

GUS C. MOSER WILL LECTURE

PLANS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICES UNDER WAY EARLY

Well Known Portland Elk Will Deliver
Principal Memorial Address

The general public, as well as all Elks, will be pleased to know that Gus C. Moser of Portland will deliver the oration at the Elks' memorial Sunday in La Grande, December 7th. Mr. Moser is one of the prominent attorneys of Portland, has served in the state senate for some time from Multnomah county and is well known to many people in La Grande.

The program this year for memorial Sunday will be held as usual in the Elks' auditorium and besides the address of the day there will be many musical numbers by La Grande favorites appropriate to the occasion.

MISS GEDDES VERY LOW

FAMILY SUMMONED HOME AS PATIENT SINKS

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geddes
Lower Yesterday Than Ever

Miss Dona Geddes was extremely low yesterday and last night and her death is momentarily expected. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Geddes, have summoned their son Waldo from San Francisco and he is now at the bedside. Yesterday the ailing lady was extremely low and physicians have predicted death momentarily. Miss Geddes is 21 years of age and has been lingering for months, barely living at times and then showing slight increase of strength. During the past week she has been on the brink of the grave continually.

YOU CAN'T TELL HOW A COFFEE BEAN WILL TASTE BY LOOKING AT IT, AND YOU CAN'T TELL HOW SCHILLING'S BEST WILL TASTE BY THIS ADVERTISEMENT, BUT YOU CAN TELL THAT YOU WILL LIKE SCHILLING'S BEST BETTER THAN ANY OTHER OR YOUR GROCER WILL RETURN YOUR MONEY.

Don't Delay delight, order now.

AUCTION SALE

25 TO 30 HEAD
YOUNG BROOD MARES
AND HORSES.

TUESDAY
Nov. 18

Beginning at 10 A. M. at the Mrs. Fred J. Holmes farm, 5 miles north of La Grande, at Mt. Emily.

This stock is first-class and consists of trim, well bred mares, work horses and geldings.

Terms of Sale: Bankable Paper.

FRED J. HOLMES,
By Stringham, Auctioneer.

FOUR HUNDRED RABBITS FALL

BATTLE OF HAINES DISASTROUS TO JACKS

Local Nimrods Help Kill 400 Rabbits
in a Few Hours Sunday

At the battle of Haines yesterday Br'er Rabbit suffered a severe defeat. His fleet footedness could not avail against the rapid fire of the 27 guns that were pouring a relentless mass of lead into his woolly shanks. Nate Walt and Rube Zweifel, J. M. Kohl and Mr. Fisher were the captains and field generals from here. On their arrival they were escorted to the home of Ed Staples where the general gave them dinner. In the afternoon they were conveyed to the scene of battle in autos by their host and given the liberty of the field. In the slaughter which followed they succeeded in felling 400 of the jack type. The rabbits were running so thick that the guns of the hunters became hot on account of the rapid shooting. Nate Zweifel is sponsor for the statement that one could hardly hear yourself think in the onslaught, so deafening was the succession of shots. It is needless to say that every man must have been on the job because the party was in the field from 1 p. m. until 3:30 p. m. and secured the number of rabbits indicated.

To make things easier for the hunters a wagon went along with the huntsmen and two men on horseback picked up the rabbits and put them on the accompanying vehicle. Nate says it was one of the very best times he has had.

After the hunt was over Mr. Brichoux invited the La Grande boys to his home for supper and entertained them until they left. Another party is planned for some immediate date, when Br'er Rabbit will be given a second reception of the winter.

SLIDES EMPHASIZE MISSION

METHODIST AUDIENCE SEES IN- STRUCTIVE PICTURES

Lecture, Illustrated With Slides, Ex-
plains Foreign Missions

Last evening at the Methodist church, Rev. E. B. Fyke gave a very interesting lecture pertaining to the study of foreign missions. Colored slides were used to give the audience a clearer view of the topic. The first part of the evening's study took up the first Americans and the aboriginal peoples were pictured upon the screen. Next was shown the manners and customs of the Spaniards who settled in the southern parts of this new continent. Then the pilgrims and their customs were shown. After dealing at length with the first religions and churches of America, the lecture lead up to the point of the religious education of the thousands of immigrants who are yearly pouring into the United States from other countries. The slides gave very interesting studies of the types of peoples who form the main bulk of the immigrants. Charts showing the comparative immigration from the larger countries were also shown, which gave figures which were startling in numbers. Dr. Fyke showed in detail the steps in the religious workers dealings with these foreigners and brought out the fact that the greater majority of the immigrants were persons of thrift and industry, who with the right kind of environments thrown about them became the right kind of American citizens. The lecture clearly brought out the point that foreign and home missions were not so far apart as the majority of the people think.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, 10th day of November, 1913, is the last day for paying water rents, without penalty, if the water rents are not paid by the night of the 10th the same will be shut off on the 11th, and \$1.00 penalty will be added.

L. M. HOYT,
Water Supt.

Your job printing. Have it done at the Observer office.

MAN DEFENDS MAN'S VIRTUE

L. D. S. AUDIENCE HEARS INTER- ING DEBATE

"Achievements of Man and Woman"
Debated By Young People

Achievements of man and achievements of woman during the ages past, was the theme of a very interesting debate heard last evening by a large audience at the L. D. S. hall. The M. I. A., composed of the young people of the church, staged the very interesting debate, on the subject, "Resolved, that the achievements of man have been greater than those of women."

David Stoddard stood on the battlements of man and hurled his very humorous and well worded arguments at his foes forensic, made up of Miss Irma Bean and Miss Utah Garriek. These two ladies volleyed broadside after broadside against the defense of man with such success that the audience, acting as judge, overwhelmingly gave the honors of the debate to the ladies. The evening was a very enjoyable one for keen wit, pretty sentiment, logic and common sense, were conglomered with the best possible effect.

TRIAL JURORS GIVEN EXCUSE

ALL CIRCUIT COURT CASES POST- PONED A MONTH

Circuit Judge Will Clean up Wallowa
Docket in the Meantime

Circuit court trials have been continued for a month or more and before further cases are heard, Judge J. W. Knowles will clean up the Wallowa county docket. This decision was reached this morning. Two cases set for today were not ready for trial, and the upshot of the matter was that all jurors save three were dismissed for the term, subject to call within a month's time or thereafter.

The Mills sentence was not given because of a motion for a new trial. Mills was found guilty of assaulting a man named Bronger of Elgin, but his counsel moved for a new trial and the case is under advisement.

Morelock Jury Acquits

The Morelock case resulted in acquittal Saturday evening after a long session of deliberation by the jury. The case was hard fought and of a great deal of interest in and about Elgin, the trial growing out of a quarrel between the Morelock family and Mr. St. Peters. Mr. St. Peters was injured in some way during the rum-pus, and the state charged Morelock with striking St. Peters. The jury, however, after several hours found Morelock was entitled to acquittal.

Clyde Macey Arrested

After a year of liberty during which time an indictment warrant has been hanging over him, Clyde Macey of North Powder has been arrested on a statutory charge. He was captured in Baker a day or two ago on a warrant ordered issued a year ago on a charge of rape. He was brought to La Grande by Sheriff Hug yesterday evening and was held in jail pending the disposal of his case.

Mr. Gulling Improves

Improvement is noted in the condition today of J. C. Gulling, veteran conductor who was injured Saturday evening by falling from the cupola of a caboose, when the train in which he was riding was unexpectedly bumped by a switch engine. He was thrown from his seat, striking his arm on a sharp object and inflicting other wounds from which he gives indication of rapid recovery.

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The Original BIFF and BANG THE SUICIDE COMEDIANS, At ARCADE TONIGHT.

LENS GRINDER INSTALLED

LOCAL FIRM INSTALLS COM- PLETE PLANT

Kryptok, Toric and All Other Lenses
Can Be Ground Here

What is the only plant of its kind between Boise and Portland has just been installed by J. H. Pearce & Son, jewelers and opticians. The plant makes it possible to grind any lens from the crude glass to any desired shape or strength, and every appliance used in the grinding of Kryptok, Toric or any other lens, is included in the plant. The firm, already owned an edge-trimming machine, but was required to send to Portland for its Kryptok and special lenses. Hereafter Oregon will patronize the establish-

ment as it competes with Portland and Seattle houses.

REX HALL ANNOUNCEMENT

The management of Rex Hall take great pleasure in inviting all children in La Grande and vicinity, and especially invite all parents who wish to bring their children to our Saturday afternoon matinee assemblies.

These dance matinee assemblies will be given each Saturday afternoon during the winter season at 3 o'clock. Twenty-five cents will be charged for instructing each pupil.

PRIVATE DANCING LESSONS will be given from 1 to 3 o'clock each Saturday afternoon at special rates. Ladies' and children's complete course, including over 15 ball room dances, \$3.00.

PROF. J. MAZANTI,
B. M. SHERWOOD.

I HAVE OTHERS

Always Something to Fit Your Purse and Income

Acre Tract.

Head of Spring st., one of the most beautiful views in the city, overlooking the valley. Five room house with bath. Young cherry orchard, the sales from which this year were \$110, fine new barn, paved street; just what some one is looking for. Room for garden, cow, horse or auto.

Small Home.

Lot 60x110, new four room house, besides bath room, city water, wired. No street assessments. Price \$1,100. Party leaving city. \$300 cash, balance at \$10 per month.

Rooming House.

Close in, doing a good business, furnished, price \$4000.00. About \$750 cash required, balance on easy payments. If interested call and investigate.

Special In Lots.

I have three lots on M avenue, sewer paid for, \$200 each; this is a real bargain. Liberal terms. Another lot on Third street near the high school,

50x120 for \$250.00. If you are thinking of buying a lot in this section of the city, investigate these. Also some attractive lots east of the court house. A few to those who will build for only \$200.00. Mr. McConnell owns these and to induce a few builders he has cut the price \$100.

\$1300 Residence.

Five room house, bath and toilet, lot 60x114, connected with sewer, basement. Cement walk, price only \$1300. Terms \$300 cash, balance \$20 per month including interest.

New Modern Home.

New modern five room house in choice section of the city. Price \$2,000. Terms \$200 cash, balance \$25 per month, including interest.

Good Values In Farms.

I have farms well improved in tracts of from 20 to 2000 acres, that are priced right and some on very reasonable terms. You cannot afford to pass by opportunities if you really desire to buy a home.

GEORGE H. CURREY
Real Estate