

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Luke 2: 11.—"For there is born to you this day in the city of David, a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord."

Herbert Hynd came up from Ceel Monday evening to attend a reunion of the class of '29 of Heppner high school.

An interesting article on bees from a Boardman correspondent was unavoidably crowded out this week but will be printed next week.

Dr. McMurdo reports the advent of a fine 19-pound son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkinson, on upper Willow creek last night.

Mrs. M. W. Hammer underwent the Cesarean section operation at the Heppner Surgical hospital Sunday evening and Dr. McMurdo reports that both the mother and a nine-pound daughter are getting along nicely.

Considerable local matter and correspondence is unavoidably crowded out of this issue on account of 11th hour demands of the Christmas business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Goodman and baby left for Portland Sunday morning where they will spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

John J. Kelly came in from the sand country where he is wintering his sheep, Sunday evening reporting that the snow storm was general down that way.

Mr. Kelly expected to go on to his home ranch on Rock creek Monday.

While on her way to church Sunday morning Mrs. L. G. Herron had the misfortune to slip and fall on the snowy sidewalk, sustaining a fracture of the left forearm.

Dr. McMurdo reduced the fracture and made the lady as comfortable as possible and it believed that the injured member will speedily heal.

Heppner is getting its second touch of winter this week with several inches of snow on the ground and a temperature of 8-12 above this morning.

The snow and storm is reported general all over the Pacific northwest.

FOR SALE—Purebred, registered Poland China boar, two years old. Will sell or trade.

JULIAN RAUCH Lexington, Or. O. R. Daugherty, of Chackamas

county, prominent in farm bureau work, came in Sunday to assist the local bureau people in starting off the membership drive in this county.

Mr. Daugherty reported this morning that he finds sentiment generally favorable among the farmers and expects to see most of them sign as members within the next few weeks.

C. A. Barnes, connected with the Oregon wheat growers association came in Sunday on a short business trip in the interest of that organization.

The Misses Helen Barratt and Reita Neil came in Friday evening from O. A. C. where they are attending school.

Miss Violet Corral arrived home from O. A. C. Friday evening to spend the holidays.

Judge Thomas Hughes is spending a short vacation at home from Oregon where he is studying law.

Elizabeth Phelps, Leta and Roland Humphreys got home from Eugene Saturday evening.

Miss Ann Roberts has dismissed her school out at Lena for the holidays and is visiting in town for a few days before leaving for Portland where she will spend the remainder of her vacation.

Miss Georgia Shipley, who teaches the progeny of the Social Ridge district is spending her vacation visiting friends and relatives in town.

The Misses Etta Devin and Margaret Dougherty arrived in town today to attend the reunion of their high school class.

The Madras Pioneer celebrated the holiday season by issuing a 16-page edition last week, a most creditable number and well patronized by the enterprising merchants of that enterprising town.

All of which shows that getting married didn't interfere with George Pearce's ability to hustle for business.

The Pilot Rock Record came out last week with a 20-page Christmas edition carrying about 75 columns of advertising practically all of which represented the live business men of that lively little burg.

If business is bad in Pilot Rock the merchants and other business men have either not yet found it out or else they are following the modern policy of advertising most at the time they need business most.

Jesse Barton who was here several days during the week looking after business affairs left for Portland Monday morning. Mr. Barton is connected with the Columbia Basin Wool

Warehouse Co. Floyd and Ora Barlow were in town Wednesday from their Eight-mile home which Ora has been operating since his return from the war.

Floyd is a senior at O. A. C. where he is taking the regular agricultural course, majoring in animal husbandry.

Announcement was received in Heppner last week of the birth of an eight-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brunquist, of Parkdale, Oregon. The young man has been named Robert Louis. Mrs. Brunquist was formerly Miss Struk and had charge of the domestic science and art classes in the Heppner schools.

The American Legion will give an informal dance at the pavilion next Saturday evening, Christmas eve. Every ticket sold for this occasion will add a shingle or two to the community building, the legionaires propose to build in Heppner next year.

Mrs. H. C. Ashbaugh and her two little daughters left Monday morning for Pendleton where they will spend a month visiting relatives and friends.

H. V. Gates, president of the Heppner Light & Water Co., drove in Friday and spent the week end looking after his interest. Sunday Mr. Gates braved the snowstorm and made a trip to the headwaters of Willow creek to make a record of the water flow in the creek at a point where he has been taking measurements for several years.

"Some day," said Mr. Gates Monday morning, "when the city gets ready to go farther up the creek to get better water and more of it, we will cooperate in getting better water and developing water power for the power plant which will mean lower light and power rates and more and better water for Heppner and a chance for the power plant to play even and make a little money, and that will benefit everybody concerned." Mr. Gates left for Goldendale Monday morning.

Miss Bunge, public health nurse for the county went to Lexington Monday morning.

Harman & Gates, national evangelists, who have been engaged by the local Christian church to hold evangelistic meetings for them, will not begin the meetings, January 1st as was first announced, but will be delayed until about the 8th. This is a very strong team in their chosen work, and the church is anticipating a great meeting.

STAR THEATRE

Program for Dec. 21 to Dec. 27 Inclusive

Wednesday and Thursday:

Jack Holt and Heda Nova in THE MASK. A wayward fellow impersonates his twin brother to the extent of fooling even the man's wife, but "the Mask didn't" deceive his brother's child. Also the Skipper's Schemes.... Two real side splitters.

Friday:

DANGER AHEAD, featuring beautiful Mary Philbin. The story of a quaint little boarding house slavey in a summer resort; a perilous romance of land and sea. Also third episode of WINNERS OF THE WEST.

Saturday:

Blanche Sweet in HER UNWILLING HUSBAND. She had to have a husband. You could never guess why! She was young and fascinating but the lucky dog she chose didn't understand. It's a scream. Also Comedy and Pathé Review.

Sunday

Christmas night—"THE RIVERS END," a smashing story of God's country, of love and wild adventure, by James Oliver Curwood. A remarkable cast, including Lewis Stone, Marjorie Daw, Jane Novak and J. Barney Sherry.

THE RIVERS END is a story of the Royal Mounted Police a story of adventure and a story of a wonderful love. It is Mr. Curwood's finest novel.

Just the sort of a Picture You Want to see on Christmas. On the edge of civilization there are no traditions. Men meet life with all the strength of soul within them. That is why all the greatest stories have been written, not of the atrophied emotions of society, but of the virile people near the great outdoors. There men may be good, or bad, but whatever they are, they are strong.

Monday and Tuesday:

Allene Ray in WEST OF THE RIO GRANDE. A thrilling western comedy drama, a sequel to "Honeymoon Ranch"

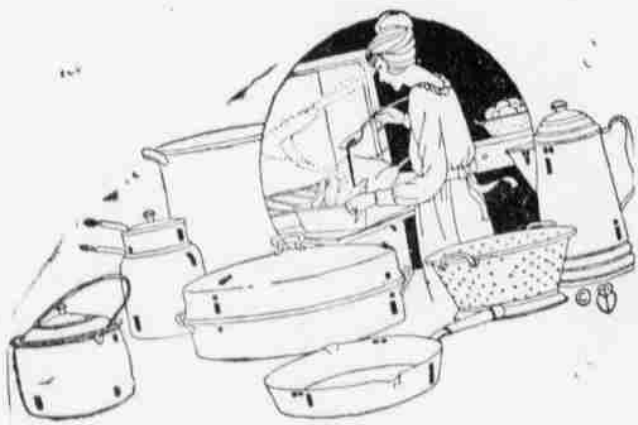


Carl Laemmle presents "DANGER AHEAD" Featuring the Famous Beauty MARY PHILBIN A UNIVERSAL PICTURE FRIDAY

Sensible X-Mas Gifts

OUR STORE is Headquarters for Sensible Christmas Gifts. Gifts that are practical and useful in the every day life of the home. Gifts that will please every member of the family.

Aluminum Ware For the Kitchen Beautiful, Sanitary, Economical. "It never wears out."



Come in and inspect the different articles and patterns

COMMUNITY SILVERWARE for the dining room, Guaranteed for 50 years.

ELECTRIC GOODS—Electric Lamps, Irons, Toasters.

Chafing dishes—Gillette Safety Razors, Flashlights, Pocket Cutlery.

Do you want to make your wife the happiest woman in Heppner this year?

Then Buy Her a MAJESTIC RANGE GILLIAM & BISBEE

The Christmas Store

Reminds you the time is short Only a few more days and the opportunity to make some one happy on Christmas morning will be gone.

DAINTY LINGERIE

Philippine Hand Embroidered Gowns or Chemise, Singly or in matched sets, \$2.50 to \$4.50 each. Silk Blouses, Camisoles, Chemise

BEAUTIFUL OREGON CITY

Bathrobes for Men Blue, Brown, Gray, in Fancy Patterns—One of the Greatest gifts.

IVORY WARE MAKES VERY

Acceptable Gifts— Brush and Combs, Hair Receivers Trays, Manicure Sets, Etc.

MEN'S SILK MUFFLERS

With both sides finished for outside wear... Bright new designs... A real gift for real men.

Do Your Shopping Now! Minor & Co.