

POINTS FOR PIANO BUYERS

STECK PIANOS.

The Steck Company is one of the notable industries in the country devoted to the industry of manufacturing pianos. Established in 1857 it has built a reputation second to none for the manufacture of fine instruments. The reliability and financial responsibility of the company is unquestioned. This fact alone makes the liberal guarantee under which every Steck piano is sold, an absolute protection, in the most liberal sense, to the purchaser. The artistic merit of Steck pianos places them among the few instruments whose superiority is above the price rivalry of other pianos. The beautiful tone of the Steck will appeal to you, and familiarity with its good qualities will breed ever increasing admiration. Sold in Oregon only by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co., Portland, Oregon.

THE FISCHER PIANO

Established in 1846 and succeeding a firm established in 1828. Over 120,000 Fischer pianos made and sold. No other piano can equal this record. One of the strictest principles of the Fischer company is that nothing is too good to use in the construction of a Fischer piano, and the testimonials that they receive prove their wisdom in following up this principle so closely. The standing and reputation of this house is one of the strongest guarantees that can be given with a Fischer piano. Sold by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co.

SMITH & BARNES PIANOS

In 1884 Mr. C. A. Smith, the pioneer piano builder of the West, began in a modest way, making a thoroughly good instrument for an honest living price. Most of the substantial dealers that sold the Smith & Barnes pianos 20 years ago are still his best customers and friends. The piano gave universal satisfaction or this would not be true. The real and final test of a piano comes through years of use in the home, studio and public hall.

This company has attained to the enormous output of 6000 pianos per year. The benefit of dealing with a firm having such large facilities is mutual; the purchaser gets more for his money and the firm sells more pianos.

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THE PACKARD PIANO

You should own a Packard piano if you would secure a beautiful tone of most enduring quality.

A fine instrument speaks eloquently the musical feeling, the artistic appreciation of the family and lends a certain distinction to its surroundings, however simple.

Although there are varying grades of pianos built with regard to different tastes, there is but one grade that interests people who seek an artistic instrument. The Packard belongs to this grade; its tone is rich, brilliant, sympathetic and imaginative. It is an

instrument in which the finest materials and infinite skill in manufacturing unite to make its tone unalterable with time.

While sharing every refinement of modern construction employed by other makers of the best class of instruments, Packard pianos possess many distinctive features.

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KNABE PIANOS

Almost three quarters of a century have passed since William Knabe I. brought to bear his genius on the art of piano making. The Knabe has set the pace in all things that go toward making the perfect piano. From 1827 when the 19th century piano was but in its infancy, the Knabe piano has gone forward, sacrificing mere commercialism to artistic endeavor and excellence—not content with doing well, but intent on doing things best. The position which the Knabe piano occupies in the beginning of the 20th century shows that these efforts toward continual betterment have met with deserved success.

They were the best pianos in the world 67 years ago. They are the best in the world today. They cost much more than other pianos, but worth it. Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co. of Portland, Oregon, sell the Knabe in Oregon.

VOSE & SONS PIANOS

Under the leveling process of competition, no piano can command a higher price than its merit deserves. The great musical public is quick to detect merit, and to support merit in a manner commensurate with the interest involved.

Philanthropy should not enter into a piano consideration. The high Vose Prestige is the logical result of skill, genius and capital, controlled and advanced by an experience covering a period of 50 years. You judge a piano by its tone. The tone is the unerring index that tells what is back of it. Not how it looks but how it sounds should be the standard of piano judgment.

Vose & Sons pianos are sold in Oregon only by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co., Portland, Ore.

CABLE, CONOVER AND KINGSBURY PIANOS

Manufactured by the Cable Co., formerly Chicago Cottage Organ Co. General offices and warehouses in Cable building, Wabash avenue, Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ill. Two factories, Chicago and St. Charles, Ill.

Probably the above named firm is the largest maker of pianos in America. In manufacturing so many instruments per year as this company does (30,000) they must necessarily confine themselves to something under the artistic grade. But such an output backed by such unlimited capital as they command, proves that they must give the very best for the money. They can afford to and, as a business proposition, would be compelled to do so in order to

keep the output up to normal and keep their 1000 employees working full time. There's no backward steps allowed in business. Their line of pianos will range in price from \$245 up. Sold in Oregon by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co., Portland, Oregon.

HAMILTON PIANOS, ELLINGTON PIANOS.

Made by D. H. Baldwin Co. backed by capital of over \$1,000,000. Their new factory at Chicago, completed in 1900, was designed and built especially for piano making purposes. Every convenience that is known in making pianos is provided, electric motors run by their own dynamos, hot air distributed to all parts of the building. No dirt, no dampness. Everything possible has been provided to assist in producing the best piano for the least money. Sold in Oregon by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co.

LUDWIG PIANOS

Were awarded medals for superior merit at Paris 1900, and at London and Buffalo, and no doubt will win deserved notice and commendation at St. Louis this year. This piano came into being only 13 years ago and over 30,000 Ludwig pianos are already in use.

They do not make organs. The Company does business with its factory employees on a profit sharing basis, and is recognized as the only high grade piano sold at such a reasonable margin above cost. Sold in Oregon by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co., Portland.

THE EVERETT PIANO

Represents the best of human endeavor in piano construction. It is an art product appealing to the cultured musical taste. It has won the highest attainable place in the estimation of those who have carefully studied it. Not only musicians, but all those who are ever ready to acknowledge marked superiority, have recognized its superlative qualities and voluntarily paid it unstinted praise.

This result has come about because the Everett imitates no other piano, but possesses many features entirely its own. Sold in Oregon by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co.

HARDMAN PIANOS

Have a new improved scale, with full metal plate, elegant figured cases with paneled ends, double veneer inside and out, artistic plaques and trusses, paneled fronts, top and bottom. All mouldings are solid. Top panels are artistically carved by hand, full front swinging music desk, and rolling fall with continuous hinges on top and fall board. Patent mouse proof pedals and guards. Three unisons, overstrung bass, patent repeating action, with brass hammer butt flange, ivory keys, and polished ebony harks and seven and one-third octaves. Could any piano be constructed better? Sold in Oregon by Allen & Gilbert-Ramakr Co.

Notice of Construction of Sewer.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Roseburg, Oregon, has by ordinance determined to construct a sewer as follows: Commencing on the north side of Burke street in the alley between Mill and Pine streets and running thence northerly along said alley to connect with the sewer on the north side of Flood street, between said Mill and Pine streets. That H. J. Wilkins, W. J. Brand and C. S. Jackson were appointed as viewers thereof, and have filed their report recommending that the said sewer be constructed. That the said committee reports:

That all of the following property is directly benefited by said sewer, to-wit: all of Blocks 78, 83 and 86 of the Third Southern Addition to Roseburg, Oregon. That the lots in said blocks and the owners thereof so directly benefited are as follows:

Owners	Lots	Bk.
E. C. Patterson	1, 2	78
E. C. Patterson	6	83
J. T. Buchanan	3	78
Mrs. Francis Freeman	4, 5, 10	78
Serona Adams	6	78
B. F. Page	7, 8	78
Mrs. C. A. Flook	9, 10	78
Mrs. F. M. Beard	11, 12	78
C. Johnson	13	78
Mrs. M. Josephson	14, 15	78
Aaron Rose Estate	1, 2, 9, 10, 11	83
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Mrs. Annie Kern	3, 4	83
Nyrella Atchison	5	83
Annie Hogress	7, 8	83
J. A. Buchanan	12	83
F. P. Patterson	17, 14	83
Mrs. Libbie Rose	15, 16	83
D. S. West	1, 2	86
Margaret F. Kennedy	3	86
A. Field	4	86
D. Roberts	5	86
C. G. Stanton	7, 8	86
Mrs. Carrie Thompson	9, 10 and 30 ft. off north side of lot 11	86
T. F. Stanley	12 and 10 ft. off south side of lot 11	86
Mrs. A. Fiehl	13, 14	86
R. W. and Hannah Evans	15, 16	86

The said committee further reports that said sewer be constructed at the expense of the property owners adjacent thereto, so directly benefited thereby, according to the number of lots owned by each person, each lot to bear its proportionate share of the expense of said construction. By order of the City Council made Oct. 3, 1904. H. L. MARSTERS, City Recorder. Dated this 4th day of Oct., 1904.

Weak Nervous People.

We have received letters from all parts of the U. S. highly recommending Dr. Gunn's Blood & Nerve Tonic, until the faith we had in the remedy has been fully sustained. We had confidence from the very beginning that this medicine should make cures, but lacked that assurance that comes after many successful trials. Now that we have been upheld in our belief we want to impart to others our confidence. Nervous, and unsteady people, weak, fleshless people, pimply, pale, or sallow people are all victims of weak, watery blood. Make new rich blood, to be forced through the system by the way of the arteries, and disease cannot remain. This Tonic cures disease by giving you strength to resist it. All druggists sell it for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2. The tablets are to be taken after each meal. They turn the food. Persons who take this Tonic gain good solid flesh from 1 to 3 lbs. per week. For Sale by A. C. Marsters & Co., Druggist.

W. C. Winston, the Winston fruit-grower, was transacting business in town today.

Larger Sleeping Car Berths.

One of the few railroad companies that owns and operates the sleeping cars in service on its lines, is the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.

The sleeping cars on this line were formerly Pullman cars, operated by the Pullman Company, but for a dozen years past the railway company has owned and operated the sleeping car equipment. In building its sleeping cars, a departure from the old standard pattern of cars has been made to the extent of adding about six inches to the width and height of the sleepers. This permits of wider and higher berths. Length has also been added to berths, so that comfort is found in them, which is lacking in ordinary sleeping cars. These large cars are in service on practically all of the lines of the St. Paul road, and are very popular with the traveling public.

A Love Letter.

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo. writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth". 25c at A. C. Marsters & Co., of Roseburg, Ore., Drug Store.

Wm. P. Johnson, the Myrtle Creek sawmill man, was in town today. With him was Mr. H. S. Atix, of Denver, a representative of the American Exploitation Co., who is looking after mining interests and investments in Oregon.

Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure. 25c at A. C. Marsters & Co., of Roseburg, Oregon, Drug Store.

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The World's Fair Route.

Those anticipating an Eastern trip, or a visit to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, cannot afford to overlook the advantages offered by the MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY, which, on account of its various routes and gateways, has been appropriately named "The World's Fair Route."

Passengers from the Northwest take the MISSOURI PACIFIC trains from Denver or Pueblo, with the choice of either going direct through Kansas City, or via Wichita, Fort Scott and Pleasant Hill.

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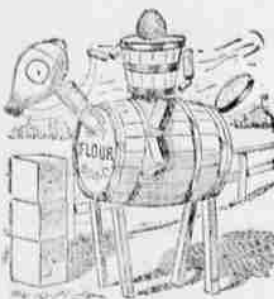
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For Her Sake.

There is a certain magic in the very name Siberia, and when it figures in a play the theater-goers are assured at least of thrilling situations and picturesque scenical effects. "For Her Sake," the play which comes to Roseburg Theatre, Tuesday Oct. 25th, is an attraction of this sort, and the promise is for one of the genuine novelties of the season at this popular theatre.

Ever Have It?

If You Have, the Statement of this Roseburg Man Will Interest You.

Ever have a "low-down" pain in the back?

In the "small" right over the hips? That's the home of backache. It's caused by sick kidneys.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Roseburg people endorse this. Read a case of it:

John Batey, janitor at the public school, residing on Flinn street, says: "I have been troubled with my kidneys off and on for years. I had severe pains in my back and sides, sometimes a dull aching and at other times sharp pains. After remaining in a stooped position for a short time it was hard for me to straighten. During the last attack I had, Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me and I got a box at A. C. Marsters & Co.'s drug store and after taking them a couple of weeks the pains all disappeared. I am now perfectly well and hearty. No signs of the old trouble and I give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit."

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Go to the Unspus Bakery for the best bread in the city. They have these varieties of fresh bread every day: French, rye, steam, white and brown

For Her Sake.

Sorgius Stepniak, the famous nihilist, political propagandist and refugee, who several years ago toured this country as a lecturer, supplemented on the platform many of the harrowing details of the story told in his famous book, "Underground Russia." Through the efforts of Stepniak and others of his sort, the dramatic quality in the life of the Russian has become pretty well known to people of the western hemisphere, and there have been two or three dramas that have been able to profit by the fact. A widely successful Russo-Siberian play was "Michael Strogoff." Now there is a new one, and it is coming this way. "For Her Sake" is the title of the latest of plays having to do with Russian high life, with the moving sorrows of serfdom and the harrowing experiences of life in the Siberian convict mines. "For Her Sake" is credited with possessing an element which its predecessor lacked and which doubtless more than any thing else has contributed to its phenomenal success with theater-goers. It has the comedy element clearly and consistently ingrained in its plot, and it is said to be a high class of comedy. The play will be seen at the Roseburg Theatre, Tuesday Oct. 25th.

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter, had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y. "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by A. C. Marsters & Co., of Roseburg, Ore. Trial bottle free.

When You Go to Portland—

Don't forget to call at 162 1/2 North 6th street for a nice room. Look for the sign "Eldora" on the first building on the left side of the street as you leave the Union depot.

C. W. HESS, Prop.

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