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Tomato plants now ready at the greenhouse.—La Grande Seed and Floral Co.—Adv. 5-21-tf.

School Savings \$2000.
An excellent record has been made by the pupils of the La Grande public schools in their savings contest during the last semester. Dating from February the total amount deposited in the savings banks by these pupils amounts to \$2000. The following prizes have been awarded by the La Grande banks for the room making the largest savings and the individuals. Miss Rea Morrison's room, the seventh grade, in the Riviera building receives a \$5 prize from the U. S. National bank for the largest savings in that building. In the Green-

wood building Miss Lelia Bloom's room the second grade wins the \$5 prize offered by the La Grande National bank for having the greatest amount of savings. Miss Maude Leadworth's room, the 5th, in the Central Building receives the award of \$5 for the greatest savings from the La Grande National bank. Mrs. Ruth Jackson's room, the 8th grade, receives the \$5 prize for the greatest savings in the entire school system. In the high school the award of \$5 goes to Miss MacMillan's room, the junior class. For the largest individual savings in the La Grande National bank, the award was given to Sheldon Brown. The award was a \$5 prize. The highest in the U. S. National bank, the award of \$5 which was given to Fred Kivette. This savings plan has proved to be a success, as shown by the good results described above.

Piano Tuner.
I will be at the Foley hotel this week.—SIDNEY LYLE.—Adv. 5-26-tf.

The Eastman kodak and the Ansco camera are the very best and cost no more than some of the others sold. Please do not forget that these are sold by Silverthorn's Family Drug Store.—Adv. 5-26-tf.

Quick service, small cost—Furniture, upholstering, repairing, packing and shipping, mattress rebuilding, carpet and wall cleaning. All work called for and delivered. Phone Black 3171; Farmers Black 191.—La Grande Furniture and Glass Company, opposite Harris Grocery, successors to Lee Bellinger, Houghton Bros.

Watch for Mr. Skiles.
The Red Cross membership committee of La Grande will do well to be on the lookout for Mr. Skiles, the generous traveling man who joins a Red Cross auxiliary in every town he visits. He says, "The Red Cross is the biggest thing in the world."

J. L. MARS—Dealer in real estate. Ready for Business, 1426 S. Ave. 5-10-tf

All motorcycle and bicycle accessories at cost. Now is the time to buy. Leighton Garage. 2-17-tf

How One Helped the Red Cross.
The genial conductor on the Joseph branch is an enthusiastic "booster" for the Red Cross. He has secured memberships from all of his crew and nearly all of the station agents and their wives on his route. The following are the new members handed in by Mr. Grady: Samuel L. Neil, W. P. Bradshaw, R. A. Cook, C. W. Chandler, P. J. Theison, La Grande; R. L. Price, W. P. Trumbull, Mrs. Grace Trumbull, Joseph; A. L. Rice, Mrs. A. L. Rice, Enterprise. Get the Grady spirit.

Soda water drinks; just the kind you like, so much at Silverthorn's.—Adv. 5-7-tf

Dance at Zuber Hall every Wednesday and Saturday nights. 5-18-tf

Hemstitching, 10 cents per yard. First-class work. Elite Hemstitching Shop, Sommer Bldg., Baker, Ore.—Adv. 5-18-tf.

Appointed to West Point.
Ellis P. Williamson, son of J. T. Williamson, of this city, has received orders from the department of war to report at West Point Military Academy June 14th for training. He will leave on the 6th of June. He was one of those who took the military examinations last winter.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership of Johnson & Riesland, doing business at 1515 Adams avenue, La Grande, Oregon, is dissolved of this date. All outstanding accounts due to said firm, are payable to E. G. Riesland, and all bills against said firm, will be paid by E. G. Riesland. E. G. Riesland will continue said business at the same address, under the name of Auto Electric Service Co.
E. T. JOHNSON,
E. G. RIESLAND.

—Adv. 5-19-10t.

Big reduction on suits at Jones & Rabone.—Adv. 5-23-tf

Sunday chicken dinner and strawberry shortcake, 35c. Home Restaurant. 5-26-1t

Miss Kirtley Resigns.
At the Honor Guard meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday Miss Naomi Kirtley resigned the leadership of the local Guard on account of her departure Tuesday evening for Portland and Corvallis.

During her stay in Portland Miss Kirtley will visit the state convention to be held in that city June 14th. From there Miss Kirtley will go to Corvallis where she will attend the summer session of school. To Miss Kirtley goes the credit of being a successful worker with the Honor Guard girls and the success of the local Guard is through her efforts. She is leaving an able successor in her place, Miss Nora Arbuckle, former assistant leader. Dr. Richardson, who was scheduled to lecture last evening was unable to do so. It was the decision of the girls last evening to aid the Red Cross by selling tags for them on June the 5th during the program given in observance of registration day. On Monday evening a farewell reception will be tendered Miss Kirtley at the Y. M. C. A. Miss Blanche Black was elected chairman of a committee of five to take charge of the reception.

When you are wanting the articles generally carried in a drug store you will naturally go to the drug store that has a large and well selected line of goods of all kinds as well as books, stationery, cameras, kodaks, films and all kodak and camera supplies. If you need any kind of medicine or a prescription quickly and accurately by well qualified people you will naturally go to Silverthorn's Family Drug Store where you will always be treated well and receive the value for your money.—Adv. 5-26-tf.

Money to Loan.
On improved city property on easy monthly payments. Apply J. R. Oliver.—Adv. 4-7 1m.

Mrs. Brownton Honored.
Mrs. H. S. Brownton, of this city, was elected corresponding state secretary at the closing session of the state P. E. O. Sisterhood held at Portland Thursday. After the election of officers there was an installation service. The program included some delightful features among them were piano solos by Miss Laura E. Grant of Salem; reports by all chapter presidents; paper, Mrs. H. S. Brownton, La Grande and original poem, Mrs. Emma L. Toozee, Oregon City.

Prompt attention and quick work and good work is bringing the kodak and camera business as well as developing and printing of films to Silverthorn's Family Drug Store.—Adv. 5-26-tf.

Surveying.
Surveying and general engineering at reasonable rate. R. R. NEAL, Office of City Engineer in City Hall.—Adv. Mon.-Sat.

Drink at our cooling fountain once and you will drink from it many times again. One trial of our ice cream will make you our daily customer.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 5-24-tf.

The Livestock Market.

Portland, May 28.—(Special)—Saturday's livestock market:

Cattle.
There has been a large run of cattle here during the week which were not of very good quality. There were no strictly fat beef included and the market had a very weak tone registering losses of 50c to \$1.00 during the week. The bulk of the killers were cows and heifers which sold from \$8.00 to \$8.90, while best steers brought around \$10.00. Large killers who were all well supplied did not buy heavily but outside butcher demand and country feeder demand helped the market considerably. About 25 loads of stockers were brought here during the week which went to Eastern Oregon and Montana. The market is offering the cattlemen an excellent opportunity in the way of getting their supplies and is rapidly being recognized as a logical stocker and feeder market.

Current Quotations.
Best beef steers \$10.00@10.25
Good beef steers 9.50@10.00
Best beef cows 8.50@ 9.00
Ordinary to good 7.50@ 8.25
Best heifers 9.00@ 9.50
Bulls 5.00@ 7.75
Calves 7.00@ 9.50
Stockers and feeders 7.00@ 9.50

Hogs.
After an advance of 10c to 15c at the first of the week the market weakened and closed steady with a week ago. Best heavy hogs are quoted from \$15.75 to \$16.00 with prime light hogs from \$15.65 to \$15.90; pigs sold from \$13.00 to \$13.50.

Sheep.
Sheep receipts have been of fair volume with a much improved demand at steady to 25 cents higher values. Shorn weathers sold from \$10.50 to \$11.00 while old shorn ewes brought from \$8.00 to \$10.00. A few yearlings sold from \$10.50 to \$11.50.

Worms Handicap Your Child.
Worms drain the strength and vitality of children, making them dull and listless. Their power to resist more serious diseases is reduced and energy and interest in play is lacking. Kickapoo Worm Killer is a mildly laxative remedy in candy tablet form that children like to take. It kills and removes the worms and lets your child grow strong and healthy like other children. Don't let your child be dragged down by worms. Full directions on the box. At your druggists, 25c.—Adv.

Spy Hunt Now On

Washington, May 28.—(United Press)—The greatest spy hunt since the Civil War is on today. Every investigating agent of government is engaged in ferretting out the person who "tipped" to Germany the news that the American torpedo destroyers left for Europe in time for submarines to mine the port before their arrival.

Meals for Wellesley College girls are cooked on electric ranges. Electrically heated gasoline vaporizers are used for starting automobiles in cold weather.

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