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## REGULATIONS FOR THE LENTEN SEASON

Archbishop Christie of Portland, through Bishop C. J. O'Reilly of Baker City, has issued the following rules for the Eastern Oregon diocese for the observance of the Lenten season, which begins tomorrow:

- These rules were read in all Catholic churches in the diocese last Sunday morning.
- The rules are as follows:
- Lent begins February 17th. All the faithful not legitimately dispensed, are obligated in conscience to observe the laws of the church concerning the Lenten fast, as follows:
    - The use of flesh meat is allowed at every meal on Sundays, as well as the principal meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, Saturdays of the Ember Days and Holy Week excepted.
    - The use of fish, milk, butter and eggs is permitted on all days of Lent at the evening collation, and the principal meals on those days on which the use of flesh meat is forbidden.
    - In the morning a small piece of bread is allowed with a cup of coffee, tea, chocolate or some similar drink.
    - When the principal meal cannot be taken before noon, the order may be inverted and the collation taken in the morning and the dinner in the evening.
    - Lard or grease may be used in preparing the lawful viaticals.
    - Those of the faith who are exempt from the obligation of fasting can, on the days when the use of flesh meat is permitted to all of the faithful, be allowed to use it several times a day, as on the Sundays of Lent, when the obligation is not binding. The use of both flesh meat and fish together to the same meal is strictly forbidden during the whole of Lent.

The following persons are exempt from fasting: All those who have not attained their 21st year or who have passed their 60th year; those whose weak health or condition otherwise may demand the full amount of nourishment, and all of whose occupations are of a laborious and exhausting nature.

Those who are excused from fasting, on account of age or hard labor, may use flesh meat more than once on the days on which it is allowed.

By an indulgent of our Holy Father, Pius IX, the soldiers and seamen in the United States service have only six days of abstinence during the year, viz: Ash Wednesday; the last three days of the Holy Week; the Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary; the Vigil of Christmas. This dispensation does not exempt from the law of fasting.

By another indulgent of the 15th of March, 1895, the Holy See has given for ten years, to the bishops of the United States the faculty of dispensing, in favor of working people, from the law of abstinence on certain days.

By virtue of this indulgent and dispensation of Lent, working people are permitted to use flesh meat once a day on all fast and abstinence days of the year, except Fridays, Ash Wednesday, Wednesday and Saturday in Holy Week, and the Vigil of Christmas.

The above dispensation is granted not only to working men and women but also to their entire families.

It is eminently in accordance with the spirit of the church that all those who use the dispensations from the fast and abstinence, should supply, in part, the spirit of penance, by prayers and almsdeeds; by avoiding all public shows, parties and amusements, and by abstaining from all intoxicating beverages.

### HOWARD KYLE COMING.

"The Rosemary" Coming to the Frazer on Feb. 25.

The character of "Sir Jasper Thorndyke" in Louis H. Parker's "Rosemary," affords Howard Kyle an excellent opportunity for the display of his versatility. "Sir Jasper" is the central figure in the pretty 19th century English romance.

The display of repose, concealed emotions, and philanthropic men he is called upon to exhibit increases until the climax of the third act when Sir Jasper relinquishes for the second time in his life, the object of his adoration.

Fifty years are supposed to have elapsed by the time the curtain rises on the fourth act and "Sir

### Jasper, a man of 90, is still the bachelor, philanthropic and suave.

Local theatergoers have desired to see "Rosemary" on account of its very successful run of one season at the Empire theater, New York, when John Drew and Maude Adams essayed the leading roles. They will have an opportunity of witnessing it when it is presented at the Frazer on Feb. 25, by Howard Kyle and a competent supporting company including Sadie Handy a remarkably pretty young actress.

### "SAID PASHA" AT THE FRAZER.

Olympia Opera Company Coming to This City on February 22, in Attractive Production. The Olympia Opera Company,

which is now playing a week's engagement at Baker City, will come to the Frazer on February 22, with "Said Pasha," one of the most attractive comic operas on the road.

The company carries 40 people and has made an enviable record all over the West and Southwest, this winter.

### Fisk Jubilee Singers.

The Lawrence, Mass., Daily American, speaking of the Fisk Jubilee Singers who are to be here this evening, says:

"It never makes any difference what the weather is, people always go in battalions to listen to the sweet wild slave songs of the South, and the pieces the best known and the oldest, such as 'Swing Low, Sweet Chariot,' 'Gideon's Band,' 'Keep Me from Sinking Down,' and 'I'm Rolling Through an Unfriendly World,' are the ones which provoke the loudest and longest applause, for they touch the hearts of the listeners, who seem to catch the enthusiasm and excitement of the wild rhapsody, and to forget everything else. For a moment everything is shut out from the mental vision except the picture of rice and cotton fields and the dusky nation in their humble cabins singing the songs which are now the property of the world."

### NORTH DAKOTA GROCERS.

Business Organization Met in Annual Organization.

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 16. —The largest convention ever held by the Retail Grocers and General Merchants' association of North Dakota opened in Grand Forks today, the occasion being the annual meeting of the association. Prominent merchants from all over the state were present at 10 o'clock this morning when the convention was called to order by the president of the association, B. T. Kraebel.

Mayor Dinnie of Grand Forks welcomed the visitors and the remainder of the session was taken up with the appointment of the usual committees and other business of a routine character. The program of the afternoon session included papers on subjects of interest to the members presented by W. C. Short of Pembina, K. N. Nass of Grand Forks, F. H. Herrick of Minot and several others. The sessions of the convention will conclude tomorrow afternoon with the annual election of officers.

### READING IN BED.

A Custom That Has Been Followed by Many Writers.

Johnson told Boswell once in the course of a conversation, in which he praised the "Anatomy," that a man, if inclined to melancholy, should have a lamp constantly burning in his bed-chamber during the night "and if wakefully disturbed take a book and read and compose himself to rest." There can be little doubt that in thus indicating an appropriate course for any one afflicted with "constitutional melancholy" — his own trouble — he was stating his own practice. Many a book the wakeful doctor must have turned over in the silences of the night, and this increases the wonder that a desire to read any particular work should take him out of bed unusually early.

Gray must surely have been a reader in bed. A man who wished to be forever lying on sofas, reading "eternal new novels of Crebillon and Marivaux," must have been familiar with the faces of his favorites in the night hours. Elijah Fenton, a now forgotten coadjutor of Pope, was accustomed to lie abed at his lodgings, we are told, and be fed with a spoon, but Gray's love of ease was not of this type. Gray was a bookman, and most bookmen probably have indulged in the habit of reading in bed. Lamb apostrophized his folios as "my midnight darlings," but those "huge armfuls," as he calls them, were not bedside books. They were the companions of the long hours of candlelight in the back room of the quiet little "gambogish colored" house beside the Chase at Enfield. Wycherley, one of the "artificial" dramatists for whom Lamb wrote a quaint defense, made a habit of reading himself to sleep. Nightly he shared his pillow with his favorite authors — Seneca, Montaigne and Rochefoucauld — and in the mornings made a practice of writing on those subjects which had caught his attention during the previous night's reading, with the curious though not unnatural result, as Pope has testified, that his writing was unconsciously a mere echo of his reading.

Somewhat later, when Grub street flourished, if so inappropriate a verb may be allowed, many a poor wretch of a hack author was glad to write as well as to read in bed for the all sufficient reason that seemingly clothes were lacking for going abroad. — London Globe.

### A Cure for Eczema.

My baby had Eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. The Eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. — Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky. In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. De Witt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. De Witt & Co. is on every box.

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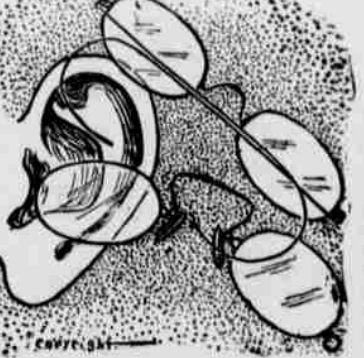
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What Mark Twain Says:

Mar Twain, at Lucerne, Switzerland, wrote as follows to his friend Rev Joseph Twitchell of Hartford, after hearing a concert at Vitznau by the Fisk Jubilee Singers in 1897: "The Jubilees sang a lot of pieces. Arduous and painstaking cultivation has not diminished or artificialized their music. On the contrary, to my mind, cultivation has mightily reinforced its eloquence and beauty. To me, away back in the beginning, their music made all other vocal music cheap, and that early notion is emphasized now. It is utterly beautiful, and moves me infinitely more than any other music can. I think that in the Jubilee Singers and their songs America has produced the perfectest flowers of the ages, and I wish it were a foreign product, so that she would worship it, and lavish money on it, and go properly crazy over it."

### SPECIMEN PROGRAM

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| Part I.                         | 4. Were you There When They Crucified My Lord? Negro Melody | 8. My Lord, What a Morning, Negro Melody   |
| from Sinking Down, Negro Melody | 5. The Good Ship of Zion, Negro Melody                      | 9. O' Who is This a'Coming? Negro Melody   |
| (by the Lords Prayer.)          | 6. Male Quartette.  | 10. Soprano Solo.                          |
| These Mornings, Negro Melody    |   | 11. The Judgment Day, Negro Melody         |
|                                 | Part II.  | 12. Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, Negro Melody |
|                                 | 7. Part Song.   |  |

Don't Miss Hearing the Fisk Jubilee Singers in the Songs that touched the heart of the world.