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CITY FINANCES.

The indebtedness of the city has now taken care of for the next twenty-five by the bonds recently sold.

SESSION LAWS OF 1895.

The legislature of 1895 has received blame without limit; but few words of praise. We confess we were unable to appreciate the value of their services to this great state until the concentrated wisdom of the session, as contained in what history and our children will call the "Session Laws of 1895," came to our table, and we learned for the first time that hereafter all lands covered by county roads shall be exempt from taxation.

THE WAY IT SEEMS TO US.

We make no pretension of understanding the silver question as well as they who continually discuss it, but we are of the opinion that if wheat will sell in Oregon for sixty cents or more per bushel next fall, populists, silver democrats and silver republicans will forget that wheat and silver have any more intimate relation than silver and sugar, silver and wool, or silver and cotton.

We would suggest that Commissioner Lamoraux, of the general land office, spend his summer in the Cascade range shooting off sheep. He would learn that the pasturing of these mountains for the past fifteen years has not harmed the herbage about which he is so solicitous.

This earth is too pleasant a dwelling place for the boy or man mean enough to plant tacks for the purpose of puncturing bicycle tires, or who goes about using pins for that purpose; such pins of Satan should have been born on Saturn, where they could delight themselves making holes in that planet's beautiful tires.

Reports from Sherman county are to the effect that the recent copious showers have left the grain in a very promising condition. The same is true as to Tygh Ridge in this county. Reports from the Big Bend of the Deschutes are less encouraging, as less rain has fallen there than farther south.

Conservative speculators in Chicago prophesy that wheat will reach the \$1 mark before it is lower. At the rate it advanced yesterday—three cents—it will not take long.

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CLOSING OF THE YEAR.

Continued from Third Page. was one of the very best of the evening. The young lady has good elocutionary powers and recited in a perfect manner the mishaps of a man who was "Too Late for the Train." The members of the Mandolin Club, Professor Stratton, John Booth, F. W. Wilson, Miss Helm, Etta Strong, Florence Lewis, Mabel Stone and Lois Helm rendered a pretty selection.

The title of Miss May Sechler's essay was "Silent Forces of Nature." She told of how the great deeds of nature are done so silently and how quiet influences at work have brought about great results. Her essay was well received.

Miss Bessie French recited in a charming manner "Magdalena; or the Spanish Duel." The poem was one of those soft Spanish tales of love and combat, and the fair reciter gave it with much expression, indicative of natural ability and careful elocutionary training.

The next piece was "To Thee, O Country," sung by the Double Quartette with good effect. Following this came the oration of Miss Pearle Butler. The title was "Monuments Imperishable." The young lady, in fittingly-chosen language and much dramatic effect, spoke of those monuments which did not perish and to which the world owed much. She paid high tribute to the men who endowed our great universities, which are "Monuments Imperishable."

A selection "Gently Sighs the Breeze," sung by Hattie Cram, Lena Thompson, Lizzie Bonn and Grace Glenn, closed the evening's performance.

Prof. Gavin and his corps of instructors can feel well pleased at the success of their efforts. The exhibition made a good impression upon the hearers and bore evidence of the high standard of work done by our public schools.

AT THE ACADEMY PARK SCHOOLS.

The Academy Park school is surely unrivalled in its surroundings. Familiar as it is to every visitor yesterday every voice exclaimed in praise of the magnificent view, the beauty of the park and the airy sweetness of the rooms. This building is under the charge of the Misses Rintoul, Miss Phirman and Miss Flinn. These teachers have all proved before their fitness for their work and if any recent comer was among the audience they must have speedily been converted to this belief that the pupils are fortunate in the intelligent, wise and loving guidance under which they are placed. The only thing to criticize was in the small accommodation for visitors and it was not only small but poor when you had it. It would be well if so large a building be planned to afford one good sized, well arranged audience hall. In the program the violet drill perhaps appealed most strongly to the sentiment of beauty, but the patriotic drill was not only beautiful but touched a deeper chord. It would be a great boon to our lovely town if such delightful occasions as this could be afforded semi-annually.

We are sorry not to be able to give a more extended mention of the different exercises, but it was impossible to be everywhere at once and so we can only publish the remaining programs Monday, which on account of lack of room were omitted today.

Let Us Be Thankful.

This is a glorious day for Wasco county. Early this morning a gentle rain began to fall, and has continued all day, wetting the ground and calling to renewed life the growing grain. It means dollars and dollars to the residents of this section, and the farmers and merchants and everyone else can go to church tomorrow bubbling over with feelings of thankfulness in their hearts that the harvest is now assured.

A lady's cape found at the Payton matinee has been left at this office, where the owner can get it.

Bishop Morris will hold services at St. Paul's Episcopal church tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

P. Dehuff received a telegram announcing the Steamer Norma had made the perilous trip from Huntington to Lewiston in safety, arriving there yesterday afternoon.

The reports from up the country today say that the Snake and Clearwater rivers are falling. The Columbia is falling at Umatilla. The upper Columbia is rising. The river will continue to rise slowly at The Dalles.

The directors of the D. P. & A. N. Co. held an informal meeting yesterday, at which a full board was present. Nothing of general importance was transacted. Capt. James Shaver met the directors in an unofficial way.

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At the Falls the excursionists will be met by train and boatloads of people from Portland. After viewing the Falls and Gorge for half or three-quarters of an hour, the trains will proceed to the Locks, where several hours will be spent in amusements and dancing.

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS will be awarded in the following contests: Ladies' Race, Fat Men's Race, Climbing Greased Pole, and Sack Race.

The train will start from the depot at 8 o'clock A. M., where it will be joined by trains of excursionists from Heppner, Arlington and Grants.

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