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MR. AND MRS. GEORGE STODDARD ARE ON TOUR.

Journey Through Europe Includes Seats at Coronation.

With coronation week in London on their itinerary, Mr. and Mrs. George Stoddard left this morning for Salt Lake from whence they go direct to Montreal, Canada, and sail from that port on the 20th of May. They will hurry through the long journey so as to be in London when the coronation ceremonies are under way. They are routed to land at Liverpool. Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard were accompanied by their daughter, Miss Jeanette, and while in Europe will visit with their two sons who are L. D. S. missionaries in England.

While away the party will visit the principal cities of interest on the tourist paths and aim to be back in La Grande by August 1st.

WHITMAN COLLEGE NOTES.

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., May 10.—A recent issue of the Whitman college Quarterly contains the full text of the report of the special committee appointed by the board of overseers to investigate the matter of college fraternities. The report is very comprehensive and recommends the establishment of national fraternities under careful supervision.

The sophomore class of the college presented Sheridan's great play, "The Rivals," at the Keylor Grand theatre on Thursday evening. The individual parts were very well rendered by the members of the class, and the play as a whole was enthusiastically received by the large audience.

Professor W. D. Lyman is this week attending the meeting of the National Development League at Helena, Montana. This league has under consideration various matters pertaining to the conservation and development of the northwest. Professor Lyman is one of the ten delegates appointed by Governor Hay to represent the state of Washington.

Dr. C. G. Haines is contributing to the evening Bulletin of Walla Walla a

very comprehensive and helpful analysis of the Allen bill which provides for the adoption of the commission form of government for smaller cities.

The tri-state interscholastic declamation contest was held on May 5th. Louise Palmer of North Yakima was awarded first place and received a cup. Medals for second, third and fourth places were awarded to Norrie Hershey of Walla Walla; Harold Leatherman of Dayton; Geneva Barton of Colfax.

The cup awarded on this occasion was given by the Whitehouse Crawford company.

ATTRACTIONS AT GEARHART

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That the contest party visiting Gearhart will have much to claim their attention while there is readily seen from reading the list of features for the season of 1911. Gearhart's attractions for the season are as follows:

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- Excellent table, porch dining room features and attractions not to be found at any summer resort in the Pacific northwest.
- Pool and billiards.
- Hot salt water plunge.
- Overlooking Pacific ocean.
- 130 dressing rooms. Bathing suits. Showers, diving boards, etc.
- Constantly renewed water.
- Balcony for spectators.
- Splendid nine-hole golf course.
- Tennis courts, croquet grounds.
- Best surf bathing in Oregon.
- Wide, hard sand beach 19 miles long. No rocks, holes or driftwood.
- Wide board walks.
- Livery stable and saddle horses.
- Automobile garage. Autos for hire.
- Big natural forest park.
- Shady trails to many points.
- Auditorium in the woods.
- Streets electrically lighted.
- Specially arranged train schedule.
- Saturday and Monday special.
- Stores, telephones and telegraph.
- Big dairy ranch in connection.
- Many amusement enterprises, moving picture show.
- Picnic grounds numerous.
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All that portion of Greenwood street from the north line of O. & W. R. R. to the south line of T avenue.

(A) And the property affected or benefited by said improvement is as follows:

All the west half of blocks 152, 148, 147, 123 and 120 and the east half of blocks 151, 149, 124 and 121, all in Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefited by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of \$5,615.40. That the council will on the 17th day of May, 1911, meet at the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

La Grande, Oregon, May 5th, 1911.
CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE, OREGON.
By C. M. HUMPHREYS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.
May 5 to 17.

Notice of Street Improvement.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the common

council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, on the 18th day of August, 1909, creating improvement district No. 7, and designating Monroe avenue as such district and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said common council on the 12th day of April, 1911, whereby said council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of Monroe avenue in said improvement district as hereinafter described, by building cement walks 5 feet wide, the council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefited by such improvement, order that said above described improvement be made; that the boundaries of said district to be so improved are as follows:

All that portion of Monroe avenue from the east line of North Fir street, to the west line of North Spruce street.

(A) And the property affected or benefited by said improvement is as follows:

All the north half of blocks 122, 123 and 124 and the south half of block 147 and 149, all in Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefited by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of 2,128.35. That the council will on the 17th day of May, 1911, meet at the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

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