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THURSDAY.....Nov. 3, 1904

For President,
THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
of New York.

For Vice-President,
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS
of Indiana.

For Presidential Electors,
G. B. Dimmick.....Clackamas
A. C. Houch.....Josephine
J. N. Hart.....Polk
J. A. Fee.....Umatilla

PROHIBITION WILL NOT PROHIBIT.

This will be the last issue of the Gazette prior to the election. But a few days yet remain for the wavering voter to make up his mind which way to vote on local option. Notwithstanding the arguments of our worthy opponent, Rev. Mount, the Gazette sees no good reason why it should change its attitude on this question. While we give these reformers credit for great sincerity and zeal in the effort to rid the country of an acknowledged curse, the evils of which can scarcely be reckoned, the advocates of prohibition fail utterly to show that their plan will minimize them. On the other hand the Gazette's showing goes uncontroverted that where such profits abound as exist in the saloon business, it will be carried on secretly or openly in spite of all prohibitory laws. The doings of Carrie Nation in Kansas show plainly that in many places saloons are doing business openly, else there would be no mirrors to smash. Morrow county does not desire such a never-ending fight as exists in Kansas and Maine, when no better results are promised than exist in those states.

To reinforce the statements and opinions of the Gazette we submit the following expressions of opinion by leading men of our nation: Governor Boies, writing on prohibition in Iowa in 1890 said:

"I feel certain that more distilled spirits are used as a beverage in Iowa under the present law than has ever been or ever would be under a license system. I am equally certain that the spirits used are of the worst kind. There is not a doubt but that prohibition has failed to lessen the evils of intemperance, has retarded immigration into and hastened emigration from the state and constantly drained the state of immense sums of money sent to other states for the purchase of liquors. I do not believe that crime has been diminished or criminal expenses by this law, or that criminal convictions are less than before this law went into effect. Instead, therefore, if we count prosecutions, convictions and expenses incurred under this law, they have been greatly increased."

Rev. T. J. Mackay, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

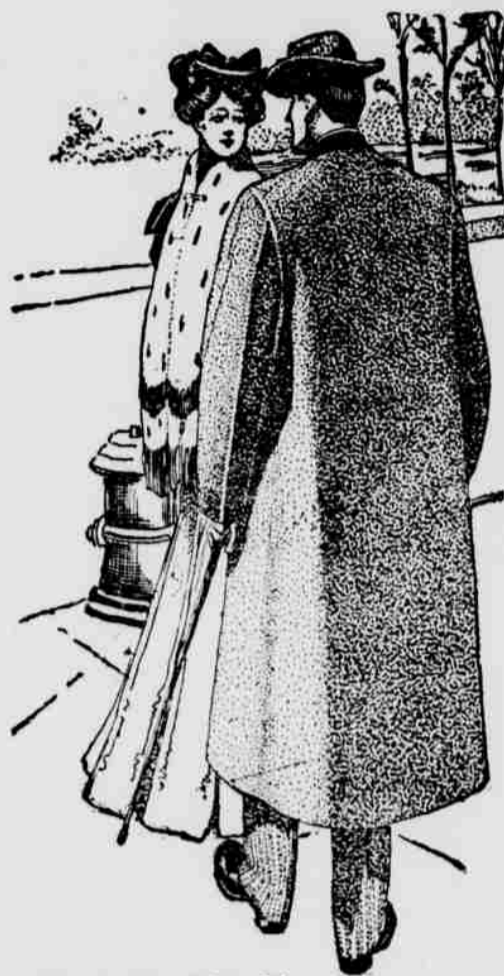
"After several years of trial of prohibition in this city that law has proved a miserable farce. The county has been put to an immense amount of trouble and expense, and all to no purpose.

"I do not believe that the open saloon is as dangerous to the morals of the rising generation as the club rooms and private drinking habits, which prohibition always creates. The worse trap for incautious youths is the one which is disguised and hidden under the pleasing form of club life and

CARPET and DRAPERY SALE continued another week GENESIS

This is the beginning of the middle of the Fall Season, and we were never better prepared to care for the needs and wants of our many patrons nor serve them better than at this time, and that our efforts to please have been appreciated is evidenced by our rapid increasing business. High qualities and low prices is what does the business for us. Be sure to get our prices before you lay in your winter's supply of Dry Goods, Furnishing Goods, or Groceries.

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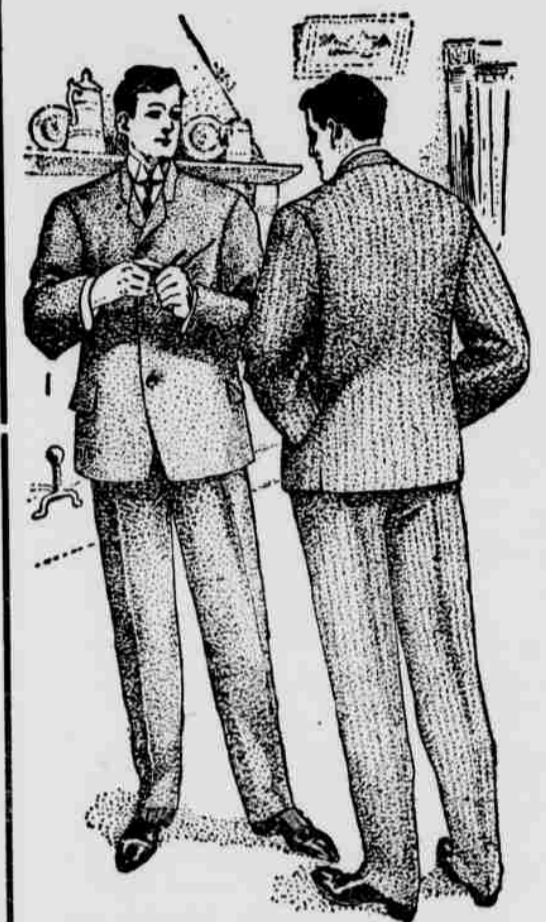
Black and White, 54 inches wide, the yard \$1.75

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of Grayish Brown mix with marled stripe of black and red. A plum. For the Pattern \$7.50

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The special price reductions below will prevail for one week beginning today

35c	"Granite" Carpet 35 inches wide, sale price	29c
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We have just received a nice fresh lot of bulk pickles, mince meat and sauer kraut at the following low prices:

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Dill pickles at the dozen	.25c	Sour pickles at the quart	.25c
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amid the secrecy ever dear to the youthful mind. We can guard our youth from a danger which we see and know, but against these hidden foes, which appeal so powerfully to certain instincts in the human heart, who can protect them?"

Ex-Secretary Russell A. Alger, Michigan.

"You can't talk prohibition in Michigan for we have tried it and know what a dire failure it is. When we had prohibition, the state was flooded with smuggled beer and whiskey, and it was impossible for us to prevent it. We now license the saloons, and while there is no more liquor drunk than there was during the reign of prohibition, we derive an enormous revenue from the traffic, besides preventing liquors from being smuggled into the state and sold illegally, as it puts the saloon men to guarding each other. I have always considered prohibition a failure, and don't believe it can ever be effectual."

Governor Bodwell, Maine.
"I am trying to enforce prohibition in Maine, but find it the biggest job I ever undertook."

Ex-Governor Rice, Massachusetts.

"I do not favor the prohibitory amendment, for the reason that I am in favor of the most efficient means for suppressing drunkenness; and I believe the adoption of such an amendment would lead to increased drunkenness. Whatever may have been the effect elsewhere, prohibition has not been a success in Massachusetts."

"I recognize the sincerity and zeal for good which inspires many of the advocates of prohibition, but my own opinion, re-inforced by observation and experience, is that prohibition in Massachusetts has not been, and will not be a means of diminishing drunkenness."

Ex-Governor Gardner, Massachusetts.

"The result of the former prohibitory law—which, by the way, I signed while chief magistrate—was so unsatisfactory in its results that it was repealed by decisive majorities in a succeeding legislature, and does not encourage the re-enactment of similar provisions."

Ex-Governor Robinson of Kansas.

Mr. Hess has returned from California where he went with a shipment of sheep. He says California is too dry and is glad to get back to old Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LAND Office at The Dalles, Ore., Oct. 27, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 13th day of December, 1904, to-wit:

Eva M. Cowdrey, formerly Eva M. Emry, of Hardman, Oregon, on homestead entry No. 7617, for N $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Tp 4 South, Range 25 E., W. M. she names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, to-wit: Holly Leathers, Fred Knighten, William Beamer and Frank Cramer, all of Hardman, Oregon.
Nov 3 Dees MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

Mrs. Lena Bradbury and son, of Portland, sister of J. W. Rasmus, is in Heppner, having come to attend the wedding of her niece.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LAND Office at LaGrande, Oregon, Oct. 17, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Morrow Co., Ore., at Heppner, Oregon, on December 2, 1904, viz: H. E. No. 13755, John B. Nolan, of Heppner, Oregon, for the Lots 2 and 3, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 5, Tp. 3 S., R. 28 E., W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John S. Buseick, D. O. Justus, W. L. Witherell, George Moore, all of Heppner, Oregon.
Nov 3 Dees E. W. DAVIS, Register.

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