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PERSONAL ITEMS.

Miss Oro Wilson came from Provoit Friday to spend Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Sadie Clevenger left Monday for a visit at Roseburg. Later she will go to Portland to visit.

Miss Towslee, who has been visiting Mrs. O. S. Blanchard for the past four weeks, leaves Saturday for her home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wiley returned last week from Canyonville, where Mr. Wiley was engaged last fall on the building of the new school house at that place.

E. T. McKoin of Lewiston, Mont., is visiting a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McKoin. Mr. McKoin is on his way home from a visit at Los Angeles.

Will Scoville, manager of the Rogue River Fruit Exchange, has fitted up an office in the Exchange building, and can be found at his office there during business hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball of North Dakota are spending the winter here. They are favorably impressed with general conditions and especially with the climate.

Fred Smith spent Sunday in Merlin visiting his sister, Mrs. W. C. Frye, and his brother, Harvey and wife, who stopped off at Merlin on their return to their home at Marshfield after visiting in California.

Dr. J. L. Callaway of Independence, Ore., was in our city this week visiting his classmate, Dr. Campbell and sizing up Southern Oregon with a view of locating with us a little later.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tinsley of Montana are in the city and have been looking over this section with a view to investing. They are pleased with the country. Mr. Tinsley is a cattleman and comes here with a view of giving up hard work.

H. C. Mackey, the photographer has closed his gallery here and returned to Medford. This was made necessary on account of Mr. Mackey's having to give up his location in the old Axtell Building, which will soon be removed to make room for a modern structure.

John Hackett and family left Wednesday for Los Angeles, which will be their future home, Mr. Hackett having bought into a real estate firm there. The Hackett family were pioneer residents of Grants Pass and their many friends are sorry to lose them from our midst.

J. E. Bodge, formerly of Klamath Falls, has opened tailoring parlors in the new Booth building at the corner of Sixth and C streets. The room has been very nicely fitted up and Mr. Bodge assures his patrons that he will give them satisfaction in every way.

Hundreds of tons of iron for the new steel bridge across Rogue river at the foot of Sixth street have been unloaded this week on both sides of the street near the old bridge. It begins to look as if the contractors are in real earnest and will commence work on the new structure within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coe and Luther left Friday for Redlands, Cal., where Mrs. Coe and Luther will spend the winter. Mr. Coe, after seeing Mrs. Coe comfortably located will go east to buy goods, stopping at Kansas City, Chicago and New York. He will also visit relatives at Mansfield, Ohio, returning home in about six weeks.

G. W. Luther, of Jackson, Mich., has arrived in Grants Pass for the purpose of purchasing a fruit farm. Mr. Luther is a nephew of P. C. Bosma, who owns a vineyard in Fruitdale, and it is probable that he will buy a place near his uncle's property. He will take charge at once of the planting of some thousands of grape vines for the latter and will look after the place generally during his uncle's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stovall left Monday for Portland to spend a week visiting Mr. Stovall's sister.

J. C. Williams and his two daughters, from Grass Valley, this state, have been in the city several days. He has concluded to close a deal for a fine property in this city.

L. C. Rennick arrived Wednesday night from Homby, Okla., and expects to locate here. Mr. Rennick has been for the past four years working on government surveys in Montana and Oklahoma.

Mrs. George Sabin entertained a party of ladies at her home on Lawnridge, Thursday afternoon. Dainty refreshments were served. The occasion was a social event pleasing to all present.

MARRIED.

HILL—DARNEILLE—At Grants Pass, Thursday, January 28, 1909, Frank Hill and Miss Cora E. Darneille, both of Josephine county, Judge Jewell officiating.

AIKEN—ZIMMERMAN—At the Baptist parsonage, Grants Pass, Oregon, Saturday, January 23, 1909, Geo. H. Aiken and Miss Minnie E. Zimmerman, Rev. F. C. Lovett officiating.

Joseph Moss the real estate man, is fitting up a fine office in the Josephine hotel building, it being the room once occupied as a saloon during the wet period.

Mrs. A. H. Gunnell of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Commercial Club, has sent in an order for 500 two-year old rose bushes for persons who have taken advantage of the half price offer secured by the society.

There will soon be introduced in the council an ordinance giving the Josephine County Irrigation and Power Company the right to run mains and laterals through the streets of the city. This will make Grants Pass a place noted for its green lawns and beautiful flowers.

We have secured the agency for "Nature's Remedy" for Dyspepsia, Constipation and Rheumatism. This is sold under a guarantee. Our representative will call on you soon and explain the medicine more fully. C. H. Demaray, Druggist. 1-29 tf

The stockholders of the Grants Pass Cannery Co., held their annual meeting at the Commercial Club rooms Thursday afternoon and listened to a report of the condition of the business during the past year. The election of directors resulted in the re-election of the former board, which was composed of H. C. Kinney, G. W. Donnell, C. H. Sampson, L. B. Hall, Geo. S. Calhoun, O. S. Blanchard, H. C. Sampson, H. D. Norton and Joseph Moss.

At prices ranging from 50 cents to \$1 the new play of western military life, entitled "The Lieutenant and the Cowboy," as interpreted by Pelton & Smutzer's excellent company is indeed a bargain, for it is one of the few really high-grade productions that will visit Grants Pass this season. Opera House, February 3.

J. O. Gibson has just associated with him in the grocery business F. C. Vincent, formerly of Sheridan, Wyo. The new firm will be a strong one. Mr. Gibson has built up a fine business which proves his ability and Mr. Vincent brings to the firm ripe experience as a business man. They have the best wishes of everybody. The partnership commences Monday, February 1.

LOCAL EVENTS.

The directors of the Irrigation company commenced the week by holding two meetings on Monday and special committees have been at work all the week. It is the intention to have irrigation this year.

H. B. Hendricks moves his office this week to the corner of 6th and G streets over the new drug store, where he has rooms newly fitted up by Dr. Flannagan. Mr. H., will write insurance and transact realty business.

Capt. David Lyman will be holding a series of meetings at the local Salvation Army hall. On Saturday night the Captain will speak of "Life in Hawaii." Being a native son of the Hawaiian Islands will add to the interest of the meeting. Capt. Lyman's last appointment was Wenatchee, Wash.

You can get three pairs of Children's Hose for 25 cents at Gardner & Co's. 1-15-3t

Mrs. Mary Staples has disposed of her interest in the Manzanita Heights property, consisting of 90 lots, to Mrs. Lila Wilson, of Portland, consideration \$3500. Mr. Wilson was in Grants Pass a short time ago and was very favorably impressed with the city, and it is probable that he will have them for residents soon.

A letter just received from Robert N. McLean, now at Auburn Seminary N. Y., in which he orders the Courier and Oregonian sent to him, states that he is looking forward to spending the summer in Grants Pass, and that his brother Edward also hopes to be here then. Robert spent the Christmas vacation with his brother in New York.

The Rogue River Fruit Exchange will hold its first annual meeting at the rooms of the Commercial Club on Saturday, February 13, at 10 a. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year. The Exchange is one of our best and most important institutions as its special business is to find the best market for our fruits. It is to be hoped that our business men as well as our fruit growers and farmers, will attend the annual meeting. The good work that has been done the past season by the officers who manage the Exchange make it most important that the public shall stand by the organization. Be sure to attend the meeting.

The Old Maid's Convention, a side-splitting comedy, will be given at the opera house on the evening of February 5, for the benefit of the High School library. Tickets on sale at the Russell confectionery. 1-29 1t

The Christian Endeavor Society celebrates its 28th anniversary on February 7, and the societies all over the land will give special programs on that day. The society of the Christian church will give a program entitled "Our DamohBoys", and the proceeds of the collection on that day will go toward the orphanage work at Damoh, India. The program will consist of songs, and talks on the work at that point. The service will be held Sunday evening, February 7, at 7:30 o'clock.

Marion Palmer, S. A. Deardorf, D. W. and F. E. Jackson, were in Grants Pass this week outfitting for their placer property on lower Rogue river, near the mouth of Little Meadows creek, about one mile from the Curry county line, where they with E. N. Francis who stayed at the mine, have a very promising proposition known as the Tennessee Bars No. 1 and No. 2. The ground experts 45 cents per yard and during the development work two men will be kept busy at ground sluicing. The weather at the mine is about the same as at Grants Pass, except that it may be a few degrees warmer, but in order to get to the property the men have to cross the divide with the trail deep with snow. As soon as the new Government trail is completed they will have a good road to the property, and one that can be traveled with safety at all times during the year.

It is claimed by a disinterested party who is in a position to know, that the cause of the death of the lady at Merlin, as reported by our Merlin correspondent last week, was entirely erroneous, and that this report was started by parties who had no way of knowing what treatment was given.

A small blaze at the home of Judge Hale on C street was the cause of the fire department being called out Wednesday shortly after noon. The chimneys are built from the ground and the opening below the stovepipe hole was filled with an accumulation of soot which took fire. There was a brick missing just below the floor line of the kitchen and the blaze burned a hole through the floor. Prompt action with a kettle of water prevented a serious fire.

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The DeMoss Lyric Bards will be in Grants Pass Saturday, February 6, at the opera house. This company has been delighting audiences all over America and in the foreign countries for the past 37 years, and you should not miss hearing them.

There are conventions of all sorts these days so why not an old maids' convention? We learn that one of this sort will be pulled off at the opera house the evening of February 5.

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Coming Events.

Feb. 5, Friday—Old Maids Convention, at opera house.

Feb. 6, Saturday—The DeMoss Lyric band, a famous musical troupe of 37 years, at Grants Pass opera

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Feb. 10, Wednesday—Semi-Annual Teachers' Examinations.

Feb. 13, Saturday—Annual meeting of the Rogue River Fruit Exchange at the Commercial Club rooms at 10 a. m.

Feb. 16, Saturday—Prof. McMurray's "An Evening of Song" at the opera house.

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