LOCAL AND BUSINESS BRIEFS

George Denton, of Fort Klamath, was in Klamath Falls on business last Friday.

Valentines at Chitwood's.

All services as usual at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Clothing cleaned, repaired and pressed at the K. K. K. store.

Charles Silvers, of Picard, was among Klamath Falls visitors last Friday.

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Alva Beals returned last Saturday night from an extended trip through California He reports a pleasant time.

DRESSMAKING—For Dressmaking call on Mrs Sherwood, Marple cottage.

J. E. Sullivan will begin the construction of a five room cottage on Main street which he will rent. He will build a handsome resdence later.

The Republican avoids airing family quarrels in its columns. Publication of such things does not tend to peace-making.

Big line of Valentines at Chitwood's Drug store.

W. E. Bowdoin, the job printer, has been sick for two weeks, but is reported much better and will be out in a few days.

Meals at all hours at the Gem Cafe. First class service.

Lake County business men are looking toward Klamath. They see quicker development here than in what was once apparently the best county in Southern Oregon.

Coyote hides wanted—Thos. Newton.

The old statement that a woman can't throw straight or sharpen a pencil was partially refuted Saturday. Mrs Jennings landed that bottle on the bow of vessel just where she aimed.

See Newton for Livery.

C. T. Oliver will exhibit his four-year-old Clydesdale Percheron stallion at the Lewis and Clark Fair. The animal is in fine trim and will doubtless prove a prize-winner.

The Gem Cafe and Grill room is the popular place for dinner parties.

John Hanko, a former Klamath citizen and once clerk of the hotel Linkville but who now resides in Sacramento, California, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hanks, of this county last week.

Wood for sale at the Goodrich Lumber & Wood Company. Telephone, Main 105. tf

Charles Merrill, of Merrill, will exhibit a pair of Klamath county mules at the Lewis and Clark Fair. They are the finest specimens at the age of three years ever produced in Klamath county. Mr Merrill has refused $500 for the pair.

FOR SALE—A first class new Decker & Son Piano. For particulars call at the Republican office.

The Klamath Falls Express sent up a pitiful howl last week because the Republican had the largest subscription list and secured the county printing. The Express is a good paper, but it is tiresome to see any one "chew the rag" when one is defeated in a race.—Lakeview Examiner.

FOR SALE—240 acres good meadow or pasture land in Wood River Valley, free water right. Address
W. O. Hill, Klamath Falls.

James H. Driscoll returned from California Thursday night after several months spent in that country. He says that the range in the Marysville country is better than ever before at this season of the year and that butchers are already killing fat beeves from the range grass. Grass is six inches to a foot high in many places.

For first class goods and prompt delivery service call on Graham & O'Neil. 'Phone 173.

Methodist Church—Sunday school at 10, preaching at 11. Subject "What is it that to thee." Epworth League at 7, subject "The growth of Christ's dominion." The evening service a discourse to young men. The second quarterly meeting for this conference year will be held in the Methodist church in Klamath Falls, Saturday and Sunday February 18 and 19. We expect the Rev. J. M. Sweney to be with us and preach both morning and evening.

Bring in that watch my repair department cannot put in order and claim the hundred dollar reward. L. Alva Lewis.

James Briscoe, a prominent rancher of Merrill, was in Klamath Falls on business Tuesday. Mr Briscoe reports rapid progress in farming in that section. Plowing has been under headway ever since the last freeze and a large amount of grain is being sown. Mr Briscoe says many acres of ground have been rescued from the sage brush the past season and will be seeded to grain this spring. The grain acreage will be largely increased about Merrill this year. The town is building up rapidly and rivalling the county seat for its progress and in its increase of population.

PIANO TUNING—H. E. Hall is here to do piano tuning. His work is guaranteed. References can be obtained at Ft. Klamath. Leave orders at Winters' jewelry store.

Miss Anna Applegate arrived in Klamath Falls last Thursday from her home at Klamath Agency, on her way to the Weston Normal School in Umatilla County. By her excellent work in the last Klamath county teachers' institute she won the approval of visiting instructors and as a result Professor French of the Weston Normal presented her with a scholarship in that institution. She will also assist in teaching in the college.

Creed McKendree returned last Friday from Los Angeles, where he spent the winter with his family. Mrs. McKendree stopped over at Montague on the way up where she will visit with her grandmother for a short time. Mr. McKendree reports grass in good condition in the San Joaquin valley. He says Los Angeles is building up but there are a great number of idle men there. He left for his home at Bly Monday.

Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the County Treasury for the redemption of all outstanding Klamath County warrants protested on or prior to January 18, 1901. Interest on same will cease from this date.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 26th day of January, 1905.

L. Alva Lewis,
County Treasurer.

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FIRE LADDIES HOLD ELECTION

Will Improve Service and Add New Apparatus Without Delay.

The Klamath Falls fire department met Monday night and elected officers for the ensuing year.

Considerable other business was transacted and the boys consider themselves able to cope with fire as quickly and successfully as any fire department in the state with equal equipment.

The subject of building a new hook and ladder apparatus was brought up and the general sentiment prevailed in favor of having it completed as early as possible. The money has been raised and Chief Boggs was busy yesterday arranging for the work. The local mechanics are figuring on the improvement.

It is expected to have the new apparatus ready for operation in a few weeks When completed it will contain one 30 foot extension ladder, two 16 foot ladders, four pike poles and buckets and ropes. It will be stationed at the city hall.

As soon as spring opens the boys will begin their regular semi-monthly drills and keep in practice as they always have heretofore. They have 35 members at present.

The following officers were elected Monday night:

Chief, H. L. Boggs; Foreman No. 1, F. H. Brandenburg; Assistant Foreman No. 1, J. C. Mongold; Foreman No. 2, C. I. Roberts; Assistant Foreman No. 2, J. K. Ballard; President of Hose company, Wm. W. Baldwin; Vice-president A. J. Manning; Secretary, Neil Campbell; Treasurer, C. I. Roberts: Sergeant-at-arms. H. L. Boggs. Annual election January 30.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

(Under this head any person may discuss local questions under his signature to the extent of a half column.)

MINISTER SMITH PROTESTS.

Editor Republican:—I have been recently disturbed by hearing talk about another saloon starting in our town, and wish to enter my protest against it.

We already have too many, and if, in the face of the Divine declaration "Woe unto him that buildeth a town with blood, and establisheth a city with iniquity," (Hab. 2: 12) our town board must have more money from this hurtful traffic, let them increase the license to anywhere from $600 to $1000. Let us not make it easier but harder for our young men to form the ruinous drinking habit, by lessening these evil institutions, which are keeping away the most desirable class of citizens.

It is painful to me to have to state the number of drinking places along with the population, to inquiries of good people from all parts of the country, who wish to locate in the promising west, but are thoughtful enough to inquire about moral conditions, as the training and character of their children are more to them than purely material prospects I have not yet become reconciled to hearing this spoken of as "a whiskey country" and point to the hopeful fact that if this county alone had been the determining factor, we would have a christian minister in the Legislature, instead of the present representative, as Brother Griffith had 204 more votes in the county and 35 more in Linkville precinct; and Mr W. J. Moore because of his position on moral questions had 24 more votes in this precinct and 131 more in the county for prosecuting attorney than his opponent.

The more I come in contact with the people of the county, the more convinced I am that when the issue is fairly drawn, the right will prevail, and while I do not care to get the enmity of fellow citizens who differ from me, yet if our officials allow evil institutions to increase, I shall have to use my influence to stop unlawfulness now existing and will do my utmost to make all evil institutions unprofitable, and our officers will find that the conflict thus invited by disregarding the wishes of the better element, will be more disturbing than a reasonable stand for right, as above indicated. Faithfully Yours,

W. G. Smith.

LIVELY WEEK IN SOCIETY

MARRIAGE OF MR. FRED HOUSTON AND MISS ELDA NELSON---FAREWELL PARTY TO MISS HAMMOND, AND OTHER EVENTS

SOCIETY has been busy the past week. Weddings, farewell and surprise parties, dances and banquets, Church events and lodge socials, school children's gatherings and home luncheons have kept both young and old going, and many hearts have been made happy.

Houston--Nelson.

Mr. Fred L. Houston and Elda E. Nelson were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. S. Nelson on Main street in this city, Sunday evening, January 29. Rev. Father Heinrich officiating. Mr. Will G. Houston, brother of the groom was best man and Miss Lola Nelson, a sister of the bride was bride's maid. Little Hazel Wilson carried the wedding ring.

The home was beautifully decorated in white and green for the occasion. The bride was beautifully attired in a white silk gown with white silk lace trimmings and slippers and gloves to match with orange blossoms appropriately arranged. The groom wore conventional black and presented a handsome appearance.

Only immediate relatives and a few invited friends were present. Numerous wedding gifts were presented, both valuable and useful, and the ceremonies were impressive.

After the wedding the party went to the elegant new home of the newly married couple on Klamath Avenue where a banquet was served commensurate with the occasion.

The bride is beautiful and accomplished. She has lived in this city with her mother for over two years. She is a graduate of the Sister's School of Jacksonville, Oregon, where she stood high in her class.

The groom is one of the best known young men in Klamath county and one of the most popular business men in Klamath Falls. He is a member of the large business firm known as the "Klamath Kommercial Kompany," and draws a large trade to that institution through his personal magnetism.

He was once deputy county clerk of Klamath county, and a good one he made. Everybody respects and loves "Fred" Houston.

They immediately took up their home in their new cottage on Klamath avenue.

The Republican joins their host of friends in congratulations and good wishes.

Farewell to Miss Hammond

The happy social event of the season took place at the A. O. U. W. hall this city Tuesday evening. It was the occasion of a farewell party and banquet by the girl friends of Miss Mabel Hammond, who left this morning for Portland where she will attend the high school of that city, completing the course in June.

Eighty-five invited guests were present and 75 were seated at the banquet table. To say that it was a jolly, happy, merry crowd does not express it.

The banquet, under the management of Mrs. Krause and her able corps of assistants was a feast fit for the gods. The men said it was angel food, like manna from heaven, and that it was served by real angels. The dance given in connection with the affair at Houston's Opera House was equal to the occasion. The music was especially good.

A number of young women wore beautiful evening dresses and the one worn by Miss Hammond was a dream realized. It was a modest blue silk mull and brought out her stately form to splendid advantage. She wore a historic necklace of pearls which has long been the pride of the Hammond family, having been worn both by the mother and grand-mother of the popular young lady.

To mention the dresses worn by the guests without describing them all would not do justice to the occasion. Many of them were gems of beauty and would require great space in description.

The hall was decorated with hearts from the Spinster's Convention and small hearts—red and green—attached to ribbons of alternate colors were the souvenirs of the event.

The patronesses were Mesdames I. W. Burriss, K. Connolly, W. K. Brown, O. B. Gates, J. W. Hamakar, J. P. Lee and G. W. Maston.

Among the items of the menu were salad, ham and tongue, saratoga chips, pickles and olives, home cheese and coffee.

The party closed with the medley, "Home, Sweet, Sweet Home," and the best wishes of the guests for the popular young lady through her graduating course at Portland.

Miss Hammond has been employed in the capacity of telephone operator for the past few months in Klamath Falls and her uniform kindness and faithfulness in the discharge of her duty has made her universally popular with the public.

She was already a favorite with her associates who have known her from childhood, she having been reared in Klamath Falls.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIAL.

The Christian endeavor society of the Presbyterian Church gave a social at the home of Mrs Walter Lennox last Friday evening.

About 40 members and invited guests were present. They spent a pleasant evening in music and song. They also had guessing contests in which two prizes were given to the lucky persons. Miss Evelyn Applegate received one prize and Miss L. M. Sauber was awarded the other.

Light refreshments were served which was done in unique manner. A number of proverbs were written out on slips of paper and these were divided and distributed in the audience. The persons holding the divided slips of each proverb were required to search each other out and were then companions in partaking of the refreshments. The slips brought a lady and gentleman together each time as was designed by the managers of the entertainment.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The pupils of the sixth and seventh grades of the public school gave a birthday surprise party to their teacher, Miss Elva Galloway, Tuesday evening. All of the children gathered early and presented presents and made a pleasant evening for themselves and their instructor.

The party was given at the home of Mrs. Cogswell, where Miss Galloway has quarters. An impromptu program was rendered, and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Miss Krause to Wed.

The wedding of Mr. M. M. Taylor and Miss Margaret Krause is announced to take place at the home of the bride's father, Hon. Theo. Cameron, of this city on Thursday, Feb. 2nd, 1905. Reverend Maurice J. Goodheart will officiate.—Jacksonville Sentinel.

HIBBARD--STOCKWELL.

Married at Oregon City January 19, Miss Clara Stockwell, of Tillamook, and Mr A. B. Hibbard, of Marquam, Oregon. They will make their home at Marquam.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Klamath County will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Klamath Falls, Oregon, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 8th, at nine o'clock A. M. and continuing until Saturday. February 11th at four o'clock P. M.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, algebra, spelling, reading and school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics and civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition and physical geography.

Saturday—Botany. plane geometry, general history, english literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 8th, at nine o'clock A. M. and continuing until Friday, February 10th, at four o'clock P. M. First, second and third grade certificates.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography and reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar and physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law and civil government.

PRIMARY CERTIFICATES

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic and reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology.

J. G. Wight,
Co. School Supt.

Town Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the town treasury for the redemption of the following warrants: 1135, 1136, 1137, 1138, 1139, 1140, 1141, 1142. Interest will cease from this date.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Or., this 12th day of January, 1905.

J. [illegible] Siemens, Town Treasurer.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Klamath County.

George Von L Meyer, plaintiff, vs. Quincy A. Brooks and Lizzie Brooks, defendants. Action at law to recover money.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out of the above entitled court and cause on the first day of February, A. D. 1905, upon a judgment and order of sale duly made and entered of record in said court and cause on the 15th day of November, 1896, in favor of the above named plaintiff George Von L. Meyer and against Quincy A. Brooks and Lizzie Brooks and each of them for the sum of $372.78 with interest thereon from the 21st day of November, 1896, at the rate of eight per cent per annum together with plaintiff's costs and disbursements taxed at $93.50.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution and order of sale I will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand on

SATURDAY, THE 11th DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the town of Klamath Falls, Oregon, the following described property, as the property of said defendants Quincy A. Brooks and Lizzie Brooks, to-wit: All of Blocks 71, 72, 73, 86 and 87 in Klamath Addition to the town of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, state of Oregon, together with the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging, and will apply the proceeds of said sale in satisfaction of said judgment and accruing costs.

Witness my hand at Klamath Falls, Klamath County, State of Oregon, this 2nd day of February, 1905.

Silas Obenchain,
Sheriff of Klamath County, Or.

MONSTER CLEARANCE SALE

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12½ ct Flannelette	10 cts	6.50 Cloaks	4.50
45 ct Eiderdowns	30 cts	6.00 Cloaks	4.00
30 ct Swansdown	20 cts	5.00 Cloaks	3.50
20 ct Fleece Back Waistings	15 cts	8.00 Skirts	6.50
60 ct Albatross	45 cts	7.00 Skirts	5.00

$6.00 Shirt Waists	$4.00
4.50 Shirt Waists	$3.00
4.00 Shirt Waists	2.75
3.00 Shirt Waists	2.25
3.50 Ladies Sweaters	2.00
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