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Franz Liszt was born at Baiding, Hungary, Oct. 22, 1811. Died at Baireuth, Bavaria, July 31, 1886.

The potent influence of the personality of Franz Liszt, the great pianist and composer, over all persons with whom he came in contact was almost as wonderful as his genius.

While Abbe Liszt would never take pupils for pay, he took many in whom he saw ability and musical enthusiasm. A few Americans were privileged to play to him, for that was what constituted study with the master. There was one young girl of sixteen from Baltimore who was so fortunate as to gain his interest, and he always called her "America" instead of by her name.

Liszt allowed a student to show his own comprehension of a musical idea, and what criticism he made was so good natured it made deep impression.

He once said in regard to some playing where the melody was not strongly brought out, "When I play, I always play for the people in the gallery; they pay so little for their seats they ought to hear something." At another time he corrected a young girl who was making a peculiar circular motion with her hand while rendering a difficult passage, "Keep your hand still; don't seem to be making an omelet."

At the age of twelve years, when he played in a concert at Vienna, Franz had the supreme gift of his life—he received the kiss of Beethoven. In the midst of the tremendous enthusiasm of the audience Beethoven went up on the stage, took the boy in his arms and kissed him on both cheeks. Till his last day of life this was a supreme memory with Franz Liszt.

At the breaking out of the 1830 revolution in France, Liszt was at Paris. His father had died, and he was supporting his mother and studying hard. Lafayette was his ideal hero. At heart Abbe Liszt was an earnest republican, and he had unfeeling sympathy with the struggling mass of the people. One of his friends saw him in a corner one night in Paris holding the broom of a crossing sweeper. He explained that as he had no change in his pocket to give the boy he had sent him to have a dollar silver piece changed and was holding the broom until the boy came back. Liszt gave money with a lavish hand for all good causes.

One time the great musician was in Italy having a little journey in which he sought to hide his identity and enjoy a quiet that his fame seldom allowed him. Attracted by Ricardi's music store in Milan, he went in and sat down at a piano and began to play.

In the hushed silence that fell upon an eagerly talking group of persons he heard a voice whisper, "That is Liszt or the devil!"—Chicago News.

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LEXINGTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Harry McCormick has been quite ill at her home. Dr. Chick is in attendance.

Right now is the time to register. Have you done so? The registration booth is at the post-office.

Mr. and Mrs. Breshears attended church at Heppner on Sunday. Grandpa Wright also accompanied them.

Gus McMillan having moved into his new home, will commence this week putting a wire netting around it.

Marsh White has his new concrete fence about finished and will then put down cement walks. Marsh has "some" fence alright.

Miss Etta May Groseclose, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Taber, and going to school was called to her home in Idaho, by the illness of her brother.

Mrs. Joe Craig, wife of the section foreman, expects to be the new station agent at Lexington. She is writing for a supply of tickets and then will commence work.

Mr. David Hynd of Sand Hollow was a business visitor to Lexington on Monday. Mr. Hynd says lambing will commence at Sand Hollow within a few days.

Mr. W. G. Scott, who has been away at Portland under the care of a physician, returned here the first of the week. We are glad to announce that Mr. Scott is much improved.

Three families moved last Sunday. Ward Lee moved his family into the T. L. Barnett house. Mr. Robinet, the blacksmith, moved into the Al Zink property, and Mr. Zink moved into the Doherty place in town.

The laborers on the section here, have quit work as a result of a reduction in their wages. They thought that a cut from \$1.75 to \$1.50 was more than they could stand. A gang of Mexicans came up on Sunday evening to replace the white men.

The people of Lexington are requested to remember the date for Dr. Hodge's lecture, March 24. Dr. Hodge comes under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Organization. The lecture will be given at the Congregational church, beginning at 8 p. m. Dr. Hodge is one of the leading educators of the state, and the people should avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him. Don't forget the date.

LENA ITEMS.

Everybody is busy around here now.

John Brosnan and Pat Hart are hard at work cutting wood.

J. D. French went to Heppner this week on a business trip.

J. H. Pearson and son, George, were seen going to town after a load of grain this week.

W. E. Straight has been on the sick list the last few days. We hope he will be better soon.

Tommy Sheridan is digging a well on his homestead. Even if the town is wet, it is dry in a few places.

Miss Rankin and her pupils have been improving the school grounds by a little cultivation and outdoor exercise.

There are a good many homesteaders in this vicinity who have to do their own cooking. It looks bad but it can't be helped.

At Christian Church.

Next Sunday it will be your privilege to hear the following great themes discussed. In the morning: "The Shepherd Psalm." This sermon will consist of an exposition of this great masterpiece. In the evening: "The Red Clay Man," an interesting and practical sermon on live men and live institutions.

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