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Sam E. Van Vactor, W. L. Spencer and Oscar Borg
- Master of Ceremonies—
Exalted Ruler, H. H. Hoffman
- Decoration—
Gay M. Anderson, Harry Duncan, Fred Lucas, Charles Cox and Andrew Rood, Jr.
- Reception and Entertainment—
Mrs. Oscar Borg, Mrs. R. J. Vaughan, Mrs. Charles Cox, Mrs. Frank Monahan, Mrs. John Healy, Mrs. A. Bowker, J. T. Knappenberg, R. J. Vaughan, O. B. Robertson, Judge D. R. Parker, Glen Graves
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HER ENGAGEMENT.

It Started Conflicting Emotions at Work in Her Mother.

Mrs. De Groff drew a deep sigh when her daughter told her that she had become engaged to Mr. Bobbles.

"I suppose it's foolish of me to feel so bad about it," she said, wiping her eyes, "but I can't help it. I know it's a woman's destiny to be married, dear, and I have always hoped that you would marry and be happy. But a mother can never lose a daughter without feeling deeply on the subject. She can never help regarding it as an awful loss—a tragedy. She cannot give up her little girl, even to the best man that ever lived, without the deepest reluctance."

"But, mother, dear, I shall not and see you often. And you mustn't cry as if it were going to happen right away. You will have time to get used to it."

"Will I? How soon are you to be married?"

"Not for nearly a year. Bob thinks that—"

"Not for a year? What on earth does he mean by putting it off that long? I don't believe he intends to marry you at all, the smirking young snip! If he did he'd insist on having the wedding right away. And I shall tell him so. You bring him to time, Clara. You tell him that he'll either marry you next month or never. Huh, I'll show him!"

Procrastination.

How mankind defers from day to day the best it can do and the most beautiful things it can enjoy without thinking that every day may be the last one and that lost time is lost eternally.—Max Muller.

Not So.

"Oh, grandma," exclaimed little Margaret, who had been rummaging through an old bureau drawer in the attic, "what a curious old key this is!"

"Yes, dear," replied her grandmother. "That was your grandfather's latch-key."

"And you keep it in memory of the old days?"

"No, my dear; in memory of the old nights."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Was Not Roused.

John L. Toole, the English comedian, used to tell an amusing story of an attempt to charm Sims Reeves with his own songs. It was at St. Anne's, near Blackpool. Sims Reeves was staying



"I THOUGHT I WOULD ROUSE HIM."

to see, and Mr. Toole called at his hotel to hire him. Sims Reeves had gone out for a stroll, and Toole strutted out to try to find him.

"Under a shady tree, comfortably seated with a newspaper," says Mr. Toole, "I saw my friend. He did not see me. I went quietly behind him and gave him a snatch of 'My Pretty Jane,' rendered as lovingly as possible, after his most delicate manner. No response. So I thought I would rouse him up, and I began with an imitation of his forte style, 'Twas in Trafalgar Bay! I had not finished when he turned round, with a look of pity and amazement expressed upon his features, and—it was not Sims Reeves!"

Hoped It Was Timely.

Not long after a fire in a town near Boston some children in the Hub held a charity fair, by which \$20 was realized. This sum they forwarded to the rector of the church in the town where the fire had occurred, since he had taken a prominent part in the relief work. The letter read as follows:

"We have had a fair and made \$20. We are sending it to you. Please give it to the fire sufferers. Yours truly, etc. P. S.—We hope the suffering is not all over."—Buffalo News.

She Knew Them.

Mrs. Singsen put her head over the fence and thus addressed her neighbor, who was hanging out her week's washing:

"A family has moved into the empty house across the way, Mrs. Clothesline."

"Yes, I know."

"Did you notice their furniture?"

"Not particularly."

"Two loads, an' I wouldn't give \$5 for a load of 'em. Carpets! I wouldn't put 'em down in my kitchen. And the children! I won't allow mine to associate with 'em. And the mother? She looks as if she had never known a day's happiness. The father drinks, I expect. Two bad that such people should come into the neighborhood. I wonder who they are?"

"The mother is my sister, and the father is the superintendent of the Sunday school."

A painful silence ensued.—New York Globe.

In Remembrance

Whereas, It has pleased God in His wisdom to remove from our earthly Chapter to the Great Chapter Above, Sister Eliza J. Ayers, who entered into rest, November 29, 1917, at her home in Heppner, Oregon; and

Whereas Deceased was a member in good standing of Heppner Chapter No. 32, O. E. S. Heppner, Oregon, therefore, be it.

Resolved That while we bow in humble submission to the will of God, who doeth all things well, yet we grieve for the death of our sister. As a member of the chapter, she was earnest conscientious and full of zeal for the Order, and ever bore herself while laboring among us in all faithfulness and honor.

Resolved that we extend to the family of the Deceased in their great bereavement, the sincere and earnest sympathy of this Chapter, and join with them in the hope that our parting is but a few years of time.

Resolved, That we drape our Chapter in memory of our departed sister.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Chapter, and that a copy thereof be sent to the family of our deceased sister, and a copy be sent to the Gazette Times and to the Heppner Herald for publication.

COMMITTEE

Rebecca Patterson,
Jennie Iler,
Frank Gilliam.

Notice to Wheatgrowers

I have been appointed Heppner representative of the Pacific Grain Company, of Portland, successors to M. H. Houser, and am prepared to buy all kinds of grain. See me before selling.
ROY V. WHITEIS.

Notice for Publication

Isolated Tract
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 13th, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Nellie L. Cox, of Echo, Oregon, Serial No. 015867, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of February, 1918, next, at this office, the following tract of land: Lot 1, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 6, T. 15, R. 25 E., W. M.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.
C. S. DUNN, Register.
NOLAN SKIFF, Receiver.

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PUBLIC LAND SALE
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Ore., Dec. 13th, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Mattie E. Pearson of Lena, Oregon, Serial No. 017986, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of February, 1918, next, at this office, the following tract of land: NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 33, T. 2 S., R. 29 E., W. M.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 13th, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Mary Brennan, of Heppner, Oregon, Serial No. 016335, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of February, 1918, next, at this office, the following tract of land: SW 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 2 S., R. 28 E., W. M.

This tract is offered into the market on a showing that the greater portion thereof is mountainous or too rough for cultivation.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.
C. S. DUNN, Register.
NOLAN SKIFF, Receiver.

J. W. Stevens made a flying trip to Heppner Monday to bring his daughter Miss Cecile out to spend the holidays at home.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 13th, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Arthur F. Hughes, of Lena, Oregon, Serial No. 012286, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of February, 1918, next, at this office, the following tract of land: NW 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 24, Township 1 South, Range 29 East, Willamette Meridian. Has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, United States Commissioner, at his office, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 13th day of February, 1918.
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles A. Hinton, Arthur F. Hughes, Wally L. Vincent, and William L. Pearson, all of Lena, Oregon.
34833 C. S. DUNN, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 13th, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Harry C. Wood, of Lena, Oregon, who on June 2nd, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 012000, for Lots 2, 3, 4, Sec. 7, T. 2 S., R. 29 E., W. M., and Lots 2, 3, 4, Sec. 12 and 13, T. 2 S., R. 29, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 24, Township 1 South, Range 29 East, Willamette Meridian. Has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, United States Commissioner, at his office, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 13th day of February, 1918.
Claimant names as witnesses: Ed Deharts, Walter W. Lockman, Arthur Cooke, and John Woodward, all of Lena, Oregon.
34832 C. S. DUNN, Register.