#### -----BRIEF LOCAL MENTION

H. L. Hasbrouck, Optometrist. Go to Law, The Cleaner. Shoes made or repaired at Johnsen's

G. A. Clough, of Arlington, spent the week end here with his family. the latter part of last week.

he latter part of last week.

Truman Butler was in Pendleton go to the Home Hotel, 1 block south of the post office.

For sanitary rooms and home cooking, go to the Home Hotel, 1 block south of the post office. last week on business.

Bert Head, auto service to all Valley Born—To Mr. and Mrs. James Hat-Points; call Mt. Hood Hotel, 4421. jy6ti thorne, Sunday morning, February 18, much improved. H. T. DeWitt was in Portland over a daughter.

L. E. Taft was a business visitor in Portland the latter part of last week. J. W. Crites was a business visitor in Portland over the week end. Ned Crawford was a business visitor

in Portland last week. If you want shoes that don't go wrong go to Johnsen's.

Clifford Sifton was a visitor at Cascade Locks last Friday.

N. C. Evans was a business visitor here from Portland last week. W. B. Dyer, of the Oak Grove district, is a business visitor in Portland.

Thirty acres irrigation water under night service this week.

The newest recruit to Company 12, C. A. C. is Karl Vonder Ahe, a student

A. F. Howes visited his daughter, Miss Jessie Howes, a student of the University of Washington, at Seattle,

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Hitchcock spent the week end in Portland visiting friends and relatives.

Accompanied by a number of her students, Miss Eileen Tompkins, of the Wyeth school, visited the Hood River

Walter Shay wishes to announce that he has removed his Buick auto livery stand to the Hotel Oregon Barber Shop. d14-tf C. E. Craven, of Parkdale, who has been here at the Cottage hospital re-ceiving treatment for a broken arm,

has returned to his home. Mrs. W. B. Brazleton and little daughter, of Portland, are here visit-ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton

The Ladies' Aid of the Congrega-

tional church will meet in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon at 2,30. All are cordially invited. I have 160 acres of land in Lake county, Ore., to trade for land in Hood

River valley. See Lewis Thompson at R. E. Miller's, Odell. Mary, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Geo. Haslinger, is now attending a parochial Catholic school at Winlock, Wash.

Donald attended tomobile show.
Hood River things of its hig

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Kaesser Fri-day afternoon at 2.30. All ladies of the congregation are invited.

The members of the Thursday Afternoon Sewing club participated in a co-lonial tea at the home of Mrs. J. R. Kinsey last Thursday afternoon.

Please your wife, Mr. Citizen, by sugfor 50c, that you may avoid the worries of Sunday cooking.

Sidney Cooper, of Idaho, was a guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Dethman. Mr. Cooper had been

hear the playing of the great planist, Manoa.

Searches of records and reliable abstracts made by Oregon Abstract Com-pany, A. W. Onthank, Manager, 305 Oak Street. Phone 1521. jy20-tf The friends of Mrs. W. F. Laraway will be glad to know that she is mak-

ing a rapid recovery from a serious operation at the Cottage hospital last Mrs. Edith Sexton, who has been visiting relatives in the Willamette

valley, returned home the first of the E. H. Stewart is in Bend, where he expects to locate. He is accompanied

by Roy Roberts, who may also locate

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If your shoes have gone wrong take them to Johnsen.

Mrs. G. A. McCurdy spent the week end in Portland visiting friends and You'll get a personal invitation from Methodist for Friday evening. Keep

that evening open. C. O. Huelat was in Portland the R. W. Arens visited Portland friends vention of merchants held there.

"Where do You Live—Who's Your Neighbor?" Hear about it at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Lewis Thompson, who owns ranch interests in Lake county, has arrived here to look for a location. Eyes scientifically examined by H. L. Hasbrouck, Optometrist, Heilbronner

H. H. Lehman, of Portland, who now owns the Perry tract at Summit, was up over the week end on business. There will be no Thursday Church night services at the Methodist church

Rev. Lawrence, of McMinnville, visited the Heights Baptist church last Sunday in the interest of missions. Two addresses were delivered.

The newest recruit to Company 12, C. A. C. is Karl Vonder Ahe, a student of the high school.

Mrs. J. F. Candee, of the Upper Valley, is in Portland this week visiting friends and relatives.

Alvin D. Wick, of Portland, travel
The newest recruit to Company 12, ited the Heights Baptist church last which last which last which the latter has become famed were the following: Dr. and Mrs. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frazier, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Newton Clark, Judge Buck and Thomas Wickens.

Mr. Blythe came to the valley, where he purchased his place, in 1877. Later has become famed were the following: Dr. and Mrs. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frazier, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frazier, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frazie

Alvin D. Wick, of Portland, traveling passenger agent of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., was here the latter part of last week meeting the business men.

A. F. Howes visited his daughter,

Albert Allen, who has been here visiting the family of his sister, Mrs. Courtney Allen, has left for Holdenville, Okla., where he will accept a position with the Santa Fe R. R. Co.

A native of Pennsylvania, Mr. Blythe was in Ohio at the outbreak of the

of the apple concern. Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, of Underwood, were in the city yesterday on business. Mrs. Miller states that her

sister, Miss Sadie Smallman, will arrive soon for a visit with her. C. A. Brandes, of Portland, was here the latter part of last week on business. Mr. Brandes hopes, he says, to locate in the Hood River Val-

P. C. Jansen and family, of Lewiston, Ida., returning from Los Angeles, Calif., where they spent the winter, have been here the guests of their old friends, M. B. Campbell and family. Angus McDonald, who has been visiting friends in California, has re-turned home. While away Mr. Mc-Donald attended the San Francisco au-

Hood River boasts among other things of its highly intellectual class of citizens. This should guarantee a crowded house tonight to hear Dr. will be ist, the crest or route a falls, and the crest of t Lindley at the high school auditorium. B. F. Belieu, of Portland, where he

is engaged in the contracting business, was here last week visiting with old friends. Mr. Belieu was formerly a Hood River resident.

Mrs. Emma Taylor, formerly a local resident who for the past several years habeen residing in Crawford, Ind., returned to Hood River last week to

make her home. Mrs. Louis A. Henderson has re ceived a wireless message from Hono-lulu announcing the safe passage of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cau-Mrs. E. D. Kanaga and Mrs. J. W. field, of Oregon City, who recently Crites were in Portland Saturday to sailed from San Francisco aboard the

Mr. and Mrs. James Cram, of Prine-ville, en route home from Portland, where Mr. Cram had been receiving Mrs. A. Stewart, of Mosier, accompanied by her grandson, Jimmie Depee, was here Sunday visiting the latter's uncle, Richard Depee. Cram's brother, F. A. Cram.

An inspection will convince you that the service of the Palace Hotel, Portland Oregon, Washington and Twelfth streets is second to none. Convenient to shop ping and theatre districts, cleanest rooms

in city for 50 cents and up. J. Scarth, of Portland, spent the week end here with his father-in-law, Dr. Jesse Edgington, and family. On the return to Portland Mr. Scarth was accompanied by Mrs. Scarth, who had been here for several days.

Chas. Davis narrowly escaped possible serious injury last week when a runaway team collided with his wagon on the Indian creek bridge. But for the brake beam, which caught the breastyoke of the runaways, Mr. Davis would have been dragged from his seat on the wagon.

Rev. J. L. Hershner left last week

G. E. Gibson, of the Long Syrup Refining Co., was here from San Francisco last week conferring with apple sales agency officials as to prospects for the coming cherry crop, much of which is used by the San Francisco concern in making maraschino cherries.

F. W. Radford, who with Mrs. Radford had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Clifford C. Ross, and husband at Corvallis, returned home last week. Mrs. Radford remained over for a more extended visit. While away Mr. Radford attended the O. A. C. short

We of Hood River seldom have the opportunity to hear a really high class speaker. Let us show we appreciate it by filling the high school auditorium tonight and hang up the S. R. O. card. Dr. Lindley and "The New Pioneers," under the auspices of the Woman's label.

club.

The following friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harper last Friday evening, participating in a surprise celebration of the birthday of the latter: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kaesser, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Day, M. and Mrs. Geo. Lynn and Miss Georgia Lynn. The evening was spent in games and a delicious luncheon was served.

Seriously ill.

Emergency Clause Riles Grange

Memorials to both houses of the legislature and to Governor Withycombe were adopted last week by the members of the Pomona grange, who, assembled at their regular monthly meeting.

St. Mark's Guild will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. P. Reed from 2 to 4 o'clock. Material will be on hand and work on articles for the Red Cross will be commenced. At the same time first program of the misison study class will be on the work of the church in Japan. It will be given under the auspices of Mrs. George Sharp.

sembled at their regular monthly meeting, were the guests of the Pine Grove grange.

The grange memorials declare that the legislature by attaching the emergency clause to bills is making inoperative the referendum, and the Governor at 11 a. m. Subject, "Humanizing Christianity." Lecture at 7.30 p. m. The second lecture on "Health and Happiness." M. L. Hutton, Pastor.

The saked to veto any bill carrying the emergency cause where it is apparent that an actual emergency does not exist.

Miss Hattie Floyd, who has been stenographer for Senator Wilbur at Salem, returned home Monday.

Rumors are affect that one of the state's most modernly equipped optical shops and up to date jewelry stores will soon be at home on the north side of Oak street in the west portion of

the F. A. Cram store. Hans Kollandsrud, who recently left St. Luke's hospital in Spokane, where he was confined because of a broken leg, after a visit in Silverton, Marshfield and Portland, passed through the city last week on way to Mosier, 'where he is superintendent of the tracts of the East Hood River Fruit Co. Mr. Kollandsrud is still walking on crutches, but his broken leg is on crutches, but his broken leg i

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Treiber, in Portland, Wednesday, February 14, a son.

At a valentine party given last week at the home of Mrs. E. W. Creighton, the prospective bride's sister, in Portland. the prospective bride's sister, in Port-land, the engagement and approaching wedding of Miss Virginia Johnson and Conrad J. Seiberts, of Portland, was announced. In addition to Miss John-son the following Hood River people were present for the event: Misses Lucille Johnson, Mytle Meadows and Florence Carson Florence Carson.

### PIONEER CELEBRATES 75TH BIRTHDAY

Chris Ranley was a business visitor in Pendleton last week.

J. D. McLucas returned Sunday from a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Sylvester were in Portland the week end visiting friends and relatives.

Buy Holstein Dairy Feed. Cheapest in the market. W. L. Clark. Telephone 3141.

The newest recruit to Company 19.

Business trip to Portland.

Mrs. L. F. Henderson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Strong, and family, of Tacoma, Wash., returned home Tuesday.

Rev. Lawrence, of McMinnville, visited the Heights Baptist church last weer the following: Dr. and Mrs. J. Sunday in the streets at the Methodist church this week.

With a number of friends and comrades of the Civil war present to participate in the pleasant event, S. F. Blythe, pioneer Northwestern printer and publisher, celebrated his 75th birthday Wednesday, of last week at Twin Oaks Farm, his country estate on the Columbia River Highway west of the city. Seated with Mr. and Mrs. Blythe around the table loaded with appetizing dishes and delicacies for which the latter has become famed With a number of friends and com-

Mrs. S. E. Bartmess is in Eugene this week visiting her daughter, Miss Aldine Bartmess, who is a student at the University of Oregon. Mrs. Bartmess will also visit with her old friend, Mrs. Flora Hartley.

was in Ohio at the outbreak of the Civil war. He enlisted in the 22nd Ohio Infantry, and participated in the battles of Corinth and Shiloh and was at the fall of Vicksburg. At the close of the war Mr. Blythe enlisted in Hancock's Veteran Corps. He was a R. P. Ballard, of Seattle, where he is prominent in business circles, has been visiting Dr. H. L. Geary, superintendent of the Highland Apple Co. at Underwood. Mr. Ballard is president of the apple concern.

Mr. Blythe fdid newspaper work in

Mr. Blythe did newspaper work in Montana, San Francisco and Portland. He has an unrivaled record for fast typesetting. On the old Portland Bul-letin, working a six day week, he made a record of 93,000 ems, for which he was paid 60 cents per em

#### Hoerlein Tells of Ski Trip

Paul Hoerlein and Ned Crawford, who were accompanied on their journey into the mountain wilds by Geo. M. Kirkpatrick, a pioneer of the Mount Hood district, returned last week from a ski trip up Sand canyon to the foot

of Cooper's Spur on the northeast base of Mount Hood.
"We followed the route of the proposed new highway connecting Upper Valley roads with the snow line of the mountain," says Mr. Hoerlein. "It will be a wonderful trip for the motoroad following as it does the crest of the rugged canyonside. En route are seen two beautiful waterfalls, and nearly always the glistening white sides of the snowfields are in view. Numerous indentations form, I will predict, the sites of tuture sum-

#### Community Problems to be Discussed

Members of the Pioneer Packing Co., the first cooperative organization of Hood River Valley fruit growers to establish a community packing house, have arranged for a dinner at the Mt. Hood hotel tonight, when, according to D. L. Pierson, who will be in charge of the affair, community problems concused. A central bureau of informa-tion, that orchardists of different districts may exchange ideas, has been suggested, and tonight's meeting will probably result in the launching of

some such scheme. The dinner will begin at the local hostelry at 6.30 o'clock.

#### Davidson Hill to Be Improved

Following a petition from members of the Odell grange, who asked that the county road leading from the West Side orchard district down Davidson hill to Tucker's bridge across Hood river be relocated, County Commissioner Hannum and Engineer Hurlburt after a survey of the proposed changes, have estimated that the cost of such improvement would reach \$3,000. While funds are not now available for

#### Prominent Mechanician Coming Here

for Vancouver, Wash., where he was engaged on church work. The first of the week he was joined by Mrs. Hershner and the two have been visit-Hershner and the two have been visiting their son, Lawrence, at the University of Oregon at Eugene.

G. E. Gibson, of the Long Syrup Residence Co., was here from San Francis-Portland in the state, is now nearing

Walter Niehans, Tom Cameron and tices at the new garage repair depart-

#### Mrs. Bradley's Mother is Dead

News has been received here of the death, at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., on February 10 of Mrs. Matilda Lamon, mother of Mrs. E. R. Bradley, of this city, and Mrs. H. F. Lundy, of Portland, in addition to whom two other land, in addition to whom two other lands. daughters and a son survive. Mrs. Lamon is well known in Hood River and Portland, having visited both places. Mrs. Lamon is also survived by her husband, who is reported as

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# TALK HERE TONIGHT

The Hood River Woman's Club will present Dr. E. H. Lindley, visiting professor of Reed College, in a lecture at the local high school auditorium to-night. Dr. Lindley, whose coming is creating a widespread interest here, will talk on "The New Pioneer."

Dr. Lindley will deliver an address at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the high school, in celebration of Washington's birthday. Members of Canby Corps Post, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief Corps will be present for the event. Patriotic addresses will be conducted this morning at each of the city's three grade schools.

#### Firemen Officers in Full

At the annual election of officers of the Hood River Volunteer fire depart-ment held at the rooms of the Commernamed for the ensuing year:

Geo. Ertle, pres.; A L. Vincent,
vice pres.; T. D. Waldie, sec.; R. B.
Perigo, treas., reelected; L. G. Mor
gan, chief, reelected; F. B. Snyder,
assistant chief; Earl Franz, foreman
of Heer Co. N. 1. Walter Franz, estimates of Hose Co. No. 1; Walter Ford, assist-

ant foreman; Joe Hayward, foreman of Hose Co. No. 2; W. B. Coulter, as-sistant foreman; Hubbard Taylor, fore-man of Hose Co. No. 3; E. M. Hol-man, assistant foreman; Walter Shay, foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1 and William Bailey, assistant foreman. A feed followed the election of offi-

#### **Endeavorers Hold Rally**

With a score of young church folk here from The Dalles and Mosier, a pre-convention rally, to stimulate an nterest in the state convention of the Christian Endeavor to be held next Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Salem, was held Friday night at the First Chrstiian church. Chief speaker of the event was C. C. Hamilton, of Bos-ton, Mass., field worker for the Chris-

tian Endeaver World.

While in the city Mr. Hamilton was the guest of his old boyhood friend, Geo. Sheppard, of Odell. The two grew to young manhood in an Indiana

#### Oklahoma Man Buys Apples

The late season demand for apples is keener here this year than on any former season, and the 1916 marketing season is closing with the remarkable feature of buyers here from the middle west after fruit. J. C. Gilmore, of Oklahoma city, Okla., is here this week, and has already made purchases of several carloads of the later keeping varieties. While he is paying sattisfactory prices, the Oklahoma man's purchases are limited to the lower grades. He is also buying potatoes.

#### Methodist Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. The school is growing rapidly and wants to cele-brate Easter with a membership of

At 11 a. m. the pastor's topic will be "the Mount of Exaltation, or Altitude the Place of Power." The junior Harold F. Tucker, local young men the Place of Power." The junior who attended Mr. McDaniels classes in Portland, will be engaged as apprenmost enjoyable features of the morning service, will render special music at this service. Epworth League at 6.30 p. m. A live topic, a rousing meeting, with Miss Bessie Campbell leader. At 7.30 the pastor will deliver the

second lecture in the series about "A Man," "Where Do You Live? Who's Your Neighbor?" Good music, a cordial welcome to all. There will be no Thursday evening church meeting this week, but all are asked to keep Friday evening open for

#### Saints Church

At Saints church Sunday, February 25, at 11 a. m. and 7,30 p. m. Elder A.

#### Congregational Church

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### AT NEW ELECTRIC

Wm. S. Hart in "The Return of Draw Egan." Also a Keystone gloom Draw Egan." Also a Keystone gloom dispeller, "Black Eyes and Blue."

Sessue Hayakawa in "The Honorable Friend."Hayakawa is seen as a young Japanese gardner working for a wealthy and unscrupulous Japanese curio dealer. The old man is desirous of a bride and sends Hayakawa's pic-ture as his own to Japan, and Hayakawa is sent to the dock to marry the Japanese girl, having been told that she is to be his own wife. When he brings her before the wealthy old curio dealer his ideals are shattered as he is informed that she is to be taken away from him. How affairs are finally adjusted and the dishonorable curio dealer receives just deserts and the two lovers are reunited, is presented in an

#### unusual and most dramatic manner. Sunday and Monday Norma Talmadge in "Fifty-Fifty."

Also a Keystone fun riot. Tuesday only. Fannie Ward in "Each Pearl a Tear." Also Paramount pic-

tograph. Wednesday and Thursday Wednesday and Thursday of next week H. B. Warner in "The Vagabond

### V. M. Kolstad at the organ.

Heights Baptist Church Something doing at the Baptist church. Everyone should be interested. An institute will be held in the auditorium of the church beginning Friday evening, Feb. 23, continuing over Sun-day. Revs. Wright, Woody, Petty and Springton, DDs. and PhDs. of Portland, will have charge of the institute. and, will have charge of the institute. A prize winning contest will be given on Saturday evening, \$5 in gold being offered to any individual or choir rendering the best Gospel song between the hours of 7.30 p. m. and 8. Everybody welcome. The Dalles church will be represented by Rev. Dowell and wife, also members of the church.

### First Church of Christ, Scientist

Services will be held in Church Building, 9th and Eugene, Sunday, 11:00 a. m.; Subject: "Mind." Sunday School at 11 a. m. Wednesday service, 8 p. m.
The reading room is open daily from 3 to 5 p. m., in the Hall building.

#### **Catholic Church** (Franciscan Fathers)

Ash Wednesday, which falls this year on February 21, is the beginning of the Holy season of Lent. Next Sunday, February 25, the first in Lent, At Sames

At Sam

#### Grace United Brethren

If you earn your bread by "the sweat of your brow"—whether in the field, an office, a shop, or in a kitchen—you will be interested in our morning message, "The Ministry of Work." If the religion of the "do" appeals to you, you will want to hear, "Is this Servant a King?" The third reel of pen-pictures by John Mark, 4 p. m.

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