

"A GIRL AT THE HELM"

MUSICAL COMEDY WILL TAKE PLACE THIS EVENING.

Portland Journal Gives Prize to Show That Will Appear Here At the Steward Tonight.

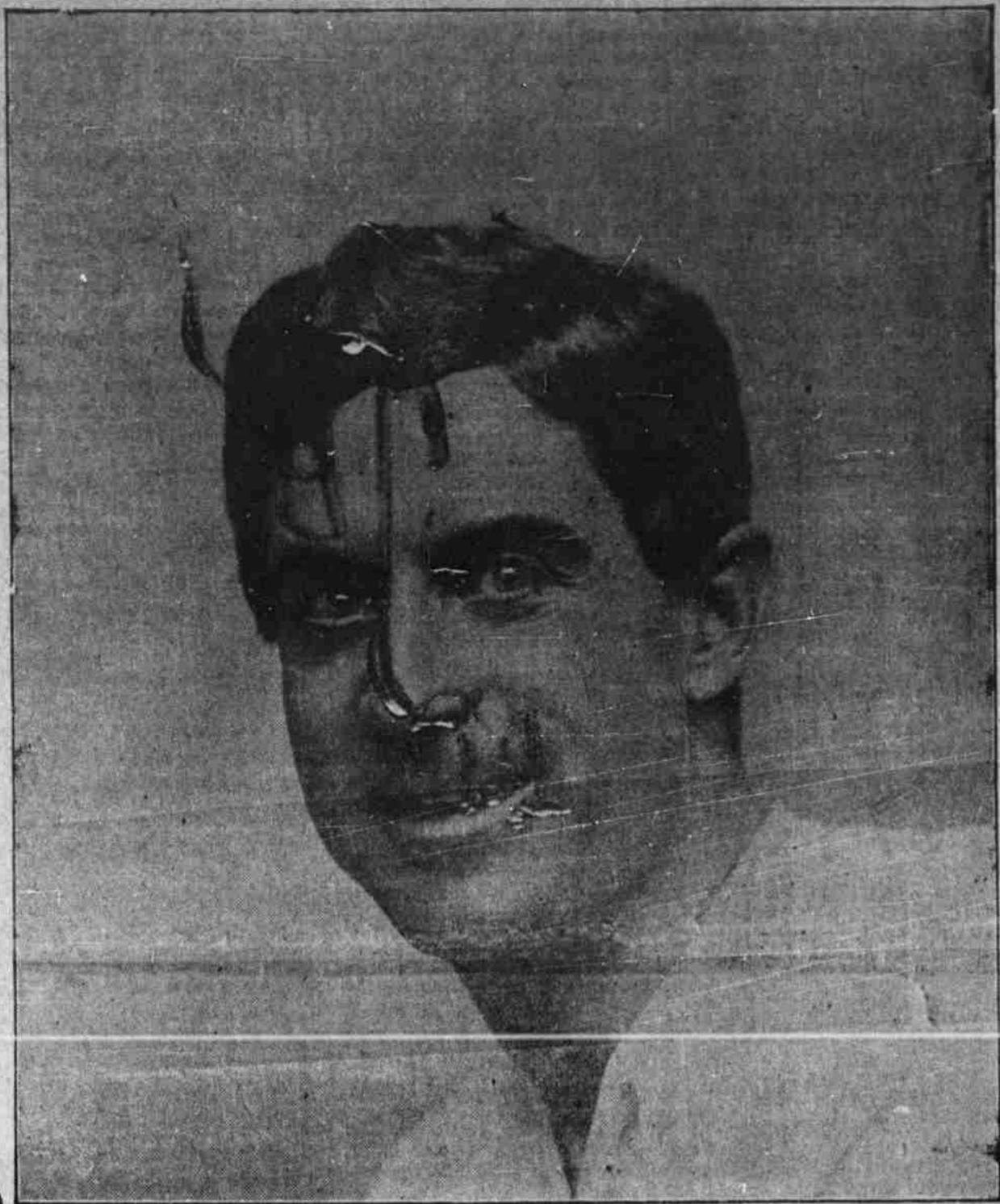
(By A. L.)

In Portland Journal. "The Girl at the Helm" paid her first visit to Portland yesterday and received great crowds of people in the afternoon and evening at the Baker theatre. Her new acquaintances were delighted with her and pronounced her one of the brightest, breeziest and best attractions at the Baker this year by long odds.

There is enough of a plot to make it interesting, not burdensome, and if the principles were all the choruses would be sufficient to make amends. But the actors are right there and with Billy Clifford as the bright particular star, all's said. Billy is nearly but not all the show. His special numbers were encored many times and the audience were loth to part with him.

No one was really crazy over Marguerite de Von, the girl when she first came on, but she is one of these persons who grow on you, and before she had gone far she was a favorite with her audience. Her song in the first act with the male sextet, "The Man I Marry Must be a Man," was really a tremendous hit. Her duet with Mr. Clifford in the last act "You're all the world to Me," was another of the most popular numbers.

The chorus is not large but it sings—does not merely make a noise—and prominent in it is the sextet of male voices who look as though they were designed for leading and juvenile men but had in some way strayed into the chorus. They are most exceptional in voice and appearance—not a bald-headed one in the lot. The motor boat



BENARD DALY THE COMEDIAN IN "INNISFALLEN" COMING UNDER AUSPICES OF LOCAL ELKS

race is a novelty, there are new ideas in chorus work, and throughout "The Girl at the Helm," is more than entrancing.

BIG XMAS CONCERT

MUSICIANS FROM LA GRANDE AND HOT LAKE TOGETHER.

Guests at Hot Lake Hear Fine Music From Special Orchestra.

Hot Lake, Dec. 27.—Special.—One of the finest orchestras ever assembled under one baton in the local amusement hall Saturday afternoon. Saturday evening officiated at a Christmas day concert and evening Christmas ball.

Adapts in their line from Baker City and La Grande composed the galaxy of musicians. Among those in it were Messers Al Hisner and G. E. McCully and Miss Winnie Ormond of La Grande.

Injured in California.

BILLY CLIFFORD AND MISS DE Mrs. William Graham and little daughter Madelaine, formerly of Union but

now of Orange Call, were both injured recently while stepping from amoving street car. Mrs. Graham was badly bruised while her daughter had her collar bone broken and was otherwise injured. They were thrown against a curbstone.—Union Republican.

ELK'S SHOW THURSDAY

"Sweet Innisfallen," and gifted Bernard Daly are the twin stars in the Irish firmament of dramatic entertainment to be with us at Steward's opera house on December 30th under the auspices of the Elks of La Grande. The play is new, but not so Mr. Daly. He is young, however, and has the snap and enthusiasm of youth, and he throws his soul into his work. His singing of the beautiful ballads of Old Erin are rendered in a manner to add much to their attractiveness. New and beautiful scenery and a powerful dramatic company selected for its especial fitness promise an even, well-rounded performance. The play derives its name from the location of its action, which is one of the largest islands in the beautiful and historic lake of Killarney.

DRESSMAKING—Call at 2102 Second street. (2-27-1-4)

J. A. OLIVER.
Gasoline wood saw.
Phone orders to Black 1851.

WILLCOCK BROTHERS
Quick Transfer
Phone—
Day, Red 741
Night, Black 1571.

Through Tickets To all Eastern Points
On Sale by O. R. N. Agents via
Canadian Pacific
Soo-Spokane Route
10 A.M. Every Day From O.R. & N. Depot Spokane
Electric Lighted Train de Luxe
ST. PAUL CHICAGO and EAST
Details, Berths, Literature, address Local Agents O. R. & N. G. H. JACKSON, T. P. A.
J. A. CARTER
Soo Agent
44 Wall St. Spokane.

A Good Buy
Eight Room Modern House
New--Close in--Partly Furnished
Price \$4,000.00
Terms---
LA GRANDE INVESTMENT CO
Foley Block.
PHONES:
Bell Red 801.
Independent 262.

DIRECTORY OF THE FRATERNAL ORDERS LA GRANDE, ORE.

Fosters of America.
Court Maid Marion No. 22 meets each Wednesday night in K. of P. hall. Brothers are invited to attend.
BEN HAISTEN, C. W.
LEO HERRING, C. S.
C. J. VANDERPOEL, P. W.

M. W. A.
La Grande Camp No. 7793 meets 1st & 3rd Monday each month at I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
M. McMURRAY, C.
CAL JORDAN, Clerk.

A. F. & A. M.
La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M., holds regular meetings first and third Saturdays at 7:30 p. m.
R. L. LINCOLN, W. M.
A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias.
Red Cross Lodge No. 27, meets every Monday evening in Castle hall (old Elk's hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting knights.
J. F. BAKER, C. C.
R. L. LINCOLN, K. of R. & S.

B. P. O. E.
La Grande Lodge No. 433, meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
H. E. COOLIDGE, Exalted Ruler.
HUGH McCALL, Rec. Secy.

REBEKAHS.
Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.
MRS. WILLIAM GRAM, C. C.
MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, SECT.

Frightful Fate Averted.
"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Keller, Minn., "without Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." It's this for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures, burns, scalds, old sores, skin eruptions. World's best for Piles. 50c at the Newlin Drug Company.

L. O. O. F.—Subordinate.
La Grande Lodge No. 16, meets in their hall every Saturday night. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. Cemetery plot may be seen at the Model restaurant.
GEORGE GROUT, N. G.
I. R. SNOOK, Rec. Secy.
W. A. WORSTELL, Fin. Secy.

La Grande Lodge No. 169, W. O. W., meets every second and fourth Tuesday evening in K. of P. hall in the Corps building. All visiting members welcome.
NERI ACKLES, Consul Commander
J. K. KNEENEY, Clerk.

ANGUS STEWART, President.
C. J. VANDERPOEL, Secretary.
Woodmen of The World.



PREVENT FROZEN PIPES
Our attention to your water pipes and Coils will save you time and money : : :
BAY & ZWEIFEL
PLUMBERS AND TINNERS.
211 DEPOI STREET

The Elite Dyeing and Cleaning Works
H. B. WAGGENER, Proprietor.
Steam and French Dry Cleaning Ladies work a specialty. Goods called for and delivered.
Phone Main 64, Mahaffey Building Depot Street

FIRST TIME HERE
The most Pretentious musical comedy offering at the Steward, Monday, December 27, this season.
HARRY H. FRAZEE Presents
BILLY CLIFFORD
And a bevy of fifty helpers in the La Salle Theatre Latest success
"A GIRL AT THE HELM"
BIG GIRLS LITTLE GIRLS
PRETTY GIRLS DANCING GIRLS
LA SALLE THEATRE BEAUTY CHORUS.
Famous male sextet, Augmented orchestra, 12 song whistling hits
ELECTRIC MOTOR BOAT RACE
A REVELATION IN STAGE CRAFT
PRICES—50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 Seat sale Saturday

Dont Forget Selder'
ON YOUR HOLIDAY CANDIES. NOT HOW CHEAP BUT HOW DELICIOUS, PURE AND HEALTHFUL.
SPECIAL PRICES ON CHRISTMAS TREE ORDERS.
A Complete line of Fancy Packages

A RARE OPPORTUNITY
CHEAPEST FUEL ON THE MARKET
A Carload of the best Chain Wood delivered at your homes for only \$2.25 per cord, measured in the car. Order NOW, while the roads are good and the prices low.
R. BEAN
PHONE RED 1741