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HARD TIMES SOCIAL HELD

Telecast People Give Good Imitation of Desperate Conditions in Affair.

TELECAST, Oct. 25—(Special)—The hard time social held by the Telecast grange on Saturday evening was a huge success. The costumes were many and varied. They all indicated hard times. Mrs. Ackley took the ladies' prize for the best costume and Mr. Snider the prize for the gentleman.

A program was given that was in keeping with the hard time social. Refreshments were served to all present. A large crowd was present to enjoy the fun.

The Telecast schools were visited by Mrs. A. E. Lynton, county superintendent; Miss Louise Zorn, county public nurse; Miss Mary Nichols, county librarian, and Mrs. George Cochran last week, the latter having been kind enough to drive the trio of public officials over as guests. Miss Zorn expects to return again in several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson were business visitors in Baker on Saturday.

The teachers of the Telecast schools attended the institute in La Grande and as a result the pupils had three days' holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shafer and family have moved to La Grande. Their many friends miss them very much.

The Asper family is moving on the Shafer place and will make their home there in the future.

Mr. Baxter has bought a large supply of apples from Mr. Parker.

Mrs. Meach was a business visitor in La Grande recently.

Mrs. Hilgard was a La Grande visitor Friday.

Mrs. Briggs who was on the sick list, is now around again.

Mr. Ewing is putting in his fall grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill are enjoying a visit with friends and relatives.

A number of social affairs are being planned for Halloween.

Mr. Goode: "Do you regard tobacco as injurious?"

Mr. Meak: "Undoubtedly. My smoking has done terrible damage to the sitting-room curtains and my wife's disposition!"

OBSERVER WANT ADS PAY

Preferred Stock Coffee

The Niagara Logging company in Clatsop county has resumed operations after a shutdown since May 1.

The steamer Bergen sailed from Coquille Sunday for San Francisco with 1000 sacks of Coos county potatoes.

Steps are being taken at Monmouth to establish a student loan fund to assist needy students in obtaining a normal school education.

Coos county has the largest potato crop it has ever raised, and there have been heavy calls for pickers, who are paid 71 cents a sack.

The airplane owned by the Coos & Curry County Airplane company was destroyed by fire at Scottsburg Friday morning. The loss is \$3900.

Cement for China.

Delicate china may be mended by using the following cement: mix rice flour with cold water and allow it to simmer over a fire until it becomes thick.

BUDGET ITEMS CUT TO BONE AT MEETING

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of city manager and city engineer, allowing \$200 per month for the former and \$100 per month for the latter, the salary of the city manager now being \$200 per month and his duties including also the duties that are included in the office of city engineer, which has not existed this year. No other salaries were cut. One member of the advisory committee expressed himself of the opinion that cuts were impossible as the salaries were how low as could be paid-competent officials.

Police Get Set-Back.

Commissioner McKennon suggested that the police department be cut and it was decided to cut its estimate of \$300 for securing evidence in half and to eliminate the three months' appropriation for a speed cop. The appropriation was for \$125 a month for any of this amount of bonds.

three months. He suggested that the city "make a speed cop out of one of the policemen." There will be a chief, a day man and two night men on the police force as heretofore.

When the water department's estimates came up President W. D. Grandy and Commissioner David I. Stoddard pointed out that not until two years ago when Mr. Garrett took charge of the situation here had the city enjoyed sufficient water at all times and that when Mr. Garrett took charge hundreds of dollars were being paid to the Palmer mill for pumping water and that the wastage of water through inefficient handling of the water system was stupendous and caused the shortage each year no matter how much water was available.

The largest cut in the estimates for expenditures was made in the amount allowed for retiring the \$25,000 city hall (court-house) bonds. The sum of \$7500 was provided for this purpose and this was eliminated. No provisions have been made to take care of the bonds.

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