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Rev. G. S. WILSON, Pastor.

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Rev. FATHER KELLY, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Regular Church services are held at the 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 13th, 15th, 17th, 19th, 21st, 23rd, 25th, 27th, 29th, and 31st of each month. All are cordially invited to attend.
Rev. H. C. MOTER, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

MASONIC—Bonners Ferry Lodge, No. 44, A. F. & A. M., holds stated meetings the last Wednesday evening of the month on or before a full moon. Separating Master Masons qualified are fraternally invited to visit.
HESEY MELBER, Secretary.

ODD FELLOWS—Clifford Lodge, No. 36, I. O. G. T., meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers fraternally invited. S. M. BAYKIN, N. G. W. H. VALDEN, Secretary.

REBEKAH DEGREE, I. O. O. F.—Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 43, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Rebekahs cordially invited. Miss Mabel McVane, N. G. Mrs. S. D. Taylor, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Acme Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., meets in Pythian Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Knights always welcome. L. F. BOYKER, C. C. E. L. LITTLE, R. of A. S. Secretary.

RATHBONE SISTERS—Crescent Temple No. 34, meets every other Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Visiting members invited. Mrs. E. L. LITTLE, N. G. C. Miss Frances Smith, N. G. of R. S. C. Secretary.

ENCAMPMENT I. O. O. F.—Kootenai Camp No. 25, I. O. O. F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited. M. L. MEDBURY, C. P. W. S. CURTIS, Scribe.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES—Kootenai Tent, No. 27, K. O. T. M., meets every alternate Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting ladies always cordially invited. Miss Jane Ebert Emery, Lady Commander. Miss EVELYN LAYTON, Honorary Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES—North Star Lodge, No. 16, L. O. T. M., meets every alternate Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting ladies always cordially invited. Miss Jane Ebert Emery, Lady Commander. Miss EVELYN LAYTON, Honorary Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA—North Star Camp, No. 556, M. W. A., meets in Woodmen Hall every Monday evening. Visiting neighbors always welcome. W. W. FERRIS, V. C. E. L. LITTLE, V. C.

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REPEAL TIMBER AND STONE ACT

Congress will make quick Work of Passing a Repeal Law.

Special Correspondence to the Herald.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Without a doubt the timber and stone act will be repealed at this session of Congress. A determined effort was made last year to repeal this law, and a bill to that effect passed the Senate but it was defeated in the House. The land frauds in Oregon and other western states seem to have convinced the members of both houses of Congress that the timber and stone act is repealed, the land frauds will be put an end to. The timber and stone act is believed by many to be a good law and not the cause of frauds, and this was urged against a repeal of the measure last year, but the recent startling discovery of frauds in several of the states has knocked the bottom out of this argument, and it is only a question of a short time until the law will be repealed.

IMPORTANT CAPTURE

Alfred Hampton, Inspector in charge of the District of Montana and Idaho, and C. K. Andrews, Immigration Inspector at this place, were visitors at the Herald office last Tuesday, having just returned from Rathdrum, where they had successfully prosecuted the cases against the 14 Chinamen arrested by Inspector Andrews on a charge of unlawful entry into this country. Twelve of the fourteen Chinamen were found guilty. Of the twelve, eleven were ordered deported, and one, Toy Wing, was bound over to the federal grand jury. The officers were very much elated over the outcome of the trials, particularly as it related to Toy Wing, who is an old offender, having been deported three times, and who has given officials no end of trouble.

The Immigration Committee, he will be able to do much to prevent a repeal of the Chinese Exclusion Law. And as a member of the committee on Public Lands, he will be better able to look out for the interests of the state in connection with all land matters that may come up. A great many members were after these places, and it was a great surprise to some of them that French was Uncle Joe's choice. A bill has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Heyburn providing for the granting of 150 additional sections of public land to the State of Idaho for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the State Capitol. When Idaho was admitted she only received 32,000 acres of land for State capitol purposes, while Montana received 132,000 acres, Washington 132,000 acres, Wyoming 107,000 acres, and Utah 64,000 acres for the same purpose. Idaho is now constructing a capitol building that will cost about \$1,500,000, and in order for the General Government to treat Idaho as fairly as her sister states, she should have an additional appropriation of public land.

Hampton told the following facts learned: Toy Wing has been identified as an escaped convict of the Idaho penitentiary and has a record of crime extending back 22 years. It commenced in Boise in 1883, when he assaulted and robbed an aged Chinese couple in that city, for which crime he was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary. After serving a little less than a year he escaped and successfully eluded the officers. He is believed to be the same Chinaman who robbed an aged Chinawoman in Wyoming and served a term in the Wyoming prison. He was next heard of along the British Columbia-Idaho border where for years he has been doing business in the capacity of smuggling his countrymen across the line into this country. He has been captured and deported three times, but this is the first time the immigration officers caught him "dead to rights", and he is not likely to give any more trouble for years to come. For aiding and abetting his countrymen to unlawfully enter this country he is subject to a term in prison and a heavy fine. But should the federal grand jury turn him loose, the State of Idaho would probably require him to return and serve out his sentence, at the end of which time the federal authorities would again step in and see that he was deported. Connected with Toy Wing's capture there is a little romance that indicates that robbery and smuggling were not the worst of his crimes. Found with him when he was captured was a Chinese girl whom he claimed as his wife, making wife No. 2 living in this country, from a No. 3 back in China. From information obtained by the officers it was very evident that he was aiming to reach one of the big coast cities where he could sell the girl into slavery, and where, it is learned, she would command the sum of \$1000. Toy Wing had married her in China, after the Chinese custom, had compelled her to ship with him as a stow-away on the vessel, and then trudge along through Canada with him in the disguise of a Japanese boy. Inspector D. H. Andrews had been on the look-out for the pair since the 19th of September. Toy

Wing passed through Bonners Ferry on that date, on his way to British Columbia. Inspector Andrews rounded him up at that time, but he produced a native-born certificate and was allowed to pass on. Toy Wing was then traveling under the name of Lee Henry. The Inspector later became suspicious but Wing succeeded in getting across the line. The Inspector learned enough, however, to know that the scoundrel was going a ter the woman, and figured correctly that he would soon be back. It was nearly a month before his watching was rewarded. Sure enough one dark night a band of Celestials showed up at the Kootenai Valley Railway bridge to cross the river. Inspector Andrews waited until they came across and climbed down from the high trestle when he "surrounded them", and they were taken so completely by surprise that no trouble was experienced in effecting their capture. Among the bunch of eight taken in on that night was the notorious Toy Wing and the woman, Ah On. Inspector Andrews was not aware at the time what an important capture he had made, but this does not detract in the least from the laurels to which he is entitled for placing Toy Wing where he will do no more harm.

Mr. Hampton, Inspector in charge, left no stone unturned to collect the evidence necessary to convict the hinamen. One official was sent all the way to San Francisco to investigate some of the bogus claims of the Celestials. The convictions should have a salutary effect in deterring others from unlawfully entering this country. It may be of local interest to know that "old Jake", the gardener, living on the McLaughlin ranch, was one of the two lucky ones who were liberated.

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Now is the time to buy, while Prices are Low. Bonners Ferry is growing and will continue to grow. Look over my list if you want a home in a healthy climate. Or do you want to make a good investment? Look over my Bargains in

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Buy a lot in Riverside Addition, now is the time, and build you a house. I will sell for twenty days lots in Riverside addition for \$50.00 on installment plan, \$10.00 down and \$10.00 per month. The Corbin depot is only one Block from these lots, you will never buy them cheaper.

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Will make a fine home. 3-4 of an acre of land; 3-room house, cellar, Ice house, Barn. All fenced. Price \$750.

Do not pay rent when you can buy a home for \$300. 1-4 acre of land fenced, and 4-room house for \$300.

Heavy Holiday Shopping.

The merchants of Bonners Ferry have all made heavy holiday sales. A feature of the trade has been the early buying. People commenced shopping for the holidays three weeks ago, and a large part of the goods had been sold when the stores closed for business on Saturday of last week. Several of our merchants sent in rush orders to Spokane and brought in a second stock. It is safe to say that when the stores close tonight, there will not be much left for old Santa to distribute. The local postoffice and the express office have done a flourishing business in forwarding presents. The entire country is phenomenally prosperous, and Bonners Ferry and vicinity has had her full share.

For fresh Fruits, Oysters and Candies go to the Crescent Store.

For SALE Fine, full blooded Brown Leghorn cockrels, at \$1.00 each.
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Special Sale.
We have placed on sale Seventy-five Boys' Suits at \$1.75 per suit. These suits are dark colored and winter weights and are sold everywhere at \$2.75 to \$4.25. Our price your choice at \$1.75.—Bonner Mercantile Co.

Five Dollars Reward.

For the return of a lost pocket-book, supposed to have been lost between Bonners Ferry and the top of the Fry hill, on Monday, Dec. 18. Pocketbook was ladies' style, chain handle, alligator skin, and brown or yellow color. Contained about \$15.00 in cash, and a ladies' plain handkerchief. Five Dollars reward will be paid for its return with the money. Apply to, Mrs. PETE PARKER, P. O. Box 153, Bonners Ferry.

--The C. C. is the leading family Grocer.

NOTICE OF ESTRAY SALE.

One Bay Mare, about 6 years old, weight between 600 and 700 lbs, right hind foot white, white spot on forehead, no brands. Said animal will be sold to the highest bidder, as provided by law, at Naples, Idaho, Jan. 17, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. Any party claiming said animal must prove ownership and pay all damages and costs to the undersigned, before the date of this sale.
L. LENEX, Constable, Naples, Idaho.

--Watch the crowds go to Hollinger's store. He has the goods that attract.

--The public school held Christmas exercises yesterday. A program suitable to the occasion was carried out. There was a Christmas tree, and old Santa Claus appeared in all his glory.

--Don't forget that the K. T. Co. carry a full line of Rubbers, Shoes, Hats, etc. Drop in and see them, when you want something serviceable.

You'll have to hurry for the good things are going fast at Moore's.

Lots for Sale.
Lots No. 5, 9, and 10; 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, in Block Nine (9), Town of Eaton. Address, JAMES GRAHAM, Cour d'Alene, Idaho.

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