

## "Young Man, Get Land."

"Get hold of a piece of land as soon as you possibly can. The land owners are the Princes of the earth."---Dr. James Withycombe.

All Oregonians know James Withycombe to be an authority on agriculture, a student of economics, and a keen philosopher. His judgment is based on his knowledge of present conditions and his foresight of the future. "Young Man, Get Land."

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TOWN LOTS	DAIRY FARM.	FURNISHED HOME.
Located near high school on M avenue, 48x110, \$200.00 on easy payments. I believe these are the cheapest lots on the market today.	320 acres improved, near North Powder, \$3,200.00. Only \$650 cash required, long time on balance. Fifteen or more milch cows can be bought reasonable.	House of 4 rooms, very well furnished, for \$1100. Only \$200 cash, balance \$20 per month, including interest.

Acquaint us with your wants. We will be pleased to satisfy them.

## Geo. H. CURREY

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La Grande, Oregon

## MORE RANGERS SOUGHT FOR

The United States civil service commission announces an examination for assistant forest ranger on October 21 and 22. In field district No. 6 of the forest service the examination will be held in Oregon, at Baker, Albany, Bend, Eugene, Grants Pass, Heppner, John Day, Lakeview, Medford, Portland, Prineville, Roseburg, Sumpter and Walla; in Washington at Bellingham, Chelan, Leavenworth, Okanogan, Olympia, Republic, Seattle, Tacoma and Walla Walla; and in Alaska at Cordova and Ketchikan.

Candidates must be able-bodied men between the ages of 21 and 40, capable of enduring all the hardships of outdoor life. A medical certificate to this effect is required. The examination consists of two parts, a field test and the answering of practical questions. The latter relate to land surveying, timber estimating, lumbering, land laws, mining and the livestock business. Practical experience and general intelligence, as shown by ability to write with reasonable clearness of expression, are the main requirements. Applicants must be residents of the state in which they seek employment, and should be familiar with local industrial conditions and topography.

From the list of successful candidates, the government selects new men for the forest service, who are appointed as assistant forest rangers at \$1100 per annum. They are eligible to promotion later to higher grades, including vacancies in the position of deputy supervisor and supervisor.

These field men—rangers and assistant rangers—transact the business of the national forests under the direction of the supervisors. They conduct the government's grazing business, handle small timber sales, build roads, trails, telephone lines, and cable, fight forest fires and estimate timber.

When necessary the ranger must own and maintain his own saddle and pack animals. Rangers permanently assigned to a forest are provided with headquarters consisting of cabins, barns, and sheds with some agricultural land to grow food for their families and domestic animals.

The government in announcing the present examination calls attention to the fact that appointment in the forest service does not guarantee a year-long employment, since it is necessary to furlough a number of rangers during the winter months when their services are not needed on the forests. Preference is given, however, to furlough employees whose services are satisfactory in recruiting the force at the beginning of a field season.

Applicants can secure information concerning the examination from the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C., or from forest supervisors at the places named.

#### EXCURSION HOURS SET.

Enterprise Train of La Grande Boosters Leaves at 8 o'clock. Eight o'clock in the morning, sharp, is the hour set for the departure of the Union county fair special to Enterprise next week. It will make all possible haste en route but will stop at all Union county towns on the way and citizens of such towns have been invited to join with the La Grande excursion. It is certain that a large delegation will go from here and very probably all the other Union county towns will send delegations as well. Enterprise is making arrangements for entertaining the La Grande visitors and will extend the glad hand of welcome on every corner. Returning the train leaves at 6 p. m.

#### Pioneer Celebration at Walla Walla.

Walla Walla, Wash., Sept. 25.—Scenes that were really wild and woolly, and of western character were re-enacted here today when "Frontier Day" celebration began. Indian war dances, spectacular "battles" between Indians and plainsmen, attacks on immigrant caravans and "prairie schooner" fleets by redskins, wild horse riding and racing and other feats of horsemanship better than any circus ever showed, were some of the numbers on a program witnessed by many thousands from Washington and contiguous states. Broncho busting, steer roping, "bulldozing the steer" and dozens of events in which cow-boys will participate also were on the program. Cash prizes and valuable trophies are offered in every event. A notable feature of the celebration will be a reproduction of the massacre by Indians in 1847, of Dr. Marcus Whitman, famous pioneer Congregational missionary, and eleven of his followers. Three hundred full-blooded Nez Perce Indians encamped on the grounds will "commit the 1913 massacre." Another feature will be a three hour battle in the most primitive portion of this section between two bands of Indians in aborigine regalia.

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished cottages inquire, 1208 Spring st. 9-25 5 t. p.

## QUIT KICKING—

If you don't like what you've got, trade it. Some one else, probably, can use it and may also have something that you are in need of. An Observer classified ad. will make the deal for you. Try it.

FOR SALE—New 4-room modern cottage, 4 blocks from business center, small lot, a good bargain, some terms. Edw. W. Kammerer, 2004 Adams ave. 6-29 tf

PIANO TUNING. Cases mended and French polished action regulated or rebuilt. All work guaranteed. Player pianos a specialty. Leave orders with RICHEY'S PIANO HOUSE or Phone, Red 712. C. M. Henderson, tuner. Adv. 7-29 tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for teachers and students. Facilities for cooking if desired. Call Red 1311. 9-4 tf.

FOR RENT—Large bed sitting room and two bed rooms, with bath, 1512 Adams. Phone Black 1731. 9-13 tf

FOR SALE—Am going away and must sell furniture for five room house. Also lot 55x110 ft. on "N" ave., between Cedar and Oak streets. Easy terms on lots if desired. F. A. Gilman, 801 Main. 9-18 tf.

FOR RENT—Five room unfurnished, modern cottage on X avenue, \$15 a month. Or will sell on easy terms. Call at Golden Rule Co. 9-18 tf.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, inquire at Hill's Drug store. 9-17 tf.

FOR SALE—Team, harness and wagon, cheap. Phone Black 3851. 9-22 tf.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Call 801 Pennsylvania ave. 9-23 5t p.

FOR SALE—A revolving bookcase and books, 1610 6th st. 9-23 tf.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms. Phone Main 705. 9-23 tf.

FOR RENT—1 furnished room, suitable for 2 gentlemen, 1934 2nd st. 9-4 43t.

FOR RENT—Small house. One block from north side school house. Phone Red 192. 9-24 tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, suitable for parties without children. Phone Black 771. 9-24 tf.

FOR RENT—Electric Vacuum Cleaner, 1610 7th st. 9-23 1m.

I WANT TO LEASE a modern, furnished house for the winter or longer. W. R. Kivette, Phone Main 88. 9-16 tf.

WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework. Phone Main 715 or call 902 Pennsylvania. 9-23 6t.

WANTED—A school girl to work for her board while attending school. Good place, easy work. Call Main 57, 804 O street. 9-23 tf.

WANTED—Girl for cook and general housework. Phone Main 71 or call 1808 4th st., Mrs. August Stang. 9-9 tf.

WANTED—Three rooms or small house furnished, close to Palmer mill. Phone Red 3492. 2003 N. Fir. Adv. 8-22 tf.

WANTED—A man to keep books and attend to Scales. Apply to J. L. Mars. 9-22 tf.

WANTED—Horses and cattle to pasture. Call Farmers 158. 9-10 tf.

WANTED—A few roomers and boarders at private house, four blocks from Palmer mill. Call Black 291. 9-18 tf.

FARM FOR RENT—1400 acres, 700 acres in summer fallow, good stock and farm implements; fair improvements. Hill & Hibbard, La Grande National bank building. 9-19 tf.

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Is it worth while to endanger your health and eyesight, to put up with the danger, discomfort and inconvenience for the few cents you think you save?

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Four good cars available day and all night for city and country driving, and to surrounding towns, charges reasonable.

Experienced, licensed chauffeurs always on job.

Call Sommer House or Foley Hotel.

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The only exclusive Bike and Motorcycle repair shop in the city. We guarantee our work. We carry a complete stock of supplies. Next door to Smith's garage.

C. L. LITTLE, Manager.

#### AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at the St. Louis stables in La Grande on Saturday, September 27, beginning at 1 o'clock sharp. The terms of sale. All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount credit of six months on notes of approved security drawing 8 per cent interest from date.

CORA MILLS, Prop.

## Send for the Folks

While the Fares are Low: September 25th to October 10th. Low westbound Colonist Fares will be in effect via:



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ORDERS

From Principal cities in the East to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and Northwest Pacific Coast Points.

Boston .....	\$55.15	New York .....	\$55.00
Buffalo .....	47.50	New Orleans .....	46.55
Chicago .....	38.00	Oklahoma .....	35.25
Cincinnati .....	42.85	Philadelphia .....	54.75
Detroit .....	43.50	Pittsburg .....	47.00
Louisville .....	42.85	St. Louis .....	37.00
Memphis .....	42.50	Washington .....	54.75

\$30.00 from Denver, Colorado Springs, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Joseph, St. Paul.

Equally low fares from many other Eastern points. Upon deposit of amount of ticket with any agent of the O.W. R. & N. ticket will be furnished at any address in the East. For full particulars call or write.

Agent O-W. R. & N.

The argument against the charter is not solid. Financial conditions could be no worse under the new charter than they have become under years of aldermanic form, so why not try it? There is positive assurance of relief and no chance to make matters worse than they are now.

A vote for the proposed charter is a vote for a business epoch in La Grande's municipal affairs.

## PARISIAN SAGE FOR THE HAIR

If your hair is too dry—brittle—colorless—thin—stringy—or falling out—use Parisian Sage—now—at once. It stops itching scalp, cleanses the hair of dust and excessive oils, removes dandruff with one application, and makes the hair doubly beautiful—soft—fluffy—abundant. Try a 50c. bottle to-day. It will not only save your hair and make it grow, but give it the beauty you desire. NEWLIN DRUG CO.