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Realty Transfers

\$300 deed Heirs of Henry H. Elmer, deceased, to J. M. Garn. Commencing at NW cor of NE 1-4 NE 1-4 Sec 32 1n 38; thence E 36 rods; thence S 80 rods; thence W 36 rods; thence N 80 rods to beginning, 18 acres.

said block; thence S 55 feet in N side of alley; thence E 60 feet to center of S end of lot 5 in said block; thence N through center of said lot 5, 170 feet; thence W 135 feet to beginning.

\$5000 deed Amalgamated Sugar Co. to Hill & Coolidge. E 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec. 11 3s 38 except parcel commencing at center of said Sec 11; thence S 30 1-2 rods; W 18 1-2 rods; N 30 1-2 rods; E 18 1-2 rods to beginning.

\$12,500 deed Amalgamated Sugar Co. to Hill & Coolidge. E 1-2 SE 1-4 Sec 10 and W 1-2 SW 1-4 Sec 11 3s 38.

\$1 deed Pearl P. & A. O. Huntley to Tom W. & Edna P. Conklin. N 1-2 NW 1-4 NW 1-4 NE 1-4 of Sec 15; E 1-2 SW 1-4 SE 1-4 Sec 10 3s 40; NW 1-4 NE 1-4 and part of E 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec 34 3s 40, lying east of center of public road leading south from Cove to High Valley.

\$1 deed J. F. Temple Sr., to Maud Tucker. Lot 12 in Riverside Orchard tract.

\$1 deed M. A. & W. S. Daugherty to F. E. Potter. SE 1-4 Sec 32 2n 39.

\$350 deed Joseph Ainsworth to Roy Vernon Ainsworth. Commencing 40 rods South and 45 rods 9 feet from NW cor of Sec 4 3s 38; thence E 77 feet; thence S 599 feet; thence W 77 feet; thence N 534 feet to beginning.

\$300 deed Joseph Ainsworth to Ruby Dyal. Commencing 40 rods South and 20 rods east of NW cor of Sec 4 3s 38; thence E 91 feet; thence S 534 feet; thence W 91 feet; thence N 430 feet to beginning.

\$3000 deed Colin Mackenzie to J. W. Chandler. Lot 8, block 7 Grandy add La Grande.

\$1500 deed Emma C. Rocheford to Mary M. Anderson. Block 34, Swackhamer's 2nd add to Union.

\$6675 deed Ray J. Hug and wife to Lincoln Wood and wf. E 1-2 NW 1-4 W 1-2 NE 1-4 & NE 1-4 NE 1-4 30 2n 40.

\$1 deed R. M. Brooks to Martha J. Cornelison. N 40 feet of lots 11, 13, 12 and 14 in block 7, Imbler.

\$1 deed E. W. P. Allen and wife to La Grande Investment Co. W 20 1-2 feet off the west side of lot 2 in block 4, Coggan's add to La Grande.

\$8000 deed Hannah Webster (and W. M. her husband) to L. E. Standley and wife. N 1-2 NW 1-4 Sec 14 2s 38.

\$1 deed Samuel F. Andrew and wife to L. E. Miller and Lillie G. Daly. E 1-2 of lot 5 and all of lots 6 and 7 block 24 Predmore Add to La Grande.

Lease of mines. Turner Oliver, owner, to Paul Denhart. Leases Camp Carson mines on Upper Grande Ronde river in sections 4, 5, 9, 10, 15 16, 21, 22 and 28 in Tp 6s 36 and Sec 32 5s 36. With option to buy said mines. (This is a "notice" in connection with original lease recorded Apr. 5, 1917.)

\$30 deed La Grande Lodge No. 41,

SCHOOL ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON JUNE EIGHTEENTH

Two Directors Will Be Selected in La Grande District—Terms of J. E. Reynolds and L. P. Day Expire—Latter Not a Candidate—Mr. Chas. E. Henderson Announces Candidacy.

The annual school election which is to be held on Monday, the 18th of June, will cause all first class districts, such as La Grande, to elect two directors this year, instead of one as formerly. The term of directors in districts of the first class has always been five years, with five directors, but the last legislature amended the law making the term three years, as in all other classes of districts, but retaining five directors.

Mr. Day Retires.

Mr. J. E. Reynolds, the present chairman of the local school board, has served five years, and Mr. L. P. Day, residing at 1901 U avenue, has served four years, and therefore the terms of Mr. Reynolds and Mr. Day expire at this time. While no definite statement has been secured from Mr. Reynolds, it is generally regarded as certain that he will accept re-election. Mr. Day, however, has stated he would not be a candidate and today he reiterated his declination, although stating his pleasure in working with his fellow directors during his service of five years, one by appointment and four by election. Mr. Day has been the only representative on the board of the large and populous section of the district surrounding the Greenwood and Rivera schools.

Chas. E. Henderson Announces.

Mr. Chas. E. Henderson, a carpenter residing at 1801 V avenue, was today presented with a petition of his neighbors and fellow-residents of the same section of the district as now represented by Mr. Day, asking him to become a candidate for the place made vacant by the retirement of the latter, and has consented. Mr. Henderson stated he had been in no sense a candidate but has yielded to the representations of his neighbors and will appreciate the support of all having confidence in him and wishing to grant to each portion of the district representation upon this important board. His only platform, he states, is that he desires an economical and businesslike policy pursued in the handling of the business of the district, and the usefulness of the schools extended as far as can be economically done. "I wish to add that in becoming a candidate I have not done so with any desire or intention, if elected, to reward any friends or punish any enemies. As far as I know, conditions are in good running order and I shall approach changes or departures with caution."

Cove News Notes

Mrs. Hugh McCall Elected President Woman's Civic Improvement Club—Miss Lorraine McNeill's Sister Ill—Graduating Exercises Held—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Conley Have Baby Girl.

Cove, Ore., May 29.—(Special)—The Woman's Civic Improvement club met at the Library building Thursday, May 24th, and elected the following officers: Mrs. Hugh McCall, president; Mrs. E. M. Sweet, vice president; Mrs. Albert Conklin, secretary; Mrs. George McDaniel, treasurer; Mrs. E. M. Sweet, Mrs. Jabe Conley and Mrs. E. W. Pease, executive committee. Much important business was transacted, part of which was the arrangements for purchasing the lot on which the Library building now stands.

Miss Cunningham, of Baker, is visiting her sister Mrs. R. J. Allen. Miss Lorraine McNeill went to Hog Valley last Wednesday to take care of her sister Mrs. Ray Comstock who is ill.

John Johnson, who has been very ill with pneumonia is very much improved.

Mrs. A. C. McCown returned from Portland last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Archer Conley, May 23rd, a 7 1-2 lb. girl.

The graduating exercises held at Maccabee hall Thursday evening were attended and the following program well rendered: Invocation—Rev. C. C. Pratt, Flower Drill—Third, Fourth and Fifth Grades. "Clang of the Forge" (Rodney)—Double Quartet. Address to Class, "The Knight of the Fireside"—Rev. G. L. Clark. "Voices of the Woods" (Rubenstein)—Glee Club. Presentation of Diplomas—A. A. Antles. "O Lovely Night" (Offenbach)—Double Quartet. Benediction—Rev. E. O. Otto.

Following are the names of the High School graduates: Dorothy Bloom, Miskel Bloom, Fay Pratt, Annis Shores, Eunice Ramsdell, Ella Sutherland, George Williams, Thomas Williams, Hazel Freedy, Thomas Conklin, James Harris, Hedy Rease, Leslie Peck.

Those passing the eighth grade state examination which were given on the 17th and 18th of May and received their diplomas are as follows: Arthur Peck, Edna DeBorde, Ashby Pixton, Truman Pease, Myrtle Houx,

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Two or three others will have one or two subjects to write on in June before receiving their diplomas. Only one failed entirely.

Mr. Prillman has been very ill for the past week.

The Rev. and Mrs. Otto and daughter are spending a few days this week in North Powder.

Eugene Robinson, of Imbler, has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoatsen the past week.

Miss Iva and John Williams, of La Grande spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams.

Mrs. Audrey Cummins, of Elgin, is visiting at the home of Louis Bloom. The Rev. W. A. Winters, of La Grande, was the guest of the Rev. C. C. Pratt from Saturday until Monday, and preached the Sunday evening sermon at the Methodist church.

Union Memorial services were held at the Baptist church Sunday morning. The church was well filled to its utmost capacity. The Rev. E. O. Otto delivered the sermon and members of the different choirs rendered the music.

Mrs. Cullen Davis, of La Grande, is in Cove visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Davis came over to spend Decoration day. They will return to their home Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Baxter, who has been in the hospital at La Grande for the past few weeks, suffered a relapse at

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satisfaction.—Levy-Vogel Drug Co.—Adv. 5-24-tf.

Many people were shot in the Camera Raid last Sunday. Everyone was out with his machine and many good pictures have been added to the album. Get into the picture game with an Eastman or an Ansco kodak. A complete line of both Eastman and Ansco machines and supplies at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store.—Adv. 5-31-tf.

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Miss Black to Salt Lake.

Miss Blanche Black departed today for Salt Lake City where she will compete for the honors in the oratorical contest held in that city. Miss Black represents the Union Stake of the L. D. S. church, winning this trip through a recent contest in which she was victorious over the Boise representative. Friday forenoon she will enter the preliminaries speaking up on the subject, "Fellowship." For the winner of this final contest a beautiful medal will be awarded and in connection with the medal a penant is awarded to the winning stake represented. A number of local friends will accompany Miss Black upon her journey. Among them are Mrs. Geo. Lyman, Mrs. Geo. Stoddard and Miss Jeannette, John Schofield, and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Andrews.

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A sad awakening is in store for the hundreds of young men who have taken unto themselves wives in order to escape being drafted into the army under the proposed selective conscription plan. Following is an announcement issued at the war department: The war department announces that all men married since the outbreak of the war will be treated upon the same basis as unmarried men in so far as their military obligations are concerned. It is desired that utmost publicity be given by the press to this announcement.

TO AID FOOD PRODUCTION WITH \$200,000,000 LOAN

Problem of Feeding Soldiers and Civilians During War Taken Up.

Food for the nation's soldiers and for those "left behind" as well took a coordinate prominence with finance among the government's first steps to win the war.

"This war will be won on food," declared Herbert Quick. As Quick was making his statement Secretary of Agriculture Houston was disseminating through all news agencies an appeal to housewives dealing with conservation of all foodstuffs and elimination of waste in the households.

In the meantime talk of government supervision of food distribution continued in governmental circles and among members of the Council of National Defense.

There was evidence that appointment of a food dictator similar to those named in some of the European belligerent countries will be fought. Some government heads said there should be no such step until intensive farming and home gardening projects, such as described by Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, have been given full test.

"Mobilization of the country's agricultural forces," said Quick, member of the federal farm loan board, "is as important as raising an army. The board is directly behind the movement, with all its hundreds of millions of resources.

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Registration No Bar to Enlistment. The following telegram has been received by the local recruiting office:

Army Recruiting Officer, La Grande.—Registration is no bar to enlistment. Men drafted for the army cannot be accepted for enlistment. Men of registration age accepted for enlistment prior to June 5th, but not actually enlisted before that date must register. Notify all concerned and take action accordingly.—M'CAIN, Adjutant General.

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