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We have a new stock of doors and sash direct from the factory, at prices that cannot be beaten. Give us your order for LUMBER and we will furnish direct from the mills at Perry anything you may require. We can get any kind of mill work or finish to order. Cedar shingles in first and second quality or dimension and fancy butts. Anything we haven't in stock we can get for you on short notice.

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We will call for it and bring it home when promised.

We guarantee satisfaction and only ask for a trial order to demonstrate to you that we understand the laundry business. You can stop our wagon at any time or phone the Laundry and your work will be called for at once. We make a specialty of family washing, and can do your washing better and cheaper than you. A trial order solicited.

Union Steam Laundry

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When you arrive, you are there.

The Rock Island System has an enormous advantage over other western railroads in the fact that its Chicago terminal—the La Salle Street Station—is the only railroad station on the Elevated Loop.

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The trains of all Chicago's elevated railroads pass in doors and take you quickly and for a 5-cent fare to any part of the city.

These routes East—via Denver, Omaha and St. Paul.

L. B. CORNAGE, Gen'l Agt., 140 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

DOLLIVER ON TRUSTS

Washington, April 21—The house has agreed to the conference on the agricultural appropriation, and took up the conference report of the naval appropriation bill.

In the senate Dolliver discussed the recent resolution introduced by Hill, calling on the secretary of commerce for information relative to incorporations other than trusts since 1890. He described the desecration of speculative trusts and predicted that the application of universal natural laws, including the competition of independent companies, would eventually drive the last of them out of business.

Ordinance No 285 Series of 1904

An ordinance providing for the issuing and negotiating of additional bonds of the city of La Grande to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing a City Hall for said city.

The city of La Grande does ordain as follows:—

Section One: That under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon the Council of the city of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, at a regular and general election held in the city of La Grande Oregon on the 14th day of March A D 1904 for the purpose of authorizing the Council of the city of La Grande to issue and negotiate twenty five thousand dollars additional bonds of said city of La Grande Oregon to be used in the construction of a City Hall for said city, said election being held under the provisions of Section one hundred and thirty one of the Charter of the said city of La Grande Oregon and the provisions of Ordinance No 285, Series 1904 of said city of La Grande entitled, "An Ordinance providing for submitting to the legal voters of the city of La Grande Oregon at the general election to be held in said city on the 14th day of March A D 1904, the question of authorizing the Council of the city of La Grande Oregon to issue and negotiate Twenty-five thousand dollars additional bonds of said city for the purpose of constructing a City Hall for said city" passed by the council of said city of La Grande Oregon on the 20th day of February 1904 and approved by the mayor of said city on the 23rd day of February 1904 there shall be issued and sold as hereinafter provided additional bonds of the city of La Grande Oregon to the amount of twenty five thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing a City Hall for said city of La Grande Oregon.

Section Two: That said bonds shall be of the denomination of Five hundred dollars each and shall be numbered in one to fifty inclusive and shall bear date the 1st day of July 1904 and shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the 1st day of January and 1st day of July in each year.

Section Three: That said bonds shall be so drawn as to become due in twenty years from date thereof and redeemable after ten years from the date thereof at the option of said city of La Grande and the first installment of interest thereon shall become due and payable on the 1st day of January 1905, principal and interest to be payable in U.S. gold coin at some place to be agreed upon by the said city and the purchaser of said bonds and to be designated therein.

Section Four: That there shall be attached to each of said bonds forty coupons each of which shall bear date and be numbered the same as the bond to which it is attached and shall represent the interest thereon for each half year from the 1st day of July 1904 and each to be payable at a date to be therein named.

Section Five: That the said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and attested by the Recorder and have the seal of said city of La Grande affixed thereto; the coupons shall be signed by the Recorder.

Section Six: That the Recorder of the said city of La Grande shall enter in a register to be by him kept for the purpose, the number of each of said bonds, the date, amount, rate of interest, the time when due, the number of coupons attached to each of the same and to whom sold and the place of payment.

Section Seven: That sealed bids may be received by the Recorder of said city until eight o'clock P.M. of May 11th 1904 at which time the common council of said city of La Grande shall in open sitting open all of said bids so received and award the sale of said bond to the highest and best bidder thereof, provided that the said council shall have the right to reject any of all bids and provided further that said bonds shall not be sold at less than par.

All bids for bonds shall be sealed and directed to the Recorder and shall have plainly endorsed on some part of the outside of the envelope the words, "Bids for City Hall Bonds" and the Recorder of said city shall receive and open the same in the presence of the Mayor and the Council thereof at least ten days before the time at which said bonds are to be sold and shall give notice of the receipt of each bid in such papers and reports as the Mayor and Council may direct.

Section Eight: That the proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be paid into the Treasury of the city of La Grande and shall be kept and set apart by the City Treasurer in a separate fund which shall be known and designated as "City Hall Bonds" and no bonds shall be allowed except upon the payment that a check for each of the said bonds of the first maturity authorized in the bond and registered shall have been paid into the hands of the City Treasurer of the city he shall hold the same for the benefit of the said bonds which said bonds were issued for the same shall not be used for any other purpose.

Section Nine: That this Ordinance shall be published in the La Grande Morning Observer for one issue thereof and shall be in full force and take effect from and after the 25th day of April A D 1904.

Passed by the council of the City of La Grande Oregon on the 18th day of April A D 1904 by six members voting therefor.

Approved April 19th 1904.
J. E. FOLEY,
Mayor City of La Grande

Attest: WM. MILLER, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

La Grande School of Music

Opposite Sommer house.
One of the best musical institutions in the state. Four rooms used for musical instruction, 15 grades of music taught. Department 1, 2 rooms used for the 3 first grades. Children at the age of 5 and older come one hour every day. Department 2, 2 rooms for grades 4 to 15 for pupils of all ages. The latest course best practical musical instruction. Musical contests for medals every few weeks.

E. Porter Day, Principal.
Mrs. Day, Assistant

Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between E. D. Whiting and C. J. Black has this day April 18 1904, been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 18 day of April 1904 at La Grande Oregon.

C. J. Black,
E. D. Whiting.

April 17—May 17.

STALLION NOTICE

A great opportunity for you to breed to one of the best at a very low price. I will make this season with my imported famous Ho. knev stallion STUNTNEY TASSO.

With return privilege \$8 payable in advance. No other terms. Can give good references as to his colts.

Wm C. Hansen

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—A Single Disc Root Plow for sale cheap. Also 3 saddle ponies one half shetland. 3 good single driving horses. J. E. Reynolds.

FOR SALE—A yearling heifer, half Jersey and half Durham. Inquire at this office or phone 1502.

FOR SALE
Indian Runner Duck eggs, thorough bred imported stock, only a limited number. W. N. Moore, La Grande. 99-2 d 4 w.

FOR SALE CHEAP
All the fixtures of the Cove Creamery including one eight horse power engine and ten horse power boiler, churn and butter works, and a large cheese-press vats etc.

Mrs. Matt. Mitchell
Cove, Oregon.

FOR SALE
Two acre tract, East of the La Grande Flouring mill, one half in good bearing orchard. Small cottage, and good barn. Will sell for cash or will trade for good work horses. L. O. Grout T F La Grande, Ore.

FOR SALE—Large two story house, good barn, about 7 acres of land with orchard for sale, will take part payment either in city property or farm land. Slightly located in old town. For particulars inquire at this office or of E. Damon J-1-tf.

FOR SALE—100 sacks of fine early rose seed potatoes. 1/2 mile east of L. Olden-burg's farm. J S Chandler 4-6 tf

FOR SALE—Two acre block with new 5 room house, barn, out houses, well improved \$1100, time given on part. This will bear investigation situated on N Cherry and N street. Fred Waring. 4-2 tf

LUMBER—The Stoddard Lumber Co has secured the lumber from the mills of the Grande Ronde Lumber Co to supply the retail market in the city of La Grande.

FOR SALE—5 lots, with good dwelling house and barn on out skirts of City. For further particulars see G W Thomas at Bock and Thomas Meat Market 3-22 tf

FOR SALE—5 acre fruit farm, all bearing, good house and barn, well improved, well watered also Jersey milk cow, black nonna chickens, household goods, and etc. Apply to 4-14L.d.w. J W Helmer, My Park

FOR RENT—A block of ground with bearing orchard, garden, small house and barn. Inquire at the office of F S Ivanhoe

FOR RENT
A furnished four room cottage. In Mrs Zuber.

MISCELLANEOUS.
LOST—Between 1409 Adams Avenue and Forest Bros. Hardware and Second Hand Store, one dark red leather bill book containing deposit certificates on a Grande National Bank to the amount of three hundred twenty five dollars (\$325). Certificates for Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Henderson. Finder please leave same at La Grande National Bank and receive reward. Papers of no value except to owners. 3-22-tf

TO THE READING PUBLIC
We have just received a new lot of paper back novels. In addition to these we have added 300 cloth bound books to our exchange library.
Newlin Drug Co.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that I have given my son William Wilkie his time and from this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him, or any contracts he may make March 21, 1904.
3-22-tf Angnete Rothlage.

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I can furnish you with the best hardy roses one year old at 25c each, or two years old at 45c. Also all kinds of plants, such as Pansies, Asters, Petunias, Baisies, Candytuft, etc. I make a specialty of all outside work, pruning, grafting, landscape work, gardening, lawn mowing, etc., at very reasonable prices. Give me a trial, I will guarantee to give satisfaction. All kinds of trees, shrubs, small fruits, cabbage, celery and tomato plants. Open Sundays from 8 to 12 p. m.

WM. GILPIN,
Phone 1161 Greenhouse

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J. M. BERRY.....Vice President
J. M. CHURCH.....Cashier
F. L. MEYERS.....Asst. Cashier

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Change of Management.

The undersigned has purchased the business known as the Harris Cash Meat Market and will hereafter conduct the same.

We wish to inform the public that we are prepared to furnish all kinds of meats, game and poultry at the very lowest prices consistent with first-class articles and make two trips daily to the Old Town. Highest market price paid for all cattle, hogs and sheep. We solicit a share of your patronage and guarantee the very best satisfaction.

Phone orders receive prompt and careful attention.
Harris meat market across the track. Phone 1601.

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Express and Delivery

Adna Rogers, Phone 1497. All calls receive prompt attention. General express and delivery business. tf

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Why are Geddes Bros. kept so busy? Why do they sell the best goods at the lowest prices?
Preferred 8 1/2% Tomatoes 3 for 50c
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Don't pay other grocers 20 cents a can for any of these goods. Standard tomatoes, corn, beans, peas, etc. 2 for 25 cents. They have the best butter made in the valley, and their creamery butter has no equal here. Try it and see.
Dill pickles, Helms' mince meat, Swift's pickle pig feet, premium hams, loose olives. Everything tasty, nice and cheap. Telephone 461

O.R.&N. OREGON SHORT LINE

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NO. 2 8:50 p. m. NO. 6 8:10 a. m.	Salt Lake, Denver Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 1 9:30 a. m. NO. 3 10:30 p. m.
NO. 1 8:00 a. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pennington, Walla Walla, Dayton, Topeka, Omaha, Lincoln, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 4 9:30 p. m.
NO. 5 9:30 p. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pennington, Walla Walla, Dayton, Topeka, Omaha, Lincoln, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 7 10:30 p. m.
NO. 3 9:15 a. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pennington, Walla Walla, Dayton, Topeka, Omaha, Lincoln, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 8 11:30 p. m.
NO. 4 9:15 a. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pennington, Walla Walla, Dayton, Topeka, Omaha, Lincoln, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 9 12:30 p. m.

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