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FRIEND TO FRIEND.

The personal recommendations of people who have been cured of coughs and colds by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have done more than all else to make it a staple article of trade and commerce over a large part of the civilized world.

AN INSTANCE.

Lucy Suddreth, of Lenoir, N. C., had been troubled with a very bad cough for some time. She says: "A friend bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, brought it home and I should have bought it of it."

MANUFACTURERS PAY TO MAKE TALKING MACHINES

Washington, Jan. 9.—A lively warfare is now being waged in Washington between the authors and composers of musical productions, on the one hand, and the manufacturers of "canned music" on the other. Those who woo the muse believe that they are entitled to a royalty from the makers of phonograph records and gramophone discs who use their musical products for mechanical reproduction. To accomplish the protection of the bards from the rapacity of the soul-less corporations, Senator Kittridge has introduced a bill allowing composers the control of the mechanical rights of the offspring of their brains. The bill has met with the bitter opposition of the mechanical music manufacturers, who declare that it will probably result in one firm "cornering" the "canned music" market and thus fostering a wicked

monopoly. The manufacturers assert that if they are compelled to pay royalties to authors and composers, it will cost the public a million dollars a year more for its mechanical music. The composers reply that the talking machine manufacturers make a profit of 66 2-3 per cent on their products and that they can well afford to pay the poor authors a small royalty without raising the price of records to the public. The battle is being waged merrily and the unfortunate solons have been forced to give much earnest thought to the subject. Present appearances are that the composers will win out and that the disseminators of mechanical music will have to say "By your leave" to the author before offering a song or other musical production to the public.

MOTHER OF COUNTIES.

Former Comprised Practically the Eastern Half of State.

The Dalles Chronicle is digging up some historical data concerning Wasco county and The Dalles. The following concerning original Wasco county is interesting:

From old data which is accurate we find that the county of Wasco was organized by the territorial legislature of Oregon, January 11, 1854. Its boundaries were: "Commencing at the Cascades of the Columbia river, thence running up said river to the point where the southern shore of said river is intersected by the southern boundary of Washington territory (now state), thence east along said boundary to the eastern boundary of Oregon territory; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of Oregon territory to the southern boundary of

the same; thence to the Cascade mountains; thence northerly along said range of mountains to the place of beginning.

On September 22, 1862, Baker county was set apart from Wasco; on September 27, same year, that portion now forming Umatilla. Union county was set apart in September, 1864, and Grant county was formed from Wasco on October 24, 1882. Since that time Wheeler, Gilliam and Sherman counties have left the mother county.

The Midland Jubilee Singers.

This excellent organization of colored people will give an entertainment at the opera house on Thursday evening, January 9, under the auspices of the high school. The club is said to be the finest college glee club now traveling. They sing the old plantation songs with that utter abandon which characterizes the negro race.

They also sing music of a more difficult type, but there are no Black Patts among them and no straining after operatic effects.

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Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the county court of Union county, will receive sealed bids up to 1:30 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, the 6th day of February, 1908, for supplying Union county with 125 cords of fir and yellow pine wood, to be cut 3 feet 8 inches in length and to be piled in the basement of the court house at La Grande, Oregon.

The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. B. GILHAM,
County Clerk.

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Arrival and Departure of Trains at La Grande.

No. 1, westbound Portland Special, arrives 9:25 a. m.; departs, 9:30 a. m.
 No. 6, eastbound passenger, mail and express, arrives at 6:45 a. m.; departs 6:50 a. m.
 No. 2, eastbound Chicago Special, arrives 8:05 p. m.; departs, 8:10 p. m.
 No. 5, westbound passenger, mail and express, arrives 9:10 p. m.; departs, 9:15 p. m.
 Elgin Branch.
 Leaves La Grande at 8 a. m. and arrives in La Grande at 5:35.

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