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EVENT OF THE SEASON.

The Production of Pinafore Tonight Causing Much Enthusiasm.

The final dress rehearsal for the comic opera Pinafore, which is to be given in Woodman Hall tonight and Friday night for the benefit of the High school, passed off in such a way as to insure a splendid production of the opera.

The natty costumes and realistic stage settings add much to the enthusiasm of the participants, and every member of the cast and chorus is ready to do their best the opening night.

The comedians of the company have prepared many little side plays that are very amusing and the singing of the chorus would be a credit to many a professional company.

From the advance sale of seats at Staffin's the indications are full house, but as every seat in the house is equally good for such an entertainment there will be room for all.

The following is a complete cast and list of those taking part:

CAST OF CHARACTERS:
Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B., Lord Admiralty, Ralph Wastell
Capt. Corcoran, commanding H. M. S. Pinafore, L. C. Gilmore
Ralph Rackstraw, common sailor, in love with Josephine, Rev. E. W. Miles
Dick Deadeye, common sailor, Norval Gates
Boatswain, F. W. Zeller
Boatswain's Mate, B. A. Teats
Sergeant of Marines, Earl Day
Josephine, the Captain's daughter, Miss Laura Poling
Hebe, Sir Joseph's first cousin, Mrs. D. M. Metzger
Buttercup, a bumbostle woman, Mrs. F. W. Zeller

LADIES OF THE OPERA
Addie Boydston, Florence Barham, Blanch Day, Roxana Fiske, Lillian Fellows, Ruth Morrison, Alice Miles, Ruth Shaw, Edna Morrison, Modella Burke, Ruth Campbell, Georgana Fiske, Carolyn Gohrke, Elva Lucas, Louise Miles, Anna May Longnecker, Inez Ridgeway.

MEN OF THE OPERA
Ray Boydston, Dodge Bicknell, Melvin Cutler, Rhinehart Dornhecker, Robert Muscott, E. W. Miles, Willis Simonton, Laird Woods, Lester Barnhart, Will Boydston, Glen Brock, Earl Day, Wilford Keyzer, Charlie Poling, Norval Gates, B. A. Teats, F. W. Zeller.

Place—Quarterdeck of H. M. Ship "Pinafore," in Portsmouth Harbor.
Time—Act I, Afternoon; Act II, Night.
Pinafore—A Travesty on the British Navy.

SYNOPSIS:
ACT I. Following the custom of the time, Sir Joseph has been made ruler of the navy without regard for ability. To strengthen himself with the admiralty he desires marriage with Josephine, daughter of Capt. Corcoran. Capt. Corcoran is willing, but Josephine loves Ralph Rackstraw, a common seaman, who returns her love. Because of the difference in their rank Josephine at first spurns Ralph, but is later led to declare her love by his attempted suicide. To escape parental opposition they plan to elope. Dick Deadeye, a friend of the Captain, overhears the plan.

ACT II. Sir Joseph, thinking Josephine is hesitating to marry him because of his exalted position, persuades her that love levels all ranks. Josephine applies this rule to her love for Ralph and determines to carry out the elopement. Capt. Corcoran, acting upon Dick Deadeye's timely warning, blocks the elopement. The Captain is reproved by Sir Joseph for using unseemly language and is sent to his cabin. Ralph is consigned to a dungeon for his ill-advised love. At this point Buttercup throws consternation into the assembly by telling her secret and explaining that, owing to mixed identity, Ralph is really the Captain and that Corcoran is a common seaman. Thus all obstacles to true love are removed. Ralph, now Captain, and Josephine are united; former Captain Corcoran, now a common seaman, declares his devotion to Buttercup; Sir Joseph is consoled by Hebe, who exultantly bids farewell to her cousins, whom she reckons by the dozens.

MONMOUTH'S HIGH SCHOOL.

A Structure of Great Credit to our Sister Town of West Side.

The new high school building at Monmouth was completed a little over a week ago and is now being used by the public and high schools. The first story of the building contains four class rooms and the principal's room, while on the second floor are two class rooms, library and a large assembly room. An electric motor in the basement furnishes power to force the warm air through the pipes into the different rooms of the building. Wetcher & Woods,



MONMOUTH'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

of Salem, erected the building at a cost of over \$20,000. The school in its new quarters will be known as the Central School. The new building is adjacent to the normal building, being situated across the track east from it. The public school is used as a training school for the normal students. At the present time there are over 60 students in the school.

LUCIEN ARANT.
WEST SIDE CANAL FAVORED.

Salem and Independence Clubs Pass Resolutions on Projects.

Resolutions favoring construction of the Oregon City canal on the west side of the Willamette river were passed at a joint meeting at Independence Monday night of the Independence Commercial club and a delegation from the Salem Commercial club. Speeches were made by Col. E. Hofer, Senator Patton and Mr. Thielsen, of Salem, and Walton Brown, of Portland. Argument was advanced that construction of a canal on the east side would be too costly.

Business men of Independence promise support in the movement for free locks at Oregon City.

SOME HOP SALES.

Every Indication the Price will Go to 50 Cents.

A number of deals that were closed on the preceding day were reported Tuesday. Carmichael bought the J. S. Cooper lot of 120 bales at Independence at a little better than 43 cents. Ralph Williams bought 79 bales from Lee Brown, of Corvallis, at 43 cents. McNeff Bros. bought the Sherman crop of 75 bales at Buena Vista—Oregonian.

Old Polkite Dies.

Clinton Brown, an old time resident of the Pedee vicinity, and a brother of Joe Brown, the stock dealer, was found dead in his cabin there on November 4th, death having presumably been caused by heart failure. He was aged some 69 years and leaves children and other relatives. The funeral occurred Sunday at Corvallis.

Sells Pioneer Home.

This week through the Itemizer Realty concern Mr. G. E. Lawrenson disposed of his 85-acre farm in the Pioneer vicinity to Mr. G. W. Curtis, who has been in charge of the steam laundry here for the last year. Mr. Lawrenson has moved to the P. O. Martin residence in town and Mr. Curtis takes immediate possession of the ranch.

Falls City Accepts Bond Bid.

The city council at its meeting last night accepted the bid of the Bank of Falls City for the purchase of the \$5000 water bonds.

SUNDAY WEDDING.

Another Dallas Ma'd Captured by a Non-Resident.

A quiet but pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. I. I. Vanskike, Sunday, November 5, 1911, at 8 o'clock p. m., when her daughter, Nora, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank F. Spring, of Los Angeles, by Justice Hardy Holman.

The bride was beautifully dressed in pale blue trimmed in cream lace and the groom was in the conventional black. The wedding march was played by Miss Golda Plaster. After the

ceremony a dainty luncheon was served.

The rooms were decorated in chrysanthemums and sweet peas. Many beautiful and useful presents were received.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Holman, Mrs. I. I. Vanskike, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Van-skike, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Vankike, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Osborne, Miss Lois Vanskike, Miss Golda Plaster, Mr. H. C. Vanskike, Mr. C. Vanskike. Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sloper, of Independence, and Mrs. W. M. Stevens, of Black Rock.

The happy couple left Monday afternoon for their new home in Los Angeles. They have the best wishes of their many friends in Dallas.

Four Little Pigs.

An unusual incident happened Saturday when the Salem, Falls City & Western logging train, which makes daily trips to Newberg with logs to Amity, ran down four little pigs on a high trestle just on the edge of town.

The little fellows had evidently overlooked the schedule of the logger and were feeding along the track on its time. When they were warned by a succession of several short, sharp toots of the engine, they evidently could not see any way of escape except straight ahead, so fled at a winning gait till they ran on to the trestle, but did not get far before being overtaken.

They were too large to fall through between the ties but their feet went between about every step. When they were run down their instinct of impending danger caused them to huddle together and crouch on the ties, the locomotive and several cars passing over them before the train could be stopped.

As soon as the train was still they scrambled back over the ties to the end of the trestle and were safe without a scratch. The owner is C. W. Swartz.

A Sweet Pea Bouquet.

Monday morning little Miss Rita Hinchaw brightened our sanctum sanctorum with a fine bouquet of sweet peas and monster chrysanthemums. Of course we of this lovely climate get used to having nice bouquets at all times of year, and this notice is not printed for the edification of our old timers—simply to remind our new comers that while in their old homes snow and ice is now the general rule, we can go into our gardens and gather the fairest of blossoms, many as yet untouched by frost.

Resident of Parker Dies.

Died, near Salem, in Polk county, November 4, 1911, Ines V., wife of W. McKamey, of Parker, Oregon, aged 27 years. She leaves, besides her husband, four children and three sisters. The remains were shipped from the Cottage undertaking parlors to Woodland, Washington, Sunday for interment.

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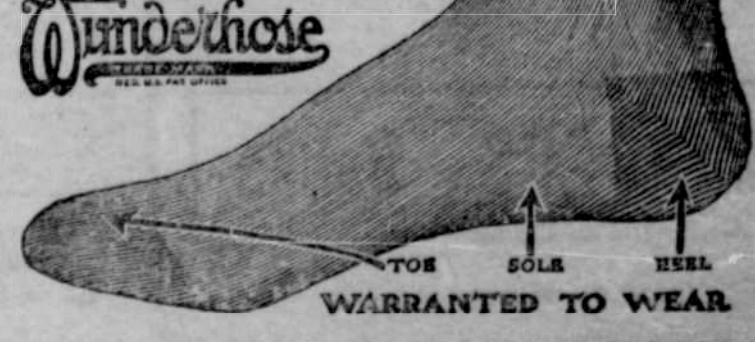
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