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will be happy in the use of that new light the **DAVIS-JORDAN MUSIC CO.** have in their store. Burns the gas your coal oil lamp lets escape. Call tonight and see it.

HAY, GRAIN, WOOD

We have in stock a lot of fine timothy, wild, grain and alfalfa hay, bought before the price advanced. We are selling this hay at low price, quality guaranteed.

We buy and sell oats, barley and mill stuff of all kinds. We'll sell flour at lower price than others. Try us. We are closing out our wood business. Have about 100 cords left. Get some at a reduced price before it is all gone.

THE REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND COMMISSION CO.

YOUR WORK

Is what we want. We don't call on you one week for it and tell you the next we cannot do it for you. We want it now, and all the time. We do not think it necessary at this time to say anything about the class of work we turn out. The fact that we have been in the LAUNDRY business for twelve years in La Grande we think sufficient evidence that our work is satisfactory. Try it.

A. B. C. LAUNDRY.
TELEPHONE MAIN 7



AN ARRAY OF GOODIES

that will please anyone with a palate—young or old; male or female—is here displayed, not only on special occasions, but every day in the year our shop's open. A taste for candy is not confined to children and women only. Men we all like them.

E. D. SELDER

Formal Announcement.

Washington, D. C., March 19, '08. John McCourt, Pendleton, Oregon. Your commission as United States district attorney was forwarded today. You may qualify at once.

BONAPARTE.

Late Thursday afternoon the above message was received by John McCourt and it was the first official information he had received to the effect that he was confirmed as United States district attorney for Oregon, says a Pendleton paper.

Now that he has been agreed upon by the delegation, nominated by the president, favorably reported by the committee, confirmed by the senate and notified to qualify for the office, Mr. McCourt feels that the district attorneyship is his and he is making active arrangements to commence upon his duties.

According to Mr. McCourt he will leave for Portland Saturday or Sunday, and when he goes he will take his family with him so that no further trips back and forth will be necessary. He will give up his home here and has already received offers from several would-be purchasers. But while he will live in Portland the new district attorney will still keep his residence in this city. While having his future home and headquarters in Portland he will be "from Pendleton" for some time to come, at least.

The salary paid the United States district attorney for Oregon is \$4500 per annum and the government pays all the office and other expenses connected with the post.

MACCABEES HOLD FORTH.

Local Lodge Gives Banquet After Regular Lodge Work.

The Ladies of the Maccabees held one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year at their hall Thursday afternoon. A banquet followed the regular lodge work. The tables were loaded with the good things which the Ladies of the Maccabees know so well how to prepare. Mrs. Frank Baker, Mrs. Lewis Wetzel and Mrs. Charles McLain presided. There were various entertaining features. Mrs. Jack Clintworth showed her ability as a fortune teller. Those who didn't get a dime's worth of fortune got the balance in laugh. It was a late hour when the ladies departed for their homes, each one thanking the committee many times for the delightful afternoon they had prepared for them.

Call for Warrants.

La Grande, March 20, 1908. The undersigned treasurer of Union county, Ore., has funds on hand with which to pay all county warrants that were endorsed by the treasurer prior to February 1, 1908. All road warrants that were endorsed prior to January 14th, 1908, and all warrants on the contingent fund. No interest allowed on the above warrants after March 20th, 1908.

JOHN FRAWLEY,
Treasurer of Union County.

Bishop Paddock to The Dalles. Bishop Paddock, who has been here since Saturday and who has been delighting large audiences with his sermons at the Church of the Redeemer this week, leaves Friday for The Dalles, to pay an official visit to the church there. His diocese extends as far west as Hood River.—Pendleton Tribune.

Remarkable Egg for Size.

H. C. Gilman has in his possession an egg laid by a Plymouth Rock hen of his hennery, which comes near being a record breaker. It measures 6 1/2 inches in circumference and 8 inches around the long way.

Grafting

is a dead issue. So says Dr. H. C. Parker of the Indiana School of Medicine, in Collier's Weekly. We concur with him. Blue Mountain Cough Syrup will cure your cough, not as pleasant to take as some others, but it contains the ingredients that will positively and absolutely cure that cough. **RED CROSS DRUG STORE.**

C. G. HOLST,

Contractor and Builder. Satisfaction guaranteed; estimates furnished on any kind of masonry work on short notice. Mantels and fireplaces a specialty. Room No. 1, Smith Rooming house, La Grande, Ore. 'Phone Red 141.

Plowing.

Persons wishing their gardens or lots plowed should see A. G. Hermon. 'Phone Black 1011. Satisfaction guaranteed. Careful work around trees. A trial solicited. mllald

Increases Plant.

D. Fitzgerald, proprietor of the La Grande Iron works, of this city, has a force of men at work this morning building an addition to his plant. The new room will occupy a ground space 18x24, and will be covered with corrugated steel. It will be used as a store house for a carload of iron and blacksmith coal which will arrive in a few days.

Treasurer's Call for City Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there are now funds on hand to pay all outstanding warrants issued on General fund of La Grande city, up to and including No. 6503, endorsed October 8, 1906.

Interest on all warrants on General fund from No. 6378 to No. 6503, inclusive, ceases from this date.

La Grande, Ore., March 20, 1908.
J. K. WRIGHT,
City Treasurer.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at the late J. M. McCall farm, 3 miles southeast of La Grande, Tuesday, March 24th, 1908, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

Six mares, two geldings, three colts, 22 head milk cows; two 3/4 low wheel wagons; one 14-foot California wood rack; two hacks; one buckboard; one top buggy; one buggy without top; three bob sleds; one sleigh; one set of sleigh runners; two wheelbarrows; two Deering binders; one Wood binder; one Deering mower; one McCormick mower; two hay rakes; one disc harrow; one 12-foot drag harrow; one 14-inch sulky plow; one garden plow; one double shovel cultivator; one feed chopper; one cider mill, one roller; one steel road scraper; one platform scale; one grindstone; two small anvils and vise; two post hole augers; one brush scythe; two grass scythes; three log chains; one carpenter chest and tools; one cross-cut saw; one hoof cutter; two sets heavy harness; two sets hack harness; two single harness; 200 bushels barley, and other things too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon.

Terms of sale: \$10.00 or under, cash; over \$10.00 six months' time at 8 per cent, with approved security.

U. G. COUCH,
Administrator J. M. McCall Estate,
ED STRINGHAM, Auctioneer.

The advertisements in The Observer are placed there for you to read. Each and every one contains a plain business proposition.

PAINT AND WALL PAPER STORE

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Staniels & Bugg

1420 ADAMS AVENUE
La Grande, Oregon

Phone Red 1921

LA GRANDE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Studio over Selder's candy parlors. . . .
PROF. DAY, Principal

IN A HURRY? THEN CALL

Reynolds

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

Day phone Red 761
Night " Black 1792
Wagon always at the depot.

We Want Your Wants

IN

Our Want Ad Column

Your want is placed before a thousand or more want-seekers every day—Can you afford to spend one cent per word of your want ad when the results are the keynotes?

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms. Inquire of Mrs. C. S. Zuber. 'Phone Red 1781.

FOR RENT—Large store building, with shelving and counters; used a number of years for hardware and furniture. Also housekeeping rooms. 1417 Washington Ave. 2-19-1m

FOR RENT—Building on Fir St., adjoining Ronde Valley house, suitable for store purposes; 9 furnished living rooms upstairs. 'Phone to Black 461.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 'Phone to Red 251.

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire of Mrs. Edna Swartz.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. Telephone Black 1532. m16

FOR RENT—Well improved 4-acre tract near Palmer mill; 5-room house, good orchard, good land. Inquire of B. F. Wade, Owl saloon. 3-9tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Team of heavy work horses, 1400 and 1500 pounds; 6 and 7 years; also team driving mares. Inquire 1417 Washington Ave. 3-14tf

FOR SALE—Five-room house, partly furnished; 2 lots, stable and woodshed; 1 block west of White school house. Inquire at 504 K St. 5-2tf

FOR SALE—Ball barley for seed. For particulars call on J. A. Holman, R. F. D. No. 2, or 'phone 197x1, Bell

Wood! Wood!

We have just received two carloads of good, dry yellow pine wood. Our price is right, and delivery service is perfect. 'Phone Main 6, either phone. **GRANDE RONDE CASH CO.,** LEWIS BROS., Props.

If your Observer is not delivered as it should be, please notify this office. 'Phone Main 13. We will consider it a favor.

WANTED.

WANTED—To trade hay for wood. Stoddard Lumber Co. 2-14tf

WANTED—Furnished house, 5 or 6 rooms; inquire of J. Frank Evans, at Red Cross drug store.

WANTED—A young man; good salary, in or near La Grande, to represent and to show property for large Portland real estate firm. Experience not necessary. Small cash security required. Address Manager, 242 Fifth St., Portland, Ore. 3-13-1t

WANTED—Young man residing at La Grande to represent us as salesman on a commission basis. Write us for particulars. Page & Son, Portland, Oregon. 3-13-1t

FOUND—A watch. Owner can have same by calling at this office, paying property and paying for this ad.

NEW ELECTRIC THEATRE

♦ FORSAKEN.
♦ INDIAN LOVE.
♦ JEALOUS WIFE.
♦ DARKEST HOUR.
♦ FLOUR OF MOUTH.
♦ EDINBURG CASTLES.

♦ TWO ILLUSTRATED SONGS
♦ "Tell Me, Will My Dream Come True?" and Priscilla.

♦ Program changes each Monday and Thursday. Doors open promptly at 7 o'clock p. m.
♦ Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday.

♦ NEW ELECTRIC THEATER.
♦ B. M. SHERWOOD & CO., Proprietors.
♦ Mahaffey Building.

FOR THE LENTEN SEASON

The following list of reasonable eatables may help you to select your menu during this season, when careful housewives sometimes find it difficult to arrange a satisfactory meal.

Boston Beauty Mackerel; Dainty Brand Cod Fish, two pound bricks; Keg Herring; Boneless Lunch Herring in glass; Norway Mackerel Sardines; French Sardines in oil; Mustard Sardines; Broiled Mackerel.

CANNED GOODS

Salmon, Lobster, Shrimp, Clams, Oysters, P. S. Stock Clam Chowder.

CHEESE

Full Cream Cheese, Swiss Cheese, Jersey Cream Cheese, Fine Limberger Cheese, McLaren's Roquefort Cheese.

THE CITY GROCERY AND BAKERY

E. POLACK, Prop. Phone Main 75



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the Kind That Wears

W. H. BOHNENKAMP CO.

HARDWARE, FURNITURE AND CROCKERY