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The Meeting At The M. E. Church

There is no thought on the part of the church that the meetings thus far so successful are to close this week. It is a moment beyond the possibility of man to produce and man should not say "stop." The evening at 7:30 is another daily session, but there will be no meeting afternoon nor evening tomorrow [Saturday] Come and be refreshed. All are welcome.

PRESIDENT MYERS AT ELGIN

President Jefferson Myers of the Lewis and Clark fair commission who was in the city yesterday to speak before the La Grande Commercial club and county commissioners on the advisability of an exhibit at the Lewis and Clark fair spoke before the Commercial at Elgin today on this subject and it will doubtless meet with approval from all parts of the county as Union county certainly can make a first class showing in fruits and all things grown here. Mr. Myers will return to La Grande tonight and it is more than probable that the county commissioners now in session will decide to set aside an appropriation for this purpose.

To Annex Panama

Washington March 3.—Representative Kebo of New York introduced a concurrent resolution today to annex the republic of Panama to the United States. The resolution recites that "as it will best the best interest of the world and especially beneficial to the contracting parties," the president be requested to advise the congress upon what terms the territory embraced within the republic of Panama can be annexed to the United States the inhabitants thereof to enjoy all the rights, privileges and immunities guaranteed to other citizens under the federal constitution.

Advocates Sugar Beets

The Times-Herald hopes that at least several of our farmers will experiment with sugar beet raising this season. Our seed dealers have ordered a large supply of seed of various varieties and we should make an effort to secure some exceptionally fine specimens for exhibits at the fair and also for test purposes. Harney valley has the same altitude as the Salt Valley the greatest sugar beet section in the United States.—Burns Times Herald.

Sister Fabiola Dead

All that was mortal of the remains of the late Sister Fabiola, a teacher in St. Francis' Academy, were laid to rest yesterday morning in the Catholic cemetery. A solemn requiem mass was said by Rev. Father Olivette and the celebrant delivered an able eulogy on the life of the saintly woman whose life had been consecrated to the work of the Master.—Baker City Democrat.

Peculiar and Pertinent

Every Russian minister receives a salary of about \$12,500 a year and the ministers of the interior and finance receive large additional sums. The salary is for life even if the minister is only in office a few months.

The first number of the official organ of the Austrian Divorced Catholic club has appeared. According to it there are in Austria no fewer than 200,000 divorced persons, the majority of whom desire to marry again.

The custom of sending New Year cards originally came from the Mikado's kingdom. More than 150 years ago the art of making and the custom of exchanging beautifully illuminated little works of art became the fashion.

The Argentine Republic will spend in the next five years \$40,000,000 on new railways and branch lines. Up to the present time most of the rolling stock in use on the Argentine railroads has been imported from England, Germany and Belgium.

The popularity of bridge shows no sign of abatement, says the London Express. Both the king and queen find in the game a great recreation of an evening. Their majesties play for low points and always pay their losses before rising from the table.

The first dolls of which there is any knowledge were found among the treasures unearthed from the ruins of Babylon. They are small figures of terra cotta and ivory, beautifully carved and must have been fascinating playthings for the little Assyrian children.

Idaho Interested

Portland March 3.—Interest in the Lewis and Clark Exposition is growing steadily among the residents of Idaho. Grangeville promises to send every man, woman and child in the city to the Centennial.

The distance from Grangeville to Portland is not very great and as an extremely low railroad fare is to be made, several hundred will come from the vicinity of Idaho City.

Big Fire

By Scripps News Association
New York March 3.—Fire destroyed a six story building this morning on Duane Street, occupied by the Merchants Rubber Company, and Oleschneider Willow Ware Company. The loss was \$100,000.

Appointed Consul

Washington, March 3.—The President has decided to appoint Col. James Rogers of Columbus, Ohio, as Consul General to Shanghai, a seaport city and early settlement of China.

Terror At Arab

(By Scripps News Association)
Constantinople March 3.—The town of Arab, in the province of Yemen has been taken by the insurgents. The government has sent re-enforcements.

Electric Railroad

We have been informed from sources that we have every reason to believe is authentic that within the next two weeks if not sooner that there will be made public the intentions of those who are instrumental in the proposed electric railroad in this valley, that will be good news to the whole county, in other words that the work will be immediately commenced. The finances we are assured are arranged for.

Survivor

By the death of George S. Boutwell Mayor George H. Williams, of Portland Oregon becomes the last survivor of President Grant's cabinet, having served as attorney-general from 1871 to 1875.

Beginning to Think

(By Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg, March 3.—An ukaz was issued by the senate announcing that the committee of the ministers had been directed to consider the report of the schemes submitted for the amelioration of the people.

Public Is Aroused

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach liver and kidneys, Mary Mary H. Walters, of 548 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die, I had fever and ague my nerves were wrecked I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Newlin drug store, price 50c.

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La Grande, Oregon.

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FOR SALE—Poland China bowl. Enquire of W. C. Steid, R. F. D. No. 2, two miles east of La Grande. Phone 1774. w 1 18-193

FOR SALE—New Ideal washing machine price \$7.00 E. J. Conrad 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.

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 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished house keeping rooms, in suits of two, three and four rooms. Inquire of Mrs. Mary Noble, Phone 3-42 tf.

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

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

FOR RENT—All parties wishing to rent a portion of the O'Connor tract for the present year, call at residence as the land will be rented immediately. Dr. O'CONNOR, corner Park and Oak street.

ANTED—Lady or gentleman with fair education for a business position, salary \$10 to \$20 per week. Address with stamp and give your name and the name of the town. Mrs. L. F. Rich, La Grande, Ore., G. D. 3t

BEEES FOR SALE

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 thrive if given proper attention.

H. O. Thomason, La Grande, Oregon
Residence Fourth street Old Town M 2 D & W

Estray Notice

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up at my farm three quarters of a mile southeast of Alicel, 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 Alicel R. F. D. No. 1

Land Scrip For Sale

Unrestricted forest reserve scrip for sale at lowest market prices. My scrip secures title to timbered, farming, grazing or desert land, in any quantity, without residence or improvement. Address H. M. Hamilton, The Portland, Portland, Oregon.

Strayed

One blue roan colt from my place in Fruitdale 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

Last Notice

Months ago I notified the public that all those who had relatives buried in the cemetery, which is a part of my lands were expected to remove the remains without delay. Being aware that this is essentially painful to all concerned. I have been patient but am now compelled to make a final appeal to those interested. The work of clearing the ground has already begun and the lateness of the season necessitates its early completion. Geo O'Connor 3t

FOR RENT—Neat cottage in good location. Inquire of Mrs. S. C. Zuber.

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 13. One sorrel mare branded W on left shoulder, weight about 800, 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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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 Wallard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure 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. R. P. TAIT, teacher

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 Linctament to the throat. Mrs. A. Vinet, 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.