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FOR SALE—Pedigreed female Pit bull terrier. A snap at \$10. Apply at Pacific Express Office.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for gentleman, 1710 Second Street, or phone Red 1972 2-24-16.

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FOR RENT—Furnished front room for gentleman, close in. 1710 Fourth St. Phone Red 952.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping. Call Mrs. Zuber.

To the Ladies

Mrs. C. H. Whitney of Baker City, the face specialist, will be in the city at the Sommer hotel from Tuesday until Friday, with a full line of toilet goods. Ladies please call. 2-26-3-4.

Early in

To Elmer's Bar, Lower Out Sale. Elmer has started off with a hurry and five beauties have found homes. If you are ever going to own a piano now is the time to secure it. They are going to clean up all the pianos in this territory at unheard of prices. You can make your own terms and trade in the old instrument for the same as cash. A number of bargains in used pianos and organs from \$25 up. New pianos as low as \$168.00. Every instrument guaranteed and one year trial free.

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Hoted Sommer Building, 107 Depot st.

Ladies Attention

Mrs. A. D. Vandecar will be found at the Hotel Sommer in Room 4, with all kinds of hair goods. She will make all the latest hair goods from your own combings or will furnish the combings herself. Call and let her tell you what she can do. 3-2-5.

Negro Postmaster "Killed"

Edwards, Miss. Mar. 2.—A shock spread by news that he had been supplanted as postmaster here, he believed to have caused the death of E. B. Perkins, the only negro postmaster in the state. When told the

WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. Charles Cochran, corner of Second and Washington.

WANTED—A woman to stay evenings with two children during the tabernacle meetings. Phone Main 768. 2-28-3-5.

WANTED—To borrow \$1300 on good real estate security. Address "K" Care Observer.

DON'T fail to examine the \$1.00 hair brushes in our window. You will be surprised at the quality. This week only. NEWLIN DRUG CO. 2-25-28

WANTED—A girl or woman for general housework. Phone Black 481 2-28-3-5.

Please Your Orders Now.

For Buff Orpington eggs. Call and see my first pen. Write me or phone. Both phones. Logan & Anderson, Cove, Ore. 2-28-3-5.

President had appointed a white man to the place, Perkins fell unconscious and died in a short time.

Tigers in San Antonio

San Antonio, March 2.—San Antonio's baseball grounds have been put in shape to serve as a lair for the Tigers, the Detroit champions of the American League, who will spend the month here. Several exhibition games will be played with Morris Block's brocho team. The first of next month the Tigers will divide into two squads and set out on an exhibition tour.

Hughey Jennings will pilot one team, the one that will set out for the north via New Orleans. Bill Donovan will in all probabilities the acting manager of the other team that picks the Southwest as its scenes of exhibition games.

Fair Board Meets

Sedalia, Mo., March 2.—The annual meeting of the directors of the Missouri State Fair was held here today. To arrange the catalogue for the tenth annual fair. Following the fair meeting the Executive Committee of the State Board of Agriculture convened and T. C. Wilson of St. Louis succeeded George B. Ellis as secretary of the board.

STATE CONCLUDES ITS EVIDENCE

LOUDERMILK NOW PRODUCING HIS EVIDENCE.

Litigation hinges on whether or not the State owns the land

All evidence to be presented by the State in the case of Townley vs. Loudermilk, was given in this morning and Attorney Hodgkin immediately introduced evidence for the defendant.

The State has been trying to establish the fact that the land in the Union district which the men are carrying legal warfare over, was originally swamp land and as such it would belong to the State and as the land was drained and become fit for cultivation, the State had a perfect right to give title to the land which it did to Townley.

The defense advances the argument that the land was not swamp land and consequently the State had no right to give a deed for it. The entire litigation hinges on whether or not the land is swamp land.

It is impossible to state just when the defense will rest its case but tonight or tomorrow, at the latest, is the general impression. Many witnesses have been called already.

DOCKET IS LONG ONE

Motion day brings out fact that many cases are to be tried

Today was motion day before Judge Knowles preparatory to the arrangement of the docket for the circuit court which begins Monday.

The indications are that this will be the longest term held in many years. There are more cases at issue ready for trial than common. This is accounted for by reason of the fact that the last legislature changed the time of holding the spring term from February to March, extending the former period one month.

The first case to be tried Monday morning is the case of Mrs. Newlin vs. J. W. Lindsey, followed by Frank Brown, administrator, vs. Truax. On Wednesday morning the first criminal case will be held, in the State vs. Rube Chandler, charged with perjury.

Judge Henry and Commissioners Selder and Galloway are in session today looking after the financial work of the county, looking after the roads and other county matters that require consideration each month.

For Chief of Police

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Chief of Police for the City of La Grande, at the coming election to be held on March 14, 1910.
R. L. MATTHEWS.
2-3-9.

BANQUET PROGRAM READY

List of speakers chosen for Friday night's big banquet.

A complete list of toasts for the banquet Friday night in honor of Evangelist Johnson, has been selected, and follows:

AD BANQUET
Banquet Program
Toasts—Dr. S. W. Seemann, Toastmaster.
Prayer—Rev. F. E. Gray
Music—Cochran, Cleaver, Cochran, Williams
The Church and the Community—W. L. Breuholts.
The Churches' Challenge to Men—P. R. Bridges.
Music—Chas. H. Gray
The Relation of the Church to Business—Rev. H. E. McLeer
What Men Expect of the Church—Walter M. Pierce.
What the Church Expects of Men—Rev. F. M. Canfield.
The Meeting—Rev. R. E. Johnson
Shirley—Led by C. H. Gray
Prayer—Dr. J. D. Gibson

Union Band to Give Dance.
On the evening of the 17th of March the Union band boys will give a hard times dance in the Opera house.—Union Republican.

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Ties of all descriptions in all of the newest and latest lasts.

Prices \$2.00 to \$4.50

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A last to fit every foot and a style to fit every taste no matter how particular. Tan, Patent Leather, Vice Kid, calf Skin and Ox Blood.

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Good-by to Lauder

New York, March 2.—Harry Lauder, the Scotch comedian who has made a tour of the country from coast to coast, sails today and will not appear in this country again for many years. It is understood that Lauder is taking back with him a small fortune in American gold, as well as a loving cup and other trophies presented to him by admiring friends on this side of the waters. Lauder says that his only unpleasantness experienced in America was the fun that was poked at him on account of his penurious habits.

German Diplomat Promoted

Berlin March 2.—Baron von dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, former counselor to the German Embassy at Washington, and for the past five years in charge of American affairs in foreign offices, left today for Argentina where he will assume his new post as German minister to Argentina. This appointment is considered a high tribute to the baron as with the constantly growing commerce between South America and Germany, the Buenos Ayres post has become very important. As the metropolis of the southern continent, the Argentina capital is the strategic center for the war of commercial conquest which Germany is now carrying on.

Good Roads for Canada

Toronto Ont., March 2.—Highway improvement experts of the United States and Canada will deliver addresses before the convention opened here today under the auspices of the Ontario Good Roads Association. A good roads system involving 3,000 miles in Ontario will be planned during the conference, which will continue in session for three days.

Engineer Has Smallpox

Engineer Fields is suffering from a light attack of smallpox. He has been quarantined and it is not expected that the disease will appear in a virile form.

Debate Public Utilities

Berkeley, Cal., March 2.—Resolved that a Public Utility Bill Similar to the Hughes New York Bill should be adopted in California, is the question to be debated tonight by the Congress Debating Society of the University of California.

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Notice of Rates.

The Southern Pacific Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets from Portland, Oregon only, to Los Angeles and return as follows:

Date of Sale, March 19th. The going limit will be six days with final return limit of 90 days from the date of sale. Stopovers will be permitted on going trip within the going limit on the return trip, at any point en route within the final limit. There are two kinds of tickets to be sold. One ticket is a straight fare ticket the other is a ticket that includes transportation on the railroad, Pullman sleeper, on going trip, meals in dining car on the going trip, Hotel accommodation, special drives, electric car rides and other special features.

On the straight fare ticket the fare will be \$40.50. On the special feature ticket the fare will be \$50.40. The tickets under the \$40.50 rate will have to be validated for return passage at Los Angeles. The other tickets do not require validation.

Please understand that these tickets are sold from Portland only, and passengers desiring to take this trip from this territory will be required to furnish their tickets to Portland and return.

Any further information desired by intending passengers can be secured from this office upon application.
J. H. KEENEY, Agt.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Calvin R. Thornton, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Union county, Oregon, sitting in probate, administratrix of the estate of Calvin R. Thornton, deceased, and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly certified, to the undersigned at her residence in La Grande, Oregon, or at the law office of Jno. S. Hodgkin, in said city, within six months

from the date of the first publication of this notice.
First Publication, January 25, 1910.
PARA L. THORNTON,
Administratrix.

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