

WHAT LENT MEANS.

It has been said that to each of us comes our opportunity in life; often it is not recognized at the time, but afterwards, when we look back and see that we wasted or lost our opportunity, how bitter is the thought!

But not only is this the case in this world, for our Lord's parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus teaches us that this will be one of the chief punishments of eternity—remorse, the bitterness of self-reproach—"Son, remember that thou in thy lifetime receivest thy good things." (St. Luke xvi. 25)—the thought, I had my opportunity to save my soul, to win heaven, and I lost it!

We are approaching the second Sunday in Lent, this season of grace, a season of opportunity, and therefore of responsibility—a responsibility which may be eternal and must not be shirked. Lent is indeed a season of abundant opportunity, for in Lent all over the world millions of Christians are praying for the conversion of sinners and the strengthening of the faithful. Not only men, but angels, with loving sympathy, are ministering on earth and saints praying in heaven for us, and all this makes Lent a special season of great grace.

St. Paul gives us this warning: "We, then, as workers together with Him, beseech you also that you receive not the grace of God in vain." 2 Cor. vi.

He does not here merely exhort us to seek grace, but warns us that after we have sought and received there is danger of not using it. In Lent, grace encompasses us, and yet it is possible to pass thru it from Ash-Wednesday to Easter Day and be quite untouched by its power, because our own inclinations and thoughts of pleasure alone are consulted, because we are not "workers together with God." If we do not begin it with repentance, self-abnegation and sacrifice, if we do not continue to keep it according to reason, principle and conscience, Lent is without a purpose to us.

Let us, therefore, resolve to pray not only for grace, but also for the will to use the grace we receive and to watch for opportunities of profiting by it.

REV. STANLEY MOORE.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

Rev. Thomas J. Brady, Pastor.

Next Sunday, March 18, will be the fourth Sunday of Lent, and it is usually known as Laetare Sunday, or the Sunday for rejoicing. There will be a low mass on that day in Boardman, celebrated by the pastor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Farley, and the hour will be 7:45 sharp. All are invited to assist at this mass and the pastor will preach. Immediately after this mass the pastor will return to Heppner where he will celebrate a second mass at 11 o'clock and preach.

Readers are notified that this week the evening devotions held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, will be in honor of St. Patrick, and in preparation for the feast, and will be held at 7 o'clock instead of the usual hour of 7:30. In the mornings of these three days at 7:30 there will be special masses celebrated in the church by the pastor, and on Saturday morning at 8:30, feast of the patron of the church, there will be a high mass celebrated at 8:30 by the pastor, and the sermon for the event will be preached by Rev. Father S. Nesdale, of Hermiston, a Capuchin Father. Father Nesdale will hear confessions the night before and in the morning before the mass. This will be the only opportunity this season for the members of the parish to have the privilege of a special confessor. Rev. Father Nesdale will return to Hermiston on Saturday morning so as to permit him to be at home for

the following Sunday. The high mass will be followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The attendance at services in Ione last Sunday and the previous Sunday was very gratifying to the pastor, who conducted the services in the home of Mr. Paul O'Meara, of Ione.

MUSIC TEACHERS MUST FILE.

April 15th has been set by State Superintendent of Public Instruction, C. A. Howard, as the final date for the filing in the state office at Salem of formal applications of private music teachers who wish to be certified in order that their pupils may receive credit toward graduation from high school for piano, voice, or violin studied outside of school. Applications received subsequent to April 15th will not be considered for the state examination to be held on May 17th. Requests for instructions and blank forms of application should be made to Superintendent C. A. Howard on or about April 1, 1928. This does not apply to private music teachers who have been previously certified by the state department of education.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Lexington State Bank has passed into voluntary liquidation and that all persons having claims against said Bank should file said claims with Karl L. Beach, at his office in Lexington, Oregon.

By order of the Stockholders. Dated at Lexington, Oregon, March 8, 1928.

KARL L. BEACH, Liquidating Agent and Trustee for Stockholders.

The funeral of James Russell Ashinhus, age 73 years, was held this afternoon at Lexington. Mr. Ashin-

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We have a complete stock of Single Trees, Lead Bars, Clevises and repair parts for all kinds of farm machinery.

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hust died at his Sand Hollow home on Tuesday, having been a sufferer for many years with cancer, and for a number of years past unable to leave his home.

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BIDS WANTED.

School District No. 10, Irrigon, Morrow County, Oregon: Sealed bids will be accepted on the construction and material of a new gymnasium. Bids will be opened March 17th, 1928. Plans and specifications can be secured at the office of the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., Irrigon, Oregon. All bids must be in the hands of the clerk on or before 12

o'clock noon, March 17th, 1928. The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

50-2 H. W. GRIM, District Clerk.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 16:

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"QUO VADIS"

From the novel by Hendryk Sienkiewicz and produced in Rome on the exact historical spots.

Nero sang and daddled while Rome burned and thousands went to their death. Nero laughed and reveled while Christian martyrs lighted his gilded gardens as flaming pillars. But Nero fell, because these beautiful girls could die in flames with a smile—a song—inspired by the noblest ideal that ever came to this world. And as these heroine martyrs died, Rome, coarsened as it was by blood and debauchery, stood in awe and admiration—and Rome itself turned thumbs down on Nero and his evil Empress Poppaea.

Chariot Races, Gladiatorial Contests, the battle of the gigantic slave with a bull to save his mistress tied to the bull's back. Thrills galore.

Also TEN YEARS OLD, two reel GANG comedy. Fatty Joe Cobb, with the generous waist line, had a birthday recently and Hal Roach decided to make a comedy around the idea. Joe's birthday cake, made by himself, is the cause of no end of laughs.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17:

OLIVER BORDEN, RALPH GRAVES, ENTRUDE ASTOR and
J. FARRELL MAC DONALD in

"THE COUNTRY BEYOND"

By JAMES OLIVED CURWOOD.

Joy and Laughter, Thrills and Tears, Romance and Youth. The Winsome beauty of Olive Borden in a story by a master of the craft, photographed among the most beautiful scenery in America.

Also FELIX, Tales of a Traveler and NEWS REEL.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MARCH 18 AND 19

JOHN BARRYMORE and MARCELINE DAY in

"THE BELOVED ROGUE"

With Conrad Veidt, Mack Swain and dozen other well known stars. Glad! Mad! Happy! Sad! In Silks! In Rags! A Poet and a Warrior! Quick of Tongue! Nimble of Foot! Tender in Affection! Mighty in Passion! A burning, thrilling, dynamic romance of a lovable, rollicking rogue and a ravishing kiasable maid. YOU WILL LOVE IT ALL.

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAR. 20-21:

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"SEVEN SINNERS"

A whirlwind of laughter shut up in a crooked household. Seven sinners trying to outwit each other in an avalanche of merriment. Also NIHT OWLS, comedy, and NEWS REEL.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MARCH 22 AND 23

Marion Davies in . . . "THE FAIR CO-ED"

Marion is the peppiest campus cutie you ever lost your heart to, in this rollicking, frolicking comedy of life, love and laughter inside college walls.

The whole country's roaring and cheering the beautiful star in this collegiate laugh riot.

Also RUN, GIRL, RUN, two reel Mack Sennett comedy with his bathing girls. Feature and comedy are both specials.

COMING NEXT WEEK:

Marion Davies in THE FAIR CO-ED, see ad above, March 22-23
Aileen Pringle and Lowell Sherman in THE WILDERNESS WOMAN March 24
Victor Hugo's LES MISERABLES March 25 and 26
Joan Crawford and Rockliffe Fellowes in THE UNDERSTANDING HEART March 27 and 28

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Men's \$5.00 Work Shoes, now \$3.50
Men's \$4.00 Work Shoes, now \$2.65
Men's \$5.50 Work Shoes, now \$4.00
Men's \$3.50 Work Shoes, now \$2.60
Men's \$5.75 Dress Shoes, now \$4.85
Men's \$4.75 Dress Shoes, now \$3.95

Similar Reductions in Balance of Shoe Line.

\$7.25 Jumbo Hats, now\$6.10
\$7.50 Velour Hats\$6.00
\$4.35 Fancy Sweaters\$3.10
\$1.85 Jersey Coats\$1.30
90c Work Shirts75c
\$3.25 All Wool Union Suits\$2.75
\$1.25 Men's Cotton Union Suits 98c
\$1.85 Men's Fancy Cotton Union Suits\$1.50
Men's \$9.00 Heavy Blazers\$6.50
Men's \$4.50 Heavy Woolen Shirts\$3.80
Ladies \$1.00 Silk Hose80c
Ladies' \$1.50 Silk Hose\$1.15
Men's 65c Silk Hose45c
Men's \$1.90 Overalls\$1.70
Men's \$4.00 Pants\$2.95
Men's \$4.35 Corduroy Pants\$3.10
\$10.75 Sheep Lined Coats\$7.25

Groceries

GALLON GOODS:

Catsup, was \$1.95, now\$1.70
Sweet Pickles, \$1.90, now\$1.60
Sour Pickle, \$1.30, now\$1.00

CASE GOODS:

Fancy Solid Pack Tomatoes
Were \$6.00, now\$4.80
Best Grade Corn, were \$6.00
Now\$4.80

9-lb. Sack Rolled Oats, 75c, now 65c

10-lb. Panake Flour, 85c, now 70c

14-oz. Catsup, 30c, now 23c

Royal Club Coffee, 60c, now 55c

Great American Coffee, 50c, 40c

Macaroni, 14 lbs. for\$1.00

Corned Beef, 35c, now 27c

Tea Garden Syrup, Gallon,

was \$1.50, now\$1.25

Tea Garden Syrup, half-gal-

lon, was 80c, now65c

Liberty Bell Syrup, gallon,

was \$1.80, now\$1.40

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