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TO-NIGHT



Alzamon Ida Lucas, the gifted Mahatma, in sermon lectures.—"THE POSSIBILITIES OF MAN," every evening at the Oregon Hotel Hall (next to Elk Hall). Subject: Feb. 13th "The Powers of the Sub Conscious Mind." Admission free.

POPE'S BLESSINGS GIVEN

CONCLUDING SERVICE MARKED ENTIRE RITUAL

Many Communicants Receive Papal Benediction Last Evening.

What might be termed a record mission in the annals of Catholicity in the city came to an end last evening when the concluding ceremonies were surrounded with all the superb ritual of that church notwithstanding the battling of the elements the people gave manifest proof of their great interest in the work being done.

To a crowded church Father Fleming addressed his last lecture, "Christ's Reward." His beautiful imagery and earnest pleading was both interesting and elevating. Following the lecture the Papal Benediction or the Pope's blessing was given, the lecturer intimating his belief that it would be

gratefully received by the people of all creeds, since the world recognized in the aged Pontiff a learned and holy man ruling the great empire of Catholicity with its three hundred million of souls. The Reverend Father made a most touching farewell taking the occasion to thank the local railroad officials for kindness in connection with the St. Anthony Chapel Car. The number of communicants was one hundred and sixty. The Chapel Car leaves tomorrow for Island City. Thence on to all towns on the branch line to Joseph. It is safe to assure the Rev. Father Fleming and Mr. Hennessey a warm welcome to La Grande, should they favor the city with a future visit.

J. G. Carpenter of American Falls, Idaho and J. P. Holloman of Olympia, Wash., are recent arrivals in the city, both having accepted positions with Cherry's new laundry and will be located permanently with their families.

26 APPLICANTS SUCCESSFUL

GRADING OF PAPERS SHOWS WHO PASSED TESTS

Three Take Examinations for State Papers—Six First Graders.

Twenty-six applicants for grade certificates giving them the right to teach school in Union county, passed successfully the recent teachers' examinations held in this city under supervision of County Superintendent E. E. Bragg. Mr. Bragg was assisted by Prof. W. L. Tucker of Island City and J. D. Stout.

The following have been given certificates:

First Grade.

- Guassie Fisher, La Grande.
- Kathleen Russell, La Grande.
- Janet Davidson, Union.
- Hannah Reeves, Union.
- Susan McIlroy, Union.
- D. C. Wilson, New Bridge.

Second Grade.

- Mrs. Lulu Scott, Elgin.
- Laurose Bailey, Elgin.
- Nellie Rush, Elgin.
- Eleanor Crouter, Union.
- Mattie Gray, La Grande.
- Harvey Lantz, Cove.
- Roy Lantz, Cove.

Third Grade.

- Leo Crouter, Union.
- Louisa Counsell, La Grande.
- Dora Hutchinson, Union.
- Hazeline Wilson, Union.
- Violet E. Chattin, Summerville.
- Angeline McHatten, Summerville.
- Maggie Duggan, Summerville.
- Beulah Rhodes, Elgin.
- Edna Ayars, Elgin.
- Mabel Arnold, Elgin.
- Mary C. Wells, Imbler.

Primary Certificates.

- Kate E. Pixton, Cove.
- Dora Denning, North Powder.

Applicants for State Papers.

- Gertrude Biever, La Grande.
- Gertrude Ferguson, La Grande.
- C. S. Rice, Elgin.

W. L. Tucker of Island City and J. D. Stout of La Grande were the assistant examiners.

DOWNWARD COURSE.

Fast Being Realized by La Grande People.

A little backache at first.

Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak.

Urinary disorders quickly follow; Diabetes and finally Bright's disease.

This is the downward course of kidney ills.

Don't take this course. La Grande residents should profit by the following experience.

Mrs. W. M. Giles, of Sautter, Ore., says: "I was bothered for about two years by kidney complaint and the doctors could not help me to any extent. There was a constant dull pain across my loins and this was accompanied by a soreness over my kidneys. My back ached so intensely that I could hardly sleep and I had trouble

with the kidney secretions. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I was induced to try them and it required the contents of only one box to affect a cure. I value Doan's Kidney Pills highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. Feb. 13, 15, 17

ONE BIG FOOL

But He Doesn't Live in La Grande Nor Read the Observer.

A man in Connecticut gave a doctor a specialist in catarrh, \$5 00 cure him of this common yet most obnoxious disease.

The specialist gave him a bottle of medicine and told him to use it.

The fool took the medicine home, took one dose, put it on a shelf and made no further effort to follow instructions.

Three months later with the medicine still on the shelf he told a friend that the specialist was a fake; that he had paid him \$50 and still had catarrh.

HYOMEL (pronounce it High-o-me) won't cure catarrh if you don't breathe it; it will if you breathe it regularly.

Furthermore, you don't need to give a catarrh specialist \$50 to cure you of catarrh; for the specialist is yet to be born who can write a better prescription than HYOMEL.

The Newlin Drug Co. and druggists everywhere guarantee Hyomel to cure catarrh or money back. A complete outfit which consists of a bottle of Hyomel, a hard rubber inhaler and simple instructions for use costs only \$1.00. Separate bottles of Hyomel if

afterwards needed costs but 50 cents. Feb. 13(, 24, March 5,

Dr. Lucas Speaks Tonight.

Owing to a number of requests made by those who heard Dr. Lucas last Saturday evening, and his manager being unable to secure a lecture hall, he has decided to return a few days longer in La Grande and will speak in the Oregon Dining hall opposite the Christian church. A cordial invitation is hereby extended. All interested in the science of Being. No admission is charged.

TWENTY TRAMPS DEPORTED

Herd Drift Into Town Last Night and are Ushered Out Again.

A drove of twenty tramps drifted into La Grande last night and after being kept under official care most of the night, were ushered out of town today by Chief of Police Walden and his aides. It is seldom that the Willies come in so big droves.

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Directory of the Fraternal Orders of La Grande, Oregon

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. Cordial welcome to all Masons. L. M. HOYT, W. M. A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend. MRS. KATIE ARBUCKLE, N. G. MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, Sec.

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.

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.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Lodge No. 169 W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Saturdays at K. P. hall. All visiting members welcome. D. FITZGERALD, C. C. J. H. EENEY, Clerk

O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. C. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members cordially invited. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec. PAULINE EDERLEE, W. 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.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Grand Round 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. LIZZIE ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

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LADIES' FURNISHINGS
DRY GOODS
SUITS, COATS AND
SKIRTS

The

PEOPLES STORE

La Grande's Leading Dry Goods and Clothing Emporium
THE TEMPLE OF ECONOMY OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

February the month of Special sales

It bothers a great many merchants to know what to do in February to keep up interest. It is a little early to expect much Spring custom, and so late in the season that talk of Winter stuffs grows tiresome to customers.

We have decided on a compromise for this February between the store and our customers. We have bought small sprinklings of advance showings in various lines of merchandise. These goods will be placed on display and sale at once and each day thereafter as they arrive. And the Winter stuff—pardon us for mentioning it—will be condensed into bargain lots here and there at prices much lower than wholesale. As the assortment of each bargain lot decreases to an uninteresting ebb it will be thrown into another bargain lot collection at a still lower price. Thus you see that every day during February at this store will be an exhibition of new Spring arrivals and a special sale day of bargains—GREAT BIG BARGAINS. We will be able to tell you specifically of some of these in our future advertisements; but whether you see it in our ad or not, come to the store with the surety that you will see new arrivals nearly every day in Spring Novelties and Styles and a host of bargain lots that spell economy.

All in all, we know we are in a position, and can and will do better by you—with you—for you, than any other store within a reasonable radius of this town.

THE PEOPLES STORE