

AMUSEMENTS



Harry Cramer, Club Juggler and Hoop Roller at the Pastime This Week.

Ready for Business.

The scenic array of vaudeville attractions which will reopen that playhouse tonight after a week's vacation, is such that an hour spent there before attending the Charles B. Hanford production will be well filled with delight and entertainment. "The Dog Catcher" will be a good number for the people in it bring praise from many winds. The show starts sufficiently early to permit visitors there to attend "The Merchant of Venice" later.

Manager Gardiner wasted but few moments today in preparation for the opening tonight. The seats will have been returned to their places before time for the first curtain tonight. See the house ad for particulars of the program.

Hanford Has Come.

Charles E. Hanford, Miss Marie Drafsh and the capable company supporting these two stars in "The Merchant of Venice," arrived in the Hanford special car this morning from the west. They will open their performance at the Steward this evening. The arrival of Charles E. Hanford in La Grande each year marks the apex of theatrical attractions. He is as familiar to school boys as to the most ardent follower of local theatricals, and the rapid sale of seats bears out the statement previously made that "The Merchant of Venice" will prove a big feature. Many have seen Mr. Hanford before, but few have witnessed his work as "Shylock." That opportunity will be presented tonight. A few seats in the rear of the building remain untaken.



Lu Seba Polmatier, Directress and Leader With the Polmatier Sisters.

Pastime Theater.

The first appearance here of Orton and Leota, a versatile comedy sketch team, presenting three distinct acts this week, viz: "Jimmy Gas," eccentric comedy; "I'm Glad I'm Married," Dutch comedy; "Regan's Visit," Irish comedy. Introducing Buster Brown and unique specialties. In conjunction with above Harry Cramer, club juggler and hoop roller, par excellence, assisted by Lem and Clem. The above people packed the Grand theater in Pendleton all last week.

The work of Harry Cramer is altogether different to anything seen in La Grande before.

Polmatier Sisters March 29.

The Polmatier Sisters' Orchestra & Concert company will appear again in La Grande at the First Baptist church Monday, March 29, under the auspices of the above society. These sisters made a wonderful hit in this city two years ago, when they played for the Commercial club. They have a rare treat for the citizens of La Grande this season, for their programs are 100 per cent better than ever, for they have added more instruments to their list. Beautiful new costumes and also scenic and electrical equipment, entirely new and up-to-date programs. In fact, the Polmatier sisters claim there is nothing too good for them, and they have given the best that can be produced in their line. These programs are varied with orchestra, mandolin orchestra, soprano, trio and chorus singing of a high class. And Miss Lu Seba always makes a decided hit in her artistic, spirited and natural readings, and this is one of the many enjoyable numbers on the program. These sisters not only solo on one instrument, but are artists on a number, viz:

Lu Seba—Directress—Violin, mandolin, alto, reader.
Helene E.—Cornet, mandolin, second soprano.
E. Phyllis—Trombone, cello, solo soprano.

E. Pauline—Piano, clarinet, guitar.
Ina K.—Drums and traps.
Boehm—Flute, mandolin, assisted by David, piano.

Ina K. is also an artist on the xylophone and bells. One can see at a glance what a fine combination these sisters have, and no wonder they hold their audience spellbound, for they each have a natural born talent for the instruments they have chosen. There is that harmony and sympathy throughout their program that is seldom if ever found elsewhere.

Those who attend this grand treat will be pleased for they have the gift and know how to please all.

The Wenatchee World says: Every member of the program is worth the price of admission. They are making a noted hit this season, and come to us endorsed by noted critics from all parts of the United States and Canada.

TROUBLE IN STORE.

Disregard for Fire Ordinance Will Lead to Trouble for Many.

Unless more attention is given the ordinance which became effective last Saturday prohibiting fires in alleys, the law will be exercised in the near future. According to the ordinance in question, it becomes necessary to secure a permit from Fire Chief Joe Jones. Burning of rubbish comes under the ban of the new ordinance except by permit.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,

La Grande, Oregon, March 9, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that the state of Oregon has filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the act of congress of August 14, 1848, and acts supplementary 3-12-19-26; 4-2-9-16

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land or for any other purpose to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the 19th day of April, 1909.

F. C. BRAMWELL,
Register.

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School District Bond Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that at a school meeting of school district No. One, of Union county, Oregon, to be held at High School building in said district, on the 27th day of March, 1909, there will be submitted to the legal voters of said district the question of contracting a bonded debt of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting and equipping a high school building, the vote to be by ballot, upon which shall be the words, "Bonds—Yes," and the words, "Bonds—No."

Polls to be opened at 1 o'clock p. m. and remain open until 4 o'clock p. m.

By order of the board of directors of school district No. One, of Union county, Oregon.

Dated this 5th day of March, A. D. 1909.
ARTHUR C. WILLIAMS,
DAVID BAY, Clerk,
Chairman.

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