JOLLY ELKS WILL GIVE STAG SOCIAL TONIGHT

Fine Vaudeville Stunts, Sumptuous Array of the Good Things to Eat and Drink, and Mysterious Surprises on Program—For Elks Only.

A man climbed the stairs of The Journal office this morning and said he had a little notice he wanted to put in the paper. It was not so very early this morning. The man explained. He said that he had intended getting around early, but that he had slept late intentionally, owing to the fact that he was

going to be up late tonight with a whole lot of other fellows.

The man wore a pin in the lapel of his coat—and a smile. Said he had been smiling for a week, and that a bunch of others who wore the same kind of pins had been doing the same. It was anticipation. Tonight, he said, the event that had brought about that smile was coming to a showdown.

The event is to be the Elks' stag social.

The time, tonight.

The place, the lodge rooms.

And the girl—there ain't going to be no girls.

But all the Elks and all the visiting Elks are a-going to be there is big as life, and then some.

Besides great things to eat, more than ever before, different and something for every one with assurances that there is to be a lot left over, the man said the spread was to be a feature—that is, one of the features. Asserted that there were to be so many features that he might have forgotten some of them. And besides the features—said he wasn't joking a bit about the features—there were to be a great many surprises, real surprises that he couldn't tell about.

All the time the man kept talking about the vaudeville stunts, too. He was just chuck full of information about the jinks tonight. Then he would begin to say something about the eatings again. Then, almost before you knew it, he was a-going along fast, rattling off a lot of things about who was a-going to be there. He mentioned most everybody you know, or that anybody else knows.

"Come on over if you want to have some fun," the man said, "but you'll have to be an Elk before you can get in." And then he explained again how the stag was a-going to be the greatest ever and that the event was for the resident members and the visiting brethren who might happen to be in Portland.

All of a sudden the chap went to talking some more about the vaudeville stunts. Told how hard they all had worked to get them, and all that. Then he read the list of performers. Every one about the office looked dubious. The man said that it was plainly to be seen that there was no one there who believed him. So he went away, but he left a little slip of paper behind. Said he'd be much obliged if The Journal would print it. On the paper was some typewriting. Here's what it said:

"Monster aggregation of vaudeville artists that will appear at the Elks' stag social on Thursday evening, October 22: Jesse L. Laskey's seven hoboes, courtesy of Orpheum theatre; the four Nightons, Olympian gymnasts, courtesy of Orpheum theatre; Miss Mabel Maitland monologuist, courtesy of Orpheum theatre; Arnold and Ethel Grazers, 'Going In Vaudeville,' courtesy of Grand theatre; Al Coleman, dialect comedian, courtesy of Grand theatre; Rosa Roma, violin virtuoso, courtesy of Grand theatre; the marvelous Hardeen, courtesy of Pantages theatre; Lester and Quinn, the boys with the loose feet, courtesy of Pantages theatre; the Swickards, comedy singers, courtesy of Pantages theatre; Professor Webber's orchestra, courtesy of the Louvre; Professor H. K. Evenson's orchestra, courtesy of the Pantages theatre; moving pictures, Marathon races, and slides showing the Oregon athletes, courtesy of the Crown theatre; Erwin Blunkall company, dramatic sketch, courtesy of the Lyric theatre. In fact all the available talent in the city of Portland."

FINE LAWNS TAKE PRIZES

A friendly competition for the honor of having the best kept, neatest and most attractive lawns owned by its employes around the substations along the line of the O. W. P. division, from Portland to Estacada, has been concluded and cash prizes awarded by the park department of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. The employes who received prizes were: W. Foster of Sellwood substation, R. Sleight and R. Wall of Lents station, J. C. Schultze and C. Davis of Boring, C. L. Chambers and J. E. Plummer of Eagle Creek. The several employes at Faraday, the station where is located the power plant of the traction company, were also remembered as the residence lawns of the employes at this point have been kept in most attractive condition during the summer.

The men in charge of the power stations at each point took a special pride and pleasure in the effort to beautify the otherwise unattractive plots of ground surrounding the stations and entered enthusiastically into the work. Sellwood station got the first prize owing to the fact that the lawn at this place is the largest. At Eagle Creek, Sellwood and Lents quite a showing was made in the growth of sweet peas, which were a great success for the first season.

At Boring the biggest advance in lawn making and flower culture was noted, as the boys here had the hardest work and the most unpromising ground to convert into lawns and flower beds. The competition will probably be carried on another year and made a stronger feature.

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C. E. Ferguson, 6047 Normal Ave., Chicago, writes: "I want to say a word in your paper for the benefit of the Ruptured. I was ruptured for 30 years and found no help until I used Dr. Rice's Treatment, and then I was completely cured.

There is no operation, no pain no danger of any kind and you do not lose a single day from your work. I am a painter by trade and I climbed and swung my ladders around as a painter must, but it made no difference, the cure took place just the same.

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KANSAS SOCIAL CLUB PLANNED

Kansas people living in Portland are planning to organize an association to be known as the Sunflower Social club. The "Jayhawkers" will not give much attention to politics, or to anything serious as a club, but will devote themselves to having a good time generally, and to telling of the days when they lived "back east," and how they got out to the coast, and all that.

During the winter, and next summer, too, the club will meet at the homes of the different members at stated intervals.

The petition for the organization of the club is being circulated by J. W. Crossley, a former Kansan. There are hosts of former Kansas people living in Portland and vicinity, and owing to this fact the formation of a society was suggested some time ago by Miss Pearl Shaw, formerly of Atchison.

Any Kansan desiring to become a member of the association may notify Mr. Crossley by telephone, and he will be glad to call on him. Mr. Crossley's telephone number is A-5579 of the automatic system.

The first meeting is to be held Saturday evening, October 31. At that time the club will be organized and officers elected. The place of meeting has not as yet been definitely decided.

BAD MAN OF ITALY GETS HIS QUIETUS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 22.—While the body of Antonio Tortolo, a reputed bad man of Italy and Nevada, lies on a slab at the morgue, the police are looking for unknown assailants who gave him the knife thrust that ended his life last night.

Tortolo arrived in this city several days ago and spent the greater portion of his time with two cronies, Antonio Deveneenzi and Louis Prisolo, who are held by the police. Nothing is known of his movements until yesterday, when he went with Deveneenzi to the Latin quarter.

Last night Tortolo appeared at the Columbia saloon, nearby, took off his coat and went outside. Five minutes later he staggered in, bleeding from a wound in his side. He became unconscious and died early today.

The dead man was said to have murdered a man in Italy and to have attacked several men in Nevada.

PROFESSIONALS ROB SOUTH DAKOTA BANK

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 22.—The vaults of the State bank of Vergil were opened last night by cracksmen who dynamited the steel doors after breaking their way into the building. The burglars took with them $4,700 and valuable papers. The work of the safecrackers was clean-cut and showed that skilled operators had worked on the job. After securing the money and papers the gang fled, leaving no clue.

Companies Incorporated.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Oct. 22.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of secretary of state as follows:

Strong & Co.; principal office, Portland; capital stock, $50,000; incorporators, Fred H. Strong, George M. Strong and O. L. Price.

NEED CASH FOR FINAL STRUGGLE

Democratic State Central Committee Makes Last Appeal.

The end of the campaign is in sight, and the Taft and Bryan forces are lining up for the final struggle. During the last week it is the intention of Taft headquarters to flood the state with speakers, extolling the virtues of their candidate, and it is the desire at Bryan headquarters to counteract this move.

Oregon is a doubtful state, and in the opinion of those well posted politically a long, strong pull on the last week of the campaign will throw the state into the Bryan column. It is within the range of possibility that Oregon's four electoral votes may decide the presidency in the electoral college.

Friends of Bryan are urged therefore to come to the aid of their champion and assist in financing the remainder of the campaign. Halls must be hired and speakers must be sent out over the state. It is up to the friends of Bryan to lend a helping hand to the campaign managers during these last days of the battle. Contributions are asked for from the common people, those who will profit most by the election of Bryan.

Send them to the Bryan and Kern campaign fund, care of The Portland Journal, and make all checks payable to Jefferson Meyers, chairman of the finance committee. All contributions will be acknowledged.

GOGORZA HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR AMERICA

Emilio de Gogorza, the eminent baritone speaking of the position taken by America and Americans in the world of music is quoted as follows by a well known eastern journal.

"As far as concerts, orchestral organizations the opera and the like," said Mr. Gogorza, "are concerned, America is certainly up to if not ahead of other nations. Where will you find a better orchestra than the Boston Symphony, or better opera than that at the Metropolitan or the Manhattan? Or better teachers than we now have in this country? Look at the great success of Mrs. Corinne Rider-Kelsey, in Covent garden, London, last month. She is an example of what the American method and teachers are, for the critics without stint praised her method of singing as high as they did the beautiful quality of her voice. She was the first purely American trained singer to sing in an important performance in a leading European opera house.

Mr. Gogorza, whose beautiful baritone will be heard in a most artistic song recital at the Heilig theatre on October 29, is a great favorite here in Portland, and made many friends on his previous trips west. His concert is under the direction of Lois Steers-Wynn Coman, and the seat sale opens Tuesday evening, October 27.

IMMEDIATE RELIEF

From Coughs, Colds, Sore Throats and Hoarseness, by Using Hyomei.

When you catch cold you want to get rid of it as quickly as you can. You don't want to lie around the house for a week swallowing nauseating drugs. You know when you do this that you are not only making your own life miserable, but are a nuisance to every one about you.

Why not avoid all this; why not relieve your cold in five minutes; why not cure it over night? You can do it by using Hyomei, the sure and guaranteed cure for Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Catarrh, Bronchitis and Asthma.

Hyomei is medicated and antiseptic air; you breathe it into the lungs through a small pocket inhaler, and its soothing influences as it passes over the inflamed membrane of the respiratory tract, stops the mucous discharge, allays the inflammation and the cold is cured. A complete Hyomei outfit costs $1.00, and Woodard, Clarke & Co. will refund your money if it fails to cure.

Husband and Wife Cured.

I had a bad form of catarrh. My left nostril was closed entirely. There was also a constant dripping of blood from the right. I only used Hyomei a little over two weeks, and am now cured. My husband was also cured of catarrh and lung trouble two years ago by Hyomei.—Mrs. Harry Obney, Alliance, Ohio.

JOHN BARRETT IS HOST AT INFORMAL BANQUET

John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics, entertained a number of friends last night at a dinner given at the Portland hotel. At the conclusion of the dinner many of those present spoke, complimenting their host on his achievements in public life, reviewing his work as a former Portland man and later as a diplomat. To these complimentary remarks Mr. Barrett responded briefly, thanking his guests for the many kind words spoken.

Among those present at the dinner were: Charles J. Schnabel, Dr. Norris R. Cox, F. W. Mulkey, William D. Wheelwright, T. B. Wilcox, George W. Hazen, Tom Richardson, E. B. Piper, C. W. Hodson, C. S. Jackson, Dr. H. W. Coe, Cyrus A. Dolph, G. E. McDonell, W. W. Cotton, Dr. A. E. Rockey, J. D. Coleman, William McMurray, Gus Moser, T. S. Townsend, Judge R. B. Morrow, H. L. Pittock, C. H. Carey, C. W. Swigert, David M. Dunne, C. M. Idleman, E. L. Thompson, Lute Pease, S. B. Vincent.

Building Permits.

Mrs. J. D. Van Evra, erect one story frame dwelling, Bismark street between East Thirty-fourth and East Thirty-fifth, $1,600; Gay Lombard, erect six story concrete office building, Stark street between Fifth and Sixth, $120,000; G. M. Rosenstiel, erect one story frame dwelling, East Seventeenth street between Mildred and Surman, $1,500; Jake Moeller, erect one story frame dwelling, Horatio street between Fremont and Revere, $500; Dr. Thomas Darling, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, East Fifty-first street between East Stevens and East Mill, $1,500; Dr. Thomas Darling, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, East Fifty-first street between East Stevens and East Mill, $1,500; Dr. Thomas Darling, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, East Fifty-first street between East Stephens and East Mill, $1,500; James Baker, erect two story frame dwelling, Brooklyn street between East Sixth and East Seventh, $1,500; G. B. Tetherow, erect two story frame dwelling, Ainsworth street, corner Thirty-first, $1,800; Mr. Esps, repair one story frame dwelling, East Nineteenth street, between Tibbetts and Powell, $1,200; Mrs. S. A. Wirt, erect one story frame dwelling, Bismark street between East Twenty-sixth and East Twenty-seventh, $1,200.

Notaries Commissioned.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Oct. 22.—Commissions as notaries have been issued to Frank S. Munn, Henry C. Prudhomme and H. C. Kink, Portland, and E. Lipton, Falls City.

S.S.S. MAKES A LASTING CURE

There are certain mineral medicines which will remove the external symptoms of Contagious Blood Poison, and shut the disease up in the system for awhile, but when the treatment is left off the disease will surely return. Then the loathsome symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, copper-colored spots, falling hair, sores and ulcers, etc., are usually worse because the disease has made rapid progress on the internal members, and weakened the constitution and general health of the sufferer. S. S. S. is the only remedy that can be used with perfect safety in the treatment of Contagious Blood Poison, and with the assurance that a lasting cure will result. This medicine, made entirely of roots and herbs of recognized curative and tonic value, antidotes and destroys the powerful virus of the disease, and by purifying the blood of every particle of the poison and enriching and strengthening the circulation, removes every sympmptom of the trouble. S. S. S. does not hide or cover up the disease in any way, but drives it entirely out from the blood, leaving not the slightest trace for future outbreaks. Home treatment book with valuable information and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write.

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Friday Coat Sale Val. to $16.50 $6.85

Best Coat for Street, Traveling, Stormy Weather, Etc.—Saves Hard Wear on Your Better One

The first shoppers tomorrow morning will get the very cream of this really excellent collection of serviceable Long Coats; but **ALL** will get bargains, as every coat in the lot—75 all told—represents good value at its **NORMAL** price. They're made of Broadcloth, Cheviot and Tweed, in black, blue, brown, wine, gray—also fancy mixtures, checks and stripes. The styles both loose and half-fitting. The price seems absurdly low, but visit the store tomorrow and realize their value. Remember, all day Friday and Saturday, **IF THEY LAST** **$6.85**

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