

STEWARD'S OPERA HOUSE
D. H. STEWARD, Proprietor and Mgr

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 11

THE **Seasons'**
Big Event

Maude Fealy

Management of John Court

IN
THE
ILLUSION OF BEATRICE

A new modern comedy in four acts
By Martha Morton Conheim

Metropolitan Cast of Players
Complete Scenic Production

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We take this plan in order to give you the chance for a careful inspection of prices at home, to compare with prices you have seen or heard about in the well advertised sales in La Grande. On Monday, Nov. 12, we concluded to sell our entire \$10,000 stock at absolute cost, and sent out printed posters to that effect. Our sale has been a perfect success, notwithstanding the bad weather, we have sold \$2500 in goods and you would hardly miss the goods by looking at our shelves. We have no line yet broken, our goods are all new and up to date. We have no shelf worn goods.

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TONIGHT

Recognizing the tendency of the times to cheapen prices for sensible healthy amusements, the managers of the "Uncle Josh Spruceby" company which appears at Steward's Opera House, have decided to appear this season at 25, 50 and 75 cent prices. The wisdom of this move appears to have been justified by the packed houses that greet the company everywhere. The play is an enjoyable New England comedy drama, and for the past nine years has appeared only at regular prices all over the country. Special scenery the great saw-mill scene the big operatic orchestra, and a first-class company are still carried and no attempt has been made to cheapen the attraction on account of playing at popular prices.

A RARE TREAT

The production of Martha Morton's new comedy, "The Illusion of Beatrice" by the youngest dramatic star on the American stage, Miss Maude Fealy, will be one of the most important events of the present season.

Miss Fealy and her superb company



will be seen at Steward's opera house Tuesday, Dec. 11, and a large and fashionable audience is looked for on that occasion. In "The Illusion of Beatrice," Miss Fealy has a role that is exactly suited to her girlish and fascinating temperament. She has been accorded high honors in this play in all the cities where she has been presented this season, by her manager, John Court, who has spared no expense in placing Maude Fealy before the public in a manner worthy of her exceptional ability.

TWO CONCERTS IN SPOKANE

Portland Contralto Delights Washington Audience

The Ladies Matinee Musical Club of Spokane engaged Mrs. Walter Reed of Portland, says the Oregonian, for two evenings of song, the event being highly successful from an artistic standpoint. On the first evening she assisted at an operatic concert consisting of scenes from various operas given in costume. The second evening made a still heavier demand upon her powers.

The Spokesman Review says: The song recital given by Mrs. Walter Reed of Portland under the auspices of the Ladies Matinee Musical last evening was one of the bright particular musical events of a season of good things. The songs are arduous but wholly delightful program and the more she sang the stronger did her work and her personality appeal. There were sixteen numbers of her program, and they included Scotch, English, French, German and Spanish compositions. The spirit of them all, often touching entirely different chords of sentiment and calling for different treatment, was expressed with sympathetic understanding and excellent vocal style.

"In the brighter numbers like the God-rad Morcans and "The Chivalier Belle Estelle, (Augusta Holmes) Mrs. Reed was at her best finding happy expression in sunshiny moods. In the more characteristic ballad forms she was also at home, having ample sentiment for all she sang. Nor did the other numbers lack. The delightful Scotch numbers were charmingly sung and the familiar Irish folk song (Footie) was a gem."

Mrs. Walter Reed is the best known contralto on the Pacific Coast. Has studied under the best masters in America and Europe, and her lovely voice and splendid method win her approbation and applause wherever she sings.

EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY

Business lots in the nearest block to the George Palmer Lumber Company's large saw mill, due east of the mill. This block 12, Ryneason's Addition to the town of La Grande. Remember this is not only the nearest, but almost the only block suitable for business purposes. I will sell you a lot, or sell you a lot and build you a business house on the installment plan, or build a business house and rent it to you. Remember there is a nice grove and the finest soil. Do not miss this opportunity. If you want the best place for a summer resort along side of the sparkling waters of beautiful Grande Ronde river, I will sell you block No. 7. This is the best chance to make a swimming pool and a fish pond. I do not mean a fishing pond for commercial purposes. Now the Palmer Lumber Company will employ one hundred and fifty people the year through. This number of families and the surrounding neighbors will easily keep up a good store. Regarding the resort, La Grande people will keep that up. There is a good road to it. If you own the ground, no crank can come along and run your business, except the boys you want.

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