

# BPOE

## GRAND BALL

### Thursday Evening November 25th

#### New Elks Temple, Heppner, Or.

For members of the Order and their ladies only

Pendleton 5-Piece Orchestra will be present. Initial dance on the new hard maple floating floor---finest dancing floor in eastern Oregon

TICKETS, \$2.00.

All Elks Welcome

H. A. Duncan, B. P. Stone, Gay M. Anderson  
Committee on Arrangements

### HOME TOWN HELPS

#### DIRECTIONS FOR GOOD LAWN

Good Judgment and Much Work Necessary, But the Results Will Be Found Worth While.

Success or failure in lawn-making is based on the preparation of the seed bed, which necessarily requires great care and good judgment. The physical condition of the soil may be greatly improved by growing some soil-building crop preparatory to seeding. The land should be turned and sub-soiled to a depth of 6 to 12 inches, and harrowed until it is thoroughly pulverized. Before turning, a liberal application (6 to 10 tons per acre) of well-decomposed stable manure and 300 pounds of lime should be applied. When a perfect seed bed has been made, apply 600 to 800 pounds of 5-4-4 commercial fertilizer and harrow thoroughly into the first few inches of soil.

The lawn grasses should be carefully selected, and only those grasses or mixtures used that are adapted to that locality and are capable of making a good sod under existing conditions. A mixture of Kentucky blue grass, Bermuda, and white clover is especially suitable to the partially shaded lawn, the blue grass predominating in the shaded portions of the lawn and the Bermuda in the sunny spots while the clover keeps the entire lawn green throughout the winter.

The mixture should be planted during early October, using 30 to 35 pounds of blue grass, four to five pounds of clover, and a proportionate amount of Bermuda roots per acre. The seeding of the blue grass and clover should follow the planting of the Bermuda, which should be planted in rows 18 inches apart, dropping the roots 12 to 15 inches apart and covering three to five inches deep with alternating rows. Separate sowings of blue grass and clover should be made, sowing the seed broadcast by hand or by use of a mechanical seeder. The seed should be covered lightly, brushing lightly or raking into the soil, and this followed by a light rolling.

#### BIRD BATH IS GOOD IDEA

Feathered Creatures Will Appreciate It, and It is Recommended as a Gloom Dispeller.

Anyone who wants a true gloom dispeller right before his eyes all the time has only to fix up a bird bath of some sort on his lawn. No lawn is too small to afford space for one and no city street so congested that sooner or later some feathered neighbor will not seek out the bird bath and make himself its immediate excuse for being.

It is not necessary to have anything elaborate. A fountain of stone or cement may be very tasteful, but little old robin will take the finest bath in the world in any shallow tin pan. A coat of moss-green paint will turn the home-contrived article into a thing of beauty, blending in with the green of the grass around it.

No old swimming hole ever saw more antics than are carried on by the splashing birds, not any more unrestrained delight in the water, nor any more democratic gatherings, nor heard more chattering. If an occasional fight is pulled off, why that's just human and bird nature.

The possessor of a bird bath for his lawn has a long option on the pure joy of life. He will find himself more than repaid for his trouble, and probably astonished at the number and variety of birds common to his neighborhood that he never saw before.—St. Joseph Gazette.

#### Two Giraffes in America.

There are only 12 giraffes in this country—eight with circuses and four others in the zoos of New York and Philadelphia. Four of the 12 were raised by a Belgian, named Andrew, in the employ of a circus, who used to be a hunter in Africa. He has made pets of them all, and Mary, who is almost 19 feet high, responds instantly to his call, and is delighted to eat sugar from his hand.

#### City Manager System.

American cities will be interested in the test of the city manager system in Montreal, Canada, with its 475,000 population. On this side Dayton, with 207,000, is the largest city having a city manager, and it has been a stuck argument of the opponents of the system that while it may be all right for villages and small towns, it would never do for a great city. Montreal is not afraid of trying the experiment.

#### A Flat-Footed Failure.

While in London, Mary Pickford told Lady Deshborough a new story about Charlie Chaplin. At a fair in California a prize was offered to the person who could best imitate the Chaplin walk. Charlie himself entered the competition, minus the usual mustache and boots. He was a flat-footed failure and the judge gave him twentieth place.—Boston Transcript.

#### Says Billboards Must Go.

Hillsboro, loudly proclaiming the worth of signs from considerable height down to that "mystery" kind of tall billboard, should go in the direction made by a Philadelphia commission.

Phil Hirl, and Phillip Higgins, all of Lena, Oregon. C. S. Dunn, Register. First publication October 19, 1920. Last publication December 14, 1920.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, October 28, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK E. McDANIEL of Hardman, Oregon, who on February 28, 1917, made Homestead Entry No. 018509, for N½SE¼ and SE¼SE¼, Section 25, Township 5 South, Range 24 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Waters, Clerk of Circuit Court, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 17th day of December, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: John McDonald, Raymond Steers, Robert Steers, Carry Hastings, all of Hardman, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register. First publication, Nov. 3, 1920. Last publication, December 14, 1920.

**Prepared for Rain.**  
It was sprinkling one morning when I went shopping, so I carried an umbrella. I had to go to the basement of a department store, and when I had finished and had come upstairs I heard considerable rattling around me. Upon looking up I found myself to be the center of attention. Trying to discover the cause, I found I had raised my umbrella when I came up from the basement and was parading through the store perfectly unconscious of the comical spectacle I was making.—Chicago Tribune.

**Benefits Under State Law.**  
Massachusetts has a law framed for the purpose of giving assurance to widows, orphans, and all unmarried persons who hold only \$1,000 worth of property or under, whereby these persons are exempted from paying any tax to the state. As a result, a woman in Lowell, a mill operative, unmarried, who has an automobile in which she goes pleasure riding, is exempted from paying any tax on it because she says it is the only property she has, and its value is only \$300.—Boston Globe.

**Largest Pin Factory.**  
The largest pin factory is in Birmingham, England, where something like 50,000,000 pins are manufactured every working day.

on the 17th day of November, 1920. Claimant names as witnesses: W. A. McCarty, C. H. McDaniel, Raymond Steers, Robert Steers, all of Hardman, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, Register. First publication Oct. 12, 1920. Last publication November 16, 1920.

**Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract PUBLIC LAND SALE**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, September 17, 1920.

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 Peter Farley, Serial No. 021603, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$5.50 per acre, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., on the 14th day of December, next, at this office, the following tract of land: NW¼NW¼, Section 14, Township 3, South Range 26, East, W. M. (Containing 40 Acres).

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.

First publication November 2, 1920. Last publication December 7, 1920. L. A. Booth, Receiver.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, October 9, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that BRIDGET DOHERTY of Lena, Oregon, who, on March 5th, 1917, made homestead entry, No. 017545, for SE¼SE¼, Sec. 5, E¼NE¼ SW¼NE¼, and SE¼, Section 4, Township 2 South, Range 25 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Waters, Clerk of Circuit Court, at his office, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 16th day of December, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Kegan, Frank McCabe,

#### LEGAL NOTICES

##### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, September, 18, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that

JOHN J. McDONALD of Hardman, Oregon, who, on August 2, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 014698, for S½N¼, Lot 4, NE¼ SE¼, Sec. 5, Lots 1 and 2, SW¼ NE¼, Section 6, Township 6 South, Range 25 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Waters, Clerk of County Court, at Heppner, Oregon.



#### A Clean Notebook—a Good Grade

A neat, cleanly written notebook makes a better impression—a better grade—write it with a Parker Pen.

No blots, no ink-stained fingers. The "Lucky Curve" feeds the ink smoothly. Safety-sealed, it can't leak when carried—Press-the-button and it's filled instantly.



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