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NO LONGER ANY DOUBT.

Union county's fair is assured. The meeting last evening settled the fact that this fall another splendid exposition will be held in La Grande. There was a strong sentiment favoring the rancher as a factor in the fair this fall. Prominent farmers from all parts of the valley will be appealed to take a direct interest in the work as well as to display their products. This is the right spirit for without the substantial, sane thinking farmers no fair can reach any degree of success. And, besides, the farmers are a decidedly important part of the Grande decidedly important part of the Grande Ronde valley.

TURN OUT AND WELCOME BAKER.

Tomorrow Baker's baseball team plays a return game in La Grande and from present indications each team is going to be in good shape. The boys are really playing ball this year and everyone who enjoys a good game

Arcade
THEATRE

PROGRAM.

"Little Lad in Dixie".....Vita
A southern war stor.
"Red Deer's Devotion....Pathe
Drama.
"Little Shepherdess".....Sellig
Drama.
Special—New musical instru-
ments.
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SURPLUS 100,000.00
RESOURCES 1,100,000.00
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will have a chance tomorrow to attend one.

Then there is another feature, which is important. Baker treated the La Grande crowd, very pleasantly and showed them a good time last Sunday when our boys played in that city. Let La Grande turn out and reciprocate in a way that all will understand our appreciation of the courtesy extended. We want to beat Baker's team on the diamond, but we also want Baker people to know they are welcome in this city, and that we are delighted to have them with us. Meet the train in the morning and see that every visitor enjoys himself.

Notice of Street Improvement.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the common council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, on the 9th day of February, 1910, creating Improvement District No. 20, and designating Elm street as such district, and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said common council on the 19th day of April, 1911, whereby said council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of Elm street, in said improvement district as hereinafter described, by laying thereon bitulthic pavement, the council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefitted by such improvement, order that said above described im-

provement be made; that the boundaries of said district to be so improved are as follows:

All that portion of Elm street, from the north line of Washington avenue, to the south curb line of Jefferson avenue.

(A) And the property affected or benefitted by said improvement is as follows: All the property in the east 1-2 of blocks 106 and 113 and all the property in the west 1-2 of blocks 107 and 112, all in Chaplin's addition to La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefitted by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement the sum of \$6,300.00. That the council will on the 10th day of May, 1911, meet at the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

La Grande, Oregon, April 27th, 1911.
CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE,
OREGON.

By C. M. HUMPHREYS,
Recorder of the city of La Grande, Ore.
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The Music of Birds.

Birds are usually accounted the most musical of animals, yet it is very much of a task to set their notes to music. The reason is that birds are utterly negligent of the laws of harmony. There is not one of them, it is safe to say, that knows the difference between a major third and a dominant chord. This deficiency in musical knowledge is rather surprising when we consider how beautifully the birds sing and may be used as an argument to show that a theoretical knowledge is a humbug. But if birds knew more about harmony their songs could all be set down and quite a decent revenue derived from the sale thereof. Another reason why it is difficult to put the melody of the song birds into notes is that the quality of the tone is unlike any musical instrument. This is true of all birds except the thrush, whose song descends for the first three notes in perfect seconds and with much purity of tone.—From Old Scrap Book.

Classified
Advertising

FOR SALE—Two good homestead re-

linquishments in Wallowa county. Inquire of D. Birchoux.

FOR RENT—A room 23x36 in Lewis building. Suitable for small lodge. 4-19-tf

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms. Close in. On ground floor. Inquire 1417 Wash. avenue. Phone Red 752. 4-5-tf

HORSES PASTURED—Inquire F. E. Stillwell or phone.

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms. Terms reasonable. Call at 1309 Avenue, in afternoon. 4-228-tf

WOMEN—Sell guaranteed hose. 70 per cent. profit. Make \$10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Strong Knit, Box 4020, West Philadelphia, Pa. 4-27-6t

COMFORTABLE HOME in a town with a payroll. Two entire blocks, very close in. Six room house, good barn, poultry yards and sheds, bearing orchard, city water. Land can all be irrigated. Good location either for poultry business or to build cot-

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Marble Works

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Decoration
Day

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The Blue Mountain
Marble Works
E. C. DAVIS, - PROP.

tages for rent. Price \$2,500.00. Terms on part if desired. Address Box 35, Wallowa, Oregon. 4-25-6t

STRAYED—From my pasture near Alice one two-year-old mule branded F and one yearling light bay colt branded S T on the right shoulder. Was last seen going up past the Morgan lake power plant but may have come back. A suitable reward will be given for the whereabouts of the same. Simon Woodell. Independent phone 271. D-4-29-6t w-1 t

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs at \$1.50 per setting. Hy Posselt, phone Black 932, Fruitdale. Wd Sat-tf

FOR SALE—Furniture and lease one of the best rooming houses in La Grande cheap if taken at once. Apply at Observer office. 4-29-tf

SPLENDID "Soo" refrigerator. Almost new. Very cheap. Dalton's. 4-29-tf

The Sound Sleep of Good Health. Cannot be overestimated and any ailment that prevents it is a menace to health. J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "I have been unable to sleep soundly nights, because of pains

across my back and soreness of my kidneys. My appetite was very poor and my general condition was much run down. I have been taking Foley's Kidney Pills but a short time and now sleep as sound as a rock, my general condition is greatly improved, and I know that Foley's Kidney Pills have cured me." Good results always follow the use of Foley's Kidney Pills. They are a prompt corrective of urinary irregularities. Try them. Hill's Drug store. Ap. 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22, 25, 27, 29.

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