

ANNOUNCEMENT

Having purchased the painting and papering business formerly owned by Stackland & McLachlen, we wish to inform the public that we are prepared to take contracts for all kinds of painting, paperhanging and decorating. We are experienced workmen and guarantee satisfaction. We are here to stay and we are willing to let our work speak for workmanship, and the quality for our stock. A trial order solicited.

STANIELS & JARMAN.

SUMMER FRUITS

Until further notice we will be able to furnish our customers with the very best

Black Caps Black Berries Red Raspberries
Peaches Peach Plums

And all other seasonable fruits, fresh from the vine and tree

NEBRASKA GROCERY STORE

Cor. Fir and Jefferson Sta. O. RALSTON, Prop.

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LARSEN & NORRIE, Props.



First class turnouts furnished day or night.

Special accommodation for commercial men.

Best service guaranteed

Horses boarded by day, week or month.

Rigs furnished for parties, funerals and picnics. The best carryall in the city.

Keep Cool

If you have no other way call on the

LA GRANDE LIGHT AND POWER CO.

and secure an

Electric Fan

Rates and all prices will be explained at the office

"The man who loves his wife the most,
Is not the one to let her roast."

These hot days, in a kitchen overheated by a sweltering stove—Cut out the family wash day. Send your laundry to us. Saves wood, time and energy. Don't burn up a lovely disposition. Send your linen, all of it to

**A. B. C.
STEAM LAUNDRY**

PHONE 1851
La Grande, Oregon.

Sensational Extreme

There is no limit to what some people will do to excite the public, and the public like to witness sensational exploits. With the Southern Carnival Co., who open a weeks engagement in this city Monday, August 14, there is a young man who calls himself Diavolo, and in truth if his act counts for anything, he is the greatest daredevil in the world. Twice daily he takes his own life in his hands and loops-the-loop on a bicycle. Starting on a runway he comes down at break-neck speed, circles the awful spiral loop, and should he swerve an iota, it means instant death. Diavolo, as he calls himself, shakes dice with death. In fact so hazardous, so perilous is his act, that no insurance company will grant him insurance.

This is what the Seattle Post-Intelligencer had to say of his act.

"The sensation at the carnival last night was Diavolo's loop-the-loop ride. The great crowd that witnessed it were horrified to see the intrepid rider leave the spiral track and swerve clear off the track head foremost, the heavy wheel following the rider. Fortunately he landed in a net that flanks the track on the side from which he fell, or there would be no rider to attempt the daring exploit tonight.

Diavolo explained the accident as due to faulty angle of the runway. It was not sufficiently inclined, he said, to give him the requisite speed to encircle the double loop. He will see that the incline down which he rides to the loop will have plenty of pitch tonight."

Diavolo loops-the-loop twice daily in the Stadium, where besides his act there are to be seen Hammet & Stone cycle whizz riders, Tan & Si Fukine, foot and head postures and 10 other big circus acts.

Wheat Sales

Pendleton Ore Aug 11—The local wheat market was active here today and it is estimated that 50,000 bushels changed hands, at 60 and 61 cents. Within the past week local quotations have dropped 3 cents, but farmers were not inclined to sell until today, hoping that the market would become stronger. Declining quotations have caused farmers to sell portions of their crops to meet actual expenses, and as long as the present market conditions obtain it is not believed that much wheat for export will be sold. Local millers have been paying 65 cents for club and have already sufficient new wheat on hand to last several months.

Aged Preacher Dies

Dayton Wash August 11—John B Chamberlain aged 80 years, died yesterday of senile decay, at Ironside, Malheur county, Oregon. Annually he had gone from Dayton to the Oregon county named to preach to country people living many miles from a railroad, and on the occasion just ended he died at the post of duty.

The body was carried by wagon to Baker City, where it was embalmed for shipment to Dayton. Funeral services will be held Friday at the Methodist Episcopal Church South, under the auspices of the Masonic order.

Warning

Notice is hereby given that anyone found dumping refuse of any kind on any of the property belonging to the La Grande Real Estate Association will be vigorously prosecuted.

This property includes all of the Riverside and Williamson's additions to La Grande.
LA GRANDE REAL ESTATE ASSN.
613 ft Wm. Miller, Pres't.

HAGER & KEITH CONTRACTORS

Cement Sidewalks and
Foundation work given
prompt attention.

Cellar and Cement work a
Specialty.

Estimates cheerfully furnished. All work guaranteed to stand the test. Reference furnished.

Office at Foley House.

Hundreds of thousands of people use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea as a family tonic. If taken this month it will keep the family well all the year. If it fails get your money back. 35 cents. Newlin Drug Co.

Lawn Social

The ladies of the M E church will give a lawn social Thursday evening, August 10, at the home of Mrs. E W Grandy, corner of 4th and Adams Ave. Ice cream and cake will be served and an excellent program rendered. Everybody come and have a good time. Aug 11.

NOTICE

We pay highest Market prices for chickens. Want all you have got. At our Warehouse on Jefferson Ave. G R Cash Co.

Summer Schedule

The summer schedule of the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad has been inaugurated between Portland, Astoria, Gearhart and Seaside in connection with special round trip excursion tickets to all Clatsop and North Beach points, and trains leave Union Depot at 8:00 a.m., daily and run through direct, arriving at Astoria at 11:30 a.m., Gearhart 12:20 p.m. and Seaside at 12:30 p.m.

The Portland and Seaside Flyer leaves Union Depot every Saturday at 2:30 p.m., arriving at Astoria 5:50 p.m. and runs through direct, arriving at Gearhart 6:40 p.m. and Seaside at 6:50 p.m.

In connection with this improved service, special round trip season excursion tickets are sold from Portland to all Clatsop and North Beach points at rate of \$4.00 for the round trip, good for return pass up until October 15th.

Special commutation tickets, good for five round trips, are sold from Portland to same points for \$15.00, good to return until October 15th.

Saturday special round trip excursion tickets from Portland to all Clatsop and North Beach points on sale every Saturday at rate of \$2.50 for round trip, good to return Sunday.

Tickets sold from Portland to North Beach points are issued in connection with the O R & N steamers from Astoria, and baggage is transferred to and from depot and steamer dock at Astoria free of charge, and all tickets sold by the O R & N Co from Portland to Clatsop and North Beach points, are interchangeable and will be honored on trains of this company in either direction between Portland and Astoria.

Tickets sold at all O R & N stations and passengers wishing to go to points on Clatsop Beach should so specify, in order to avoid confusing this popular resort with that of Long Beach, Wash., which is reached only by boat at Astoria, thus causing delays enroute.

For additional information address C A Stewart, Agent, 248 Alder St., Portland, or J O Mayo, G F & P A, Astoria, Ore., and ask for Seaside Souvenir for 1905, containing 20 beautiful half tone views of Columbia river and Clatsop Beach scenery.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR RENT—A four room house with bath. Inquire of E A Stephens, 1601 sixth street.

FOUND—A child's purse containing some small change. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—The lots and buildings. Now bringing \$50.00 per month rent, in La Grande, only \$3000. Hurry. G H POWERS, Slater Block.

HOUSE FOR SALE, \$720.—Five rooms, two 30 ft corner lots, half cash. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Two full blood or high grade jersey heifers eight to twelve months old. No fancy prices. Address stating age and price J K Care of Observer A-7

FOR SALE—4x5 folding Pramo camera, new tripod, printing frames, developing trays and six double plate holders. Inquire Model Studio.

FOR SALE—House hold furniture, complete outfit. Inquire at La Grande Cash Store. A 10-17

Real Estate Loans, Any amounts on City and Country Real Estate. Loans closed promptly, as soon as title approved. LA GRANDE INVESTMENT CO.

Spoiled Her Beauty

Harriet Howard, of 209 W 34th st., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at Newlin Drug Co drug store

Reward

A reward of \$50 will be paid by the Grande Ronde Stock Growers Protective Association for the arrest and conviction of anyone for stealing stock in Union county.

Signed by the Secretary

Centennial Hotel

RATES—\$1 per day meals 25c. Special rates furnished monthly patrons. Mrs A E Murcheson and Miss C M Garm proprietors. No Adams Ave. Phone No 1161

Bids Wanted

The water committee has been authorized to receive sealed bids for 200 or more cords of wood to be delivered at the city pumping plant. Said wood to be four foot in length, of red fir, pine or tamarack. Bids to be left with the city recorder on or before 4 o'clock p.m., August 17, 1905. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Water Committee { A L RICHARDSON,
L D REAVIS,
W H BHNENKAMP.

IN A HURRY?

THEN CALL

WM. REYNOLDS

The transfer man.

He will take that trunk to the Depot or your home in less time than it takes to tell it.

Wagon always at your service.

Charges moderate. Day phone B 531, night phone R 12.

J. L. MARS,

Contractor and Builder
Dealer in Building Material.

La Grande, Or.

Drop a line, naming work, and I will give the right price.

Mothers be careful of your children. There is no baby medicine in the world as good as Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It makes the little ones strong, healthy and active. 35 cents. Newlin Drug Co.

Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism

O G Higbee, Danville, Ill. writes Dec 2, 1901; "About two years ago I was laid up for four years with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affliction" 25c, 50c, \$1.00 Newlin Drug Co

FOR TRADE—2 3/4 inch wagons. Will trade for hay, oats, potatoes or other farm produce. Apply to J Anthony, or address Box 142, La Grande, Ore.

FOR SALE—Good second hand buggy will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at M H Kirtleys livery barn.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good young driving horse. Inquire of Mrs. Golithan.

FOR SALE—A second hand self binder, in fairly good condition. Inquire of Mr. Newsome.

WANTED—Two Saleman and Collector must furnish bond, call on F W Neuman at J R Smiths jeweler store this evening.

FOR SALE CHEAP—The best family cow in La Grande, new 10x12 tent, kitchen treasure, cupboards, 10 foot oak table, bedsteads, springs, mattress, fruit jars, crocks, etc., etc. Inquire at home of H O Thomason, Cor. H and 4th street.

WANTED—Woman or girl wanted for general house work by Mrs Wright. U Street.

FOR RENT—Good six room house on sixth street, in old town. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Fresh milk cow. Apply at this office.

LOST—3 year old brown horse branded quarter circle C on left shoulder. Had small rope around neck when last seen. Will pay suitable reward for his return to L D Reavis La Grande, Ore, or Dave Clark, Cove Oregon.

TELL ALL ELKS

\$8.00 Rate To Portland Elk's Day

The Elks have secured an \$8.00 rate to Portland and return, for all who wish to take advantage of the Elk's excursion. Elks Day at the Fair, will be August 16th, but all wishing to attend at that time can get the same rate. For further particulars, inquire of Guy McCully, Sec or F S Ivanhoe, Exalted Ruler, or G M Richey, Chairman of Elks' Day Committee.

GRAINING AND ART DECORAING

Why not get your painting done well when you can have it cheaper than it takes for the average dauber to spoil it? Get used to having nice wood finishing on the inside of your dwelling. Egg shell and velvet gloss, "mirror polish" etc. S D Kinsey can grain up your old painted rooms and make the wood like fine, quartered oak furniture.

1433 Adams Ave. La Grande Ore

Notice To Water Consumers

All persons knowing themselves to be in arrears for city water are hereby notified to call at the office of the city Recorder and settle at once. In order that there may be no miss understanding we cite the customer to the following section of the city ordinance. This ordinance will be enforced.

Section 28—The water rates shall be payable in advance at the office of the water superintendent on the first day of each month (except for meters which are payable on the first day of the succeeding month), and if not paid within the first ten days the water will be shut off the premises, as provided in Sections 26 and 27.

Later ordinance provides that water rates shall be payable to City Recorder instead of Water Superintendent.

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.

Opposite the Foley House over the Candy Store Phone 473.

OREGON PRODUCE CO.

Thirty car loads of oats wanted at once.

We are ready to contract for Pears and Prunes for futuae delivery.

We are receiving daily all kinds of mixed fruits

We are in the market for first class timothy hay, and can use about 300 tons at market prices.

Remember we will be in the market for potatoes and other produce as soon as they are ready for Shipment.