# LA GRANDE MORNING OBSERVER.

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#### LA GRANDE, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 27, 1904.

the line of defense in the actual fightly invited to attend. ing in that section. The Russian reinforcements being sent to the front are in major part destimed for New Chwang, indicating that Russin expects hard-fought buttles in that vicinity.

vance. This means that the Russian

cavalry along the Yalu will be first in

The monastaries of Mount Athos have offered the government a battalion from the ranks of the younger monks.

stealing an overcoat, grip and other articles valued at about \$25 from the Good music will be furnished and no Eagle salood yesterday afternoon. He unseemly conduct will be permitted. was arraiged before Justice Grant and All ladies and gentlemen are cordialpleaded not gnilty. Judge Grant set Monday at 10 o'clock for his bearing fixing honds at \$100, in default of

**250 Filipinos** which he is in the city jail.

Two hundred and fifty Filip nos, rep-Joseph Anson, of Island City, was a resenting nearly every tribe in the Joseph Anson, of Island City, was a islands, reached Settle on the 19th La Grande visitor Saturday and durinst, on their way to the St. Louis Fair, ing his stav in the city was a very pleasant caller at this office. at the Government expense.

exceed 50 cents, to those attending the

Republican county convention which will be held in Elgin on April 7. To secure these rates, partles will pay full fare to the convection and upon certificate from the secretary will obtain the rebate on their return parsage. Undoubtedly the same arrangements will be made for the Democratic convention which will also be held in Elgin, April

#### Registrations

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The following shows the registrations a c on file in the County Clerk's office iso the registrations of every precinc Clark. in the county in 1903, showing a short-age to date of 1281, not including the inc.case of our voting population of the past two years. the registration books close May 15 1:04 1902 Short Presincts Antelope 10 23 13 Alical 43 97 54 38 Big Creek 151 203 52 Cove Camp Carson N. Elgin 998 394 101 S. Elgin 169 186 355 Hilgard 18 127 109 Intand City 100-167 48 Ju la La Crande No. 1 223 263 40 L. irande No. 2 414 379 1 Grande No. 8 243 243 65 .a Grande No. 4 118 63 North Powder 134 130 89 Perry -98 ammerville 166 265 99 25 11 36 Starkey Union No. 1 78 198 120 Union No. 2 35 198 118

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A Good Work Street Superintendent E. C. Jone mmenced a good work yesterday by putting the scraper to work on the strests in the business part of town. The mud and accumulation of the past winter will all be clear from the streets before the work is allowed to stop. This is a piece of work that will be appreciated by foot pedestrains and drivers of teams and will rob the streets of much of their unsightly ap-

#### Superintendent's Report The pupils of the La Grande High

than 75.

School won the debate in the contes Following is the monthly report last night, and in consequence are feelabmitted by Supt. Hockenberry: ing very jubilant. The question was: "Resolved that protective duties are of To the board of School directors of La Gradde, Oregon. more benefit to the Uulted States than a ta iff for revenue only." Gentlemen :- In making my seven

The affirmative was argued by the Union school and the debaters were, h monthly report I wish to call sttention to the following matters: Eugene Reuter, Chester Swackhamer At your last meeting you decided and Ruth Hollenbeck. to pass pupils upon their final exami-

The La Grande school supported the untions only. For this reason I renegative and the nebaters were Grover Melville, Nell Young and Herman commended that we abolish the semimonthly written reviews and daily class markings and permit each teach-The speakers from both schools are

deserving of great credit for the able manner in which they handled their or to use whatever system of marking he sees fit to employ. subject. It was evident that much I recommended also that time and thought had been devoted to preparation of their speeches, and while teacher be required to preserve for at least two months all written review

the young people from Union were de-feated in the debate, they have no cause for mortification as the contest work in its corrected stage or any other written class work in its correoted stage. was close. I would suggest that the former re Then Union carried off two of the

quirements for promotion be retained honors. Miss Edith Lafferty, of Union that is, an average of 75 pers cont won in the recitation contest Miss Ola with 60 per cent as the minimum for Tuttle, also of Union, carried off the any study; but that no study shall be nonors in the orstorical contest. Every contestant made a creditable passed final with a less percentage

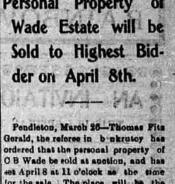
appearance and every subject was handled in a manner highly creditable to both schools. Following is the program rendered :

Music by High School Orchestra-In Ball Boom Costume,

Recitation-How the La Rue Stakes month. were Lost ..... Pearl Wilbur Mise Kuhn'e room had no tardy Regitation-Zingarella..... marks. I think, on the whole, Miss

McHroy's and Miss Logsdon's room Recitation-Sweet Girl Graduate .. had the best attendance. 

Music-High School Orchestra. ...



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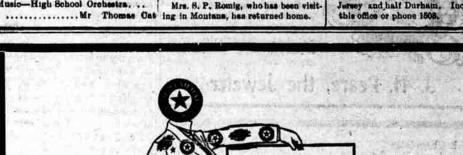
set April 8 at 11 o'clock as the time for the sale. The place will be the Commercial stables (the Froome liv-ery baru) on Main strest, where all of the property will be gathered and sold to the highest bidder. Notices of the sale were posted. by law required, this morning and Judge Fitz Gerald sent out notifications to the oreditors of the estate today. 3 6 1

#### Sheridan's Day

The old veterans had a very intersting post meeting yesterday afternoon. The G A B post at this plane to give seat to these meetings devotes some time at each meetings to rem-iniscence of some distinguished Union General. Yesterday was Gen. Poll Sheridans Day. Several of the veto-rans there had served under him and their talk about him and graghio and interesting. One of the comrads saw him mount his horse to begin his celebrated ride for Winchester to Cedar Creek, snother was at Uedar Creek when he arrived; saw him while rallying the lugit was and forming a new line o. battle and was in the obarge that rolled back the onsweeping victorious rebels and turned defeat into complete victory for the Union.

Others told how they had seen h booly riding where shells were screaming and musket halls falling like hall bout him, how his presence inspired confidence and his command "Charge" was always responded to with a wild yell and energetic rush for the enemy. Next meeting will be Gen. Grant's Day.

FOR SALE-A yearling heifer, half Jeresy and half Durham. Inquire at this office or phone 1808.



Respectfully submitted H. J. Hocksuberry, Supt.

There are 11 pup.ls less on the roll

than last month, but IO2 more than

visits of directors credited for this

for the same month last year.

You will notice that there were

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# Easter Sale

COMMENCING MONDAY, MARCH 21 AND CONTINUING UNTIL MONDAY, MARCH 28

we will place on sale our entire line of Dress Goods, at a reduction of . . . .

### 20 Per Cent

This sale includes both Wool and Wash Goods. all of which are the latest weaves and designs This is an opportunity to secure your Easter REMEMBER THE DATE. Gowns.

### THE CHICAGO STORE

experting the records of the city officials of Elgin Monday and left on the eve ning train for his home in Union. Mr. Benson is an expert accountant and when he completes the examination of set of books, people can rest assured that his report is correct .-- Recorder.

### Rev. Pierce

**Books Experted** G. W. Benson completed his work of

## A COUGH SUGGESTION

This is the season when chronic throat and lung troubles get their start Any cough is serious enough to have prompt attention and it is also important that the best possible remedy is secured. We hope you will try our

#### WHITE PINE COUGH BALSAM

We feel that this is in many respects a superior remedy and that once familiar with it, you will rely on it as your general household cough cure. It is pleasant to take and cures as quickly as any safe Price 25 and 50 cents. remely can.

### NEWLIN DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Cross were ery happily surprised a few days ago hearing from their friends in Ashabuta Ohio, that Rev. Pierce now fills he excited position of being Pastor of he First Boptist Church in that beautiat city. Many people of La Grande all remember about eight years ago, hrough the offerts of Mrs. Cross in bihalf of the temperance ladies, he was induced to come to La Grande and give ao lectures, which were conceded all to be the best ever given in this city upon that subject, and we feel assured that the large andience that greeted him will be pleased to learn of the eloquent pastor's grand success.

### Surprise Party

Mrs. W. S. Lewis was very pleasantly surprised yesterday afternoon by a party gotten up by her little daughter, Berths, in bonor of her birthday.

Refreshments were served, every body had a good time and Mrs Lewis received many beautiful presents. Those present were Mesdames Hesling, of Perry J M Price, Hough , Hues Webb, Crippen, Miss Lels Smith and Mrs Lewis' grand daughter and two neices.



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able to put any beart even into Brooklyn Life.