

City and County Brief News Items

Write Washer at Ashley's.
Screen doors made to your order at Ashley's.

A. M. Wagner is delivering some extra fine large gooseberries.

Fishing tackle for sale at Hartshorn & Keltner's.

Preaching services at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Carload of barb wire and nails at Hartshorn & Keltner's.

I. C. Smith has a nice new residence under roof in Gardner's addition.

Screen doors and wire screen for sale by Hartshorn & Keltner.

Judge and Mrs. Lowell of Pendleton were guests of the Hotel Eater prize, Sunday night.

Ruberoid Roofing, 1 ply and 2 ply for sale by Hartshorn & Keltner.

Charles Holmes, the well known cattleman of the Innaha, was in town the first of the week.

The best Washing Machine on earth is the Flyer. For sale by Hartshorn & Keltner.

Union services at the Christian church next Sunday evening. Rev. Owens will preach the sermon.

Dermine Cream, the best preparation for chapped hands and face, is sold by Burnaugh & Mayfield.

Anyone desiring the services of an experienced nurse, leave word at Mrs. Zurcher's millinery store, Mrs. A. Harris.

Varnish, stains and brushes and Lacqueret—makes old furniture look like new—at Burnaugh & Mayfield's.

The subject of the Rev. Mr. Adams' sermon next Sunday morning will be "Our Refuge." Mr. Pratt will sing a solo.

Cut out the W. J. Funk & Co. ad. for some boy or girl who is working for the splendid prizes offered by that firm.

Sol Keltner went out to Baker City, Post Falls and a few other places to spend the Fourth.

M. F. Wheeler left Monday morning for Portland and will go from there to California for the fall sheep shearing season.

Fruit will not be picked or orders received on Sunday at the Mountain View Fruit ranch, formerly the Akins ranch on Alder Slope. O. J. Ros proprietor.

The ladies of the Presbyterian aid will give a tea at the home of Mrs. G. W. Hyatt Friday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Day and little daughter Frances left Tuesday for a fortnight's stay in Asotin county. They will visit Mrs. Day's brother at Uniontown and friends at Asotin and Lewiston.

You will not be disappointed in the selection of a mid-summer hat at Helena Zurcher's, one door east of the postoffice. Everything goes a late season price.

J. R. Carter cut his left forefinger on a piece of tin a few days ago and it has developed into a serious case of blood poisoning. His hand and arm are badly swollen.

Rev. and Mrs. F. G. Foster and other members of the M. E. church the number of 28 enjoyed a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henderson on the "Island" Saturday.

R. L. Day will discontinue the dairy business as his time will be occupied for the next few months buying and selling horses and he was unable to find anyone to take his place on the milk route.

Mrs. George W. Hyatt and E. B. Wheat were guests at the Streeter-Bryan camp on the Fourth Messrs. Hyatt and Wheat and a goodly supply of ice cream went out to the camp in time for luncheon.

J. W. Bickford of the Wallowa Valley Cream company reports the sale of 150 gallons of ice cream the latter part of last week. His customers agree the cream was of the finest quality ever put out in the county.

Dr. I. U. Temple of Pendleton arrived on Monday night's stage, and joined his wife in her visit here with the many friends they made during their residence here a few years ago. A number of informal social events are marking their stay.

Miss Grace Pratt, daughter of C. R. Pratt, of Prairie Creek, arrived Monday night from La Grande, where she had been taking medical treatment. She is greatly improved in health. While in La Grande, Miss Pratt was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Brichoux.

W. B. Applegate of Paradise and John C. Beard of North Yakima were in the city the first of the week on business before the probate court. Mr. Applegate was appointed by the court as administrator of the estate of the late R. James Beard. John C. is a son of the deceased.

J. S. Mathews, who attended the Flora celebration, says it was a big success. The sports were very interesting, especially the relay races, while the al fresco play, "The Rescue of the Homesteader," was finely done and so realistic that old settlers who crossed the plains could not restrain their emotions.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kirkland left Tuesday for Endicott, Wash., where Mr. Kirkland will have charge of a threshing outfit for the season. Later they will probably go to Walla Walla for the winter. Mrs. Kirkland's health is better in a lower altitude this being the chief cause of their removal from Wallowa county.

An informally pleasant social time was enjoyed by the Knights of Pythias, their wives and the Pythian Sisters, in Fraternal hall, Friday night. After the regular lodge meeting of the Knights, a short musical and literary program was given, and dancing and delicious refreshments made up the evening's pleasures. The long tables in the dining room were beautifully decorated in red and yellow popples.

The vaudeville performance given Saturday night by the Streeter-Bryan company entertained a fair-sized audience. Mr. Streeter's musical numbers were brilliantly given, they ranging from classical to rag-time. Miss Bryan's solos were charmingly rendered and the banjo playing of Mr. Weeks was received with enthusiastic encore. The act from "The Girl from the Golden West" was decidedly clever and proved that the company is equal to stronger acting than it is producing during this summer outing. The arrangement of especially prepared scenery helped to make the act realistic. The company is gaining in popularity with each program. Next Saturday's play, "The Census Taker," is Mr. Streeter's own and is full of pathos and humor combined.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jordan and his mother, Mrs. L. J. Jordan, returned Thursday night from La Grande where they had been attending the quarterly conference of the L. D. S. and also enjoyed the dedication of the big pipe organ in the new tabernacle. The famous Salt Lake City organist, Professor McCellan, gave a recital. The principal dignitaries of the Mormon church, including President Joseph Smith, were at La Grande. The report that a million dollar temple is to be built at La Grande is a little premature, said Mr. Jordan. The matter is under consideration, and the structure may be built some day but no action has yet been taken.

MISS BRYAN AND MR. STREETER IN THE CENSUS TAKER



Scene from the Splendid Play at Enterprise Opera House next Saturday night. The Census Taker is a great play and one of Streeter-Bryan's biggest successes. Seats now on sale.

Mrs. O. M. Corkins returned home Friday night from Portland where she went with the Jacobs children. While in the city Mrs. Corkins enjoyed a visit with her two sisters, one of whom she had not seen for five years. Mrs. Corkins also called on Rev. and Mrs. Templeton, at Vancouver.

Mrs. Charles H. Zurcher accompanied Miss M. E. Church to Mouth and will visit there and at other valley points for several weeks. Mr. Zurcher went with them as far as Elgin, Saturday, and there met his sister, Miss Mary Zurcher, and the latter's friend, Miss Edith Still of Milton, who came for a visit with Miss Zurcher. The latter was graduated from the Weston Normal last month, but tarried in the Grande Ronde for a visit with her sister Mrs. George Holmes, of Cove.

La Grande Observer: An aged man of Spokane, who was en route to Wallowa county, to seek a more suitable climate, was taken so seriously ill here, that he was forced to turn back and go to his home again. Suffering with paralysis, he was unable to move. Old soldiers and members of the W. R. C. who happened to be at the depot Friday morning, provided him with roses and assisted the old soldier as best they could. The stricken man was accompanied by his wife.

JUDGE BENNETT EUYS WALLOWA CO. FARM

Judge A. S. Bennett and his partner, J. N. Sinnott, of The Dalles have invested in a Wallowa valley farm, the deal by which they became owners of the Pat Saunders homestead, four miles south of Enterprise, being closed Wednesday through O. M. Corkins and the O. R. & L. company. The farm is one of the best bargains in the valley, all clear land and under water ditch. It was owned by Carl Whitmore who received \$800 cash for the 160 acres. Judge Bennett became very enthusiastic about Wallowa county land during his stay here at the May term of court. He has looked all over Oregon for a really investment and says he saw nothing equal to the farm he and Mr. Sinnott have just bought.

ANATONE MAN FOUND DEAD NEAR WALLOWA

The body of a man supposed to be Adam Person, a junk dealer, of Anatone, Wash., was found at the foot of Valentine hill, north of Wallowa about 4 or 5 o'clock in the afternoon of July 4, by W. E. Fields. The body was lying face downward, the left foot entangled in the lines and the wagon wheel against the shoulder. The old team was standing quietly, the body not having been dragged over 10 or 12 feet. A coroner's inquest was held by Squire J. A. Cox of Wallowa, and the verdict

was the man had come to his death from a chronic disease of long standing. The wagon was loaded with cow and coyote hides, horsehair sheep pelts, 5 bibles, 5 sacks of old rubbers, 14 pairs of eyeglasses and smaller stuff. In the pockets was 85 cents in money and a card with the name, Adam Person, Anatone, Wash., on it. The body was buried in Bramlett cemetery.

PROFESSOR BOYER COMING THIS WEEK

His many friends in Wallowa county will be delighted to know that Prof. W. H. Boyer will reach Enterprise this week prepared to renew his triumph of last summer, putting on this time the standard comic opera, "Olivette." Prof. Boyer achieved a most remarkable success last summer when with a cast composed entirely of amateurs he put on the "Pirates of Penzance" in a manner above criticism, and quite equal to the production of the average traveling professional opera company. With much new and high grade material to add to his cast this summer it is quite reasonable to predict that "Olivette" will be a striking success.

WEDDING BELLS.

August Price, the German philosopher who cuts our meat according to our deserts, and Mrs. Bertha La mach of Omaha, Neb., were married at La Grande, Tuesday afternoon by Judge J. C. Henry. "Gus" went out to La Grande, Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Jacob Bauer, landlady of the Hotel Enterprise. Mr. Price returned Wednesday night, but as his bride desired to visit in Portland, she and Mrs. Bauer went out to that city for a few days' stay. Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. Price will go to housekeeping in the Homan cottage on West Main street. Gus' many friends here extend congratulations and best wishes.

Expensive Celebrating.

Too much dynamite celebrating was responsible for a broken pane of glass in Homan's front window. Some young fellows placed a tin can over a dynamite bomb in the street, Sunday evening, and the force of the explosion hurled the can through the window.

Praise This Valley.

J. R. Craven of the Goodman & Craven hardware firm at Pendleton, and his brother, J. M. Craven of Independence, are in the valley with a view to locating. They are enthusiastic in praise of the country and say its equal is not to be found in the northwest.

INCREASES BANK'S SURPLUS.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Wallowa National bank of Enterprise last week, \$5000 was

added to the surplus fund, bringing the total surplus up to \$45,000. The capital stock is \$50,000 which with the surplus makes \$95,000 or almost a \$100,000 bank.

TRAIN AND STAGE SCHEDULES CHANGED

Another change of the La Grande-Elgin train schedule Monday caused another change in the time of the out-bound stage, which now leaves Enterprise at 4:30 a. m.

There is but one passenger train a day now on the Elgin branch. It leaves La Grande as before at 8 a. m. This allows the stage to leave Elgin at 10:30, making no change in the inbound schedule. The out-bound stage has to reach Elgin by the middle of the afternoon, as the passenger train is due in La Grande at 5:30 p. m.

The announced reason for the change is the refusal of the Pacific Express company to supply two messengers. Express from Wallowa county did not reach Elgin in time to connect with the first train to La Grande, and the last train in did not carry messengers. Hence, express was held over until the next day. The new arrangement of affairs will let Wallowa express connect with the afternoon train.

ELK CREEK JOTS.

"Rain! rain! Why don't it rain?" is the general lament. The crops are burning up for want of rain. Mr. and Mrs. John Baker started this morning for Elgin, where Mr. Baker expects to attend the wool sale.

The families of S. P. Weaver, Pat Loftis and Sam Baker spent the glorious Fourth on Swamp creek, catching fish, shooting fire cracker and drinking lemonade. Judging from their laughter that made the woods fairly tremble, all enjoyed themselves immensely.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coffman went to Lewiston last week where they took Mrs. Coffman's mother to meet the train that was to carry her to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hetrick are preparing to go on a camping trip to the Grande Ronde river.

Baseball at Wallowa.

The Elgin and Wallowa baseball teams will play at Wallowa Saturday and Sunday next. These two teams played two games at Elgin a few weeks ago, each winning one.

NEVADA MOUNTAIN IS HIGHEST IN U. S.

A dispatch from Reno, Nev., says that State Engineer Nicholas announces that Mount Jeff Davis in White Pine county, Nevada, is the highest mountain in the United States, exclusive of Alaska. Nicholas also confirms the story of "The Spectre of the Broken," heretofore believed to be a myth.



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While on the top of the mountain, which he measured as 14,705 feet high, 200 feet higher than any other peak in this country, Nicholas was able to see an image of himself, greatly magnified, in the clouds above his head. A band of Indians told of this phenomenon years ago when they were scared away from the peak by the uncanny sight, but until Engineer Nicholas confirmed the story it was generally discredited.

The government has official record of a mountain in Germany where a similar condition prevails.

An Experienced Nurse offers her services to the people of Enterprise and vicinity. Address Mrs. Emily Spicer, Enterprise, Ore., or leave word at News Record office. 61f

Game Laws.

Any person knowing of any violation of the game or fish laws of the state, or of persons not properly keeping screens over irrigation ditches, are requested to notify JOE CLAWSON, Deputy State Game and Forestry Warden, Zumwalt, Oregon. 421f

Jailed for Giving Away Booze.

Guy Fleenor of Joseph is in the county jail serving a sentence of \$75 and costs and 10 days in jail for giving away booze at the celebration at the head of the lake. Fleenor was tried before Justice A. F. Shefts of Joseph who imposed the above stated sentence and further stated that the young man in default of paying his fine and costs should remain in jail until the sum was liquidated at the rate of \$2 per day.

Fleenor is also accused of assaulting Mrs. John Johnson a few weeks ago. A warrant was issued for him at the time but he disappeared. The temptations of the Fourth were too much for him and he reappeared only to get into more trouble. The new sheriff, Edgar Marvin, went up to Joseph Monday afternoon and brought Fleenor to this city.

Marriage Licenses.

July 2—L. E. Shinn, 25, Joseph, and Mollie G. Daggett, 19, Joseph. July 7—Harry T. Richards and Minnie Hayes.

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