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### PROGRAM OF MERIT NEAR

#### HARVEST TIME FESTIVAL DATE APPROACHES

Grade Students to Present Many Excellent Numbers Friday

Tomorrow night is the date set for the harvest time festival program to be given by the grade schools at the auditorium. The program is:

#### Part I

Chorus, "Autumn," by Mrs. Carpy's, Miss Mason's and Miss McHugh's pupils.

Chorus, "The Brownies' Dance," Miss Mason's and Miss McHugh's pupils.

"Autumn Speaks to Brownies," Chorus, "Jack Frost," Miss McHugh's pupils.

"Autumn Calls Wind and Rain," Duet, "Mr. Wind and Madam Rain," Vernon Bramwell, Ida Clare Love.

"Autumn Sends Brownies to their Work," Trio, "Milk Weed," Dolores Pearson, Florence Lynch, Marcella Berry.

"Autumn Calls to the Leaves," Chorus, "The Leaves' Party," Miss Oliver's and Miss Leadsworth's pupils.

"Autumn's Farewell," Chorus, "Thanksgiving," Miss Oliver's and Miss Leadsworth's pupils.

Chorus, "Snowflakes," Miss Oliver's and Miss Leadsworth's pupils.

#### Part II

Solo, "Grandma's Knitting," Flavia Ritter.

Recitation, "Pumpkin Pie," Raymond Payton.

German Folk Game, "Hansel and Gretel," Mrs. Ingle's pupils.

Danish Folk Games, "Shoemaker's Dance," Mrs. Carpy's and Miss Mason's pupils.

German Folk Games, "German Klappstanz," Miss Ghormley's pupils.

Swedish Folk Games, "I See You," Miss Deal's and Miss McHugh's pupils.

Recitation, "Grandma's Kitchen," Myrtle Black.

Chorus, "The Teakettle," Mrs. Carpy's and Miss Ghormley's pupils.

Recitation, "The Saucy Teakettle," Violet Young.

Chorus, "The Kitchen Clock," Mrs. Carpy's and Miss Ghormley's pupils.

Recitation, "Roast Turkey," Kenneth Pearson.

Chorus, "Turkey Gobbler," Mrs. Carpy's and Miss Ghormley's pupils.

Tableau, "The First Thanksgiving Day."

#### Notice

All alumni of the L. H. S. who are interested in a game of football between the high school team and the alumni team meet at the commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock sharp tonight.  
CHAS. REYNOLDS.

SWEET CIDER—25 cents a gallon, delivered Wednesday and Saturday.  
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11-20-tf

#### ADDITIONAL PERSONALS

Father Driscoll was a passenger to Baker this noon. He will return tonight.

A. F. Burr of Ontario passed through La Grande this morning on his way to Mollalla, where he is moving his household effects.

A. M. Smith of Wallowa returned last night from Portland, where he took live stock for the Portland market. He states that cattle are off and that prospects are not very good for a rise at present.

Miss E. Stein of Island City was in the city last night attending the drill rehearsal of the Eastern Star, which intends to hold a joint installation with the Masonic order in the near future. The drill work is under the able direction of Mrs. Fred Schilke.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nice were in the city on business at the sheriff's office. They returned this noon to their home at North Powder.

D. E. Pierson of Pendleton passed through the city this morning to visit his friend, B. Unslam of Wallowa for a number of weeks. Mr. Pierson is a recent arrival from Sweden and has made himself an American by mastering the language sufficiently to make himself well understood.

### MUCH MOOTED WARRANT

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ren Construction company on its Jefferson street paving, the city to depend on the five-year maintenance bond given by the company, was tabled. Customarily 10 per cent is withheld in addition to the bond, but the resolution would have paid the amount due.

The bonding ordinance on the alley in the block bounded by Adams, Elm, Washington and Depot, was passed.

Technical corrections of files and maps of Beaver creek pipe line were made in a resolution adopted by the council during the evening.

The council passed into history and Mayor Hall shook hands with each of the councilmen, and general good will and smiles filled the atmosphere.

#### Licenses Go Over

The saloon license question went over to the commissioners. The petitioners for licenses and the proposed locations are:

R. Kelley, 1116½ Jefferson.  
E. Simpson, Elm and Washington.  
Geo. E. Good, in Sommer house building.

G. A. Lincoln, 219 Depot street.  
John F. Dordan, 215 Fir street.  
Ulrich Lottes, 1118 Jefferson.  
Brown & Dunn, 1120 Jefferson.  
Herman Roesch, 208 Depot street.  
Chris Wright, 211 Fir street.  
J. E. Foley, Foley hotel.  
Julius Fisher, 221 Fir street.

In the list one at least must be denied under the present ordinances, allowing for ten saloons, whereas there are eleven applicants.

### MUTTS WIN SECOND MATCH

#### Standing of the Clubs

|                 | W. | L. | Pct. |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| The Toggery     | 1  | 0  | 1000 |
| The Midgets     | 1  | 1  | .500 |
| The Mutts       | 1  | 1  | .500 |
| Timber Smashers | 0  | 1  | .000 |

The Mutts came into their own last night when they downed the Timber Smashers at the Club bowling alleys to the tune of 2247 to 2177.

The big chief of the Mutts was Leon Stoddard, who bumped over 498 pins and carried away the honors of the evening. His strongest opponent on the opposing team was Desserick, who bowled the consistent score of 485. Ferrin and Donnellan show signs of being good bowlers in the near future as their scores are not much behind those of the chiefs of the respective sides.

The following players composed the two teams:  
Mutts—Stoddard, Grey, Ferrin and Van Fleet.  
Timber Smashers—Desserick, Block, Scott, Donnellan and Caylor.

#### His Pretty Compliment

When the Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy was the lovely young bride of the crown prince this anecdote of her reception in one of the hill towns was widely told in the press.

The little boy who was to present the usual bouquet was the son of a distinguished literary man, and he had been taught a pretty poem of a few lines in graceful praise of the princess. But when the moment came to recite it he stood untily gazing at her, too overcome to speak. After a moment in order to relieve the situation, the princess smiled and held out her hand for the flowers. The little fellow held back for a moment, then, to the delight of the assembly, explained confidently as he gave the flowers to her: "There were verses, but you are so beautiful I can't remember them."

#### Schumann, the Composer

Robert Schumann, the great composer, tried to become a lawyer to please his mother and failed after two years of wearisome study. At Heidelberg university he made the acquaintance of Willibald Alexis, who had already trodden the path Schumann was destined to follow—that through the law to music. And the eminent jurist whose classes he attended, A. F. J. Thibaut, was an amateur musician of high attainments and the author of a work on precisely that aspect of music to which Schumann was peculiarly sensitive—namely, purity in musical art.

#### A Soft Answer, Etc.

Young Wife (pettishly)—You always seemed to have plenty of money before we were married. Loving Husband—It was only seeming. I had very little. Young Wife—And you told me you expected to be rich. Loving Husband—I am rich, my dear; I've got you. She subsided.—Yonkers Statesman.

#### Women as a Power

If ever the time comes when women shall come together simply and purely for the benefit of mankind, it will be a power such as the world has never dreamed of.—Matthew Arnold.

#### Barkless Dogs

There are three varieties of the dog that never bark—the Australian dog, the Egyptian shepherd dog and the "lion headed" dog of Tibet.

#### Voting in Switzerland

In Switzerland every citizen, whether he is a householder or not, is entitled to a vote on attaining the age of twenty.

#### Curiosity of an Empress

Mme. de Hegemann-Lindencrone in her reminiscences, "In the Courts of Memory," relates an amusing experience which took place at one of her visits to the court of Napoleon III.

Her hair was so abundant and so curly that no one would believe her coiffure was natural. The Empress Eugene asked: "Where can one buy such lovely curls as you have? Are they real or false? You won't mind telling me. Some people have made bets about it. How can we know unless you tell us?" The American visitor replied: "My hair is all my own, your majesty, and, if you wish to make sure, I am perfectly willing that you should see for yourself." And, "Removing my helmet," says Mme. Lindencrone, "I took out the comb and let my hair down. Every one crowded around me and felt and pulled my hair about until I had to beg for mercy. The emperor, looking on, cried out: 'Bravo, madame!' and, gathering some flowers on the table, handed them to me, saying: 'Your success hangs by a hair, does it not?'"

#### Nothing to Be Said

Prospective tenant talking with the janitor standing on the steps of a flat-house on a cross street near an avenue on which there is a trolley line.

Prospective Tenant—Can you hear the cars plainly here?

Janitor—Oh, my, no; you can't hear the cars here at—

But at this moment there came rumbling, grinding down the avenue at forty miles an hour a big trolley car that passed this street with a roar that would have made a double jointed earthquake falling down a steep and rocky mountain canyon sound like somebody in the distance playing a piccolo.

The prospective tenant looked at the janitor for just one moment, sadly and reproachfully, and then she turned and went away.

And the janitor? Well, the janitor just let her go without another word for he realized that this was a case in which there was nothing further to say.—New York Sun.

#### Feeble Minded Children

Economic incompetence often goes by the name of laziness, thriftlessness, shiftlessness. In every village we find some of this "worthless sort," and they usually get scant sympathy and still scantier interpretation. Be careful of your own diagnosis of these cases. reader, or you may make the mistake of the ignorant parent who actually beats a feeble minded child, thinking the child will not obey, when, as pure matter of fact, the child cannot obey. There may be a kind of laziness which will respond to moral suasion, but there is another important kind which is due to incurable deficiency of will. Feeble mindedness is a blight which not only affects the intellect, but may also weaken the instincts which are at the basis, alike, of play, work and thrift.—American Magazine.

#### Oddities in Print

An enterprising exchange has collected the following oddities in print:

A butcher's sign reads as follows, "John Jacobs kills pigs like his father."

A tailor had a bill in his window to the following effect, "Wanted—Several this coat makers." This is a fine chance for spare tailors.

One advertisement was headed, "Two sisters want washing." So do a good many brothers. Another advertisement was, "Wanted—A boy to sand-pape."

The following extract from a medical advertisement is perhaps correct, "Consumptives, cough while you can, for after you have taken one bottle of my mixture you can't."

#### Prefarney Once Indispensable

Swearing was at one time regarded as an indispensable accomplishment. Evelyn Ashley once told Sir Algernon West that on his father becoming Lord Shaftesbury, Lady Caroline Need, his sister, said to him in all seriousness, "Now that you have come into the title, you must learn to swear. Your father always did and gained great respect by it in the county."—London Spectator.

#### Threshing Hangs On

North Powder, Nov. 20—Threshing in this section has not yet been completed. While most of the big work has been done there is let several contracts which will be finished up in the next few days. Grain yield was heavy this year on the dry lands and it is attracting a great deal of attention. One investor in land who was here recently said "North Powder country is the only place I know of where \$20 land will produce the quantity of grain and the quality along with it."

#### Attention School Teachers

The old Cafe-ria stand will be open during the teachers' institute. A straight 40c meal will be served. Breakfast 7 to 9 a. m.; dinner 11.30 to 1:30 p. m.; supper 6 to 7:30 p. m. Will be open for business Monday morning.

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### Thanksgiving SHOOT

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grounds. t

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### It is a Bit Early To Say "Christmas!"

But we merely wish to state, preliminary to the regular Xmas shopping season, that we have a big supply of Dolls left over from last season, and which we are now placing on sale at prices far below cost.

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