

MUST TAKE BONDS OR FORFEIT \$1,000

Tired of the delay in its negotiations to sell the Hood River water bonds to Morris Bros., the city council Monday night directed the city recorder to notify the bond house that unless the deal is closed in the next few days their check for \$1,000, which has been placed in the hands of the city treasurer, will be forfeited. When the ultimatum decided on by the city fathers is received by Morris Bros. it is expected there will be something stirring. It was expected that the bond deal would be closed up some time ago. The delay, according to the bond house, is being caused by their attorney, who has not yet passed on the legality of the issue.

CENTRAL VALE

A free for all good time at the school on Halloween. Every family of this community is making big preparations to attend the convention of witches and ghosts which will at the Central Vale school playgrounds on next Tuesday evening. A big pile of logs will be kept burning while the ghosts and witches entertain. Hollow eyed pumpkins with their baleful glare will keep watch over the hungry multitude while it is being mysteriously fed, from the hands of ghosts, on pumpkin pies, doughnuts, gingerbread, etc. A small caravan of gypsies are on their road over the mountains and their tents will be pitched on our ground so that we may have our fortunes revealed. It is the desire of the entertainment committee that not one member of a single home in this community be absent from the assembling of the broom riding witches and spectered forms.

Mr. Waldo Arnes returned from Portland Monday with his mother, who has recently come from New York City. They will live on the Wooth place till their new building is completed on their ranch.

We are glad to see so much fruit moving out to market while the roads remain so good.

Cameron and Leininger have been very busy this week hauling lumber for Mr. Arnes' house.

Our teachers report a profitable as well as pleasant day spent at the local institute held in the Barrett school building last Saturday. They believe that Central Vale will not far behind, if not abreast with, that neighborhood in establishing the three hour study plan, and spending the remainder of the school day in practical work in shop and in the study of horticulture. We hope before long we may have the teachers of the county come up and dedicate our new room which has been so recently completed.

The young people report a very pleasant evening spent with Miss Mary Shepard last Friday evening. They underwent the first operation of being converted into witches and ghosts for Halloween. The transforming power of Miss Miller is excellent, and there is no question that we will have real ghosts and witches. Their next meeting is Wednesday.



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LOCAL CONCERT SCORES SUCCESS

The concert given by the amateur musicians of the valley, under the auspices of the ladies of the Congregational church, at Odd Fellows hall Friday evening was the most ambitious in character ever attempted here. From a musical point of view it was also the best and most largely attended.

Its hearty reception by the large audience left no doubt as to the appreciation of the efforts of the performers, and also of the well-selected program, which, it may be added, was neither too long to prove wearisome nor too short to send the music lover away unsatisfied.

In a program of such width of variety, comparison as to excellence is out of the question. Likewise, any technical criticism that might be made is unnecessary. Indeed the latter is so far overborne by the fact that a community the size of Hood River is able to supply the talent necessary to put on a musical entertainment of this high class character, that it is entirely lost sight of. One fact was demonstrated most fully—that the ability displayed, if encouraged and cooperated with, will make Hood River a bright spot in the amateur musical world. The announcement by Mr. Epping that it is the intention of the musicians who took part, and others who wish to participate in the movement, to give a series of concerts this winter, was heard with interest and pleasure by the audience, and if properly carried out should bring very gratifying results. The forming of a large chorus would help wonderfully in developing the natural musical talent of the

community as a whole.

In the performance Friday night there was little to remind one of the amateur, the self-possession of the performers and the smoothness with which the numbers and encores were given, adding much to the merits of the affair. The singers were in capital voice, while nothing marred the execution of the instrumentalists. While far from being the most difficult, "The Blue Danube Waltz," arranged for a mixed quartet, was perhaps the most pleasing number to the audience, its dreamy cadences and rhythm appealing to the American's natural love of tune. The program, to which the performers graciously gave encores to each number, was as follows:

- PART I
- Duet, (Moszkowski).....
- Mrs. C. E. Coffin, Miss Grace Carter
- Contralto Solo, "Spring," (Edith Dick).....Mrs. Charles Henney
- Violin Solo, (Selected).....
-Mrs. Charles Hall
- Baritone Solo—
- (a) "Good-bye" (Tosti).....
- (b) "A Year at the Spring" (Beach).....
-Mr. J. Adrian Epping
- Euphonium Solo, "Carmen," (Bizet).....
-Mr. Charles Henney
- PART II
- Piano Solo, Prelude, (Rachmaninoff).....
-Mrs. C. E. Coffin
- Soprano Solo, "When the Heart is Young," (Buck).....
-Mrs. F. E. Deem
- Vocal Duet, "The Crimson Glow," (Root).....
-Mrs. P. S. Davidson, Mrs. C. Henney
- Bass Solo, "Israel," (Oliver King).....
-Mr. O. T. Wedemeyer
- Quartet, "The Blue Danube," (Strauss).....
-Mrs. Davidson, Mr. G. R. Wilbur, Mrs. Henney, Mr. Charles Henney
- Accompanists—Mrs. C. E. Coffin and Mrs. Geo. R. Wilbur.

HOOD RIVER AUTOISTS TAKE LONG TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Simons, who live in the Oak Grove district, have just returned from a two weeks' motor trip through central Oregon and Willamette valley to Portland, following the Pacific highway signs recently placed by the Portland Auto Club from Portland to Ashland.

Mr. Simons shipped the machine to The Dalles, where Mrs. Simons joined him. The trip extended through Grass Valley, Shaniko, Madras, Prineville, Redmond, Bend, La Pine to Klamath Falls, crossing over two mountain ranges to Ashland, thence north through Medford, Jacksonville Grants Pass, Roseburg, Eugene, Corvallis, McMinnville to Portland.

"The trip," said Mr. Simons, "through the central portion of the state was enjoyed. The roads were in excellent condition and free from dust or mud, the air was clear and crisp, affording splendid views over that promising portion of the state with its thousands of fertile acres awaiting the settler. The wooded section south of Redmond will furnish ample building material and fuel for many years, large areas are and will be under the water ditch, which will give forth bountiful returns to the grower and furnish large tonnage for the recently constructed transportation lines in that section of the state.

"The road over the mountain was wet and muddy for 38 of the 69 miles between Klamath Falls and Ashland. From the latter place a perfect road was encountered to Glendale in Cow Creek canyon; from Oakland to Cottage Grove the road was worse than a trail, for it invited travel, but the ruts, deep mud, chuck holes and miles of adobe from eight inches to twenty inches in depth made travel slow and very unsatisfactory. From Cottage Grove to Portland, via Eugene, Corvallis and McMinnville the road was fair and the only regret was that the trip terminated so early.

"We had no machine trouble, the Cadillac performing perfectly even at an altitude of 5000 feet."

Mr. Simons found the subject of good roads to be the foremost throughout the trip and in the three valleys traversed on the west side of the Cascade mountains there is room for work.

"The old stage road throughout Douglas county," he continued, "is the main line of travel for vehicles north and south, and that road 'needs fixin' for 80 per cent of the distance through the county. A new survey would undoubtedly locate a better route over the mountains, reducing many of the 20 to 30 per cent grades, and this feature should be carefully studied before money is expended with a view of making a permanent highway. Under the existing conditions of sharp turns and grades the trip should not be undertaken by any novice in automobilizing.

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Death Caused by Appendicitis
Mrs. Beulah Showers, daughter of J. L. Walker of this city, died in Portland Sunday night from an attack of appendicitis. Mrs. Showers was a widow with one child and was well known at Hood River, having spent the summer here. In addition to her parents she is survived by her sister, Miss Otta Walker, and two brothers.

Ghosts Serve at Dinner Party
A unique social entertainment during the week was given at the country home of Mrs. J. W. Ingalls who gave a Halloween dinner party to a number of friends Thursday evening. Covers were laid for fourteen and the house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Guests were met at the door by members of the household dressed as ghosts, and were also served at table by those uncanny spirits, who playfully invited the diners after concluding a sumptuous repast to take a stroll in the cemetery. Declining this pleasure the party was invited to play 500, the prizes being won by W. L. Clark and Mrs. C. H. Jenkins, the former taking first honors and the latter second. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. Karaga, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steinhoff, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ingalls and Miss Freeman.

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\$30,000 REALTY DEAL CLOSED UP

One of the largest real estate deals of the season was made last week, when W. B. Shaffer, vice-president of the Preston-Shaffer Milling Co., with large flour mills at Watsburg, Wash., and Athena, Ore., purchased of W. S. Farris, through Hadlock & McConnell, the R. E. Harbison ranch of 40 acres, located one-half mile southeast of Odell, for \$30,000. Mr. Shaffer gave as part payment 640 acres of valuable wheat land located near Lone, Oregon. The Harbison tract is all set to trees except ten acres, and is considered one of the most valuable tracts in the valley. Mr. Farris will care for the ranch until spring, at which time it is the intention of Mr. Shaffer to make it a home place.

TENNIS SOCIAL CLUB TO GIVE HALLOWEEN DANCE

The Tennis Social Club comes out with an announcement this week of a Halloween masquerade dance, which will be held in Hellbrommer hall Thursday evening, October 31st. There will be special decorations and music, and one of the most enjoyable dances of the season is being planned. Dancing will start promptly at 8:30, with unmasking at 10 o'clock. Special Halloween refreshments will be served during the evening, and the committee informs those who contemplate coming to be prepared to have a good time.

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