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PRIZE QUOTATIONS

The play the public has been waiting for—*Boston Globe*.

The greatest American play seen in years—*Chicago Inter Ocean*.

As a drama it stands paramount in theatrical annals—*Chicago Chronicle*.

The popularity of "The Lion and the Mouse" does not seem to diminish at the Lyceum theatre—*New York World*.

"The Lion and the Mouse" played to the largest audiences ever known in the history of the Park theatre—*Boston Herald*.

The cleanliness of "The Lion and the Mouse" has much to do with the establishing of its popularity—*New York Telegraph*.

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MEN, HEAR DISCOURSE

EVANGELIST JOHNSON CHANGES TEXT—FEW ATTEND

Special message to men promised for next Sunday

At the special men's meeting in the tabernacle at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. Johnson, after expressing his surprise and disappointment at the small number present, decided to change his text, and in the place of the special message to the men which he was to give, preached from Matt. 6: 25, "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you."

The question whether or not the special message to men should be delivered tonight or next Sunday afternoon was left to a vote of the audience, who decided in favor of next Sunday. Rev. Johnson urged that the spirit of God was never nearer to the people of La Grande than right now, and the revival meetings, making the time to be saved.

quoted from Gen. 2: 2, "The spirit of God does not always strive with men."

He said that the words "not tonight," "not today," were the cause of many sinners remaining unsaved until after it was too late.

He promised that the special meeting for men would be held next Sunday, rain or shine, whether the crowd was large or small, and urged that the younger men especially make it a point to be present.

RISK'S MOTHER FOUND

Relatives in Portland communicated with early yesterday

In spite of wire trouble, the local Brotherhood of Engineers got into communication with Risk's family at Portland, Ore. yesterday afternoon. He is unmarried but his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Risk, and two sisters, Miss Bertha Risk and Mrs. J. K. Shellenbarger, live at 51st and Holgate streets, Portland.

Arrangements were made to have Mr. Shellenbarger meet the remains at Portland, where they were being following the accident. He will take the body to Portland for the funeral.

Risk came to La Grande last July from Missoula, Mont., and has been here continuously since. He was at one time on the North Dakota division of the Northern Pacific.

Most of the time his headquarters in La Grande have been at the O'Connell rooming house, Jefferson and Depot street.

Has Broken all Records

"The Lion and the Mouse," a play of American life, by Charles Klein, which has scored one of the greatest triumphs ever known in the American drama, will be presented here in this city by Henry B. Harris Wednesday evening.

The dominant personages in "The Lion and the Mouse" are John Burkett Ryder, known as "Ready Money" Ryder in the financial world, in which he is the acknowledged leader, and Shirley Rosemore, the daughter of Judge Rosemore, who, in his official capacity, has given an adverse ruling to the financial coteries of which Ryder is the head. In retaliation, the magnates, with the aid of corrupt politicians, causes Judge Rosemore's temporary suspension from the bench, pending investigation into alleged fraudulent practices. Under an assumed name, Shirley Rosemore becomes a member of the household of John Burkett Ryder, and giving the writing of his biography as an excuse, she tries, with the aid of his own son, to free the man whom Ryder is trying to impeach. When it is finally discovered that she herself is the daughter of this man, Ryder orders her from the house. The scene which follows this is unanimously and justly conceded to be one of the greatest ever written into a drama.

The head of the cast which Mr. Harris has selected for the production of this drama is Walter Edwards and Carolyn Elberts.

College Singing Girls

The College Singing Girls, with Walter Edwards, will appear at the La Grande tabernacle, March 29th, as the fifth and last number of the La Grande Lecture Course. Without a question, this is the largest attraction of the entire course. The company is composed of eight talented and refined ladies. One account of their performance says: "The brightest entrance of eight pretty girls dressed in maroon college gowns and carrying college medallions with the true spirit, was enough to captivate any audience." Four times they appear upon the platform dressed in different costumes. Admission to this number is: students, 35c, adults 50c and 75c. Tickets and reserved seats can be secured at Selders' confectionery, one door west of the post-office.

Ordinance No. 145, Series 3100

An ordinance creating a fund for the improvement of Adams Avenue, being improvement district No. 1 in the City of La Grande, Oregon, and providing for the manner of paying for such improvement.

The City of La Grande does ordain as follows:

Section 1.—That the assessments to be hereafter levied by the Council on the real property in improvement district No. 1 in the City of La Grande, Oregon, and collected thereon, be, and the same are hereby created the fund out of which all payments on contracts to be let for the improvement of Adams Avenue, which is included in and constitute improvement district No. 1, are to be made.

Section 2.—That in all contracts to be let by the City for improving said Adams Avenue, as heretofore provided by the Council, shall contain a stipulation that all contractors shall look only to the fund hereby created, and not to the general fund, or other fund of the City.

Section 3.—That this Ordinance shall be published in one issue of the La Grande Evening Observer and after its approval by the Mayor, shall take effect on and after the 21st day of April, 1910.

Passed the Council on the 16th day of March, 1910, by eight members voting therefor.

Approved this 19th day of March, 1910. M. K. HALL, Mayor.

Attest, D. E. COX, Recorder.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Ore., Mar. 14, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that William B. Ross, of Meacham, Oregon, who, on July 11th, 1907, made Umatilla Cash Entry No. 914, Serial No. 02834, for SE 1-4, unimproved Section 17, Township 1 South, Range 34 East, Willamette Meridian, also NE 1-4 NE 1-4, timbered Sec. 8, T 1 S, R. 35 East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of his intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon, on the 6th day of May, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jay E. Marshall, John R. Shockley, Earl Gillanders, Charles Hudson, all of Meacham, Oregon.

F. C. BRADWELL, Register.

Read the New West

A magazine devoted to the upbuilding of the Oregon country. 3-15-10.

Tonight (Monday) at the Elks hall chorus rehearsal, at 7 and principals at 8 o'clock. A full and prompt attendance is requested, as April 4th is the date set for the production and strict attention must be given to rehearsals.

New Bargains in Real Estate at the C. J. Black agency

NO. 12—120 acres, seven miles north of La Grande. New 5-room house, good barn and other outbuildings. Water piped to the house from a good spring. 80 acres under cultivation. Alfalfa and timothy hay and also grain land. Small family orchard. 40 acres timber and pasture land, level and well adapted for orchard land when timber is removed. 250,000 feet of saw lumber on the place. Saw mill adjoining property. 4 head of splendid work horses, 1 yearling colt, 2 milk cows, 2 sets of harness, 2 1-2 wagon, back, survey, new mowing machine, new disc plow, furniture in the house and all other farm tools on the place. All for \$10,000.00. \$4,000.00 cash and balance in terms to suit purchaser.

NO. 13—440 acres, 11-2 miles south of La Grande. All under fence. Fields cross fenced with hog tight wire, 320 acres in meadow and grain, 90 acres in fall and winter grain. 11-2 story house, 4 rooms down stairs an two up. Barn and other outbuildings. \$50.00 per acre; half cash, balance on terms.

NO. 14—82 acres in Mt. Glenn. All under cultivation, small family orchard, 5 room house and barn. All splendid land. Price \$3800, \$1100 cash, balance on easy terms.

NO. 15—50 acres in Mt. Glenn, Oregon, 30 acres under cultivation, Three acres of orchard and balance in fall wheat. Good springs on the place; 4 room house, barn, etc. 20 acres timber on the place. Price \$3000. \$1500 down, balance in two years.

NO. 16—A three room house, one lot on Jefferson Ave. House furnished. Good well and wood shed. All for \$500 on easy terms.

NO. 17—5 room brick house, modern barn, wood shed, etc. two lots 120 by 124, small orchard, plum, lawn and shade trees. All fenced, for \$2000, easy terms.

NO. 18—A four room cottage on O. street, two lots, city water, price \$1300 on terms.

NO. 19—Eight lots and fine new house in Old Town at the head of 4th street. City water inside, also pump, good, big barn, orchard of 15 trees. A beautiful home and room to build several houses. The price is \$5000.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Anna M. Starns, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator on Saturday, the 12th day of March, at 10 o'clock of said day, at which time all objections to said final account will be heard and the estate distributed to the heirs at law of the deceased.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 8th day of February, 1910.

J. E. STEARNS, Administrator of the estate of Anna M. Starns, deceased.

Cochran & Cochran, Attorneys at Law.

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C. H. CRAWFORD, Attorney at Law. Practices in all the courts of the State and United States. Office in La Grande National Bank Building, La Grande, Oregon.

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Notice of Rates. The Southern Pacific Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets from Portland, Oregon only, to Los Angeles and return as follows: Date of Sale, March 19th. The going limit will be six days with final return limit of 90 days from the date of sale. Stopovers will be permitted on going trip within the going limit on the return trip, at any point en route within the final limit. There are two kinds of tickets to be sold. One ticket is a straight fare, which the other is a ticket that includes transportation on the railroad, Pullman sleeper, on going trip, meals in dining car on the going trip, hotel accommodation, special train, electric car rides and other special features.

On the straight fare ticket the fare will be \$40.00. On the special feature ticket the fare will be \$50.00. The tickets under the \$40.00 rate will have to be validated for return passage at Los Angeles. The other tickets do not require validation. Please understand that these tickets are sold from Portland only and from this territory will be required to furnish their own means of reaching and returning.

Any further information desired by passengers desiring to take this trip including passages can be secured from this office upon application. J. H. KIMMEL, Agent.