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LA GRANDE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

PROF. DAY, Principle.
MRS. DAY, Assistant

This is one of the best musical institutions in the state. During the year 1904 there were nearly four thousand lessons given. The people in this city and valley are beginning to discover the great advantage of this school. The system used is the latest and most practical, and includes all the latest discoveries in the art of teaching music. The school is divided into two departments; No. 1 is for beginners, from 5 years up, and taking in the 1st to 3rd grades. In this department pupils come one hour every day. In No. 2 the grades are from 3 to 15. Here they graduate. Pupils take one or two lessons a week as they desire. No scholars will be permitted to remain in this school who do not study.

Are You Restless at Night?
And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will assure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1. Newlin Drug Co.

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.

Croup
Begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough, apply frequently Ballard's Snow Lintment to the throat.

Mrs. A. Whit, New Castle, Colo., writes March 19th, 1901: "I think Ballard's Horehound Syrup a wonderful remedy, and so pleasant." 25c, 50c and \$1. Newlin Drug Co.

Banished To Riga

[By Scripps News Association]

St Petersburg Feb 28—Upon request of Maxim Gorky the author that he be allowed to live at Riga, the authorities last night banished him to that place. His preference of Ormen or Moscow was refused. Gorky took an affectionate leave of his wife and little son Maxim at the station 16 last night. They will join him at Riga shortly.

ONE MILLION PER MONTH

New York Feb 28—If Wall street is right in its information, August Belmont is making money faster than any man in America, with one or two exceptions. Financial gossips place the increase in his wealth from \$12,000,000 to \$16,000,000 in the last year. This is a little more than \$1,000,000 a month. Attention has been directed to Belmont largely by the sensational rise in interborough rapid transit stock a little more than a year ago this stock sold as low as 82 or 83 cents in the last two weeks it touched 228 a rise of 140 points within a year. Belmont and his friends have made a vast fortune. Young Cornelius Vanderbilt is said to be \$5,000,000 better off as a result of the rise.

Hare Cannery

Echo Ore. Feb 28—Since the attempt of canning the famous American hare has proved a failure for the present a new industry has taken life. W E Carlson, of California, in shipping from 150 to 300 of the rabbits daily to the coursing grounds at Fresno and San Francisco. Mr Carlson has a force of four men and two teams engaged in rounding up the rabbits on Butter creek and bringing them to town for shipment.

The rabbits are shipped by express in wooden crates in six sections, one rabbit to a section. For each of them delivered at the depot he receives 50 cents, which makes the industry a remunerative one. The shipments have been made for the past two weeks and will continue until the coursing season closes.

Czar Desires Reform

[By Scripps News Association]

St Petersburg Feb 28—The Czar has decided to appoint the Grand Duke Constantine as Minister of Education to succeed M Glasgow. Duke Constantine is said to be the most liberal and enlightened of the Grand Dukes. The appointment is taken to indicate that the Czar desires a reform in this department.

Steamer Wrecked

Marshfield Ore Feb 28—A report reached here from Coquille City that the schooner Onward of Parkerburg Ore., in attempting to sail over the Coquille bar missed the entrance and struck on the beach.

In an effort to make deep water she struck broadside against Table rock and drifted on the neighboring reef. The Onward will be a total wreck. The crew of seven all escaped safely.

Copy Missouri Bill

Boise Feb 28—Senators Macbeth of Custer, and Nugent of Idaho have introduced an anti bribery measure that is regarded as one of the most effective that has ever been drawn in this country. It is a copy of a bill now pending before the Missouri senate, the house of that state having passed it by a vote of 120 to 1. It was recommended, and it is said, drafted by Governor Folk, whose fight against corruption in the official circles of his state has made him a national character. The following are the provisions of the bill:

"Section 1. No person shall be excused from testifying or producing documents, at the instance of the state in any criminal cause or proceeding touching any offense relating to bribery, on the ground that the testimony required of him may incriminate him."

"But no person shall be prosecuted or punished on account of any transactions, manner or thing concerning which he may be so required to testify or produce evidence."

Provided that no person so testifying shall be exempt from prosecution and punishment for perjury in so testifying."

WHAT FARMERS HAVE DONE

This office is in receipt of a very interesting and instructive pamphlet which has been issued by the passenger department of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Co. In this most, succinct concise booklet are one hundred and fifty one letters from farmers in the Pacific Northwest, all of whom have had years of experience in this and other parts of the country, and all of whom have made unqualified successes in the northwest. A great number of these letters come from people of the Grande Ronde Valley telling of their experience and of value of the land and climatic conditions.

Information from the little book could be gleaned by any one, and it is interesting throughout. The book is entitled "What Farmers have done in Oregon, Washington and Idaho."

Visiting Granges

A merry party consisting of about thirty of the members of the "Blue Mountain Grange" took advantage of the beautiful weather on Saturday by taking their baskets of lunch and boarding the Elgin train and spending the day with "Crystal Grange" at Imbler.

They returned in the evening having spent a most enjoyable day.

A Columbian Minister

[By Scripps News Association]

Washington Feb 28—The State Department has been informed of the appointment of Senator Don Diego Mondaca as Minister from Columbia. The post has been vacant for the last three years.

The Dalles Fire

The Dalles Ore. Feb. 28—Fire which started in the basement of Vogt block Sunday evening caused a loss approximating \$22,000. The principal damage was caused by smoke and water. The losses were as follows:

Vogt block, \$8,000, H. Herbring, dry goods, \$3,000, L. Borden, grocery and grocery, \$1,000, K of P Hall, \$1,200. The flames gutted Parkie's music store to the extent of \$150 and the damage to offices and books will exceed \$1,000. Insurance adjusters will finish in two or three days.

CREAMERY BUILDING NEAR COMPLETION

The building for Pendleton creamery is nearing completion. The machinery will arrive about March 15, and the plant will be ready for operation, it is thought, about April 1. A large number of cows has already been promised and more will be secured after the season opens and the creamery is ready to receive butter fat.—Pendleton E. O.

A CURE FOR MENINGITIS

New York Feb 28—Tests are now under way at Bellevue hospital may result in the demonstration of a new scientific curative treatment for cerebro-spinal meningitis by the use of diptheria anti-toxin. The gouveneur hospital has been experimenting for five weeks and a large falling off in the death rate among patients treated for the affection is reported.

The board of health at its last meeting discussed the plan and 50,000 units of anti-toxin were ordered for the tests. The cost of the serum is about \$3 for 2,000 units and in the new treatment injections of 10,000 units will be used. The experiment will be a costly one. No specific treatment is known for the disease and the Bellevue records show a death rate of 75 per cent in cases treated there.

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For Sale

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 good work horses, 1 3/4 inch wagon, 1 4 inch logging truck, 1 4 1/2 inch logging truck.
JOHN ANTHONY.

FOR SALE—Poland China box. Enquire of W T Stein, R F D No. 2, two miles east of La Grande. Phone 1774. w 1 16-163.

FOR SALE—New Ideal washing machine price \$7.00 E J Conrod R F D No 1

FOR SALE—Must sell within the next fifteen days, building now occupied by my meat market. Cor. Fir and Monroe Ave. Two story, six rooms up stairs. Remember the building only is for sale. I HARRIS 1 week.

Final Notice

I hereby give final notice that all interested parties must remove the bodies of their friends in the old cemetery and remove the head stones. Otherwise I will proceed to move the stones and remove the bodies the same as I am now doing with the unknown graves. This is my final notice and this matter must receive the immediate attention of those interested.

As I am not acquainted, I do not know who is interested, hence this notice.

GEO. O'CONNOR.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms to rent. Inquire of Mrs Zuber.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without bath. In best residence district. Inquire at Cor Fourth and Main st., the George Hansen property. Jan 6 1st

FOR RENT—Furnished house keeping rooms, in suits of two, three and four rooms. Inquire of Mrs. Mary Noble.—Phone 5-4-7.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms suitable for light house keeping. Inquire of Mrs Shearer, near Geddis Bros grocery store.

FOR RENT—Five room house to rent. Water in house, good cellar and woodshed. Inquire at this office.

Board and Lodging by Mrs Goodall 2114 3rd st. Phone 707

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The undersigned has eight stands of Italian bees which he will dispose of at reasonable price if sold at once. These are all good strong and healthy colonies and will surely survive in given proper attention.

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2-1-3-1

Strayed

One blue roan colt from my place in Fruittdale last Friday. A suitable reward will be paid for its return or information leading to its recovery.

B E Sparrow.
La Grande R F D No 1

Estray Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following described stock has been taken up at my place six miles east of La Grande Union County Oregon and appraised, as follows, one bay mare branded N on left hip weight about 950, aged 18. One sorrel mare branded W on left shoulder, weight about 500, aged 4. One bald faced filly, white feet no brand weight about 700 pounds.

W D Grandy P O at La Grande. Feb 27 March 27

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Notice is hereby given that I have taken up at my farm three quarters of a mile southeast of Allice, Union county, Oregon, on January 1, 1905, one sorrel, bald faced gelding, branded figure 4, on right shoulder, about 6 or 7 years old, weight about 800 pounds. Appraised value \$15. Owner can have same by proving ownership and paying expenses, otherwise the animal will be sold according to law. W J CASE, Feb 17-Mch 25 Allice R F D No. 1

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