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FURNISHED FRONT ROOM—Phone Black 612

MONEY—For loans on city property see Wm. Grant's agency. Also real estate and insurance.

FOR RELIABLE ABSTRACTS OF TITLES go to the La Grande Investment Company, La Grande Ore., in Foley building.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two acres in Honan's addition, nicely improved, large roomy house, good water. Will trade C. A. CARY.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—Any amounts in city and country real estate. Loans closed promptly, as soon as title is approved. LA GRANDE INVESTMENT COMPANY.

WANTED—Two men to take contract to cut from three to five hundred cords of wood. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE CHEAP

Two good work horses, five first class milch cows and five calves.

See J. T. BAKER

WANTED—Dining room help, male or female at the Model Restaurant.

FOR SALE—House of five rooms, 3 lots, well and city water. Good location on Monroe Avenue, JOHN HOAK, 1512 Monroe Avenue.

WANTED—A competent girl to do general housework. Call up W. A. Moss on vergere phone at Island City.

FOR RENT—Rooms, either furnished for light house keeping or not. One block from High School. Suitable for students or teachers.

MARTIN LARSON.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The property known as the Ball board-house No. 1714 Sixth Street, lot No. 3 block 102 Chaplin's Addition to La Grande, belonging to the estate of Jane Ball, deceased, is hereby offered for sale to the highest and best bidder subject to the life interest in said estate of George Ball. Bids will be received up to 5 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, September 4, 1906, by the undersigned at his residence at 1712 Sixth Street, La Grande.

GEORGE BALL,

Administrator of the estate of Jane Ball deceased.

Dated at La Grande, Aug. 28, 1906.

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Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

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GEO. KREIGER,

La Grande, Oregon

OREGON'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS

An increase of \$125,000 in the amount of money expended for public school purposes in Oregon in 1906 as compared with 1905, though the number of pupils in the schools remains practically unchanged is one of the principal features of educational development shown by the annual statistical report of Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman.

The increase in the amount of money paid for teachers' salaries was \$150,000 in one year, this increase being due in part to higher salaries and partly to longer terms of school. Some of the other items of expense have been reduced to counter-balance in part the increased expenditures in teachers' salaries.

The total school population shows an increase of over 3400 in one year, but the enrollment increased only about 800 and the average daily attendance fell off 37. The average length of the school year increased very little, the report for 1906 showing 6.05 months and that of 1905 showing 6.19 months. Male teachers seem to have profited most by the increase in salaries, for their compensation on an average, advanced from \$55.69 per month, to \$60.02 per month, while the compensation of females increased only from \$43.50 to \$54.05. The public schools employed 137 more teachers than in 1905.

	Men	Women
Baker	\$ 74 00	\$ 51 00
Benton	52 25	33 98
Clackamas	49 46	45 78
Clatsop	67 70	46 78
Columbia	54 42	42 65
Coos	55 45	75 82
Crook	68 30	48 32
Curry	45 50	42 75
Douglas	50 00	37 52
Gilham	49 00	46 85
Grant	61 56	47 56
Harney	78 00	60 00
Jackson	60 00	44 12
Josephine	45 00	41 00
Klamath	71 00	40 00
Lake	75 70	56 00
Lane	47 00	38 00
Linn	40 00	32 00
Linn	53 00	40 00
Malheur	72 25	37 15
Marion	53 05	40 22
Morrow	66 25	48 00
Multnomah	125 85	73 22
Polk	55 20	40 00
Sherman	52 00	46 59
Tillamook	52 21	45 11
Umatilla	58 06	48 73
Union	61 38	45 00
Wallowa	58 00	49 00
Wasco	65 11	47 80
Washington	49 76	41 28
Wheeler	57 00	42 33
Yamhill	54 48	39 06

The recorder of the city of La Grande, Oregon, will receive bids up to October 3, 1906, at four o'clock of said day for the grading and graveling of Sixth Street from its intersection with Washington Avenue to I Street as per specifications to be seen at the Recorder's office, said bid to be accompanied by a certified check to be equal to ten per cent of the contract price. The right reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1906.
C. S. DUNN,
Chairman of street committee

THIS FOR MINE EVERY TIME

No more a muddled brain for mine I'll call for soda every time Quench my thirst to my heart's content, Save cash for clothes as well as rent, Treat my wife and children too "Smile" with them, and "smile" with you. All the popular drinks at Hill's soda fountain.

LA GRANDE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

PROF. DAY, PRINCIPAL.
MRS. DAY, ASSISTANT.

This is one of the best musical institutions in the state, and that people in this city and valley are beginning to discover the advantage of this school. The system 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 each 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.

MUTUAL CANNERY EXPANDS

When the season for canning pears began, a week ago, business at the Salem Mutual Cannery assumed such immense proportions that it was at once necessary to enlarge the plant. A few days ago workmen were hurriedly got together and a shed for storing fruit, 40 by 30 feet was erected. This proved inadequate, and twenty men are working today on another shed 50 by 75 feet in size. In the meantime pears are packed all over the place, and the management is working as many people as can find room to move about in the cannery. Pears are coming in rapidly, the warm weather causing them to ripen very fast, and after as many are canned here as the capacity of the plant will admit, the remainder is shipped to the Portland factory. —Salem Journal.

PASSENGER KILLS FOUR

(Scripps News Association)
Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 29—Four laborers stepped from a track this morning to avoid a passing freight train, when a flying passenger unexpectedly passed on another track and instantly killed the four.

LAWYERS IN MEETING

(Scripps News Association)
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 29—The American Bar Association began its meeting today and will await the report of the insurance committee which favors federal supervision.

GRAIN MARKETS

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, Aug. 29—Wheat opened at 71 closed at 70½; corn opened at 48½, closed at 48; oats opened at 28½, closed 28.

TRESPASS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all parties are hereby warned not to hunt, fish or trespass on any or all of my lands.
A. B. CONLEY.

POPULAR COURSE OF ENTERTAINMENTS

O. H. King, who managed the popular entertainment course last year has a fine string of attractions secured for the season of 1906-7. The contract is conditional upon the citizens of La Grande and vicinity subscribing for tickets sufficient to cover the cost of the course. Shall we have the course? If you vote "yes", go and subscribe for tickets without delay. La Grande needs a good course and most of our thinking people wish it, but we must act to secure it. The list of talent engaged is as follows: The Lulu Tyler Gates Company consisting of Mrs. Gates, artistic reader, Miss Edith Adams, violinist, Graham Smith, bosso-cantante and William Erhart Snyder, pianist; Dr. John Merritte Driver, pastor People's church of Chicago, Rogers and Griley, harpist and entertainer and Reno B. Wel-

born, the wizard of electricity. One more attraction will be secured, making five. The course is a strong one and offers a variety that is pleasing. High grade and high priced entertainments have been secured and the course will cost the management much more than the course given last season. Yet with all this array of talent reserved seats for the course will cost but two dollars while the pupils of our schools in and around La Grande will be given a half rate. This is not a get-rich scheme for the management but a splendid offer to the people, who with their appreciation of a good thing will no doubt improve this opportunity. Tickets may be engaged of O. H. King or at Seider's store, and delivery will probably be made near the middle of September.

CHOPS DOWN ORCHARD

Ishmael Gownel, a Socialist, of Okanogan county, Washington, has destroyed a fruit orchard valued at \$4000 as a protest against a tax system which he opposes on principle. He is a large fruit grower, and for years has reaped a liberal income from orchards, which were just coming into prime bearing condition.

This year the Okanogan assessor placed a valuation of \$100 an acre on the ranch. The Socialist is a violent opponent of the tax system, and the increase in valuation capped the climax. He deliberately put the ax to 20 acres of his fine orchards and demanded reinspection of the land, so that it might be classified as plow lands, which carry a low valuation.

NEWS FROM THE COVE

The directors of the Cove school district have selected the following teachers for the coming year: Roy Conklin, principal; Miss Kinney, Hattie Eokersley, Miss Mable Marvin; Miss Bell, of Nebraska and Mrs. Maud Rees as assistants. Another grade, the ninth, was added also. School will open on the 10th of next month and a most favorable year is promised.

Mr. J. O. Stevens, our popular druggist, has joined the automobile, having just received a handsome new auto.

Mr. Dryer has added quite an addition to his bakery and confectionery store.

Mr. E. F. Peal has sold his residence property to Mrs. B. Grow. Mr. Peal will move onto his other property.

The Cove is beginning to respond to the renewed activity that will be necessarily injected into this community by the advent of the new railroad.

HIPPLE'S BANK AFFECTS STOCK

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Aug. 29—A great liquidation of the stock market took place today. Hundreds of small traders disposed of their holdings to day on account of the Philadelphia bank failure Monday. They feel that other companies are as bad as the Philadelphia savings banks.

ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP

The National Irrigation Congress will be held at Boise, Idaho, Sept. 3 to 8. The O. R. & N. Co. will sell tickets at the rate of one fare for the round trip, children half rate. Selling dates on Sept. 1 and 2. Continuous passage from date of sale until final return limit. Stopover privileges will be granted for return trip within the final limit.

MALARIA AN INSIDIOUS FOE TO HEALTH

Malaria is an atmospheric poison which we unconsciously breathe into our lungs through the impure air arising from low, marshy places, stagnant ponds, damp cellars, sewer pipes, improperly ventilated houses, decaying vegetable matter, etc. Day after day these germs and poisons are taken into the lungs, and as the blood passes through them it becomes infected with the poison and in its circulation distributes the microbes of disease to all parts of the body. Malaria is a very insidious disease; it gives no warning of its coming until the circulation is filled with the poison and this foe to health has the system at its mercy. The blood becomes polluted, thin and weak and its slow, irregular circulation fails to properly nourish and strengthen the body. Then the entire system is attacked, and if the germs and poisons of Malaria are allowed to remain the strongest constitution will break down. No one can feel well when the system is in a malarial condition; the vitality is weak, the appetite poor, digestion deranged, the complexion grows sallow and the entire body feels the effects of the poison. Malaria must be removed from the system through the circulation and the only medicine that can accomplish this is S. S. S. It not only cleanses the blood of all unhealthy morbid matter, but destroys the germs, cures Malaria and restores this vital fluid to a strong, healthy condition. S. S. S. is made of roots, herbs and barks combining purifying and tonic properties which keep the blood free of all poisons and the system in perfect condition. While destroying the germs of Malaria and building up the weak, polluted blood S. S. S. gives tone and vigor to the entire system. Book on the blood and any medical advice without charge.

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No. 6 8:40 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	Portland, Denver, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, etc.	No. 1 8:30 a.m. 8:55 p.m.
No. 1 8:55 a.m.	Portland, Dulles, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Pomeroy, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane, and points east and north via Spokane	No. 2 8:55 p.m.
No. 5 9:5 p.m.	Portland, Dulles, Pendleton, Umatilla, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Colfax, Moscow, Wallace, Warmer, Spokane and other points east and north via Spokane	No. 8:50 a.m.
No. 32 except Sunday 9:15 a.m.	Island City, Astor, Imbler and Astoria. Connections at Elgin with through routes to Walla Walla.	No. 31 8:55 p.m.

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