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I have a good stock of shade trees, shrubs and vines, also American Evergreens for fencing and wind breaks, \$5 per hundred, \$40 per thousand Weeping trees for cemeteries. Carnations, three colors, 12 for \$1. Double Daisies, large, three colors. Large flowering pansies, all colors, per dozen 50c.

**LA GRANDE NURSERY**

Box 637  
 Or leave order at Thorn's Grocery Store.

**WILL PROBE**  
**LAND FRAUDS**

Portland March 30—William J. Burns, chief of the government secret service department, arriving yesterday from Washington, announces he will leave Oregon for another field as soon as the federal grand jury completes its work here. This will be approximately April 1, and Burns' next investigations, it is said, are to be in Idaho or Washington, in both of which states, particularly Idaho, an upheaval similar to the one that has made Oregon notorious, is looked for. Burns says President Roosevelt told Hensy and himself that he wanted the land frauds probed to the bottom and no one spared, if guilty.

**China Preparing**

Victoria, B. C., March 30—Mail advices were received from Peking by the Empress of Japan today that high officials of China recognize that China will have to pass through a grave crisis threatening the very foundations of her independence and integrity at the close of the war, and that to avert anarchy and chaos the empire must be well armed and ready. The Manchurian and military authorities are accordingly rearming the various banner organizations, Manchurian, Mongol and Chinese. To the end of February, 28 battalions over and above the 7000 Manchus equipped with good arms in 1902, had been provided with either Mannlicher or Mauser magazine rifles. Factories are working to provide 30,000 more for the Chinese forces at Peking. These forces will form the nucleus of a modern Chinese army to be organized without delay. An army of half a million men is expected to be ready, well armed for the defense of Peking before June.

**"BROKEN NECKS"**  
**REPAIRED**

While Osteopaths have been conferring health upon thousands of sick and afflicted people by fixing misplacements and slips of the vertebrae and correcting them a great many doctors of other schools have been discrediting this situation by claiming that such "lesions" do not occur often, and when they do are certain to cause instant death. Yet the newspapers repeatedly give accounts of such accidents which show misplacements gross enough to leave no doubt of the fact—not all of whose victims die—while of late physicians are becoming "osteopathizee" enough to occasionally set such dislocations. The Chicago Tribune reported this case from New York last month:

"Edward Pape of Brooklyn fell from a trolley and broke his neck. Physicians put it together at the hospital, and he is on the road to recovery. When Pape fell, he landed on his head. The sixth cervical vertebra was thrown entirely out of place forward, so that it hung on the front articular process of the vertebra underneath. The patient was placed on his back. Three physicians took a firm hold on his body. Dr. Lennox took hold of the head, and another man took hold of his arm. The head was pulled in a straight line with the body for a half inch. Then it was bent forward to an angle of 30 degrees, when—crack—the dislocated vertebra snapped back into place. The operation took scarcely thirty seconds."

Now, is it not reasonable that if these severe displacements occur once in a long while, there will be a countless number of lesser disturbances taking place all the time as the result of the less important shocks, strains and injuries which overtake the multitudes daily? Of course, people stumble, slip, fall, lift heavyweights and undergo contractions of muscles from draughts or colds with great frequency and most of the time pay little or no attention to such mishaps. Usually they get over such injuries with no worse effects than temporary bruises or strains—"neuralgias" and "rheumatisms," so called, but often permanent malpositions of the spinal bones result; and these become productive of much of the ill that flesh is heir to. Such disturbances between bones bring about changes in muscles and ligaments which blockade in turn the nerves and blood-vessels and thereby prevent correct nutrition in the organism.

Osteopathy is literally the finding out of such disturbances—no matter how slight or intricate—and correcting them. Its host of cures are accomplished in this matter. There is nothing unreasonable about that sort of medicine and surgery—is there? And remember, that it applies to the treatment of all classes of diseases—acute and chronic, quite as well as to merely setting displacements of vertebrae—Osteopathic Health.

**Off For A Cruise**

By Scripps News Association  
 Washington March 30—Mrs Roosevelt with the younger members of the family and a party of friends, will leave tomorrow for Florida, from which place they will take the President's yacht, "Synph" for a cruise on the southern coast, and possibly to the West Indies.

**Women Of Woodcraft**

There will be no meeting of the Women of Woodcraft tonight. The time of meeting has been changed to the first and third Wednesdays in each month. By Winifred Sargent, Clerk.

**JEWS WANT**  
**LEGAL EQUALITY**

(By Scripps News Association)  
 St Petersburg, March 30—Sixty two San Jews, residing in fifty two towns of Russia, have sent a petition to the Minister of the Interior asking for the abolition of the disabilities against the Jews, and praying for legal equality of the Jews with the other subjects of the Czar.

Madam Palma, the noted clairvoyant and palmist has gained a reputation in this city as the best and most powerful medium that has ever visited Spokane.—Spokane Chronicle.

**Call For Bids**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids on the following described work and material: On and before 4 o'clock p.m. Wednesday April 5 1905. For furnishing and laying on top of the ground twenty seven hundred feet (2,700), more or less, of one inch galvanized iron pipe, and fifteen hundred (1,500) more or less, of one inch galvanized iron pipe, to be placed in a ditch not less than twelve inches deep and properly covered; also eighteen hundred feet (1,800) more or less of galvanized iron pipe, also to be placed in a ditch not less than twelve inches deep and properly covered, the said pipe to be one half inch pipe, also twenty stand-pipes with one half inch garden valves.

All bids are to be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to ten per cent of the bid, said check to be returnable when the contract is signed, and the said work to be completed by May 1st, the weather permitting. Before the contract is accepted, a bond, with approved security must be made for the faithful and efficient performance of the contract according to specifications.

For further particulars, plans and specifications, call upon I R Snook, at the office of the city Recorder.  
 I R Snook  
 S R Haworth  
 E P Childers  
 Trustees La Grande Lodge I O O F No 16.

**Call For Bids**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids, up until four o'clock p.m. on Wednesday the 5th day of April, 1905, for the construction of a reservoir, sufficient large to contain one hundred thousand (100,000) gallons, the said reservoir to be stoued or bricked up, and cemented on the inside, the contractor to do all the excavating, and the said reservoir to be completed on or before May 1st, 1905, the weather permitting. A bond shall be furnished by the contractor with security for the completion of the reservoir in a proper, faithful and workmanlike manner. All bids must be accompanied by a check for ten per cent of the amount of the bid, the said check to be returnable to the depositor when the contract is signed. For further information call upon I R Snook at the office of the City recorder. Signed,  
 I R SNOOK  
 S. R. HAWORTH,  
 F. P. CHILDERS  
 Trustees of La Grande Lodge I O O F No. 16.

**Notice Of Proposed Street**  
**Improvement**

To Whom It May Concern;—Notice is hereby given of the proposed improvement of P Street, in the city of La Grande, Oregon, by the construction of a seven foot wide walk along the north side of the Block No 67 of Chapin's addition, in said city, and a cross walk across Third street extending west of said Block No 67. Said walk to be constructed at the expense of abutting property owners. Notice is hereby further given that unless said proposed improvement is defeated by remonstrance signed by the abutting property owners, and filed with the undersigned on or before the 5th day of April, 1905, said side walk will be ordered constructed by the Council of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.  
 Dated at La Grande Oregon, the 24th day of March, 1905.  
 I R Snook  
 Recorder of the city of La Grande, Union county, state of Oregon.

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

**For an Impaired Appetite**

Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These Tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale by Newlin Drug Co.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**

**For Sale**

First class seed potatoes, Carmen no 3 and Early Rose, one half mile east of L Oldenburg.  
 J S CHANDLER, Fruit dealer

Persons desiring to set out Logan Berries can secure cuttings of J W McAllister, at five dollars per hundred. Address J W McAllister R F D No 2 La Grande. Phone 1776  
 One Week

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, good location, inquire of Mrs. W J Snodgrass, Fourth street, or phone 3-5-3.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms Mrs. Shearer, near Geddes Bros. grocery store.

**Homeseekers**

Don't forget that G H Powers the Land man has any thing in the shape of Real Estate from an acre of Garden to a 2000 acre ranch. All property sold on commission and titles guaranteed.  
 G H Powers  
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**Agents Wanted**

Men and women. Big money selling Imperial lamp burner. Sells on eight 100 per cent profit. Exclusive territory to hustlers. Sample by mail 75c. Call or address.  
 E C Bergh, La Grande Ore  
 Mch-24 April-24 Foley Hotel

**Here is a Bargain**  
**For You**

Eighty acres of land in Malheur county, with good water right, good house and outbuildings. Every foot of this place is in cultivation. Will raise from 9 to 11 tons of alfalfa per acre. The value of this property may be estimated from the fact that it rents annually for \$10 per acre and rents pays the taxes. This place can be rented for five years longer at this price. Here is an investment that beats ten per cent. For sale on easy terms.

Write to C. T. McDANIEL  
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**Fruit Trees**

Have just received another invoice of fruit, shade and ornamental trees, Golden West Peach, Bartlett Pear, Rome Beauty Apple, Quince, Prune, Plum and Cherry trees, Gooseberries, Currants, Nut trees, etc.  
 JOHN E HOUGH

**PASTURE**

I have leased the Silk pasture for the season and am therefore in position to care for all kinds of stock, and especially the "town cow" at rates which are just. I will guarantee first class treatment, good feed and water. Address

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 Phone 1276 La Grande

The Silk pasture consists of over 800 acres and is divided into six separate lots. Horses and cattle will not run together.

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 Complete assortment of finest marble and granite always on hand. Estimates cheerfully furnished upon application.

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Brick furnished in any quantity or any style. No contract too small or too large. See samples of our pressed brick.

**GEO. KREIGER,**  
 La Grande, Oregon.

**Public Sale**

On Friday March 31 W S Ragain will have a public auction, at his place known as the John Brandes farm three miles east of Island City, of his farming implements, stock and household goods as follows; 1, 12 foot Hodge Header; 1, 14 in. 2 bottom gang plow; 1 14 in. steel beam plow; 1, 12 ft Osborn Rake; 1, Monitor Drill; 1, Deering mower; 1, 4 section harrow; 1, disc harrow; 1, Balne wagon; 1, Rusford wagon; 3, header beds; 5 sets double harness; 1, 2 seat carriage; 1 double bob sled; 12, head of work horses; 7, milch cows; 4 calves; 1, Durham bull; 3 head of hogs; 1, Fanning mill; 1, steel range; 1, new heating stove; and other household and kitchen furniture too numerous to mention. There will be a free lunch. Terms of sale \$10 and under, cash Over \$10 six months with approved security drawing 8 per cent interest. [March 24 31]

**High Art Painting**

Persons desiring fine work in the line of interior finishing, such as graining to match the furniture, woodfilling to match the walls, and all the flat finishes or glosses, should call on or address Sanford D Kinney, 1431 Adams Avenue, Corner Greenwood street, La Grande, 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.

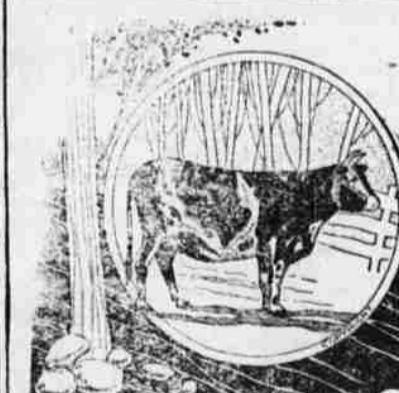
The Violin popular course places the pupil in position to play all kinds of dance music as well as light overtures. Quite a number of musicians who have been under my instruction are now making good money as teachers and soloists. Pupils who are under my care will be thoroughly instructed in

R P TAIT, teacher

**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.



**JUICY MEATS**

are the only kinds we sell. The meat that has that rich appearance and tickles the palate is the kind you will get here.

Choice lamb, pork and veal chops, sirloin, round and porterhouse steaks and other luxuries in our line, are sold here daily and prices that are right.

**HARD WORKERS**

require good, solid food. Meat is a necessity to such a man and he should have it. All women of the house should provide their husbands with food that will strengthen them so that they will be in good condition to toil so that the family may live.

**Bock & Thomas**