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Every business man and property owner in this city should hear Tom Richardson. It is not putting it too strong to say that Portland's growth the past few years dates from the time that Tom Richardson took up his work of boosting. He was the man more than any one else who wiped away the strife of various points in the state against Portland. It was "the Portland hog" for years, but we do not hear this kind of talk of late years. The state at large is proud of Portland's wonderful growth and the Portland business men are doing what they can to see all sections of the state grow. It is a mutual benefit.

It is time to commence thinking of and planning for a Fourth of July celebration. As a nest-egg there is a balance of something over \$100 in the treasury, left over from the last one. La Grande should never let another

Fourth go by without celebrating. That does not mean that none of our citizens should not visit other places, but we owe it to our citizens. Here we are a city of 6000 people and under the most carefully laid plans it is hardly possible for more than \$90 or 1000 of our people to ever get away. This leaves 5000 of our own people without the educational advantages of a properly conducted Fourth.

It was a clean, gentlemanly contest between Mr. Cake and senator Fulton as far as they were personally concerned. Two years ago when Mr. Cake was defeated he took the stump for Senator Bourne, demonstrating that he was equally a good loser as he was a winner. In this campaign he is entitled to the support of every supporter of Mr. Fulton, and there is no question but that he will receive it.

It is no wonder that horse buyers come to Union county for their fine stock. The question has been asked the past few months, when it was generally known that carload after carload of horses have been shipped out of this valley, where they all come from. The many fine horses in the parade on Saturday answered that question to the satisfaction of all.

The success of Market day on Saturday should result in continuing this day regularly, not less than once each month. It proves another thing, that La Grande business men are the ones to conduct it. It requires no outside booster to make a Market day a success in La Grande.

Statement No. 1 was the chief issue in most of the counties and with very few exceptions was victorious throughout the state. This will never be an issue again. In the future each and every candidate for the legislature will favor it.

"Mr. Cake will have my unqualified support, and I will ask my friends to give him theirs."—Senator Fulton.

Now let us get together and have

MARKET DAY SOUVENIRS

SATURDAY, APRIL 18 I will present each customer whose purchases are \$5.00 and more of any GOODS we carry, a beautifully framed Souvenir Picture 16x120, one only to each customer

Special Low Prices for Market Day on all my stock. You are cordially invited to price my goods. See our Acme Range, best made.

'Phone Black 641 **F. D. HAISTEN** 'Phone Red 1161
 213 FIR STREET 1411, 1413, 1415 Adams Ave.

the band out every Saturday afternoon and evening.

Cherry trees in bloom on Easter this year.

MRS. QUINN DEAD.

Well Known La Grande Lady Died in Portland Saturday.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Quinn were shocked Saturday evening to learn of the death of Mrs. Quinn in Portland, after a short illness occasioned by an attack of appendicitis. The body was shipped to Chicago, passing through here yesterday morning.

Mrs. Quinn was a resident of this city for several months, coming here with her daughter, Miss Mildred, to join her husband who was then making his headquarters in La Grande while acting as signal service superintendent. While here the family formed many warm friends.

Mrs. Quinn was a musician of a high calibre, a friendly personage who made friends with all she met. The family moved to Portland recently.

La Grande friends of the family join in extending consolations to the living members of the family which was visited by death in such an untimely manner.

College Prayer Meetings.

Prayer meetings will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the western district at the following places: A. T. Hill, Third street. Mr. Anderson's, corner Adams avenue and Cedar street. H. J. Hockenberry's, Third street, and at Mrs. Sander's, on First street, at 7:30 p. m.

Eastern Section.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held in the eastern part of town on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the residence of Mrs. J. K. Wright, with Mrs. J. E. Stevenson as leader, and on Tuesday evening at the residence of James Hough, with Mrs. Matthews, as leader.

NIGHT SERVICE STARTED.

All Mail Will Be Distributed in the Evening Hereafter.

A pleasing arrangement has again been made at the postoffice in this city, and by it the patrons will receive a much improved service. From now on the incoming mails will be distributed the same evening, and not the morning after. The mail from No. 2 and from No. 5 will be distributed immediately after its arrival. Not only will the first-class matter be placed in the respective boxes, but all second-class matter will be distributed. The work will be done by Arthur Van Fleet and Don Scott, each working in alternate weeks.

Society Gibson pictures.

GRAND CHANCELLOR TONIGHT.

Several High Officials of K. of P. Lodge Coming Here Tonight.

Several prominent Knights of Pythias will be in La Grande tonight and local officers of that order are trying to get a large number of members out. There will be no banquet, but work in the second degree and addresses by the visiting officials, will constitute the evening's attractions. Among those who will come are W. M. Wall, grand chancellor; L. R. Stinson, grand keeper of records and seal and the supreme representative. They will arrive on tonight's train. Early tomorrow, accompanied by local members of the order, the visitors will go to Baker City to attend the dedication

of the new K. of P. castle hall there tomorrow afternoon and evening.

A Thousand Dollars' Worth of Good.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel and stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me \$1000 worth of good." A. T. Hill.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

Samuel T. Boothe, plaintiff, vs. Myrtle Boothe, defendant.

To Myrtle Boothe, the Above Named Defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear in the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Union county, and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause

on or before the 2nd day of May, 1908, or in default thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: for a decree of the court declaring the marriage contract between plaintiff and defendant null and void, and for such other and further relief as may be agreeable to equity and good conscience.

This summons is served by publication thereof for six consecutive weeks in the Evening Observer, a daily newspaper of general circulation published at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, by order of Hon. Thomas Crawford, judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 21st day of March, 1908.

R. H. LLOYD,
 Attorney for Plaintiff.

YOU SPEND

Too much time obtaining information from uncertain sources, unless you are using Polk's Gazetteer of Oregon and Washington, complete information of every town in the two states and a classified business directory.

Do Not Trifle With a Cold

Is good advice for men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Long experience has proven that there is nothing better for colds in children than

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

It is a favorite with many mothers and never disappoints them. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given with implicit confidence.

NEWLIN DRUG CO.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, March 2, 1908.
 Notice is hereby given that James Brady, of Starkey, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead entry No. 12119 made April 14, 1903, for lots 1 and 2, and E 1/2 of NW 1/4, section 31, township 3 south, range 35, E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on April 22, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: Elam Jones, John M. Jones, Ben Hagey, Jeff Ayers, all of Starkey, Oregon.
 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

THE DEMAND FOR PROPERTY IN RIVERSIDE ADDITION

has become so great, that it has been decided to advance the price on lots in that addition.

By comparing the prices at which lots in Riverside Addition have been selling, with the prices of similar property in other sections of the city, it will be found that lots in Riverside Addition have been selling at too low a figure.

Before advancing the price, however, it has been deemed only fair to give due warning to those who have been contemplating buying, but who have been delaying from time to time, therefore

TAKE NOTICE

that during the remainder of this month (April), prices will remain the same as heretofore, but on the first day of May there will be a general advance of 10 per cent in prices, therefore all those who wish to take advantage of this advance must buy this month.

Special inducements will be given those who build this season houses costing \$1000.00 or more.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS CALL ON

WM. MILLER & BRO.

AGENTS LA GRANDE REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATION
 NO. 1107 ADAMS AVENUE, LA GRANDE, OREGON

SPECIAL DEMONSTRATION

Henderson & La Princesse
Habit Back Corsets. :::::

Mme. Burt Expert Corset Fitter will be with us
 Monday and Tuesday, April 20th and 21st.

We invite the ladies of La Grande and vicinity to visit our Corset department and meet Mme. Burt. She will take pleasure in explaining the superiority of Henderson and La Princesse double front laced corsets in a way that will appeal to every woman who is a lover of good dress.

Be sure and visit our Corset department when Mme Burt is with us, even if you are not in need of a corset at this time. Consultation and fitting free.

N. K. WEST
 La Grande, Oregon