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Monday, Sept. 21

WITH

Cloninger's Ideal Repertoire Co

IN

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Three Nights Engagement

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OCTOBER 12, 1908.

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Wm. Shakespeare's Famous
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Ladies' souvenir matinees
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Program:

Rescued from the Eagle's
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"Jeannie Lee."
The Renegade.

Lavelle Trio, in Latest Songs.

Breaking into Society; the
Latest Craze.

THE SCENIC

COFFEE

Why doesn't your grocer moneyback everything?

"Can't get the goods or the money."

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like his goods. Best we pay him.

McDonald is Chairman.
Walla Walla, Sept. 20.—Mordo McDonald was elected chairman of the republican county central committee at a meeting held Saturday afternoon in the court room at the county court house. Other officers are Walter L. Cadman, secretary; Oliver T. Cornwell, state committeeman, and A. A. King, treasurer.

GRANGE ASKS NEW LAWS

That the granges of the state will prepare and present to the next legislature a set of bills which will, if adopted, divide the state into senatorial and representative districts, eliminating the county representation, as a county, and which will kill the Johnson scheme of bonding the county for the promulgation of good roads. Inserting in its stead one which will reach the same end by another path. Is the outcome of a meeting of the state grange legislative committee, which C. D. Huffman attended at Salem last week. He returned last evening and announces that the granges of the state want the state divided into districts, 30 senatorial and 30 representative districts, doing away with the county representation as a county. They believe this to be the better plan and will use all righteous means to further their belief and have it enacted into law.

Another matter which was discussed and plans formulated for, was the matter of good roads. Like every other sect or body in the state, the granges realize the vast importance of good roads, but they do object to the pending legislation for a bill making it possible to bond each county for road building. They want to build roads and pay for them as they go, by direct taxation or by liberal application of the road fund. If the county can pay for but one mile a year, this one mile is all that should be built. If five miles, then that amount of road improvement. Without a doubt a few granges have much logic to their reasoning in these two phases of requested legislation, and they will promote their special requests with vigor.

Fruit Prospects Good.

As county fruit inspector, Mr. Huffman paid special attention to fruit conditions in the Willamette valley, and he comes home confident that the local crop will be moving smoothly before Christmas. Though too early to estimate a price, it is possible, however, to state that the markets will be lively and active before the holidays.

BOX FACTORY MAN ARRIVES

An expert box factory superintendent, in the person of J. W. Dale of Clouquet, Minn., is in the city and will make this his future home. He will have supervision of the box factory at the George Palmer Lumber company's new factory. The machinery for this industry will arrive in two weeks it is expected, and it will be set up and put in running order as soon as possible after that. It is not expected that the factory will be producing box material this season for local consumption, but that it will be running and laying in stock for next year, is the announcement made. Mr. and Mrs. Dale expect their furniture to arrive in five or six weeks and at that time they will either rent or buy a house.

RECHLIN WINS

Some exciting races were run off at the Coliseum rink Saturday night. There were three of them and the last one especially was full of ginger. The racing card opened with a pursuit race between two little fellows and Syd Mack won from Willie Gavitt. The next affair was between "Rube" Zweifel and Rechlin for a side bet, in which the latter was an easy winner. The third event was between Rechlin and Beagle, and the latter, who is an expert on rollers, had some difficulty in catching the opponent. Dancing followed the racing and skating, and was largely attended.

The campers out at Salem need blankets these nights.

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GRAND OPENING OF RICH FRUIT LAND UNDER THE CAREY ACT

15,000 acres of the most fertile land in the State of Idaho will be thrown open for settlement under the Carey Act on

OCTOBER TWELFTH

This tract is on the south bank of the Snake river, on the main line of the Oregon Short Line Railway, eight miles east of Glenn's Ferry, a division point on that road. The choosing of the land will be under the supervision of the State Land Board of Idaho. Location unexcelled, with the very best trans-continental transportation facilities and closest markets. Climate uniform; no extreme heat or cold. Lots of sun. Water is perpetual and a great surplus provides enough for 50,000 acres and 10,000 horse power besides. Soil is a volcanic ash, decomposed lava and vegetable mould. None better for fruits, alfalfa and sugar beets.

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