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3 h. p.	128 85	30 h. p.	555 65

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1/2 hp 3 phase	120 lbs	1/2 hp single phase	225 lbs	
1/2 hp "	155 lbs	1/2 hp "	270 lbs	
1 hp "	242 lbs	1 hp "	275 lbs	
2 hp "	345 lbs	2 hp "	380 lbs	
3 hp "	425 lbs	3 hp "	465 lbs	
		5 hp "	630 lbs	
5 hp "	form K	810 lbs	form L	670 lbs
7 1/2 hp "	form K	950 lbs	form L	820 lbs
10 hp "	form K	1175 lbs	form L	1075 lbs
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The public proposes, but the Senate disposes.

What's the will of the people between a Senate and its dignity?

Woman suffrage has added another state and hereafter women will be allowed privilege of the ballot in Kansas, making five states in all. The others are Colorado, Idaho, Utah, and Wyoming.

On last Friday The Atlanta Journal remarked that it would be harder for an anti-trust bill to go through the Senate than for a beggar to get a dollar from Russell Sage. True as to railway rebate and rate bills, anyway.

There is much work that can be accomplished this year by the La Grande Commercial Club but to secure the best possible results there are between fifty and sixty business men who should become members that are not. This is to be the year of action and if the Commercial Club does not take hold of the many propositions that it should, the opportunities will pass and unless the business men rally to its support, there will be cause for regret.

The voters of this county who are largely in the majority have reason to realize the advantage of having a solid delegation against county division. Had our representatives been divided, beautiful Grande Ronde Valley would have been divided into two counties, which should never be and never will. By the time two more years have passed the majority of the citizens of the Cove and North Power will have become reconciled to the new conditions and will be opposed to any change.

Collier's Weekly, discussing the plans of the president for curbing trusts, calls attention to the fact that these organizations are sometimes called hogs. Continuing it says: "We gain nothing by scolding a hog for being a hog. We rather scold the keeper who lets him root where he does harm."

That expresses the idea clearly. The public has been scolding at the hog for being a hog. This has been indulged in for years. The scolding has been joined in by many public men and has often partaken of the nature of a general chorus but it has only been within a short time that we have had attention directed in a practical manner to the necessity for shutting the hog up in a proper enclosure.

President Roosevelt has undertaken this task of circumscribing the activities of the

creature, and he has gone about it in such a manner that the people realize something is going to be accomplished toward keeping the animal out of their corn fields and potato patches. A ring is being placed in its nose by means of which it will be led where the public is willing it shall go. It squeals, but when the sore shall have healed it will realize it is useless to protest further and will then probably be docile. It will root where it is entitled to root, but will not invade people's gardens nor destroy their corn. Its keeper will always be at hand and direct its movements in such a manner that the neighborhood will not be threatened with having lawns ploughed up and mud rubbed against door posts.—Statesman.

### ONE VIEW

The Moody machine aided by the fool democrats, has now the credit of further holding up progress in Oregon by defeating Cascade county. That was done to protect the little dilapidated scrap-iron town of The Dalles.—Union Republican.

### CITY ELECTION NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern; Notice is hereby given that there will be a General Election held in the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, on Monday the 13th day of March 1906, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Recorder, Marshal and Treasurer, of said City to serve for one year and one councilman from each ward in said City to serve for the term of two years.

The polling place in the First Ward will be in the old Council Chamber, and the following named persons have been appointed to act as judges and clerks of said first ward, Judges, Perry Clark, J. L. Curtis, and C. Ralston, Clerks, A. Warnick, Ed Coolidge, and Frank Brown.

The polling place in the Second Ward will be in the Fire Department Building on Elm Street, and the following named persons have been appointed to act as judges and clerks of said Second Ward, Judges, H. W. Stoner, Wm Masterton, and F. S. Newson, Clerks, Wm Grant, I. R. Snook, and C. J. Vanderpool.

The polling place in the third ward will be in the Gangloff building on Fourth Street north of Jefferson Ave. and the following named persons have been appointed to act as judges and clerks of said Third Ward, Judges, Arthur Williams, Wm Grady, and R. L. Lincoln, Clerks, Clara Scriber, W. I. Bissonett, and C. L. Thornton.

The polling places will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until seven o'clock P. M. of said 13th day of March, 1906.

Dated this second day of Feb 1906.  
Chester P. Newlin,  
Recorder of the City of La Grande  
Union County, Oregon.

### Music

R. P. Tait, the pioneer music teacher of Grande Ronde Valley, is still in the ring. During my vacation I made it my business as well as pleasure to attend concerts, operas, and in fact everything in my line of business and I found that I as a teacher, and interpreter of music am still in the front rank. Pupils who do not wish the full conservatory course may take the popular piano course. This places the pupil in position to play the popular music of the day, Church and Sunday School music.

The Violin popular course places the pupil in position to play all kinds of dance music as well as light overtures. Quite a number of musicians who have been under my instruction are now making good money as teachers and soloists. Pupils who are under my care will be thoroughly instructed in music.

R. P. TAIT, teacher

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