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STUDENTS WILL PERFORM TONIGHT

This evening La Grande people face a musical treat at the high school when the combined glee clubs of the high school give their annual recital under direction of Miss Hind-

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| 1. Poet and Peasant Overture | High School Orchestra | Suppe |
| 2. Down In The Dewy Dell | Smart | |
| Voice Of The Western Wind | Barnby | |
| Oh Skylark For Thy Wing | Smart | |
| 3. March from "Aida" | Verdi | |
| Celestial Aida | Verdi | |
| 4. Duet—Valley of Beautiful Dreams | Peters | |
| Janet Stoddard and Gladys Black | | |
| 5. Beautiful Ship from Toyland | Friml | |
| When Mabel Sings | Speaks | |
| 6. Toreador Song from "Carmen" | Bizet | |
| Blue Danube Waltz | Strauss | |
| 7. Stars The Night Adorning | Wekerlin | |
| The Fishermen | Gabussi | |
| 8. Gipsy Trail | Galloway | |
| Marching | Trotter | |
| One, Two, Three, Four | Hawaiian Melody | |
| 9. March Militaire | Schubert | |

MONTHLY BILL BUDGET HEARD

CITY COMMISSION GOES OVER BUSINESS.

Payroll, Bills, and Other Routine Business Taken Up.

Consideration of reassessments on North Second and South Fourth, payment of payroll, and going over other accounts, constituted the chief work to come before the city commission last evening. Commissioner Gardner was absent, and in his absence Vincent Palmer is acting city president.

General manager's report for the week ending February 26th, 1916.

The police arrested nine. Three were state cases; two were juvenile; two were disorderly and two were charged with vagrancy. Had fourteen sleepers and collected \$5.00 fine, pending since Jan., and a \$25.00 forfeiture in a disorderly case in connection with a delinquent girl.

The street superintendent had two teams and drivers five days each, costing \$47.50 and two men each five days costing \$25.00 for cleaning streets, gutters and catch basins. He had a saddle horse, at a cost of \$2.50 from livery while inspecting ditches, drains and street work during and after the snow storm. He also had eight days work done by prisoners.

The fire department had a call to Judge Knowles home Feb. 23. The house and contents were badly damaged. Laid 900 feet of hose for two streams and ten volunteers were out.

The water department spent \$34.85 for repairs thawing out two pipes and the routine work. Had an extra man two days for \$5.00; a team six

hours for \$3.75 and an electrician six hours for \$3.00. Last week and the previous week 2200 volt juice was used four hours for thawing at cost of \$2.05.

The recorder received a \$5.00 fine and a \$25.00 forfeiture. He drew a warrant for \$10.34 on the contingent fund for the Feb. cash payments, postage, etc. The dog license is now due and payable at the Recorder's office. The tags cost \$6.10, postage 10¢. Also had the license book printed for this year.

The treasurer received \$351.20 water rent; \$326.13 imp. district installments; \$171.59 imp. district interest; \$31.80 imp. district 1-A; \$4.83 principal and \$2.90 interest on district No. 90 and \$150 for three electrical permits. He paid \$21.00 water warrants; \$54.22 road warrants and \$90.00 imp. district interest.

Have employed Mr. Neal 3 1-2 days including March 1, on the re-assessment work on South Fourth street. F. J. LAFKY.

Simplified Spelling Introduced in Records By Workman

Salem, March 1.—A case of simplified spelling with a vengeance was brought to the attention of the state industrial accident commission this morning. According to the faddists at the University of Oregon the letter written by the Scandinavian workman would be absolutely correct if they had succeeded in making all spelling merely a matter of personal preference.

The letter which is in a class by itself and even goes the simplified spellers one better, follows:

State Industriau aksidant comishon Klaim no—

I am gong to vork to moro and vant get return sunest pasibel.

Wearly truely.

The letter gave the address "5 nort Sekond St.," Portland.

The workman was injured last month while unloading logs from a flatcar when he had his foot crushed by the rolling logs.

COVE SHIPPED CAR OF SPUDS

LADIES' AID CELEBRATE THE EIGHTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Some Farmers of East Side Commenced Plowing This Week

Cove, Or., Mar. 1st (Special)—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church of Cove, celebrated their eighteenth anniversary on Feb. 23, with a meeting at Mrs. Wesley Smith's home. A large crowd attended and all were served with refreshments.

Ernest Thorson was a business visitor in Cove this week.

A Parent-Teacher meeting was held in the library last Thursday afternoon.

A. L. Becker and wife and H. L. Becker and wife motored to La Grande Friday. They found the road fairly good with the exception of a few mud-holes.

Geo. Jasper of Freewater, is visiting relatives here.

Cove High School gave a play, "Paudora" last Friday night, which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Ernest Organ went to Idaho this week to look at some homestead land.

J. K. Lantz shipped a car of apples west yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Daron are the proud parents of a seven-pound son, born February 28. Both mother and child are doing fine.

Otho Eckersley has been quite sick but is able to be out again.

Geo. Golay and John Dean are shipping a car of potatoes to La Grande today.

Some farmers started plowing this week. We are having March weather—wind, sleet and rain.

Many Willing to Share Widow's Ranch and Life

San Francisco, Feb. 29.—Suitors for the hand of Mrs. Ada Warren, attention!

Put on your prettiest tie, shine your shoes and start "looking pretty". For the North Dakota widow, who wants a husband to look after herself and ranch is going to choose her mate Thursday.

Today she gave notice through Chief of Police White, who has been acting as cupid's agent in this bit of match making. She will appear at the police station to look over her prospective husbands, who have written from almost every part of California asking for her hand.

Five new applications for a job as husband came to the chief today. But Mrs. Warren isn't satisfied with mere proposals. She wants to see what she's getting. So those who haven't written to her still have a chance to make good. Mrs. Warren has explained that she wants a man who knows how to work and isn't afraid to tackle a plow.

Sommer Hotel Arrivals.

A. W. Perley, Portland; E. H. Bazer, M. C. Kennedy, Salt Lake; J. W. Waters, E. F. Wentworth, L. Cobler, E. R. La Point, O. M. Cusker, Portland, G. T. Hentle, La Grande; C. Thomas, Chicago; P. Mirshack, E. Muthke, Nolin; W. Blum; C. A. Wild and wife, Telecast; Leland Shira, North Powder; Ralph Hollings, New Plymouth, Idaho; P. R. Garretson, St. Paul; C. E. Cochran, A. S. Bryant, Thos. Lusk, E. Benham, oldland; J. S. Long, Los Angeles; Phil V. Hein, Boise; Wm. T. Tracy, Pocatello.

Foley Hotel Guests.

Geo. T. Coyne, C. J. Shae, W. S. Spinning, Ralph Harper, D. A. Maxson, John Larsen, J. H. Henline, A. W. Buckner, Portland; Jessie Marr, Joseph; H. L. Fish, Joseph, Ed Myersick, A. Dodson, La Grande; W. Townley, G. F. Haller, Union; L. E. Clark, H. L. Lowell, Mechem; W. M. Kingham, Seattle; Al Daniels, Cove; C. E. Coles, Haines; J. H. Raley, Pendleton; H. W. Davis, Elmira, N. Y.; Chas. F. Koelsch, Boise; H. E. Kellogg, J. A. Rednayne, Baker; Leo L. Phillips and wife, Los Angeles; R. H. McKennon, Alico; F. S. Snaely, Portland; Martin King, Geo. Copelli and wife, Alfred J. Copelli, Mrs. C. Copelli, Kamela.

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New Styles, Plain Styles, All Leathers

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83 BIG BUSY
STORES

MAY CHARTER SHIP.

Movement to Send Oregon Fruit Products to Europe.

Salem, Ore., March 2.—A plan to charter a steamer to carry Oregon fruit products to the European market was presented to Governor Withycombe yesterday by E. L. Goodsell, of New York. Governor Withycombe approved the plan along with the governors of Washington and Idaho. Mr. Goodsell will go at once to California where his plan will be presented to the fruit men of that country and it is hoped that a huge co-operative marketing system may be perfected to the vast benefit of the fruit growers of the Pacific coast and northwestern states. Mr. Goodsell will present his plan before the Portland Chamber of Commerce Wednesday advocating a definite plan of organization which it is proposed to carry out in the interests of the fruit industry.

"While the governor informed me that the state could not legally guarantee the charter of a steamer without legislative action," said Mr. Good-

sell, "he said he believed other interests in the state could be found that would lend their support. He proposed a plan which I will present to the Portland Chamber Wednesday. The governor is in accord with any action

which market fruit products of the northwest successfully. He realizes the need of strong co-operative organizations among growers."

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There is no charge whatever for this information; we maintain the directory solely for the benefit of the sick and convenience of our customers.

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A. NEWLIN, Manager

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Main 40

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"The Bombay Buddha"

An Oriental Mystery Drama with Hobart Henley, Allen Holubar, Frances Nelson, Howard Crampton.

NOTE—Owing to defects in the film "Ambition" could not be run as advertised.

THE GIRL AND THE GAME

Chapter 4
HELEN'S PERILOUS ESCAPE

Tonight ARCADE

ELKS ATTENTION

The annual election of Officers for the ensuing year, will be held at the regular meeting of the Lodge on Thursday, March 2, 1916, at eight o'clock P. M. All members are requested to be present.

M. B. DONOHUE

Exalted Ruler.