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DECEMBER 8 to 13, 1913
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Teacher's Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Union County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for state certificates at the Central school La Grande, Oregon, as follows:—
Commencing Wednesday, December 17, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 20, 1913, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday forenoon—Writing U. S. History, Physiology.

Wednesday afternoon—Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon—Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

Thursday afternoon—Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificates.

Friday forenoon—Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature, Chemistry.

Friday afternoon—School Law, Geometry, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday forenoon—Geometry, Botany.

Saturday afternoon—General History, Bookkeeping.
Yours truly,
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O. A. C. HAS REMARKABLE RECORD IN SCHOOL LIFE

Dr. James Withcombe of Corvallis, spent Sunday in Union where he visited his son Robert who is at the head of the Union experiment station. Before leaving La Grande the doctor had some flattering things to say about the agricultural school. He states that at the present time there are nearly 600 students at the school and that for the year the enrollment will be in excess of 3000. He also states that there is not a school in all the United States that is ahead of the Oregon institution either in attendance or in effective work. He recently spent some time in the east visiting all of the leading schools and declares that none of them have any better facilities or a better course. Speaking comparatively he asserts

that the attendance at the Oregon school is greater than in any school of the county, and predicts that in the near future it will have an attendance greater than one thousand of degree students. He is heart and soul in the work of this famous institution and it is through his efforts that many of the recent changes and additions have been made to make it second to none in the United States, not even Wisconsin.

He attended the butter and cheese makers' convention Friday and made a plea for quality, which made a decided impression on the assembled butter men.

Croup and Cough Remedy. Croup is a terrible disease, it at-

tacks children so suddenly they are very apt to choke unless given the proper remedy at once. There is nothing better in the world than Dr. King's New Discovery. Lewis Chamberlain, of Manchester, Ohio, writes about his children: "Sometimes in severe attacks we were afraid they would die, but since we proved what a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup, coughs and colds." So can you. 50c and \$1.00. A bottle should be in every home. At all druggists. H. E. Bucklin & Co., Phila. St. Louis.

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WILD PIGS OF BRAZIL.

Fate of a Jaguar That Fell Into Their Merciless Clutches.

The wild pigs of Central and South America have a reputation for ferocity and indomitable pluck and are exceedingly dangerous enemies to meet. Mr. J. Bliz-Wither, in "Pioneering in South Brazil," tells this story of an explorer's experience of them. Elliott, the explorer, and a Brazilian companion named Lopez were tramping in the forest between two Brazilian rivers.

"Suddenly they heard, close at hand, a tremendous uproar of grunting and squeaking.

"Pigs!" exclaimed Elliott. "Roast pork for supper!"

"Come on!" was the only comment of Lopez, and he led the way in the bright moonlight toward a little open space among the pines.

"In a few minutes they came to the edge of the clearing, and there they saw, not one pig, but a drove of fifty or sixty, all furious with rage and vainly endeavoring to get at a jaguar that was sitting in fear and trembling on the top of an ant hill, about five feet above the ground.

"Don't fire," said Elliott. "Let's wait a minute. We haven't got too much ammunition, and we can't afford to waste any."

"The jaguar, with his tail well up in the air, out of reach of the foe, was tottering about on the top of the ant hill, with his four feet close together and turning first in one direction and then in another to meet successive attacks.

"Just then the jaguar let his tail drop. In a second the pigs had laid hold of the appendage and had pulled the beast into the midst of them. A terrible battle ensued. From time to time the massive yellow body of the jaguar would rise above the rolling herd of pigs, and his paws could be seen dealing out deadly blows on every side. Then he would sink again and be buried under the bodies of his raging foes. After awhile the noise began to subside.

"Where's the jaguar?" asked Elliott. "I can't see him anywhere."

"Nor I either," added Lopez.

"One by one the excited pigs moved off. When they had all departed the two men descended into the arena. There were fourteen pigs lying dead or dying on the ground, but there was no jaguar. Presently Lopez stooped down, picked up a fragment of something yellow and, holding it up, remarked:

"Here he is!"

"He had found a bit of the jaguar's skin, almost the only fragment of his body left. He had been torn to pieces and devoured by his vicious foes, and nothing was left of him except a few scraps of skin and hair."

Inflated Theatrical Values.

"The 'show business' proper—namely, the business of securing and producing plays for the entertainment of the theater going public—is a business of false and inflated values," writes a prominent theatrical manager in the American Magazine. "Reputations, receipts, salaries, expenditures, costs of production, losses on failure and so on through the list—everything is inflated.

"The \$100,000 production probably cost \$60,000, out of which, in case of failure, there was a salvage of \$10,000. The \$50,000 production can easily be duplicated for \$30,000, and many a dramatic production has been made for from \$4,000 to \$8,000 that in the published figures represented an outlay of \$25,000 before the curtain rose."

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Hughes & Spencer, consisting of B. W. Hughes and E. E. Spencer, has this day become dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in the name of B. W. Hughes, who will assume all liabilities of the firm of Hughes & Spencer, and will collect all accounts due to said firm.

Dated at La Grande, Dec. 5, 1913.
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