

FERGUSON'S FERGUSON'S

In our window for the next few days there will be samples of many little office conveniences. If you should need anything that we have not in stock, we will take much pleasure in obtaining the article needed, as quickly as possible. Nothing is too much trouble

THE COUNTY EXCHANGES

(Elgin Recorder.)
Born to the wife of R. F. Monroe, March 25, 1908, a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker left the fore part of the week for Portland, where the latter is to undergo a surgical operation.
Mrs. L. Blanchard, of the Flat, has been seriously ill for several days and her recovery is doubtful.
Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Fisher of Summerville, are visiting in Elgin this week with relatives and friends.
Hon. E. E. Taylor, one of the pioneers of this county, and one of the early Oregon pioneers, was down from La Grande this week visiting with relatives and friends.

John Graham and son, Herley, left this week for Walla Walla, where both expect to undergo surgical operations. Should they not be satisfied with conditions at Walla Walla, however, they will go to Portland. The senior Mr. Graham has been suffering for several years with a lameness in one of his legs, which local physicians have been unable to relieve. His son will undergo an operation for the removal of a growth from his neck.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hendricks returned home this week after an absence of several months to various points. From Elgin Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks went to Iowa, where they visited relatives for a week, after which they continued their journey to old Mexico, where they spent several weeks visiting the principal cities and points of interest. The trip through Mexico is described as being extremely interesting by Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks. After leaving Mexico they spent considerable time in Los Angeles and other California cities.
(Union Republican.)

The Wright Bros. are preparing for a heavy fruit business this year, and are shaping their affairs to that end. Clarence Miller was taken to Hot Lake Tuesday, still very sick with pneumonia.

Born—On March 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Dolby, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bernard on March 25, a son.

W. B. Butterfield was in La Grande Tuesday, receiving his commission as deputy assessor for Union—a good appointment.
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Dement of Union, this week, and a son was also born to Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter of Cove, last week.

The Central Railway this week shipped out 14 cars of produce in three days—a pretty good showing with indications of a revival of business all along the line.
There is a current report that under certain conditions, one of which is the installation of a city electric plant, the Rees flouring mills at Cove will be moved to Union.

Waldo Perry was over from La Grande Sunday. He is at present employed in the sheriff's office, and his friends are pushing him for the democratic nomination for county clerk, an honor which Mr. Perry has not yet consented to accept.
(Union Scout.)

George Huffman recently sold a fine imported Percheron stallion to William Boyce of Baker county.

L. B. Haynes and George Tally are back from Malheur. They will return to the oil fields in a short time for an indefinite stay.

W. E. Butterfield, who spent the last month in the Malheur oil regions, arrived some Saturday. Mr. Butterfield says the oil prospects are fine up there and feels well satisfied with his investments. He also brought home the fossil remains of some animal of the crocodile family. The lines of the skull are very clearly defined. As there is no record of the animal's time of life, it is only a guess as to the period in which it lived, breathed and had its existence.

Better Than Spanking.

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

GUARDIAN SALE.

In the matter of the guardianship of the estate and person of Maggie Given, true name Margaret Given, an insane person.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of Maggie Given, true name Margaret Given, an insane person, by virtue of an order of the Honorable County Court of Union county, Oregon, made and entered on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1908, at a regular term thereof, will on and after the 13th day of April, A. D. 1908, offer for sale, and will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the court for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Maggie Given, true name Margaret Given, (the same being an estate in fee simple) in and to the following premises, to-wit: All that portion of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty (30) in township four (4) south, of range forty (40) east, W. M., excepting that portion heretofore deeded to Minnie Ostrander, bounded as commencing at the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 30 township 4 S. R. 40, E. W. M., as aforesaid, and running thence east 54 rods and 6 links, thence north 59 rods and 3 links, thence west 54 rods and 6 links, and thence south 59 rods and 3 links to place of beginning. Also the water rights and ditches conveyed to this grantor and belonging to said land herein conveyed.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1908.

S. L. GIVEN,
Guardian.

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.**

For Sale.

Stock ranch of 1520 acres, located one-half mile south of Union; 80 acres in alfalfa. All under water. Stock, machinery, etc., go with place. Call on or address owner, C. F. Siemsen, Union, Ore. 3-27dwtf

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.

Land for Rent.

We have 320 acres of excellent land for rent. Call at once.
F. S. BRAMWELL,
C. J. BLACK.

Just Received.

Large assortment new wall paper; and paints, oils, varnish and Jap-lac. Call and see the new wall paper design.

Think of the fine music and solid fun you miss every hour you are without a phonograph. Better talk to Davis-Jordan Music Co. about them. \$1 a week does it.

By buying a coupon book good for \$5.00 worth of washing at Cherry's New Laundry, you can save 50 cents. Isn't that worth while. Talk to your wife about it. 3-4

Horses for Sale.
Inquire of A. E. Brunson, agent for Portland Livestock Insurance association, La Grande, Oregon. Call at Sommer hotel.

LA GRANDE SCHOOL of MUSIC

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

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 where results are the keynotes?

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house, with bath; also barn. Mrs. S. C. Zuber.

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 RENT—House on Third street, 908. Large enough for two families. Apply to Martin Larson. 3-21-4-5

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—Good paying business in desirable location; prices right if taken within 30 days. Address or inquire of Mrs. S. E. Wall, North Powder.

LOST—Large pocketbook containing two life insurance policies. Finder return to Observer and receive reward. 3-27tf

LOST—A gold watch and chain with initials M. V. on watch. Reward paid for its return to Herman Vehra.

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

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING

Staniels & Bugg

1420 ADAMS AVENUE
La Grande, Oregon
Phone Red 1921

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 God 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, Propr. Phone Main 75

NEW WALL PAPER

New Spring Stock just received. Finest assortment ever brought to La Grande. Also a large assortment of Paints, Oils, Jap-lac. New car of best Lime.

W. H. BOHNENKAMP CO.

HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, BUILDING MATERIAL

WANTED.

WANTED—To trade hay for wood. Stoddard Lumber Co. 3-14tf

WANTED—If you are looking for work just call at the Real Estate, Loan & Commission Co. Office headquarters for all employment.

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 1792J
Wagon always at your service



SAVING MONEY

by dealing at Geddes Bros. is no illusion, as the amount of your purchase is never excessive, as it is always computed at the lowest possible prices. In fact, many tell us it is always lower than they expected. We keep only the highest grade goods. Our trade is among the highest grade people, so we make few bad debts. We buy in very large quantities and sell at the lowest possible figures.

GEDDES BROS.

The Wealthy The Particular The Poor

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