

Notice to Contractors.
 Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of 11,198.6 Sq. yds. of bitulthic pavement on Fourth street between Adams avenue and O. avenue, together with excavation, curbing and drainage, the same to be constructed according to the plans, specifications and estimates on file in this office. All bids to be in by eight o'clock p. m., October 26th, 1910, and each bid to be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
 Attention of all contractors is called to the agreement of Warren Brothers Company, filed with this city, in accordance with which agreement Warren Brothers Company agrees to license all contractors desiring to bid for the work to lay the Bitulthic Pavement in accordance with its patents and the terms of said agreement.
 La Grande, Ore., Oct. 19, 1910.
 D. E. COX, Recorder.

AUTO CUSTOMS ARE NEEDED

AUTO DRIVERS SHOULD AGREE ON SOME PRACTICE.

Chief of Police Comments on Habits of Pedestrians in Crossing Street.

Two minor automobile accidents yesterday—neither of which were serious but extremely fortunate in that they were not—has emphasized the necessity of a series of regulations and customs in this city dealing with the method of passing pedestrians both on the street and on curves. If automobiles will follow a stipulated rule in this respect the public will soon come to realize and remember it with the result that accidents will be reduced to a minimum. One of the accidents yesterday was directly the result of misunderstandings—the boy on a wheel turned into the curb and so did the man at the machine's wheel.

"Our streets are streets and no one has special privileges on them," said the auto owner today in replying to the query of which portion of the streets should be used by autos in rounding corners. "I would prefer that the autos keep the center of the street instead of hugging the curbing in rounding corners," he said. However, for the safety and convenience of everyone, the auto owners should adopt a custom in this respect, adhere to it closely and the public will soon "catch on."

"I am anxious to have an understanding reached," said Chief of Police Waldon this morning, in commenting on the case. "People have taken, lately, to crossing the street at any point and any place and as long as they do so they can't expect anything but to be run over. If the automobile will keep to the right while running along the streets, danger will be minimized. I am going to insist that regulations and ordinances will be closely adhere to, but if pedestrians take to darting across the streets at any point and bicycle riders race madly around the corners without keeping their eyes ahead of them, accidents are going to happen and without grounds on the part of the auto drivers. As soon as an understanding as to how and where the autos are to round corners is reached, the entire police force will use all its power in educating the public to the custom."

Ralph Pattison, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pattison, 704 Main avenue, was apparently the most seriously hurt of the two. He came within an ace of being killed. He was rounding the curve on a bicycle at Depot and Adams at the same time that Merrill Stoddard and a party were coming around the corner, running in the same direction. The rider stopped suddenly at the curb, and the automobile, which was also coming to a standstill, struck him, but at such an angle that one wheel scraped the curbing and lessening the weight of the youngster. The rider was run down and

one front wheel ran on his arm just at the time it stopped. By standers lifted the auto while others extracted the young fellow. The accident scratched his face badly, hurt his arm and shoulder and in various other ways bruised him though not seriously. He was able to go to school this morning.

Had the automobile been running at a greater speed than it was fatal results would probably have occurred. Ralph was taken to the Newlin Drug store where Doctor Bacon dressed his injuries. The father of the boy, a local carpenter, was about to file charges against Mr. Stoddard but it is believed the case will be settled at a conference scheduled for this evening.

Isis Show Strong.

The Isis last night gave the citizens of La Grande a delightfully refreshing program. It was amusing and full of laughter. "How he Met the Champion," and the training stunts was more than pleasing. The Sick Child incident shows the good and bad of many homes and it teaches a lesson that there is some one willing to help in time of need. It shows how brute nature turns to see the higher side of life.

And the song! You should hear it for the melody will soothe the tired nerves and the description could only be written by one who keeps love's game. None could render it better than C. P. Ferren, the soloist, at the Isis.

Grouse Citizen Dies.

Grouse, Ore., Oct. 22 (Special)—Leonard Smith died October 7, after eight weeks of suffering from cancer of the stomach. Mrs. Smith went with her husband to Watsburg, Wash., for treatment, and everything that could be done was administered. Mr. Smith was 69 years and 9 months of age, and leaves a widow and four children to mourn their loss: Two boys, G. L. Smith, the forest ranger, and L. L. Smith, the youngest of the family; Mrs. Sara Moore and Miss Gertie Smith. Mr. Smith was a good citizen and highly respected by all who knew him; honest and upright in all his dealings, a kind and affectionate husband and father, a good neighbor and friend to those in need. He was a member of the M. E. church for many years and a member of the Masonic order in good standing.

Nelson to Come Back.

San Francisco, Oct. 24—Confident that he can outwit the jinks which has always put a kibosh on all attempts of pugilists to come back, and that he will prove an exception to the rule of "the pugs who never return," Battling Nelson, onetime lightweight champion of the world, is today rounding out his training for a season with "One Round" Hogan. The mill will be staged tomorrow. The Danish author-pugilist is confident that he will be able to show up the Hogan party, despite the latter's record for handing out a sleeping potion in the initial inning. That accomplished, the Battler will tackle all the other good boys of his class, in order to show that he is in condition, and will then go after the championship title he lost to Wolgast. As for Mr. Hogan, he says the Battler is due to strike a snag.

LONG PROGRAM IS READY

LOCAL DELEGATION WILL BE ON HAND TUESDAY NOON.

State Federation of Women's Clubs to Convene at The Dalles.

La Grande's delegates to the state federation of Women's clubs at The Dalles, which opens tomorrow, will be on hand tomorrow noon, the delegation leaving today. The program to be carried out at the three days' session follows:

Tuesday morning—9, registration of delegates, board meeting; 10, call to order, invocation by Rev. M. E. Boulton; 10:20, welcome on behalf of city, Mayor Edward Wingate; 10:30, greetings to Federation from Entertaining Club, Mrs. Mary L. Logan, president; 10:40, response from Federation, Mrs. Lee Morehouse; 10:50, "Greetings From Our Pioneer Workers," Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway; 11:10, reports of committees and officers.

Tuesday afternoon—1:30, music, Mrs. Hauva Perry, 1:40 "The Subconscious Influence of Ordinary Reading," Rev. B. F. Warren, The Dalles; 2:10, music, Miss Evelyn Knox; 2:15 report of educational committee; 2:30 "University Extension," President Campbell, State University; discussion; 3, "Normal School Situation in Oregon," Mrs. Robert C. French; 3:30 "Free Text Books," Mrs. O. P. M. Jamison; discussion, "Open Air Schools of Europe," Mrs. Ida Hood Clark, superintendent elementary departments public schools, Milwaukee, Wis.; 5:30 "Inspection of Public Schools," Mrs. Rachel D. Shatto, Portland.

Tuesday evening—Commercial Club parlor concert and reception to the officers and delegates of the convention, by Sorosis, of The Dalles.

Wednesday morning—9:30, call to order; minutes; unfinished business; 9:45, reports of standing committees; 10:45, report of trustees of scholarship loan fund; 10:55, "The Psychological Influence of Art," Mrs. Alice Welster; discussion; 11:15, revision of constitution for creating district federation; 11:50, fraternal greetings; announcements.

Wednesday afternoon—Council of presidents; 1, "How Shall We Make Our Bureau of Information Effective?" led by Mrs. John Van Zante; "The Press, its Relation to Public Opinion," led by Mrs. S. S. Dodge; 1:30 "The Press Work of Council of Jewish Women," Mrs. M. Baruh; 2, music, Rev. D. V. Poling; 2:10, "Woman's Place in Civics," W. A. Williams, Portland Commercial Club; discussion; 2:40, report of chairman public health committee, Mrs. S. O. Dunbar; 3:10, "Water in Relation to Public Health," Dr. Calvin S. White, Secretary State Board of Health; discussion; 3:40, "The Care of Food in the Home," Miss Lillian Tingle, Portland; discussion.

Wednesday evening, Congregational Church, president's night—8, music by Monday Musical club; 8:20, greeting from state president, Mrs. Sarah A. Evans; 8:35, "Our Scholarship Loan Fund Girls," Mrs. Robert C. French; 8:50, three-minute reports from state presidents; song, "America."

Thursday morning—9:30, call to order; minutes; unfinished business; new business; 10:15, discussion of letter from the general federation president, Mrs. Phillip N. Moore; 10:45, report of the resolutions committee; 12, Invitations for next convention; song, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Thursday afternoon—Reception tendered the convention by the ladies of the Historical Society, at the Barracks; automobile ride.

Now A Serum for Colds.

London, Oct. 24—At the annual meeting of the Medical Association of Great Britain and Ireland, convened today, one of the most important announcements dealt with the discovery of a new serum for the prevention of colds, pneumonia and disorders of the lungs. The process has been thoroughly tested, it is alleged, in one of the leading London hospitals, and with unflinching success. Not a single person inoculated with the serum has developed any lung affection, although nearly every patient so treated had presented symptoms of disease.

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 JOHN S. HODGIN, W. M.
 A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
- B. P. O. E.—La Grande Lodge No. 433** meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner of Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
 DR. G. L. BIGGERS, Ex. Rul.
 HUGH McCALL, Rec. Sec.
- WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Lodge No. 169.** W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Tuesday in the month. All visiting members welcome.
 NERI ACKLES, C. C.
 J. H. KEENEY, Clerk.
- M. W. A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703** meets every Monday in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
 I. R. SNOOK, C.
 D. E. COX, Clerk.
- REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 59** meets every evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.
 MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, N. G.
 MRS. JENNIE M. SMITH, Sec.
- KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27** meets every Monday night in Castle hall, (old Elk's hall.) A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights.
 JESS PAUL, C. C.
 R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.
- O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13.** O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members cordially invited.
 MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.
 PAULINE EDERLEE, W. M.
- WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Grande Ronde Circle No. 47** meets every first and third Thursday evenings in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are welcome.
 CHLOE ROBINSON, G. M.
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