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Dated at La Grande, Oregon, October 24, 1908. Oct 24th
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WALTER E. BUNKER.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13, 1908.
Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The Farmers & Traders National Bank of La Grande," Oregon, that the same must be presented to Walter Neidner, Receiver, with the legal proof thereof, within three months from this date, or they may be disallowed.
LAWRENCE O. MURRAY,
Comptroller of the Currency.

Piano Tuning.
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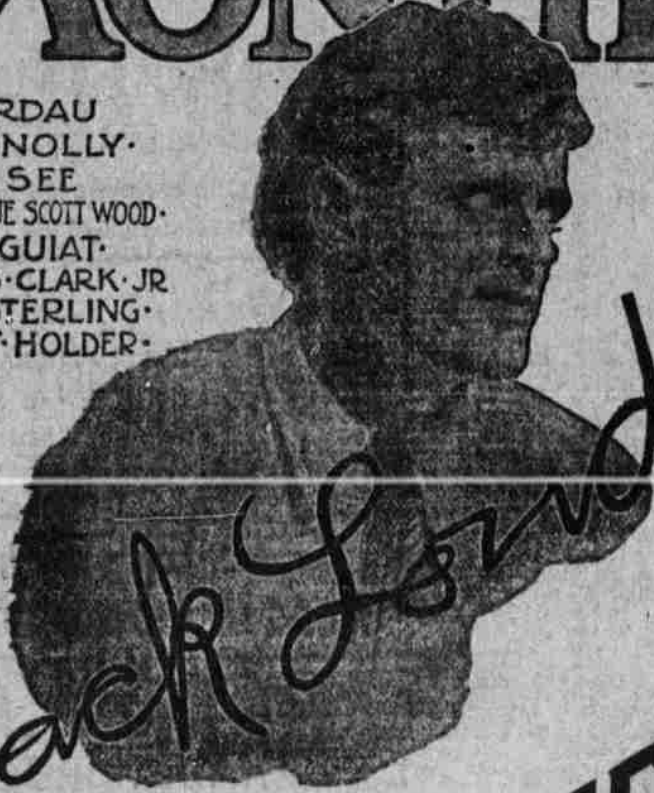
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Portland, Ore., Nov. 2.—(Special correspondence.)—Eugene surprised the people of this entire country last year by raising a great advertising fund and paying a salary of \$5000 annually for an expert. Up to last Saturday night there had been subscribed for the coming year, \$13,661, to which will be added \$1400, the total being more than a dollar and a half for every man, woman and child in the city, and this will be used in advertising the resources and advantages of Eugene and Lane county. Eugene is determined to go ahead and doesn't mind a little thing like a national election. What other town of 10,000 people in Oregon, Washington or California can match this record?

Salem will have the convention of the Oregon State Dairy association December 10 and 11, and already preparations are being made for a gathering that will surpass all previous meetings. The Oregon Development league will continue to work with the association and uses the dairy report as one of its most effective pieces of literature in corresponding with eastern farmers.

Thirty-three of Albany's leading business men came to Portland last Friday to personally invite the business of this city to participate in a celebration at Albany on Tuesday, November 10, with the Linn County Apple Show and the opening of a fine new depot as the features. As an evidence of the enterprise of this Albany delegation each and every one of them bought his own round trip ticket and left Albany at 4 o'clock in the morning, starting to work in Portland at 7:15. They were guests at a special luncheon at the Portland Commercial club. Portland excursionists will go by special train and the party will be one of the largest that has gone from the city this fall.

The farming demonstration train under the auspices of the Southern Pacific railway will carry a corps of lecturers, every one of whom stands at the top of his particular line. This is not a new venture, but one that is more popular and which does more good each succeeding trip.

Oregon fir never had a compliment paid which meant so much as the editorial which appeared in the "American Lumberman" of last week, the world's leading lumber journal. J. E. Defebaugh, editor of the periodical, and known to every lumberman in the country, personally penned the editorial, which says in part:

"Douglas fir needs no stain to make it beautiful in color, it does not have to be carefully selected for grain, it takes a fine finish and is strong and as hard as many of the woods used for finer purposes. On the Pacific coast are many fine residences and magnificent office buildings in which this wood is used. It will not supplant mahogany and oak, but should be used side by side with them and for substantially the same purposes."

Mr. Defebaugh urges its careful consideration by eastern architects.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Ore.,
October 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that BASIL E. LEVER, of Portland, Oregon, who, on October 5, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement No. 01853, for NW 1/4 NW 1/4, section 28, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 section 21, and S 1/2 SE 1/4, section 20, township 5 south, range 35 E. W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Oregon, on the 21st day of December, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: John O. Kissell, of Vancouver, Wash.; Chester A. Pike, of Vancouver, Wash.; John W. Maitland, of Vancouver, Wash.; David C. Brichoux, of La Grande, Ore.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.
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