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**Scenes at the Notable Funeral Of the Hon. Whitelaw Reid**



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**T**HE funeral of the late Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador to England, was attended by hundreds of notables when held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, in New York, after the arrival of the British cruiser Natal with the body. Marines from our own battle-ships acted as escort of honor. The coffin was carried to and from the church on a gun carriage properly guarded. President Taft and the Hon. James Bryce, British ambassador at Washington, were among the distinguished men who paid their last respects to the dead. The picture shows the scene outside the edifice and the coffin being carried from the cathedral.

**In Adjacent Towns**

**ORENCO**

The heart of the small boy was made glad by the snow which fell recently and he enjoyed himself to the utmost. The only damage done here was the breaking of telephone wires.

Quite a number of Orencoites attended the entertainment at Hillsboro on Wednesday night given by the Jubilee singers.

Peter Riedweg did not get the roof on his new livery stable in time to keep the snow out.

Three of the eighth grade pupils here took the examinations at Hillsboro last Thursday and Friday.

Several of our citizens have had a siege of the grippe. Mr. McDonald was the first to come down with the dread disease. Mr. Power was next, and even the doctor did not escape, for he was laid up several days. The doctor was not like the Indian for he built a small fire and put his feet clear around the stove and put in his time reading about Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn.

**WATTS**

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stevenson went to Forest Grove Tuesday to do some shopping. All have to go to town sometimes, even if the roads are very bad.

Mrs. DeMoss spent a few days in town at Dr. Geiger's last week and attended the Evangelist meetings.

There was no Sunday School Sunday on account of the deep snow.

The dwellers on David's Hill enjoyed some fine scenery last week. Nearly two feet of snow had fallen and every kale plant was a miniature Esquimo house; every grapevine was surmounted by an overhanging roof of white and the fruit and forest trees in their ermine cloaks made a wonderfully beautiful picture.

The rain which fell during the day and night Monday, continuing Tuesday, settled the snow a great deal.

Our mail man failing to make the Hill Saturday or Monday, and the telephone lines being down between here and the

Grove, we are living in total ignorance of the outside world.

Mr. and Mrs. Demoss visited at Mr. Kennedy's Sunday.

Deep snow is hard on the China pheasants and other birds. The pheasants come quite close to the buildings in hope of finding food.

Mrs. Knighten has been quite ill but is able to be up around the house this week.

Grandma McCoy has been suffering with neuralgia.

Rather a small school this week owing to the heavy snows.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Frost were taking a sleigh ride Sunday afternoon and called at Marion Knighten's.

A flock of wild geese flew south over the hill Tuesday and were quite low, owing to the fog, no doubt.

John Frost was up on the hill Sunday, to get a chance to slide down.

**GALES CITY.**

Miss Maude Lilly spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Forest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pierce, of Forest Grove, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Churchill.

The Wilson River mail carrier reports snow 6½ feet deep on the summit.

Mrs. J. J. Adkins gave a party at her home last Saturday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Esther Pratt. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sargent, Edythe Churchill, Esther Pratt, Tessie Johnson, Edna Lilly, Ethel Adkins, Arlie and Ethel Fineout, Guss Gean, Howard Lilly, Herb Kile, Norman Lilly, Willis Hines, Bernnie Churchill, Robert Lilly and Eugene Loving. The evening was spent in playing games, after which a dainty lunch was served. All had an enjoyable time.

Mr. Bacon, of Forest Grove, has been stocking up the people of Gales Creek with the Aladdin lighting system the past week.

Our telephone system has been knocked out since last Friday on account of the storm and we don't know how much longer it will last, as our connection with Forest Grove is completely cut out.

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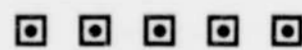
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