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## STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

WILL BE OPENED SEPTEMBER 2ND WITH FULL COURSE OF STUDY.

The Southern Oregon State Normal School is now ready to be re-opened in the University building, situated in the supurbs of Ashland. The building,—the finest of its kind in this part of the state,—has just been fitted out for the purpose, and school will open September 2, 1895.

There will be three courses of study, viz; Normal, Academic and Business. The leading feature of the school is the professional; to train teachers for their work, and, at the same time, to see that they comprehend the branches taught. The Academic course prepares the students for college or gives them a fair education. The business course gives a practical business education.

A regular line of covered hacks will be run between different parts of the city and the school at suitable intervals of the day.

Faculty.—W. T. Van Scov, A. M., President, Language, Psychology, Methods. John J. Berry, Ph. B., Mathematics. James W. Storms, B. S. A., Natural Sciences. Irving E. Vining, M. S. D., English Literature, Elocution. T. W. Miles, Book-keeping, Commercial Law, Shorthand. Miss Ida Pearl Thomas, Instrumental and Vocal Music. Mrs. E. J. Taylor, Painting, Guitar Music. Miss Julia C. Fielder, B. S. D., History, Geography.

For folders, and full particulars, call upon or address, W. T. Van Scoy, Pres.

When you see races in a circus hippodrome, the outcome of which is so plainly a foregone conclusion that the whole affair is tame, all the interest is taken out. But when you see the races of the Great Wallace Shows, it is different. Mr. Wallace fines any contestant who does not ride or drive to win. The rivalry is as great as it is on the turf. There is no sham about these races. Prizes are awarded at the end of the season to contestants who have the highest number of winnings.

## IMPOSSIBLE TO DESCRIBE.

The Montreal Gazette knows what it is talking about when it says of the Great Wallace Shows: "It will be impossible to describe the features of a show so many of which seem impossible. Perhaps if preference must be given, the wonderful and striking feats were those of the Japanese in their balancing and juggling. To see the Japanese youngster tossed into every concievable position by his older countryman, to note how perfectly acquainted they were with the difficult acts of their performance. was simply astonishing. One could not help holding his breath when watching the wee fellow stretched upon the end of a twenty feet pole balanced upon the older Japanese. Then it seemed to be nothing to dangle ladders in the air, to play upon them like kittens and with as little thought of danger."

## OUR NEW OFFICE.

The office of the ADVERTISER has been moved into the Reeser Block, upstairs, our rapidly increasing business requiring more spacious and suitable quarters.

Our sign is now in the hands of the painter and will soon be erected, directing all to the office of the "Monarch of the Amateurs."

Within a short time, we shall put in a new improved press and a paper cutter, and, with these facilities, we will be better prepared than ever before to turn out the best work in the city,

Call around to see us, and when you want your printing done in the most satisfactory manner, give us a trial. Our work is guaranteed to please.

Ashland is the leading city in the valley. Healthful climate, pure, mountain water, fine electric lights, etc., in fact she has everything that goes to make a model city but a good plaza, and that would be all right if a few dollars were expended in removing the stones scattered over it, which, besides marring the appearance of the city, may cause an accident that will cost more than to remove the stones before it is too late.