticipation of hearing Rev. Nickelsen's discourse on "An Open Bible." Occupying the pulpit in his stead was Miss Hastings, of the Florence Crittenden Reformatory Home. Reciting her mission in this field, she occupied the hour relating incidents of the good work done in rescuing unfortunate women and girls from evil associations and encouraging them to lives of usefulness and happiness. She made a strong appeal for temperance, attributing to it the great burden of sin and troubles with which so many million human beings contend. She also recited startling methods resorted to by human fiends in trapping girls into dens of infamy. Her listeners were deeply interested, and at the conclusion of her lecture contributed liberally to her cause.

Epworth League Sociable.
Last Friday evening, almost the entire Epworth League of the M. E. church South met at the residence of I. N. Hughes, where a very pleasant evening's entertainment was enjoyed by them and their friends. About forty were present, and Miss Maggie Adkins, who arranged the program, deserves great credit for the success of the occasion. The evening's program was opened with prayer and song, followed later on by readings, recitations and recitals, touching in turn the sympathetic and mournful chords in the hearts of the guests. Later in the evening games were indulged in. The social was a success in every particular, and it was not until after 11 o'clock that the party dispersed. As Mr. and Mrs. Hughes had the refreshment department under their personal supervision, nothing in that line was lacking.

Christmas Goods.
Mrs. L. J. Estes wishes to call your attention to her stock of bamboo, comprising tables, umbrella stands, foot stools, seats, music racks, work baskets, etc., etc., which make very useful presents for 'Xmas. Also cuff and collar boxes, albums, scrap-albums, handkerchiefs and glove boxes, games, and many things that will please both old and young.

M'DAID-DOHERTY.
Wedding of Two Popular Young People of Butter Creek.
The Pendleton Tribune contains the following interesting account of the marriage of a couple who have many friends in Heppner:
The marriage of Mr. Edward McDaid and Miss Ellen Doherty, of Butter Creek, took place Sunday morning, December 19th, at 9:30 o'clock at St. Mary's church in Pendleton. The Rev. Father von der Welden officiated. Miss Susan Doherty and Mr. Phil Doherty accompanied the bride and groom to the altar. About 25 relatives and friends of the bridal couple came over from Butter creek to attend the wedding. After the ceremony the party drove out to Dan Doherty's place two miles from town, where a dinner was served and a dance given in the evening. The contracting parties are two of Butter creek's most popular young people and have a host of friends in that locality. The ladies of those attending the wedding, as near as could be obtained from the register of the Golden Rule Hotel, where they were entertained, are as follows:
Mr. and Mrs. Z. P. Doherty, Miss Kate Brozman, Miss McDavid, Miss Maggie McDaid, Mary McDaid, Jas. McIntyre, Pat Kainblin, Philip Hiri, B. F. Doherty, E. J. McDaid, Joseph Carran, Joe Doherty, Phil Doherty, Peter Short, W. Marshall, P. McDaid and Mr. Callahan.

WELL PLACED.
Our Congressmen Get Good Committee Places and Are Satisfied.
This afternoon M. T. Nolan received a telegram from Congressman M. A. Moody, dated Washington, December 18th, which says that Tongue has been appointed on the river and harbor committee, and also is chairman of the irrigation of lands. Mr. Moody is a member of the committee on public lands, also mines and mining and expenditures of interior department. Oregon is receiving liberal recognition, which is highly satisfactory to its members, says The Dalles Chronicle of Dec. 18th.

The Gazette is glad to see the congressmen from Oregon so well placed. Congressman Tongue was opposed by a California member in his race for the place of the river and harbor committee, but was out. For a young member Mr. Moody has been very successful so far.

East Oregonian: Miss May Swart, of Bingham Springs, is stopping at the Golden Rule hotel in order to consult Dr. Darrin on behalf of an afflicted orphan child. Five years ago she acted in a similar capacity, at that time taking the child of her brother, W. H. Swart, then of Bingham Springs, now telegraph operator at The Dalles, to Dr. Darrin in Portland. The child's sight was restored, it being afflicted with scrofulousness, a white scum covering the eyes, and had been pronounced incurable by several good physicians. She states that in a few weeks' time the scum was removed and perfect sight restored. Miss Swart's father, W. Swart, is station agent and postmaster at Bingham Springs and can be referred to.

ROYAL TIME
At Cayuse Encampment, No. 40, I. O. O. F., at Ione.
Wm. Corson, chief patriarch, having in custody Chris. Borchers, Al Florence and P. Devin, of Willow Lodge of Heppner, went to Ione Monday, where awaiting them were J. W. Becket, Lutie Huston, L. M. Hill and E. M. Griffin, of the Ione lodge, and L. S. Leach, of Hardman lodge, all anxious for initiation, advancement and exaltation in the Ione I. O. O. F. Encampment. At the hour of meeting the work began with Grand Patriarch Scott, of Edison Encampment, Portland, as an assistant.

At 11:30 a postponement of ceremonies enabled those present to do justice to a royal spread, enlivened with toasts and numerous other good things. The "wee small hours of the morning" found the program unobscured by the "God of dreams" and the festivities went on until the notes of the clarion cock signalled the rounds of the vigilant city marshal, and the din of the anvil's ring started them to a realization that the busy day was upon them. This occasion will be retained a bright light in the memory of all present.

Election of Officers.
Rawlins Relief Corps, No. 23, held their election last Saturday resulting as follows: President, Mattie T. Smead; senior vice president, Clara Mikezell; junior vice, Hannah Stevenson; chaplain, Margaret P. Ball; conductor, Emily Kelley; guard, Jennie Whetstone; treasurer, Mary Smith; Secretary, Bertha Drew Gilman, assistant conductor, Edna Willis; 1st color bearer, Ida Ellis; 2d color bearer, Belle Leland; 3d color bearer, Nellie Willis; 4th color bearer, Herietta Rhea. Mattie Smead was chosen installing officer and the installation will occur jointly with that of the G. A. R. at their next regular meeting, which will be Saturday the 20th of January. It is hoped that particular attention will be given this date, as the annual dinner of the corps will be given at noon in their hall, the I. O. O. F., to which all of the G. A. R., with families in the county, every old soldier, whether a member of the post or not, the resident ministers and editors, with their wives, are hereby cordially invited to attend. These annual reunions are delightful occasions and are always looked forward to with pleasurable anticipations by those who have been so fortunate as to attend them. By order of THE CORPS.

Visit to Lexington.
Last Sunday evening a number of members of the M. E. church, South, including Judge Bartholomew, I. N. Hughes and Prof. W. L. Howard chartered the Palace hotel bus and paid Lexington a flying visit. They went to assist in the revival meeting, which is in progress there under the supervision of Rev. Thoroughman and St. Clair, and it was long after midnight before they reached home. Every one was well satisfied with the trip.

German Citizen's Opinion.
To the Editor: Seeing Dr. Darrin is again in Pendleton, I wish to tell of the wonderful cure he performed on me during his last visit. For six years prior to consulting him I had an eye trouble and electricity of the tear duct, causing watering of the eye, and a collection of puss in the corner. All physicians I applied to told me to go to a specialist in eye troubles. I was cured by Dr. Darrin, specialist, with a slight operation and electricity two years ago, and have had no return of the trouble. I most earnestly recommend Dr. Darrin. Will gladly answer any questions by letter or in person. Box 332, Pendleton, Ore.
JACON FRIEDHOEFER.

Mr. Fieschinger is thoroughly well known in Pendleton and vicinity and his cure should lead others to try Dr. Darrin's new treatment by electricity.

PERSONALS
The writer of this met Mr. Chris. Breeding, a well known German citizen, last week. He is very enthusiastic in his praise of Dr. Darrin, now at the Hotel Pendleton, who cured his two sons two years ago, one of an eye trouble, the other asthma. He says they are both enjoying the best of health. This goes to prove that Dr. Darrin's cures are permanent. Mr. Breeding can be questioned on the subject at his residence or by letter.

Ernest Rhodes, living seven miles from Pendleton, visited the city Saturday and reports his cure as permanent. He has been afflicted all his life with kidney troubles, inflammation of the bladder and diabetes, being obliged to relieve his bladder many times, day and night.—East Oregonian.

Covered With Snow.
Saturday morning we awoke to find the ground covered with snow. In all directions about us it reached more of a depth than here. At Gooseberry about seven inches fell, while at Lexington and Ione nearly three inches covered the ground. The storm has been general throughout the Inland Empire. Stockmen have no misgivings, owing to the fat condition of their stock, and all have an abundance of hay. Last year many stockmen were feeding two months ago, and by this time the price of hay was going up with a rush. Besides, stock were already perishing. All predict that this winter is to be an exceptionally mild one, and that most of their hay will be carried over another year.

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