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A DISAPPOINTMENT.

Oregon's Highway commission was to have been in La Grande this week for a final visit and adjudication of the tag ends of what seems to be a very badly mixed road program. We say badly mixed, for there has been information available to determine just how Union county stands with the Highway Commission. The bookkeeping of the commission, may be correct but if it is Union county is in debt the rest of the time until Gabriel blows his trumpet. On the other hand, bookkeeping is just book-keeping and entries in one account may offset the entries in another.

Had the commission paid a visit to the county it is doubtful if the accounts could have been brought so that full and free discussion could have been made, but anyway mention of the feeling held here could have been carried to the members of the commission by word of mouth which is always stronger and more impressive than by letter.

The Cove people have a justifiable complaint, not against the State Highway commission, but against the general trend of events which has prevented a shovel full of dirt being turned on the proposed La Grande-Cove highway. If the county knew just what it had to do with the highway commission's claim to reimbursement, then work could be started on the Cove road provided the State did not demand immediate payment.

It is too bad the commission members could not have been here as the entire community expected and preparations had been made to entertain the members in a most hospitable manner.

JUST STARTED

There is a new method of utilizing low grade ores which will prolong the life of the iron ore supplies in the Lake Superior region for 300 years.

Now nobody need lie awake nights wondering what the next generation is going to do for iron ore. But the man who goes off for a long sleep and pays no attention to scientific discoveries is going to miss some pretty interesting experiences in the next few years.

The view from where we sit would seem to indicate not only that Science still had a few tricks up its sleeve, but that as a matter of fact, it's accomplishments up to the present time has been merely preliminary. It has not yet begun on "the main performance in the big tent beyond."

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

A student body meeting was held yesterday afternoon as the final meeting of the year. A financial report was made and was as follows: Total deposits for the year, \$1,809.01; total expenditures, \$1,734.37; cash on hand at end of year, \$74.64. Of the cash on hand \$25 will be set aside for the construction of a trophy case to be made next year; \$50 will be placed to the credit of the student body for next year, and the remainder will be placed in the bank on interest as a fund for the upkeep of the athletic field.

Following the financial report Coach Carl Lodehl presented ten men with letters won in track. The letters are a white flying L.

Those receiving letters were Captain Grant Peat, Earl Larsen, Clark Price, Christian Sandberg, Ray Lynch, Leo Hawes, Dallas Jacobson, George Garrick, William Houghton and Jess Bean. Letters were awarded for winning one or more points in the Eastern Oregon Track Meet or winning nine or more points in dual track meets.

In the interclass competition for the year the Freshmen won, receiving a great felt pennant with the numerals "23" in orange and red. The Freshmen proved themselves the people's class of the year by winning by one full point over their nearest opponent, the Junior class, which had three points. The Seniors and Sophomores tied for the cellular championship with two points apiece.

A student body dance will be held in the high school gymnasium on Saturday evening. Each student may invite someone else, providing they have the name of their guest in the hands of the executive committee before noon today. The dancing will begin at 8:30 and last until 11:30 o'clock.

This year's executive committee, composed of Ted Larsen, Alfred McVey, Marjorie O'Brien, Grant Bean, and Prin. E. D. Twyler and Supt. A. C. Hampton as advisors, will give a banquet to the incoming executive committee, composed of T. C. McDonald, Bertha Bozler and Sheldon Brown, with the same advisors, in the domestic science department on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. The books will be turned over to the new committee and a new manager for the coming year will be selected.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

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Bible Thought. For Today

GOD'S PLEASANT SURPRISES: Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.—1 Corinthians 2:9.

Shame on You, Boys, Shame!



Codes of the public schools of Nashville, Tenn., defeated the boys in a rifle contest. Elizabeth Harris, left, and Katherine Culbert made 54. The latter won the tie with 54.

THE OFFICE CAT



SIGNS OF PROGRESS.

A Kansas law states that when two trains meet at a crossing each is to stop, whistle, and wait until the other gets by.

It is easy to form an eternal triangle if the woman isn't square and the man is a rounder.

Los Angeles Times: A lawyer earning about \$3,000 a year was insured for \$50,000. He got shipwrecked once, and was rescued by a miracle. As soon as his raft reached land he called to his partner: "I am saved. Try and break it to my wife gently."

THE WISE VIRGINS.

Long ago, the wise virgins arose, trimmed their lamps, took oil in their vessels, and went forth to meet the bridegroom. When the bridegroom came they were ready.

Today, the wise virgins drop a little belladonna into their lamps, trim their eyebrows to a thin line, darken their lashes with eye lotion, and also go forth to meet the bridegroom.

Poverty may not encourage virtue but perhaps you have noticed that the man with the hoe is seldom a rascal.

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brood over your troubles, but don't

brood over your troubles, but don't cry about them either. "Ja hear about the Indian the first time he saw a bicycle? He says: 'Ugh! Just like a lavy white man. Sittin' down to walk.'"

TO MISS ONE WOULDN'T EITHER.

"I want to get a house to rent," they told the real estate agent.

"All right, my friend, I have just what you want. Nice three room house; rent, eight dollars; but, understand, there is no bathroom in the house."

"Dot makes me no difference. We only want it for a year."

In counting the cost most of us are born mathematicians.

THIS FATE.

A man who falls in love with himself is liable to find himself alone with his sweatshirt forever after.

"What are you going to call the baby?"

"I'm going to call him whatever my wife names him."

Refreshing Nickel Plating. A new nickel-plating solution said to yield beautiful results is prepared by mixing the liquid obtained by evaporating a solution of one-half ounce nickel in aqua regia to a pasty mass and dissolving it in one pound of aqua ammonia, with that obtained by treating the same quantity of nickel with a solution of two ounces cyanide of potassium in one pound of water. More cyanide renders the deposit whiter and more ammonia renders it grayer.

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One is the very popular "Flapper" style, with wide strap and buckle. It is priced at \$5.75.

The other is a low cut-away pump with single wide strap, buttoned, and a very low heel. This pump is of "QUEEN QUALITY" make. It is priced at \$8.00.

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See the display in one of our windows. Prices from \$1.99 to \$2.00.

TEA SHOP FAMED IN HISTORY

LONDON, MAY 19.—In Gracechurch Lane, an obscure by-way just outside one of London's busiest commerce centers, American tourists may see over a grocer's store the "Sign of the Crown and Three Gilt Sugar Loaves" that marks the location of the shop whence the tea was shipped in 1773 that ultimately went overboard in Boston Harbor during the world's famous tea party.

Only the sign, which was but recently restored and which bears the big gold numerals "1759," the year the firm was established, is suggestive of remote times. The grocer's shop, conducted by descendants

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Corn, can.....	15c

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Try our new Doughnuts, doz.....	25c
Fresh Green Peas, 2 pounds.....	25c
Fine, large head Lettuce, 2 heads.....	25c
Nice ripe Tomatoes, pound.....	25c
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