

# Steward's Opera House, Wednesday, February 26

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## COVE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Cove, Ore., Feb. 24.—(Special).—  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holmes were in La Grande Tuesday.  
Rex Beach's popular play "Going Some" was played here Thursday night, and "A Southern Romance" on Friday night.  
Mrs. Ed Stearns started to Port-

land Wednesday where she will join her husband.  
H. J. Newcombe was in La Grande the early part of the week.  
The Ladies' Aid society was entertained at the home of Mrs. Vine Payne Wednesday.  
The Ladies' Guild hold a cooked food sale every Saturday afternoon Annis Shores returned from Union Friday where she has been visiting the past week.  
S. O. Gales of Union was a business visitor here Thursday.  
Cassie Kelly made a short business trip to Union the early part of the week.  
Carl Gasset had an auction at his

place six miles north of Cove Friday. Willie Van Gordon returned to his home in La Grande Monday.  
Musick and Dixon, the painters, are in Union doing some work there.  
Eliene Rees is again in school after being quarantined with scarlet fever for the past few weeks.  
Dr. Gilpin returned to her home in Baker after visiting in Cove for several weeks.  
The revival meetings at the Baptist church closed last Sunday.

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### Economy.

"Write me a check, Alfred, to buy Christmas presents with."  
"Make it as small as you can this time, dear! How much must you have to buy presents for the children, your mother, the maid and the rest?"  
"Here is the list. I can't get along with less than \$75."  
"Nonsense! Well, at least leave out the present for me! Figure it again—I don't want anything!"  
(A long pause, during which the wife makes a new computation.)  
"Well, Alfred, it's now \$74.25!"—Fledge Blatter.

### Christmas Compassion.

Christmas is the one day of the year when we remember the failures, the men and women who have fallen short of the mark, the human derelicts. In the fierce commercial race we crowd these to the wall without thought and without compunction for 364 days of the year, but through the Salvation Army and other charitable agencies give them a share of the three hundred and sixty-fifth. Well, it is good that we catch even that much of the Christ spirit for one brief day.

**Kept Him Posted.**  
"Conscience is what tells a man when he is doing wrong."  
"That may be true in your family," replied Mr. Meekton, "but my wife's name is Henrietta."—Washington Star.

### CAREFUL OF THEIR COWS.

Isle of Jersey Goes to It That the Breed Is Kept Absolutely Pure.  
Undoubtedly the little island of Jersey has been enriched by the profit of its cows. In modern days potato raising and fruit culture have helped, but it is the solid, continual profit of the cattle that has made the island rich.

So carefully do they tend them there and so frugal are they of waste in trodden pastures, says Our Dumb Animals, that they actually tether their animals, and the children or indoor servants shift them at morn, noon and night.

Gentleness is their cue in handling the calf, which, after a dose of mother's milk, has to be content with skim-milk, or skillegalee. She is haltered and fed by hand and becomes docile and gentle and when two years old yields indoors or out her bountiful bucketful of frothy, rich milk to the quiet women folk who milk her.

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### CURIOUS CUSTOMS IN INDIA.

Dancing Girls Are Married to Idols Representing Gods.

Parrots are taught in India to spend a large portion of their time in repeating the names of gods, and such a spokesman brings a great price, especially among business men, who imagine that by owning such a parrot their spiritual treasures are accumulating while they attend to their usual occupations.

Many of the dancing girls in India belonging to the temples are called the wives of the gods. At an early age they are united in wedlock to the images worshipped in the temples. This strange matrimonial connection is formed in compliance with the wishes of the parents, who believe it to be a highly meritorious act to present a beautiful daughter in marriage to a senseless idol.

The only foreigner who ever saw the inside of the great Temple of Jugger-naut was an English officer, who succeeded in gaining admission by painting and dressing himself like a native.

When the Brahmins discovered that their holy place had been thus defiled they became so enraged that all the English residing at the station were obliged to flee for their lives.

Suspecting their pursuers to be more desirous of gratifying their avarice than their revenge, they strewed silver money by the way, and while the natives stopped to pick it up they gained time and succeeded in reaching a place of safety.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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