

FOUR SPEAKERS FRIDAY NIGHT

TEN-MINUTE LIMIT PLACED ON EACH SPEAKER.

Guests Must Be Seated at 6:30—Cantata Follows at 8:30.

Chairman H. E. Dixon, of the May commercial club luncheon committee, has announced the list of speakers for the Friday evening luncheon. E. E. Bragg, postmaster, Claude C. Cate, county farm expert, Chas. E. Cochran, O-W counsel and John S. Hodgins, city attorney, will comprise those who will entertain and instruct at 6:30. On this schedule, guests can get away at 8 o'clock, for no speaker is to be permitted more than 10 minutes.

The need of prompt closing is brought about by the fact that the cantata at the high school auditorium commences at 8:30.

North Side Sewer Project.

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Other city officials who meet with the commission.

The flusher bill, contracted a year ago, but which was not paid because of mayoralty objection, has come to a showdown and the commission finds it must pay for the flusher, the bill being \$1,004. The freight was paid by the former administration, and the resolution last night authorizes the contract with the M. & M. Company. Two pieces of cement walk were asked for. One is on the South side of L Avenue from Sixth to Seventh and the East side of Seventh from K to L. The other is a two-lot strip on the East side of Second in block 11.

Manager F. J. Lafky, was given a leave of absence, that he might attend the Commonwealth conference at Eugene, where he appears with a paper on the managerial form of government. N. J. Mansager is temporary manager in his stead.

Bonds to the extent of a little more than \$47,000, for which a recent sale was held here with a big bid resulting, have not been taken up by the purchasing company. This has re-

sulted in the city falling back on the provisions of the contract with the contractors, requiring the contractors to take the bonds themselves in case of failure to sell them in the open market promptly. Warren Construction company, on Second street, Morrison-Knutson on Spring and Jack Childs for sewer work in West La Grande, make the three who will have to dispose of the bonds themselves.

General manager's report for week ending May 23rd, 1914.

To The Commission:

Gentlemen:—The street superintendent replanked two bridges on Spruce and Ash streets and filled up holes on Spruce and Cove and Island City roads with gravel. Graded several blocks and repaired walks on Spruce. Expended \$8.00 for gravel and \$39.24 for lumber. Spent \$71.56 for construction and repair and \$78.75 for cleaning etc..

The fire department had one fire probably caused by children. Had lineman do eight days work. Changed box 45 from Madison and Hemlock to Cove and Cherry. The fire chief will paint the posts on which alarm boxes are fastened a bright red.

The police arrested five. Turned two over to the state, and got three to leave town. One arrest. One party arrested for Baker. One fine outstanding. Pound fees \$2.00, surplus from stock sale \$10.08. The young men arrested for disturbing the peace were released as the municipal judge was away. One has been tried and fined, one is out of the county jail on bail and one has disappeared. Brady, Weagle, Rhodes and chief on duty.

The water superintendent spent \$10.08 on repairs, \$2.87 on sewers, \$17.25 on taps, and \$34.60 on new line.

The recorder collected \$2.00 pound fees, \$2.50 for 5 building permits, \$5.00 fine. He drew a warrant for \$75.00 in payment of interest coupons No. 7 on water bonds No. 6, 7, 8. Drew warrant for \$1,340.98 in payment of warrants purchased for the B. C. P. L. sinking fund. Drew \$240 warrant in payment of improvement district interest, drew warrants on Park per voucher No. 1, for \$250 and No. 2 for \$500, in payment of contract agreement with chautauqua.

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Issued \$5.00 hawk and \$7.40 taxi licenses.

The treasurer collected \$874.82 street assessments and interest, \$12.40 for two licenses. He collected \$183.30 water rent. Paid \$584.17 for warrants with interest thereon. Paid \$120 interest on improvement bonds, \$75.00 for coupons 7, on refund. Water bonds 6, 7, 8 which had not been paid by the former treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
F. J. LAFKY,
General Manager.

The Secret of Youth.

Youth is what we all love to have and to hold, and since Ponce de Leon's time many a way of conserving it has been prescribed—dosage, drinking sour milk, systems of exercise, bathing, rubbing. Any one of these things may help the individual, but not every individual. And let us not forget that youth is in great measure a gift of the spirit. Children are young because for them life abounds. They find springs of energy within and stores of refreshment without. Wonder, curiosity, the enjoyment of 10,000 trifles, a short memory for punishment and pain—all these things make for youth. Quarrels, resentfulness, suspicion, worry, grouches—these bring harder lines around the mouth, hardened arteries, old age. Nothing is too small to delight a child, given the right conditions; nothing too big to darken, for very long, the spangled sky. That is the secret of youth. Draw the curtain, Master Manager! On with the human comedy!—Collier's.

Curiously Absentminded.

Henri Poincare, the famous French physicist and mathematician, was remarkably absentminded. One evening he was looking in a closed bookcase for a manuscript. During the search he set the lamp on a shelf in the case and in a moment of abstraction closed the door of the cabinet and sat down in darkness. After he had pondered for a time on the disappearance of the light he came to the conclusion that he had suddenly become blind. That seemed to him quite possible since his eyes were weak anyway, and he groaned at the thought of his deplorable condition. Suddenly to his surprise a stream of light appeared, coming from the adjoining room, and he remarked, with much satisfaction, "My sight seems to have come back again." Not even then did he think of the lamp in the bookcase!

Strange.

He wishes he were the other chap
And had another's work to do.
He knew if he had such a snap
He could be rich and famous too.

He wished that it had been his lot
To fill the station held by Brown,
Especially as Brown is not
Entitled to so much renown.

And had it been his luck to be
Appointed to the place of Green
His very marked ability
Would very quickly have been seen.

And does it not seem strange to you
That one so skillful and so keen
Should keep, in what he has to do,
His cleverness from being seen?
—Detroit Free Press.

So That Was It, Eh?

"Say," said the knowing Muncie,
"did you hear about the mayor being
beaten up?"

"No. What about it?" excitedly
replied the other as visions of a murder-
ous attack came before him.

Then the purveyor of information
remarked: "Yep. His wife had to
make an early train, so she beat him
up this morning."—Indianapolis News.

Distinction.

Her dog has a diamond set collar;
Her cat drinks the richest of cream.
Of course she spends many a dollar
On hats that are simply a dream.
She always buys fruit out of season
And game of the costliest kind.
Their very expense is the reason
That these things appeal to her mind
Things any one else might be buying
She looks on with heartiest scorn,
And that's why just now she is trying
The radium cure on her horn.
—Judge.

Polly's Break.

Mrs. Bensonhurst (calling)—Oh, this
is your parrot, is it?
Mrs. Flatbush—Yes, that's Polly.
"I understand she repeats everything
you say?"
"Yes, she does. Now say something
for the lady, Polly."
Polly—Hateful thing! I'm glad she's
gone!—Yonkers Statesman.

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ORGANIZER IN TROUBLE.

S. W. Green, Well Known in Eastern Oregon, Suspected Long Time.

Pendleton, May 28.—(Special)—

News that S. W. Green, lodge organizer who spent several weeks here earlier in the year and is well known in all Eastern Oregon towns, has been accused by seventeen-year-old Marian Hoffman, whom he met in this city, of contributing to her delinquency and of using her as an instrument of blackmail, has caused no surprise to many of the local people who were acquainted with him. It seemed to be a matter of more or less general knowledge among those with whom he came in contact that his conduct was not above suspicion. Though he is past 68 and old enough to be the grandfather of his alleged victim, a number of local people declare that she is not the first young woman with whom he has been associated in a clandestine way. On one occasion he came to Pendleton with his wife and on two others with young women whom he intro-

The Thieving Ear of Corn.

Two ears of corn will plant an acre. If one of the planted ears happens to be "no good" there is a twelfth of an acre missing. An acre of corn may be worth \$30 to \$40, so to discover a thieving ear is worth from \$2.50 to \$3.50. One can pick out the ears of poor germination at slight cost; if he will test his corn before he becomes rushed with spring work. And while about it reject the ears that, although germinating, do not send up strong, vigorous stalks. Lusty, vigorous young things grow surest into profit, whether they be pigs, lambs, colts or cornstalks.—Breeder's Gazette.

A Canal Begun by Nero.

The ship canal across the Isthmus of Corinth, which was completed in 1893, was the finish of a scheme dating back to 600 B. C., when Periander employed Egyptian engineers to survey the Isthmus. Nero actually began work along the site of the present canal, but at his death this was abandoned, and men continued to weigh up the idea for another eighteen centuries.—London Chronicle.

Good Reason.

"My idea of happiness is to see the statue of Liberty in New York harbor from the deck of a returning steamer."
"And why do you think you would enjoy seeing it?"
"Because I've never been abroad."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Gives Him Away.

She—There is one sure way a woman can tell a gentleman in a crowded street car. He—What is that, She—By his getup. Baltimore American.

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duced as his niece, stenographer or a newspaper representative. So suspicious were the officers of him that it is said that they watched him closely and even raided his rooms for evidence. The Hoffman girl formerly lived in Roseburg where her father was city marshal and local people who formerly lived in the Southern Oregon city say she bore a good reputation while there. Her delinquency seems to have dated from her residence in Portland and conflicting stories of her character are told. Her story in the Portland court yesterday resulted in the holding of Green on a charge of contributing to her delinquency.

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