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Miss Blanche Clark will meet her art pupils on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons at 906 Main Ave. Residence phone Farm 87. 10-1-3 m

Just received a big lot of all the latest books. Some of the most popular ones are "The Yesterdays," "The Harvester," "The Iron Woman," "The Street Called Straight," Sued Etc. Come and look them over. Newlin Book & Staty. Co. 9-28-tf.

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A Marvelous Escape. "My little boy had a marvelous escape," writes P. F. Bastians of Prince Albert, Cape of Good Hope. "It occurred in the middle of the night. He got a very severe attack of croup. As luck would have it, I had a large bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. After following the directions for an hour and twenty minutes he was through all danger." Sold by all dealers.

Saves Leg of Boy. "It seemed that my 14-year old boy would have to lose his leg, on account of an ugly ulcer, caused by a cut bruise," wrote D. F. Howard, Aquona, N. C. "All remedies and doctors' treatment failed till we tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and cured him with one box." Cures burns, boils, skin eruptions, piles. 25c at all drug-gists.

Notice to the Public.

I have purchased the Tuse Hing Lung store from Lem Young, and all creditors must present any bills due at once. JIM LIVERMORE. 10-9-10t

General Wood at Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 9.—Major-General Leonard Wood, U. S. A., is today inspecting conditions of Forts Casey, Flaglock and Worden on the Puget Sound. He will include the entire Pacific coast in his tour.

PERSONALS.

K. H. Keltz of Cleveland was a Foley guest this morning.

Mrs. J. D. Snodgrass of Hot Lake, was in the city yesterday, staying at the Foley.

L. A. Goodhiv, a resident of Haines and J. F. Gray, also of Haines, were guests at the Foley.

Daniel Boyd, the Enterprise lawyer and prominent Bull Moose leader, was a guest at the Sommer last night.

S. L. Brooks, a prominent Imbler rancher and member of the fair board was a guest in the city last night.

The Bonnie Brae Circle of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. William Miller tomorrow afternoon (Thursday).

After buying a carload of draft horses, Mr. Skipton, the horse buyer of Salem, left yesterday for Portland. The type purchased was first class draft stuff.

Mrs. F. W. Cotteril, a relative of the Seattle executive by that name, and a prominent suffragette, is staying at the Sommer while in the city in the interest of the Oregon campaign for votes for women.

P. S. Robinson, president of the La Grande Commercial club, and W. B. Bach, both connected with the Wenaha Lumber company, returned this morning from Portland where they have been transacting business.

A party of Weiser people motored to La Grande yesterday on an inspection tour. The party was made up of prominent automobile and business men, who all declared La Grande much to their liking last evening.

Allen J. Webb has purchased a cottage from Mr. Kramlich, and Mr. and Mrs. Webb will occupy it at once and make their future home here. Mr. Webb has been in Portland since leaving La Grande, and will continue to handle Portland real estate along with his local land business.

L. C. Smith, the garage man, left last night for Portland on business matters, and while there will look after the purchase of a 1912 pattern of taxicabs for the Bussey Taxicab service. If something suitable can be found Mr. Bussey's line will be supplied direct from Portland.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a rummage sale in the W. H. Stanchfield warehouse, 1312 Jefferson avenue, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 11 and 12th. 10-9 10 11 & wkly

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PATTISON BROTHERS GROCERY

HIS OPPORTUNITY

By ANDREW C. EWING

When I was a young man—that's more than fifty years ago now—I concluded to go south. I had a romantic idea of plantation life and thought I should like to be one of the southern fire eaters of that period.

I found the planters more peaceable than I had expected, at least the best of them, though when they did fight they fought to kill. Those who had come of good stock, fathers of families, had no bloodthirstiness whatever. But there were a number of ugly men in the south, who always went about armed and of whom every one was more or less afraid.

Notwithstanding that shooting was rare I found when I got where it existed that I didn't like it so well as I had thought I would. Indeed, no one took me for a shooter. I was small and youthful looking. The long limbed sons of the south did not seem to consider me of much importance. The only person who fancied me was the planter's daughter, a girl about my own age. She had a number of admirers among those gentlemen, but she said they didn't know anything except about horses, and that wouldn't suit her at all. I could write verses to her, and having a fine tenor voice and she a guitar, I could sing love songs to her accompaniment.

Her father, Randolph Hunter, had no idea that a love affair was in progress between me and his daughter until it had gone so far that it was scarcely controllable. Then when he found it out he said to me:

"Permit me to remark, sub, that you attentions to my daughter must stop at once. If I ever catch you communicating with her in any way whatever I shall give you fifty lashes, the same as I would give one of my servants. Hea' is a check for your salary, sub, made out to the end of the year."

According to my ideas before coming to the country, I should have thrown the check in his face and shot him dead. Instead, I put the check in my pocket, bade him good morning and took my departure. But I did not—I could not—leave the country where I dwelt my love. I secured a position as tutor in the home of another planter, who had no daughter of a marriageable age.

One day soon after this I heard that Mr. Hunter had had a difficulty with a slave dealer. The trader had offered to buy a slave husband without his wife. Hunter had replied that he never parted families. The trader after this information offered him a specially high price for the man, whereupon Mr. Hunter broke his cane over the man's head. Neither of them was armed, and the affair at the time went no further, though a feeling seemed to exist that there would be and very soon.

Before going south I had bought a revolver, expecting to have many franchises with it. Though the southerners seemed to consider me too delicate—perhaps insignificant better expresses it—to have any trouble with it, I didn't think it prudent to part with my weapon. I carried it at my hip under my coat, where it would not be seen, as the southerners did. One day I had occasion for its use, but not as I had intended.

Taking an afternoon horseback ride, I suddenly heard shots, that seemed to come from a point just ahead of me and around a turn in the road. My first inclination was to turn about to escape stray bullets, but this was so little in keeping with my previous chivalrous ideas that I kept on and, turning the bend, saw Mr. Hunter and another man, both on horseback, pumping lead at each other from revolvers.

But they were too far apart to do much damage. Mr. Hunter was nearest to me. A moment after I came in sight of him he threw his revolver in the road. I inferred he had emptied it. A moment later his opponent drew a second weapon and rode forward.

Spurring my horse beside Mr. Hunter, I handed him my revolver. The matter being one of life and death to him, he paid no attention to me, but clutched my pistol. His opponent, who had now come very near, fired a shot at him and missed him. Hunter returned it with no better effect. Then the two pistols exploded at once. Hunter's opponent fell off his horse in the road and died in a few minutes. Hunter's left arm was shattered.

For a few moments the conditions were singular. A man lay dead in the road. His slayer contemplated him momentarily then turned and looked at me.

"Well, sub," he said, "I suppose I am indebted to you for my life."

"I am pleased to have saved it for your family," I replied.

He turned again to his enemy.

"Who was he?" I asked.

"A nigger trader, sub."

When we parted Mr. Hunter asked me to call upon him during the evening. I met my love on the veranda, and she jumped for me, throwing her arms around my neck. I found her father within, his arm in a sling.

"I presume, sub," he said, "that if you hadn't handed me that weapon I

JOE BAKER ILL.

Former City Attorney in Precarious Condition Following Attack.

Taken suddenly ill yesterday afternoon, J. F. Baker, former city attorney is in a very precarious condition. He was operated upon this morning and found to be woefully far along under the ravages of a stomach ailment. His health has not been of the best for some time but the crisis came yesterday when he suddenly collapsed and was hurried to the hospital. His recovery is problematical.

Friday Speech Cancelled.

A. S. Geddes has received a telegram cancelling the appointment of Albert J. Loeb of San Francisco who was to speak here Friday night in the interests of Roosevelt and Johnson and the Progressive cause. Mr. Loeb was on his way east on a speaking tour which covers several states, and owing to delay of trains, he cannot make La Grande Friday, and as it would interfere with his itinerary to change his date it was thought best to cancel the appointment here.

should not be here to forbid your marriage with my daughter. Therefore I'm conside'ed out of the game." "No, sir," I responded, "I will marry no man's daughter without his consent."

He reached out his hand, grasped mine and said, with the same formality, with no show of emotion: "You have it, sub."

Mary Twain's Profanity.

William Dean Howells read the "Tom Sawyer" manuscript and thought it the best story he had ever read. Clemens consulted him regarding the use of a certain vigorous expletive. Howells advised that it be cut out. Clemens wrote back:

Mrs. Clemens received the mail this morning, and the next minute she lit into the story with danger in her eyes and this demand on her tongue: "Where is the profanity Mr. Howells speaks of?" Then I had to miserably confess that I had left it out when reading the MS. to her. Nothing but almost inspired lying got me out of this scrape with my scarp. Does your wife give you rats like that when you go a little one sided?—Harper's.

Odorless.

"Now, children," said the teacher, "who can tell me what the word 'odorless' means?"

Willie Jones was sure he knew. "Well, Willie, what does it mean?" "Odorless means without a scent," he piped.

"Right. Now who can give a sentence using the word correctly?" continued the teacher. "You may answer, Jimmie."

"Please, ma'am, when you are odorless you cannot ride in the trolley cars."—Youth's Companion

DEBATE TOPICS ARE ASSIGNED

GRADUATED INCOME TAX FOR EASTERN OREGON.

Various Divisions of the State Have Individual Theme Assigned.

Questions to be debated by the various sections of the Oregon High Debating league have been announced from Eugene. The graduated income tax question has been assigned the teams of Eastern Oregon which embraces La Grande's high school. The subjects for the entire state are:

Columbia River District—Resolved, That the president of the United States should be nominated and elected by direct vote of the people.

Coos Bay District—Resolved, That immigration to the United States should be further restricted by an educational test.

Eastern Oregon District—Resolved, That a graduated income tax is a desirable feature of a state system of taxation for Oregon.

Central Oregon District—Resolved, That the state of Oregon should adopt a compulsory state insurance law for the compensation of employees injured in hazardous industries.

State Question—Resolved, That the United States should maintain a large navy.

ANOTHER FARM SOLD.

J. E. Calhoun Who Recently Sold Near City Buys Summerville Ranch.

J. E. Calhoun this week through the George H. Curry Real Estate agency purchased the Valentine Milkisch 160-acre farm, possibly better known as the Bryant place, two miles west of Summerville. The consideration was \$10,000. Mr. Calhoun brought the Milkisch family to La Grande this afternoon and they expect to leave on tonight's train for Maryland, where they have relatives.

McKennon Buys Farm.

J. D. McKennon, one of our solid business men, does not permit any such visionary ghosts, such as a presidential election, interfere with sound business, and this week purchased the Miller farm situated four miles north of the city in Mt. Glenn. There is quite an orchard on this tract and Mr. McKennon will harvest the crop.

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