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FOR RENT—Five room cottage, inquire of Mrs. Emma Simmon, Cor. 8th. and N. Streets.

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LOST—A Masonic watch charm, on the streets between my office and residence. Reward for return. Dr. N. K. HALL.

FOR SALE—A few choice young Berkshire boars and sows, also Italian Boar. WILLIAM HALL.

FOR SALE—Five room new modern cottage will be sold cheap if sold at once. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Good singer sewing machine cheap at M. E. Parsonage.

In every clime its colors are unfurled. Its fame has spread from sea to sea. Be not surprised if in the other world, You hear of Rocky Mountain Tea. NEWLIN DRUG CO.

TABLE BOARDERS

Mrs. Grace Barrie, would like six table boarders at No. 1808, 4th St. For particulars call up red 881.

THE FIG INDUSTRY

(Scripps News Association)

Washington, March 9.—An estimate of the timber growing on what is known as the "the north grove" of the Calaveras Big Trees Grove, in California, has just been completed by the Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture. The area covered by the big trees is about one hundred acres. The entire north grove comprises of 640 acres. This work forms part of the cooperative forest studies which the service has undertaken at the request of the state of California. There is an earnest and widespread desire to save the Calaveras grove from such as would result in its destruction. The owner is willing to dispose of it, and an accurate and satisfactory appraisal of the value of the timber should help to an agreement on a fair price if congress sees fit to purchase it.

Washington, March 9.—For the benefit of the growing fig industry of California, the Department of Commerce and Labor has gathered as many facts as possible about the fig raising and packing in Smyrna. The department refers to the assertion that California produces better Smyrna figs than the original, but diplomatically refuses to confirm or deny the claim.

"Trees begin to bear in their sixth year in Smyrna," says the report, and are in full vigor in the fifteenth year. Fig trees on the low plains yield fruit which is both larger and richer in saccharine matter.

The fruit ripens about the middle of August, when it is picked and dried in the open air for from three to six days. It is then packed in sacks of about 250 pounds each, two of which constitute a load for a camel, and then are transported to the nearest railroad station. After arrival at Smyrna, camels likewise transport the sacks to the warehouses of the dealers. Carts are not employed in this connection, as the fruit is liable to be damaged when the sacks are piled on each other. The arrivals from the country are promptly brought up by the various great packing houses, who have each large corps of employees, chiefly women and girls, for the operations of sorting, washing, drying and packing the fruit. This means work for many thousand in Smyrna during the months of September and October, and the average degree of prosperity among the lower classes during the entire year is largely dependent upon the amount of money set in motion during this short period.

"The sorting of the figs is carried out with great care. Color, but more especially size and thickness, or rather thinness of skin, guide the classification. The inferior grades, the so-called "hordas" culis or refuse, are eliminated and sold for purposes of distillation. A certain quantity of this grade is exported to Austria and Hungary and used as a substitute for Chicory. The delicate flavor of Tienna coffee is due to the presence of dried fig powder. The better grades are prepared for export in various ways. The least expensive is packing in linen or other bags, and is used usually for the less valuable qualities. The finer grades are subjected to a certain manipulation before being tightly packed in boxes containing from 1 to 11 pounds. During the manipulation the workmen continually dip their fingers in sea water. As a result the fruit is better preserved and the sweetness is not diminished by long keeping. The term "macaroni figs" is applied to fruit which has been gently rolled between the palms of the hand, so as to resemble an elongated ellipsoid."

NOTICE OF GRADES

Notice is hereby given that at the next regular meeting of the City council of La Grande Oregon, to be held on the first Wednesday in April, 1906, an ordinance will be presented establishing grades from Fourth street to Alder, on Adams Avenue and on P. St. 8th and Washington and all of Mt. in said city. Profiles of the grades can be examined at the office of the City Engineer.

Dated at La Grande, Ore., March 8, 1906.
I. R. SNOOK
City Recorder

LOST—1 gelding and 1 mare, both black, 5 years old, branded with half circle above T on left thigh. Strayed from Mitchell pasture near Nibley. Reward for information or return to Mr. Mitchell at Nibley, or Geo. Lyman, La Grande.

LOST—One bay-mare mule, branded E. D. on left shoulder, four year old lost near the George Childers place last spring. Reward will be paid for return of animal or information leading to its return. Address WM BENTON R. F. D. No. 2, La Grande Oregon.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF SOUTH LA GRANDE DISTRICT
I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Justice of the Peace, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.
WM. GRANT.

GOOD WORK

Another object lesson has just been given on the need of equal suffrage. The Mississippi senate has defeated the bill to forbid child labor, by a vote of 20 to 8. The women of Mississippi have worked hard for this measure of protection for the children. It is likely that it would have been defeated by a vote of more than two to one, if the mothers of Mississippi had had the ballot?—Woman's Journal.

FARMERS

Now is the time to do your fencing, you need fenceposts, we have them for sale. Our post were cut from green fur and tamarack trees and are thoroughly dry. We have about 5000 of them which we must dispose of this spring. We will exchange them for live stock, hay, grain, eggs, potatoes or other produce.

Leave orders at The Golden Rule or at No. 1608 Sixth Street. Also dry cord-wood for sale in any quantity.

J. ANTHONY

NOTIC TO VOTERS

I have been informed that rumors are afloat to the effect that I have pledged my support, in case of election, to certain applicants for the office of city water superintendent. I wish to state that these rumors are without foundation as I have made no pledges, and in case I am elected councilman, I shall enter upon my duties unpledged and uncontrolled.

A. V. ANDREWS,

Candidate for councilman for second ward.

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Mrs. W. E. Murchison, proprietress

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Successor to J. Bull and Co.



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