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ELGIN LIKED LION & MOUSE

Elgin people, who, by reason of the fact that they own a better opera house than any other Eastern Oregon city, are looked upon by theatre folk as very competent judges and critics. Therefore the National Stock company which presents "The Lion and the Mouse" at the Arcade tonight, must be a good company for Elgin says it is. The drama this evening will introduce two well known La Grande people, Mr. and Mrs. C. M.

DeVere. Of the "Lion and the Mouse" the Elgin Recorder says: The opening attraction at the City Opera house for the season was the National Stock Co., presenting "The Lion and the Mouse" on Wednesday evening and "The Barrier" on Thursday evening of this week. Elgin people are fortunate this year in securing one of the very best companies ever appearing here for the opening attraction, and to say the audiences were pleased with this company's way of handling these two famous plays is putting it mildly. The strongest possible argument that the company gave satisfaction was the fact that the box office receipts on the second night showed a substantial increase over the first night. Two of the performers are already well and favorably known in Elgin

namely C. M. DeVere and Miss Maynon Steward. Both these people are actors of exceptional ability and won many more friends in Elgin by their work of the last two evenings. There were five other members of the company appearing at this time and each and every one of them was good. Each and every one of them deserves personal mention and the only reason The Recorder does not do so at this time is the fact that we neglected to secure their names. Suffice it to say that there was not a poor, or even ordinary, actor or actress in the company, and all handled their several parts exceptionally well, and will undoubtedly be greeted as they well deserve, with good sized crowds on their return engagement. The management of the City Opera house this year will use every endeavor this season to secure good plays and will refuse to book any company that will not agree to the "satisfaction guaranteed or money back plan," in other words, every show appearing this season will be a guaranteed attraction.

VEST'S DEATH LAMENTED

(Joseph Herald.) Charles E. Vest, one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of this community, passed away at the family home on College street Tuesday morning following an illness of two weeks of blood poisoning. Complications had previously occurred which made his chance for life a remote one, yet strangely dissolution was immediately preceded by a mental alertness that gave rise to new hopes in the minds of loved ones. The funeral services occurred yesterday afternoon from the M. E. church and was largely attended. Rev. F. R. Sibley spoke upon the many splendid attributes of character of the deceased and appropriate music was rendered. Interment was made in the Prairie creek cemetery. Had the deceased lived until the 12th of next month he would have been 67 years of age, his birthplace being Clinto, Mich., and the date December 14, 1849. Moving to Fayetteville, Ark., he married the splendid wife who survives him. Together they came to Joseph in 1884. To this union five children were born, four of whom are living. They are: Mrs. Agnes Rusk of La Grande, Fay Vest of St. Johns, Quebec, Mrs. Mabel Sanders and George Vest. Guy, the deceased son, passed away in Joseph in 1903. Of the living children, Fay, the youngest son, was the only one absent from the parent's bedside when death came, and this only because he lately became a member of the Canadian military and is in camp in Quebec, awaiting transport to Europe. G. H. Vest of Enterprise is a brother. Other relatives reside at points in the east.

Presbyterians Give \$108.75.

One of the splendid contributions made to the Armenian Relief fund from this city, originated in the Presbyterian church Sunday where a total of \$108.75 was raised. In order to accommodate those who left their check books at home Rev. Clark supplied the ushers with blank checks on both banks, and these were freely used.

LOSTINE HAS A REVIVAL

Evangelist Williams Conducting What Promises To Be Fruitful Series—Big Choirs Sing.

Lostine, Ore., Oct. 23.—(Special)—Evangelist A. M. Williams is in what promises to be the greatest meetings ever held in this town. The house is packed at each meeting and he has gathered out an excellent choir and orchestra from local talent. Rev. Williams is a clear, forceful and practical preacher and is winning the hearts of his hearers by the practical manner in which he presents his messages. His audiences are carried by his masterful presentation of the Word from fears to laughter. Not a moment is he still, but is in the pulpit, then down in the aisles, then upon a seat but in all this maneuvering one never is disturbed for he has a constant flow of thoughts and his expression is of the best. He is as gentle as a child in his dealings with the unfortunates, and roars like a monster against the evils of the dance halls of today and like sins. His genuine earnestness is manifest wherever you meet him.

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A leader of men marching fearless and proud,
And you knew of a tale whose mere telling aloud
Would cause his proud head in anguish bowed,
It's a pretty good plan to forget it.
If you knew of a skeleton hidden away
In a closet, and guarded and kept from the day,
In the dark, and whose showing whose sudden display,
Would cause grief and sorrow and life-long dismay,
It's a pretty good plan to forget it.
If you know of a thing that will
darken the joy
Of a man or a woman, a girl or a boy,
That will wipe out a smile, or the least way annoy
A fellow, or cause any gladness to cloy,
It's a pretty good plan to forget it.

—Dean Collins in Oregonian.

Back From the East.

C. J. Forsstrom, who has circled the globe several times and traveled quite extensively in this country, has recently returned from a 20,000-mile trip through the east from the State of Maine to the Carolinas, and over much of the interior country. While down in Virginia he visited our old friend R. H. England, who is at the

head of a railroad corporation in the West Virginia section. Mr. Forsstrom reports business conditions good in the east, and he gives Hughes the lead in the territory visited. He was at the National capital and met a majority of the Senators and Representatives in the National congress. Mr. Forsstrom is a traveler of more than ordinary experience, a good mixer, and may be relied upon to be close to the front in any land. After seven days on the road from Maine to Portland, Mr. Forsstrom sees much to admire in Oregon, and is glad to be at home once more.

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