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CHANGE OF PICTURES SUNDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY.

STRONG BAND JOINS ELKS

LA GRANDE MUSIC MAKERS IN SPLENDID TRIM.

Chautauqua Concert Tomorrow and Dance the Fourth.

The usual weekly concert by the La Grande band will be given tomorrow night at the Chautauqua grounds at 7:30 o'clock.

Tuesday was chosen on account of the band being busy preparing for their trip to Portland next week and all other nights this week will be occupied in practice or engagements.

Manager Bacon and Director Snapp have succeeded in getting a strong lineup of players to lead the La Grande Elks at Portland and the boys have been working hard on new music for some time past and are prepared to hold their own with any musical organization that will be in Portland next week. Following is a roster of the band as it will go to Portland and the instruments the men will play:

- Snapp, director.
- Garland, solo cornet.
- Tatman, 1st cornet.
- Buck, 2nd cornet.
- Houston, 3rd cornet.
- Kay, 4th cornet.
- Reiter, piccolo.
- Brothers, 1st clarinet.
- Snodgrass, 2nd clarinet.
- Young, 3rd clarinet.
- Biever, 4th clarinet.
- Fish, E clarinet.
- Russell, bass.
- Gordon, bass.
- Bowlin, Baritone.
- Williams, trombone.
- Sherwood, trombone.
- Heacock, trombone.
- King, trombone.
- Jackson, alto.
- Bay, alto.
- Wright, alto.
- Heisner, snare drum.
- Browning, bass drum.

Following is the program for the concert tomorrow night:

- March—"Alvin Snapp"..... Garland
- Overture—"Nubucco"..... Verdi
- Selection..... Grand Mogul
- Rag..... Chicken Reel
- Waltz..... Spanish Silhouette
- Pilgrim's Chorus..... From Lombardi
- Chilian Dance..... Manana
- Haustrauer's March..... Chambers

On Thursday night the band will conduct a dancing party at the Elks hall and the entire band will furnish the music for the occasion. To this event the public generally is invited.

It begins to look as though the Pittsburgh Pirates are the real "hope" to give battle to the Giants for the National league fabric.

Catcher Nunamaker, of the Boston Red Sox, is out of the game nursing a badly split hand, the result of one of Hall's fast inshoots.

OVERLANDERS PRAISE BOSS

JOLLY BUNCH OF OVERLAND BAND MEMBERS HERE

Traveling Special Train, Band of Fifty Pieces Tour Country.

Traveling with a special train, members of the Overland Automobile factory band of Toledo, Ohio spent several minutes in La Grande last night on their way to Salt Lake City, where the band of 50 pieces makes an appearance today. The organization has been to Portland where papers praise the musical ability of the band highly and after going to Salt Lake the band will swing out to Minneapolis and then to Chicago having visited most of the large cities of the United States.

The journey is called a transcontinental vacation and it apparently is in every sense. The band is made up of employes in the Overland automobile company's shops and include machinists, painters, accountants and what not and nationalities run from Greek to Swede. A happy bunch they were too. Herr Koehler is the director and hewas profuse in his appreciation of President J. N. Willys of the Overland company which made the trip possible. E. A. Wyre, president of the band also sang loud songs of praise for the general manager. Detailing the principles that underlie so stupendous a trip, Mr. A. L. Lempke the secretary said last night:

Up to three years ago, when we fellows were working in the old Pope factories, about the only thing we had to look forward to was pay-day, which came every two weeks. There wasn't much doing in the way of recreation or amusement. Then about that time we heard that Mr. Willys had bought the factory, and almost as first thing he did when he took charge was to invite the foremen and sub-foremen of all the departments to dinner with him at the Farm, Toledo's big summer resort.

This was the first time any of us fellows had got a chance to shake hands with the boss. We wondered what was up, and we didn't find out until after we had had our feast; and the boss made a little talk. He sort of mapped out what he hoped to do and told us he would have to have the help of the men in the production end. This little picnic and talk set the fellows to thinking and seemed to put a different angle on things. There was something to think about now besides work—just plain work.

Some of the fellows who were musically inclined thought they would like to get together and form a shop band. When they broached the subject to General Superintendent Shepherd, he said, "Go ahead."

It wasn't very long before we got to be pretty good and then, one night the boss came down to one of our parties and we made a hit with him. One night he sent his Secretary over to rehearsal, and he told us the boss was going to fit us out with new instruments and uniforms and get the very best director he could find to instruct us. That is how we got Herr Gustav Koehler.

He sure is some instructor. After Herr Koehler worked with us for a year, we began to get popular at factory dances and entertainments, all of which became more frequent.

In April, when the boss saw us leading the 6,000 Willys-Overland people into the Toledo park for the first big league ball game, he said that we deserved a vacation and asked us where we wanted to go. Some said they wanted to go to Broadway, New York, some said they wanted to go to Atlantic City, and some said they wanted to go to San Francisco. There were more of these last fellows, so the boss said, "O. K., go to Frisco."

At first we were not going to take

our instruments with us. Then somebody said, "Maybe we will have a chance to show the people what kind of music a bunch of mechanics can make." We have all kinds in our bunch, too. Most every country is represented, and nearly every department of the factory."

EDWARD HATCH, JR.
Head of Fly Fighting Committee of American Civic Association.



it Depends.
"Don't you think there is something to inspire enthusiasm for kings?"
"Not when the other fellow holds the ace."—Baltimore American.

A Scotch "Bull."
General Wade constructed military roads in the highlands of Scotland. An obelisk was constructed to commemorate his achievements on which was inscribed the following "bull," intended to distinguish between natural tracks and made roads:

Had you seen these roads before they were made
You would lift up your hands and bless General Wade.

She "Hoped" For Their Happiness.
The Newly Wed—Edith did the hateful thing at our reception, and I'll never forgive her. Cousin Jane—Why, what could it be? The Newly Wed—She addressed Charles in the most pitying manner and said, "I hope you'll be happy." The way she uttered that word "hope" was positively unbearable.

The Misery of It.
Reporter—"It's a terrible sensation, is it not, Mrs. Yippery, to be bound and gagged? Victim of burglarious visitation—Why, it's simply awful, young man! For more than half an hour I couldn't talk a word!"—Chicago Tribune.

Assuming That.
Brown—What reason have you for hating Blank? Smith—Well, you see, he's a relative of mine, and— Brown—Yes, yes, I know, but what other reason?—Harper's Bazar.

Night Light Machines.
Though the first match appeared in England as late as 1827, the idea seized a genius years before that date. This advertisement in a London Post of 1788 gives evidence: "For travelers, mariners, etc. Prometheus fire and phosphorus: G. Watts respectfully acquaints the public that he has prepared a large quantity of machines of a portable and durable kind, with promethan fire, paper and match inclosed, most admirably calculated to prevent those disagreeable sensations which most frequently arise in the dreary hour of midnight, from sudden alarms, thieves, fire or sickness."

Difference in Speech.
Polly—You can never tell much about a man from his speech. Belle—That's right. There's Chollie, for instance, who stutters terribly. He proposed to me five minutes after we met, and it took Jack, who is the most voluble fellow in the world, three years.—Philadelphia Record.

Spoiled the Game.
"We made a rule in our card club that no member should be allowed to win more than two prizes during the season."
"Was it a success?"
"Not exactly. As soon as a lady won two prizes she dropped out."—Detroit Free Press.

This Life of Ours.
At the end of life we discover that we have passed nearly one-half of it in being happy without realizing it and the other in imagining that we were miserable.

Couldn't See Them.
Joke Seller—Did you receive my letter and that batch of jokes? Editor—I received the letter, but I didn't see the jokes.—Satire.

Mike Donlin has been playing great ball in the field this season and hitting in the neighborhood of .400 for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

CHAUTAUQUA

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sity, were the principal speakers and each in his own entertaining and instructive way expressed thoughts of value and worth to the hearers. It was all in all a splendid success, and much credit is due to Mrs. Bidwell for the success of the meeting. The corrected program for the rally, follows:

Song by Sunday schools—"How Firm a Foundation"

"Glory Song"

Invocation—Rev. E. P. Borden, Baptist Church, La Grande.

Offerory.

Male Quartette—"O Wondrous Cross"—Messrs. Ferrin, Davis, Stoddard and Bramwell.

Address—"Conservation"—Rev. C. A. Phipps, General secretary, Oregon Sunday School association.

Song by Schools—"Loyalty to Christ".

Address—"The Value of Sunday School Education"—Rev. Edw. H. Todd, D. D., vice president Willamette university.

Male Quartette—"Give Me Thy Hand"—Messrs. Ferrin, Davis, Stoddard and Bramwell.

Announcements.

Song by Schools—"Make Me a Channel of Blessing."

The following program was delivered today:

Educational Day, Monday, July 1
9:00 a. m. Domestic Science, Miss Helen M. Burr

11:00 Bible Study, Rev. Edith Hill-

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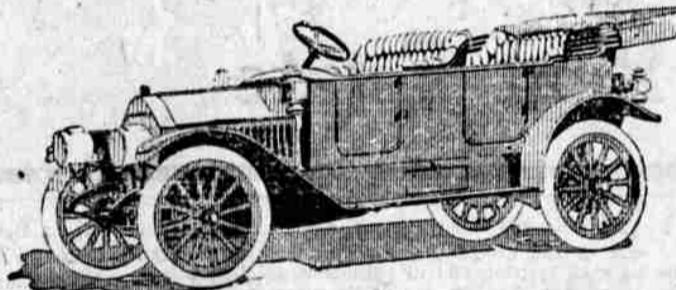
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2:00 p. m. Round Table.
2:30 p. m. Special program by representatives of Oregon and Washington Universities:
Introductory Address, Hon. W. M. Pierce, Member Board of Regents, Oregon Agricultural College.
"The Educational Unrest," J. H. Ackerman, President Oregon Normal School.
"The State System of Higher Education"—P. L. Campbell, president state university.
"The Coming Citizen"—Edward H. Todd, D. D., vice president Willamette university.
Miss Helen M. Burr, instructor of domestic economy, Whitman college, Walla Walla, Wn.
5:00—Athletic and swimming classes.
8:00—Music.
8:30—Entertainment—S. Platt Jones



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