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WANTED—Ladies permanent, pleasant, employment. Salary. Call Foley House Room 22. Wittler & Co.

Stockmen Attention

All persons desirous of securing a permit for grazing in the Wallowa and Chonimus Forest Reserves, for the season of 1906, are hereby notified that a meeting will be held in Wallowa, November 15, 1905, for the purpose of allotting the range. All persons interested are requested to be present, or their application may not be allowed. If not present, it will be construed by the forest officer that grazing is not desired. Howard K. O'Brien, "Ranger in Charge," Wallowa, Oregon, Oct 5, 1905.

TAKE NOTICE

Phone Red 971, Old Town store for wood (30 days time given). Cheapest Groceries and Provisions in the city. New stock and full line of feed. Dated La Grande, Ore., July 26. Sept 1 E. J. ATKINSON

Fine Cards

The Observer has taken a number of orders for engraved visiting cards as a result of the advertisements we have been doing for the past two weeks. Those wishing extra fine work should give us a call and see our line of samples before ordering.

J. H. CHILDS, Sec. and Treas.

BLUE MOUNTAIN MARBLE AND GRANITE CO.

LA GRANDE OREGON
We have just received a carload of Georgia, Tennessee and Italian marble monuments. These are the finest ever shown in the county. Our monuments come in such a shape that we can cut any design you may suggest. Our workmen are competent, too to do the work you desire.

CLOTHES CLEANED

The same old stand, but a new management. Take your suit to the same place, and have another man clean and press it the way it should be. Harvey does the cleaning and repairing and does it right. Another strong feature about his system is that his prices are correct. Remember the place, next door to the Commercial club. Ladies and Gents clothing cleaned, dyed, pressed and repaired. W. E. Harvey

LA GRANDE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

PROF. DAY, Principle. MRS. DAY, Assistant

This is one of the best musical institutions in the state, and the people of this city and valley are beginning to discover the advantages 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 or more and are taught the first three grades. Pupils come one hour every day. This is no kindergarten system but far superior. 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.

LA GRANDE PUBLIC SCHOOL

FOR SALE—The A V Oliver four lots on Jefferson Avenue, including platform scales, one hundred and ten foot porch running back to railroad track. G. H. Powers, the Minnesota land man.

FOR RENT AND SALE—Store room on Adams Ave, next to Model Restaurant for rent and two lots for sale on same street just below Fir St. Inquire of Chas G Banta.

FOR SALE—or will exchange for Willamette property 80 acres improved land, two and one half miles north of Summerville. This is all first class farm land, twenty acres Meadow land. Inquire at Solder's candy store, La Grande Ore.

Centennial Hotel

Under new management. Board and Room \$5 per week, cash. Meals 25 cts. Special rates furnished monthly patrons. No. 1417 Adams Ave. Phone No. 1102. Mrs. W. E. MURKINSON, proprietor.

A Daredevil Ride

often ends in a sad accident. To heal accidental injuries, use Bucklen's Arnica salve. "A deep wound in my foot, from an accident," writes Theodore Schuele, of Columbus, O., "caused me great pain. Physicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica salve quickly healed it." Soothers and heals burns like magic. 25c at Newlin Drug company.

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physicians said that W. M. Smith, of Pekin, Ia., had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr King's new discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 19 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for coughs, sore throats or colds; sure preventive of pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00 bottles at Newlin's Drug store. Trial bottle free.

ODD and END SALE OF KNITTED GOODS

In order to close out what stock we have on hand preparatory to the change of management of the Crescent Knitting Mills, which have been sold, we will for one week closing Nov. 1, offer a line of odds and ends in knitted underwear, socks, and sweaters at just

One-Third Their Actual Value

Remember this sale closes November 1

And this will be your last chance to secure home manufacture

CRESCENT KNITTING MILLS



When you wish a nice juicy roast or a tender steak, or a piece of boiling meat or pot roast, just phone Main 48, and you will soon have exactly what you desire.

J. BULL & CO.

Phone main 48. Remember the phone is on the directory as Boss Meat Market main 48.

J. L. MARS,

Contractor and Builder Dealer in Building Material.

La Grande, Oregon

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

A brief session of the High School Literary Society was held last Friday afternoon with Miss Bunnell in the chair and Florence McCall as secretary. Following is the program as rendered: Song.....by school Quotations from Riley.....by school Instrumental solo.....Myrtle Carbine Vocal solo.....Laurie Holm Recitation.....Margery McCall Debate.....Resolved that expeditions to the North Pole ought to be encouraged. Affirmative: Elizabeth King, James Wilson, Negative: Carl Gillilan, Zora Latta. Decision was rendered in favor of the affirmative.

Recitation.....Joe King The Queen Esther Cantata, which detracted from the efficiency of the work on the part of a few of our students who participated, being over, more thorough work will be expected.

The football game at Island City Saturday was rather one sided during the first, but more interesting and evenly matched during the second half. Bacon and Goodnow made feature plays. The goal kicks by Bacon were especially noteworthy. Prof. Tucker has a very genteel company of young men who try to play a clean game. A return game will be played here next Saturday. The score was 23 to 0 in favor of the La Grande team.

The regular monthly meeting of the city teachers will occur next Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Those who enjoy a foot ball game will have that privilege on Thanksgiving day, when the Baker City boys play here. The game will occur on the city base ball grounds.

The large corridors in the main building will be utilized soon in once-a-week classes in callisthenics, and various exercises in physical culture. Mr. Williams will direct the work in the High School.

The first lot of new high school pins have arrived and a number are wearing them. Mr. Williams orders them at cost for the students.

Mrs. Schilke taught one day last week during the absence of Miss Henson of the White school.

The Basket Ball girls are much gratified with the generosity of Mr. A. E. Rogers, manager of the Armory Hall, in granting them the privilege of practicing in the hall, and providing lockers for their suits.

The school management has received word from High Schools in Idaho and Oregon, stating that as a result of the publication of our general information examination questions, work of similar character had been taken up in a systematic way, by the high schools heard from.

A few of our business men in the city will confer a favor upon the school by refraining from persuading our boys to stay out of school to work for them a day or two now and then. This is also a wrong to the boy who does not understand, at his age, that school is worth more to him than the small wage paid him to remain out of school to work. The school board has ruled that a child can be detained from school only for the following reasons:

1. Sickness of child.
 2. Sickness of some member of the family requiring the assistance of the child at home
 3. Danger to child's health from exposure in inclement weather.
 4. Some urgent circumstance at home rendering attendance at school impossible or extremely inconvenient.
- By ruling of the city school board therefore the parent could not excuse a child for a detention not included under the above.

Mrs. A. H. Davis of Elgin, was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

WILL MANUFACTURE WELL DRILLS HERE

The La Grande Iron Works is building a well drill for D. M. Hunt which is calculated to simplify the well drilling question in this and other counties of the West. The machine is simply a home production being invented by Mr. Hunt and built in this city. The capacity will be limited in the first machines built, being but 500 feet, but larger ones will be built if occasion demands it. Mr. Hunt has a number of small wells contracted for as soon as the machine is built, several being in this city. The lightness of the machine enables him to move it often and take small jobs that would not otherwise pay with the more clumsy machines.

Mr. Fitzgerald, the proprietor of the iron works, intends to build a number of these machines for the Palouse trade and will probably build five or six during the coming winter. By so doing La Grande will have the only well drilling machinery manufactory this side of the Rocky mountains and the payroll of the city will likewise be increased.

The La Grande Iron Works has fur-

nished La Grande with an industry that has done more for the county than any other small industry ever established here. Besides disbursing a payroll of from \$125 to \$200 a week it has brought trade here that has heretofore gone to other cities. A great deal of the Elgin and Wallowa work has been sent away this summer but another year will see the greater part of the work coming here.

At present the works has but seven men at work as the fall of the year brings a dullness in this particular branch of business. During the summer as many as 13 and 14 men are employed, bringing the payroll up to the maximum. The foundry, the blacksmith shop and machine shop proper are busily engaged the year around. At present the foundry department is turning out a large number of brass and iron castings for the railroad grading machinery at Elgin and a large amount of iron work for the new school house being built across the track and the other departments are turning out the usual quota of repair work which is being done preparatory to starting the regular fall farm work.

Woodmen of The World

Will receive Head Consul, I. I. Book in the good old western style.

There will be a grand reception and Fraternal Meeting held under the auspices of La Grande Camp on November 2, 1905.

I. I. Book, Head Consul of the Juris-



dition will deliver an address on the Good and Welfare of Fraternal Protection as provided by the W. O. W. The Local Committee has arranged an Elegant Program and the public is cordially invited to be present.

Bishop Convalescent

The many friends of the Right Rev Bishop O'Reilly will be pleased to learn that he is now past all danger, although his convalescence will necessarily be slow.

Why Not Here?

If our singers are to organize themselves for special practice this winter, it is high time some move was made in the matter. It has been proven that The Dalles has as good musical talent for a strong chorus as can be found in the state, and this winter other singers have moved into the city. It is to be hoped the first rehearsal will soon be called and that our people may enjoy some good concerts this season.—Chronicle.

Prof. Hookenberry's night school opens tonight in the basement of the Central church.

RHEUMATISM THE TERROR OF WINTER

Rheumatism is usually worse in Winter because of the cold and dampness and other changed conditions of the climate. The occasional twinges of the disease that are felt during the warmer weather are changed to piercing pains, the muscles become inflamed and swollen, the nerves get sore and excited, the bones ache, and Rheumatism, the terror of winter, takes possession of the system. Then the sufferer turns to the liniment bottle, the woolen clothes, the favorite plaster or some home remedy, in an effort to get relief. But Rheumatism is not a trouble that can be rubbed away or drawn out with a plaster; these things relieve the pain and reduce the inflammation, but do not reach the real cause of the trouble, and at the next exposure another attack comes on. Rheumatism is caused by a sour, acid condition of the blood. The refuse matter and bodily impurities which should be carried off through the channels of nature have been left in the system because of indigestion, weak Kidneys, torpid Liver and a general sluggish condition of the system. These impurities sour and form uric acid, which is absorbed by the blood and distributed to the different muscles, joints, nerves and bones, causing the painful symptoms of Rheumatism. S. S. S. goes to the root of the trouble and cures Rheumatism by cleansing the blood. It neutralizes the acids and filters them out of the circulation and sends a stream of pure, rich blood to all parts of the body. Then the pains cease, the inflammation subsides, the nerves are quieted, every symptom of the disease passes away, and the cure is permanent. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and does not injure the system as do those medicines containing Potash and other minerals. Book on Rheumatism and medical advice without charge.

S.S.S.

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