Sicum

A most conceited sort of jay
Is Alexander McPlum:
He'll never listen to what you say
Unless you talk about him.

The girl had been thrown from the horse, and, when she returned home the condition of her clothes showed much amiss. Infact, showed very much a miss.

We heard the other day of an absent-minded doctor who, on returning home and seeing his sign, "Hack At 1 A. M." sat down on the front steps and waited for himself.

Easy way to remember people's names and faces; pretend to yourself that they all owe you money.

The man who says he likes a little circus better than a big circus is just trying to be unique.

A La Grande man and his son have all the same affinity.

Anatomy In All Things.

Black hand,
Mailed fist
Iron heel
Cold feet
Weak knee,
Evil eye,
Bone head,
Red nose,
Cold shoulder
Rough neck,
Mistle-toe.

The truth for today. Most of us, if we are going to succeed at all, are going to succeed in small towns.

The monkey that made the cat pull hot chestnuts out of the ashes came into the office yesterday. He said, "I have something here I want you to put in the paper. But leave my name out."

If you would have others think well of you, do something to command their respect—earn, save and provide for future years.

Our daily calendar has this one today: "The more harmony you possess, the stronger you are." We'd like it better if it were shorter. Strike out "Har."

THE ADAMS APPLE MAY BE HANDPICKED, BUT IT IS NEVER POLISHED ON A MAN'S PANT'S LEG.

"What is the Aim of Women? asks a suffrage magazine. We would say that, recently, their aim has been very good.

Uncle Remus's Philosophy.

"When life turns kind o'murder hue,
And all de wor' an' drear,
Wif clouds so black Ah can't see froo
Dar comes a gleam ob cheer;
Ah doan know how it is, nor why,
An 'fraidhe' no, doan care,
But He who lifs up dar on high
Knows how much folks kin bear."

Market News

LA GRANDE, MARKETS, TODAY

Top Price Markets.

Ranch eggs, 45 cents dozen.
Eagle Valley tomatoes, 10c lb.; $1.15 box.
Cabbage, 3 to 5 cents, top quality.
Flour, straight $1.95, patent $2.05, Washington hard wheat, $2.25.
Watermelons, 3 cents pound.
Peaches, $1.25 per box.
Cantaloupes, 10 cents.
Lemons, 55 to 65 cents per dozen.
Oranges, medium 65 cents, large 80 cents.
Sweet potatoes, 10c per lb.
Florida grapefruit, 20 cents.
Fresh Spinach, 10 cents per pound.
Cucumbers, picking 35 cents per gallon.
Head lettuce, 15 cents, 2 for 25c.
Carrots 10 cents bunch.
Turnips, 10 cents per bunch.
Green peppers, 15 cents per lb.
Red peppers 25 cents per lb.
Lady Finger grapes, 25 cents per pound.
Tokay grapes, 20 cents per lb., $1.10 cents per basket.
Concord grapes, 15 cents per lb., 55 per basket.
Hubbard squash, 5 cents per lb.
Pumpkins, 5 cents per lb.
New potatoes, 3 cents per pound.
Raisins, 15 to 20 cents per pound.
Cane sugar, $11.05 per 100 lbs.
Tillamook cheese, 45 cents per pound.
Creamery butter, 60 cents 1 pound; $1.15 2 pounds.
Hens, 23 cents.
Beef loin and flat bone, 25 cents.
Pot roasts, 15 to 18 cents.
Beef boil, 8, 10 and 15 cents.
Lamb chops, 40 cents.
Shoulder lamb chops, 30 cents.
Round Steak, 25 cents per pound.
Leg of lamb, 40 cents.
Pork, whole shoulder, 16 cents.
Pork, shoulder roast, 20 cents.
Pork chops, 25 cents.
Steak, 20 to 25 cents.
Link sausage, 20 cents per lb.
Gasoline 22 cents.

Coal Prices.

Mine run and nut, $12 delivered.
Egg and stove, $12.75 delivered.
Lump, $13.25 delivered.

Classified Want Ads

THEATRES

Famous Play to Be Shown at Sherry's Today And Tomorrow; Excellent Cast

George Arliss in "Disraeli" is an announcement that will surely attract wide attention among lovers of photoplays.

This is the picture upon which this distinguished star of the legitimate stage has lavished so much of his personal care and attention, and those who retain memories of the great stage production of this play will expect some great things.

"Disraeli" was given its first stage presentation in 1911, and for nearly six years it ran continuously, in the big cities, and on tour. The drama was written by Louis N. Parker, and translated into a "scrip" for Director Henry Kolker by Forest Halsey.

Mr. Arliss achieved his greatest stage success with "Disraeli," and passed on from this character to another with the deepest regret. Mr. Parker wrote "Disraeli" especially for Mr. Arliss, and the latter dresses his character after photographs of the great English statesman.

In the company supporting Mr. Arliss in this exceptional production are: Mrs. George Arliss as "Lady Beaconsfield;" Louis Huff, as "Sarjeant;" Margaret Dale as "Mrs. Noel Travers;" Reginald Denny as "Charles Viscount Deerford;" E. J. Ratcliffe, as "Sir Michael Probert;" Frank Losee, as "Hugh Meyers;" Henry Carvill as "The Duke of Glastonbury;" Grace Griswold as "The Duchess of Glastonbury; Noel Tearle as "Foljambe." The critics have accorded this cast the distinction of alluding to it as "a star cast."

"Disraeli" is not an historical play in any sense. The author has given us a charming view of the life and times of Mr. Disraeli, but the story of the play is very fanciful, and designed to show something of the prejudice of English aristocracy against the distinguished Jew, who on two occasions was appointed by Queen Victoria to be her Prime Minister.

Also showing Larry Semon, comedy king, in "The Gown Shop."

"Penrod and Sam" By Booth Tarkington To Be Shown at Star, Starting Today

Booth Tarkington, internationally famous as a novelist and dramatist, has no equal as a writer of stories about the younger generation. And William Beaudine has won fame in motion picture circles as the greatest director of "kid" stories.

The creative genius of both is responsible for one of the most intriguing pictures which has ever reached the screen. It is "Penrod and Sam," a First National picture, which is now being shown at the Star Theatre, where it began its three-day engagement today. The picture has been acclaimed a classic of American boyhood.

Penrod Schofield, the youthful hero of Tarkington's stories, is without a doubt the best-known figure in present-day fiction. His popularity with the reading public is due to the fact that he has been drawn with rare fidelity by the author.

"Penrod and Sam" is filled with screamingly funny situations, due to the propensity of Penrod and his chum, Sam, to get into mischief of all kinds. But there are also touches of pathos which bring tears to the eyes and a clutch at the heart.

Benny Alexander plays Penrod, while the Sam of the duo is portrayed by Joe Butterworth. The two are accomplished actors and live, rather than act, their parts. The adult roles in the production are enacted by Gladys Brockwell, Clarkcliffe Fellows, William V. Mong, Gareth Hughes and Mary Philbin, among others.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that George C. Hopkins, executor of the last will and testament of Betsey Hutchinsah Hopkins, deceased, has filed his final account in the administration of said estate and the County Court of Union County, Oregon, has set Monday, the 5th day of November A. D., 1923, at Two O'clock P. M. at the County Court room in La Grande, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing said account and any objections thereto.

Dated and published this October 4th, 1923.

GEORGE C. HOPKINS,
Executor.

Oct.4-11-18-25-Nov.1

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MISCELLANEOUS

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LOST

LOST—Pointer bird dog. Reward. Phone 142-J. 10-9-tf

Cheese It.

Henry Garlic and D. E. Cheese are court officials at Bismarck, North Dakota. Wonder if Ben Zinc is judge.

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Notice of School Meeting and Hearing

School District No. 1, Union County, Oregon (La Grande District)

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that there will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of School District No. 1, Union County, Oregon, at the Auditorium of the Central School Building of said district on Fourth Street, in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, on the 13th day of October, 1923, at the hour of 2 o'clock, in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of discussing and adopting the budget hereinafter set out, with the Board as a levying Board, and that at said time and place, any person who shall be subject to the tax levy, for the period covered by such budget when the same shall be made, will be heard in favor of or against said tax levy, or any part thereof, and that an opportunity will then be allowed for a full and complete discussion of said budget and the estimate published and posted with said budget.

The total amount of money needed by the said school district during the fiscal year beginning on June 18, 1923, and ending June 30, 1924, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, elementary school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district:

BUDGET

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

	No.	Salary per year	Total	
PERSONAL SERVICE:				
Superintendent	1	$3,600.00	$ 3,600.00	
Principals, high school	1	2,100.00	2,100.00	
Central	1	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Greenwood	1	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Riveria	1	1,400.00	1,400.00	
Teachers	57		69,533.08	
Estimated needs:				
3 additional teachers	3		3,240.00	
Janitors	4		6,420.00	
Clerk	1	900.00	900.00	
Stenographer and office attendant, high school	1	600.00	600.00	
Truant officers	2		315.00	
Total				$91,408.08
MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES:				
Furniture (desks, stoves, curtains, typewriters, etc)			$ 1,700.00	
Supplies (chalk, erasers, etc.)			2,500.00	
Library books			125.00	
Janitors' supplies			1,200.00	
Fuel			4,000.00	
Light, power and telephone			1,500.00	
Water			900.00	
Postage, stationery and printing			500.00	
Total				$13,425.00
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:				
High school building and grounds			$ 2,000.00	
Industrial Art building and grounds			150.00	
Central building and grounds			2,800.00	
Greenwood building and grounds			602.50	
Riveria building and grounds			1,100.00	
Total				$ 5,652.50
INDEBTEDNESS:				
Bonded, and interest thereon			$ 13,500.00	
All other indebtedness and interest thereon			1,000.00	
Total				$14,900.00
INSURANCE:				
1923 premiums, all property			800.00	
Total				$ 800.00
MISCELLANEOUS:				
General miscellaneous			3,000.00	
Clerk's bond			100.00	
Total				$ 3,100.00
EMERGENCY:				
Printing budget in paper			99.00	
Auditing clerk's books and printing report in paper			336.50	
Total				$ 435.50
Total estimated amount of money for all purposes during the year				$129,921.08

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

From county school fund during the coming school year	$ 24,813.13
From state school fund during the coming school year	3,820.25
From elementary school fund during the coming school year	14,492.11
Total estimated receipts, not including proposed tax	$42,125.49

RECAPITULATION

Total estimated expenses for the year	$129,921.08
Total estimated receipts not including proposed tax	42,125.49
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	$87,795.59

Dated this 21st day of September, 1923.

Attest:

H. E. WILLIAMS
District Clerk.

A. T. HILL,
Chairman Board of Directors.

Sept. 22, Oct. 3, Oct. 12.

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ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET
School District No. 1, Union County, Oregon

This original estimate is made in compliance with sections 239 to 254 inclusive of the school laws of 1923 (local budget law) and shows in parallel columns the unit costs of the several services, material and supplies of the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, the detail expenditures for the last one of said three preceding fiscal years and the budget allowances for said year.

EXPENDITURES

ITEM	Estimated expenditures for school year 1923-24	Budget allowance for school year 1922-23	Detailed expenditures for school year 1922-23	Expenditures for school year 1921-22	Expenditures for school year 1920-21
PERSONAL SERVICE:					
Superintendent	$ 3,600.00	$ 3,600.00	$ 3,600.00		
Principals, high school	2,100.00	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Grades: Central	1,500.00	1,440.00	1,440.00		
Greenwood	1,500.00	1,350.00	1,350.00		
Riveria	1,400.00	1,350.00	1,350.00		
Teachers, 57	69,533.08	68,099.42	67,202.57		
Estimated Needs:					
3 teachers	3,240.00				
Janitors, 4	6,420.00	6,420.00	6,420.00		
Clerk	900.00	1,200.00	1,200.00		
Stenographer and office attendant, high school	600.00	600.00	553.50		
Truant officers	315.00	315.00	375.00		
Total — Personal Services	$91,408.08	$85,774.42	$84,491.07	$86,929.53	$61,986.05
MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES:					
Furniture (desks and typewriters, etc.)	1,700.00	1,095.35	1,090.82		
Supplies, (chalk, etc)	2,500.00	2,328.04	2,126.00		
Library Books	125.00	125.00	58.39		
Playground equipment		400.00			
Janitors' supplies	1,200.00	969.12	1,020.00		
Fuel	4,000.00	4,125.95	4,019.37		
Light, power, telephone	1,500.00	1,545.22	1,419.37		
Water	900.00	666.12	866.79		
Postage, printing and stationery	500.00	490.00	604.48		
Total — Material and Supplies	$13,425.00	$12,744.70	$11,110.12	$16,131.17	$14,665.31
MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS:					
High school buildings and grounds	2,000.00	2,250.00	2,055.75		
Ind. Arts buildings and grounds	150.00	150.00	121.54		
Central buildings and grounds	2,000.00	3,587.00	4,272.17		
Greenwood buildings and grounds	602.50	375.00	386.59		
Riveria buildings and grounds	1,100.00	290.00	283.53		
Total — Maintenance and repairs	$ 5,852.50	$ 6,652.00	$ 7,119.58	$ 4,882.07	$ 7,096.59
INDEBTEDNESS:					
Bonded, and interest thereon	13,900.00	14,150.00	14,150.00		
All other indebtedness and interest thereon	1,000.00	750.00	1,256.83		
Total—Indebtedness	$14,900.00	$14,900.00	$15,406.83	$ 8,656.63	$13,429.61
INSURANCE:					
	800.00	828.80	1,996.19		
Total—Insurance	$ 800.00	$ 828.80	$ 1,996.19	$ 442.00	
MISCELLANEOUS:					
General miscellaneous	3,000.00	2,807.36	1,139.46		
Clerk's bond	100.00		100.00		
Total — Miscellaneous	3,100.00	2,807.36	1,239.46	2,995.56	
EMERGENCY:					
Printing budget	99.00		96.40		
Auditing books and ptg. report in paper	336.50				
Total—Emergency	$ 435.50		96.40		
GRAND TOTAL	$129,921.08	$123,707.28	$121,865.65	$120,047.86	$109,119.76

State of Oregon, County of Union—ss.

I, H. E. Williams, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1923-1924 was prepared by me under the direction of the School Board and that the expenditures and budget allowance for the school year 1922-23 and the expenditures for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year, as shown above, have been compiled from the records in my charge and are true and correct copies thereof.

H. E. WILLIAMS,
District Clerk.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that F. L. Meyers has been appointed by the County Court of Union County, Oregon, as Administrator of the estate of Henry F. Perkins, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to said administrator at the La Grande National Bank in La Grande, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 13th day of September, 1923.

Sept. 15-20-27-Oct. 4-11.

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