

The Men Who are Raising Fruit Know Best

Read what Green & Sawyer have to Say Concerning Grande Ronde Fruit.

GREENE & SAWYER.
Hardscrabble Orchards.

Imbler, Ore., Feby. 17th, 1911.

La Grande Investment Co.,
La Grande, Oregon.

Dear Sirs:—

We have your inquiry as to what we think of the quality of the fruit in the Grande Ronde valley as judged by our experience this past year, and we feel free to say that while we are familiar with the Hood River, Yakima and Wenatchee districts we do not know of a location where so many varieties are at their best, and as far as we know there are only two varieties that do not do well here, Spitsenburgs and Winesaps. At Wenatchee and Yakima they have almost given up the Winter Banana, that led the market this year as to price, because they do not stand shipment well, yet ours were as hard and firm as you could desire, and would ship fully as well as Jonathan and as you know we received a high price for them (5c apiece on the tree) we are so well pleased with them that we intend planting Bananas in all blanks. The writers spent some three or four months at Hood River last year and did not see any Yellow Newtons there, though it is one of their specialties, that were superior to those we raised this year, either in size or color and our opinion of them is pretty well borne out by our taking first prize with our Newtowns at the "Fruit Grower" Apple Show at St. Joseph, Mo., where we were in competition with apples from twenty-one states and British Columbia. We also took two first prizes at the Eastern Oregon Apple Show at Elgin on our "Rome Beauties," and after the show sent a box of them to the judge, he having been particularly pleased with them and having expressed the opinion they were the finest Rome Beauties he had ever seen, and the most perfect specimens of any variety exhibited at the show.

Last fall we sent samples of our apples to the Northwestern Fruit Exchange at Portland, through whom we finally sold our crops and we quote from their letter to us Oct. 17th, commenting on our fruit "The Ganos are extremely good and the color is as high as we ever saw for this variety, such fruit would be quite attractive if sizes are good. The Jonathans are very well colored. The Ben Davis some very good color, so poor. The Newtowns are very good. If you grade this fruit as to color there is no reason why it should not be sold for full value compared with the best districts."

We also quote from a letter from Steinhardt & Kelly, New York, Oct. 26th, who sell the entire Hood River output. We sent them samples when they expressed a doubt as to our fruit being as high grade as we thought it, they say, "We don't blame you for being enthusiastic regarding your crops, and we really must say that the fact that your apples ripen so late is of great advantage to you in disposing of your crops."

We did not ship any of our crops of apples until January and at that time they were as hard and firm as the day they were packed.

The prices at which we have sold our fruit speak pretty conclusively as to the quality, Ben Davis \$1.25 per box, Ganos \$1.25 and \$1.40, Wageners \$1.50, Rome Beauties \$1.50 and \$1.75 and Yellow Newtowns \$1.75.

Yours truly,
GREENE & SAWYER,
By Mr. D. W. Greene.

The Firms having reliable Fruitland Investment offerings in the Imbler district are:

G. L. Cleaver,
La Grande Investment Co.
Wenaha Lumber Co.
Sherwood Williams,
Hill & Hibbard.

Woodmen May Build.
The Woodmen of the World organization of Union is figuring on the erection of a hall some time during the present year, and it is within the range of possibility that arrangements may be made whereby the building may be erected. The order is on a flourishing condition and many members favor the idea of owning their own building.—Union Republican.

The New High School.
Soon after March 18th, the directors of School District No. 5 will consider the bids for the erection of the new high school building at Union. It is the purpose of the directors to crowd the work as fast as it can be done after the contract is let.—Union Republican.

RADIANT HAIR.
Any Woman Can Have It by Using Parisian Sage.

Madam: If your hair isn't just what you would like it to be why don't you use Parisian Sage.

If it does not put life and luster into the hair and cause it to grow abundantly you can have your money back. "I cannot say enough in its favor."

Two years ago I lost all my hair. I saw Parisian Sage advertised and I thought I would try it. Before I had finished using the first bottle my hair had stopped falling and my head was covered with new hair; also removed all dandruff and today I have a lovely head of hair.

"I think Parisian Sage the best hair restorer and dandruff cure in the world today. It also makes the hair clean, fluffy, and silky, and I would recommend it to every one who wishes a hair restorer and beautifier."—Miss Mary E. Dickson, 287 South avenue, Bridgeton, N. J. 1910.

For men, women and children, there is no hair preparation that equals Parisian Sage; it never disappoints; it does just what the American makers advertise it to do. It banishes dandruff, kills the dandruff germ, stops falling hair or scalp itch, or money back. Sold by Newlin Drug company and druggists everywhere. Large bottle 50 cents.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of 10,570 square yards of bitulithic pavement on Sixth street between Washington avenue and K avenue, together with excavation, curbing and drainage, the same to be constructed according to the plans, specifications and estimates on file in this office. All bids to be in by 8 o'clock p. m. April 5th, 1911, and each bid to be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Attention of all contractors is called to the agreement of Warren Brothers' company, filed with this city, in accordance with which agreement Warren Brothers' company agrees to license all contractors desiring to bid for the work to lay bitulithic pavement in accordance with its patents and the terms of said agreement.
La Grande, Oregon, March 18th, 1911.

C. M. HUMPHREYS,
Recorder.
Mch 18-29th.

Night Riders May Escape.
Hopkinsville, Ky., March 17.—Prosecution of the night riders will probably be dropped following the acquittal here of Dr. Amos Moss, alleged raider leader.

Call for Warrants.

Treasurers' call for county, scalp bounty, and road warrants. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned treasurer of Union county, Oregon has funds on hand with which to pay all county and scalp bounty warrants which were endorsed prior to the first day of February, 1911, and all warrants issued on the road fund prior to the 11th day of March, 1911.

No interest will be allowed on the above warrants after March 11, 1911.

JOHN FRAWLEY,
County Treasurer.
La Grande, Ore., March 11, 1911.

Sealed Bids Wanted


The undersigned will receive sealed

bids for the following described property in La Grande, Union County Oregon, to-wit: Lots One (1) to Twenty Four (24) Block 143; also Lots One (1) to Twenty Four (24) Block 144, Chaplin's Addition to La Grande, Oregon, up to Saturday April 1st, 1911.
A cash deposit of ten per cent of the amount offered must accompany each bid and the right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Taxes are all paid and title good. Address R. L. Sabin No. 7 First Street Room 8, Portland, Oregon, Mar. 4-31.

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Successor to Smith & Greene

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