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We can fit you out complete for House Keeping Have a good line of both New and Second Hand Goods

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LITTLE JAPAN

It is the habit to think and speak of Japan as "fit le Japan." This in one sense is not an error; as compared with China, Russia, the United States or the British Empire, geographically, Japan is little and in population by the side of these great dominions she is small. But the difference between Japan and either of the dominions named is all heart and soul Japan, a unit in feeling, purpose, ambition, tradition and race.

The 42,000,000 of Japanese are solidly patriotic, there are no divisions among them, no clashing parties, conflicting creeds or jealous races, the whole population from the Mikado to the humblest laborer are a unit in purpose and ambition. No where else on earth is there such a complete unification of a whole people. Japan is larger than England, Ireland and Scotland, nearly as France, has a regular army 650,000 strong with millions of her men anxious to volunteer. A call from the Mikado, without urging or draft would be responded to by nearly every male citizen in his realm. As a military proposition such a country is not little; it is larger than was France when Napoleon handled it, larger than Rome when Caesar marshaled it against the world.

FOR RENT

Six roomed cottage, centrally located. The proper person may have the use of this property during the spring and summer free of charge, provided they give promise of proper care. Jan 26 to Jan 31. - Address box 481 R. D. La Grande, Oregon.

The Art Exhibit which will appear at the Commercial Club Jan. 28, 29 and 30th is meeting with marked success elsewhere. It was presented by the Ladies Club of Poudleton and Baker City last season and was so successful that both these cities have made arrangements to present it again this winter. You cannot afford to miss it. Admission Adults 25 cents children 10 cents.

Rural Delivery Notes

The rural route mail carriers of Iowa have taken up the improvement of rural highways and by united action propose to advocate various measures looking to the betterment of the country roads of the state. One of these will be the favoring of the adoption by the next legislature of a law levying a two mill road tax in place of 1 mill. There are about 1,500 rural delivery carriers in Iowa.

At present the mail carriers, who are paid on an average \$900 a year, supply their own means of transportation, and, though many of them employ bicycles, the greater number use horses.

Routes 1 and 2, Morrisville, Va., are said to be the coldest routes in the United States. Route 1, Hilbert, Wis., is known as the most desirable because of the fruit along the road, and routes 2 and 2, Clonoe, Ore., covered by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schran, are said to be the hottest.

Like a Comet

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Kodol

supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles and membranes of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. It cures indigestion, flatulence, palpitation of the heart, nervous dyspepsia and all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying and strengthening the glands, membranes of the stomach and digestive organs.

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Bishop J. W. Hamilton of the M. E. Church, is quoted by the Portland Telegram as saying "We are building and dedicating five churches every 19 hours in this country."

All other denominations are about as busy building church houses as the Methodist, and it is not a wild statement to make that there is a church house being completed in the United States every two hours. Nor is church activity confined to building, but there is an unusual activity in all the Christian churches along all lines of church work. Congregations are larger, Sunday Schools are more fully attended and contributions more liberal than at any other period in the history of the United States.

The Siskiyou county Board of Supervisors has adopted an ordinance levying a tax of five cents per head annually on all sheep pastured or herded in the county. It takes effect February 1st.

The county court of Coos county has turned over a thousand dollars to the Coos County Posh Club to be expended as they see fit in advertising the county at the St. Louis Expedition.

Pictures! Pictures! Pictures. Don't miss the Art Exhibit. Do not over look the grand ball to be given February 12 by the ladies of the Maebates.

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WANTED—Pantry and dining room girl at the Model Restaurant.

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INVESTORS From \$500.00 to \$4,000.00 a month can be made by parties who can invest from \$500 to \$1500. One eastern investor made \$65,000 in 1903, call or write for particulars The Wm. R. White Co., 312 Pine St Portland, Oregon.

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Lost.

On the road somewhere between the Al Good place and the sugar factory lost Wednesday evening an 18-foot log chain. Finder will please send to my home at Fruit ab.
Phil Thompson.

Wood for Sale.

A large quantity of 16 in. wood for sale. Inquire of Rowe & Herrman in Old Town or Phone 172-3. All orders promptly delivered.

Special Notice

A good many have expressed a desire to consult with Dr. Theodosia E. Parson of the A. T. Still university of osteopathy, she has kindly consented to the ladies of La Grande at 1 P. M. office of Osteopathy, on Thursday, January afternoon from 2 till 4 P. M. to attend and examination free of charge.

Ladies Attention

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NOTICE

All Members of La Grande local, and all brother Socialists are requested to meet in Haworths Hall, next door to Wines' harness shop, next Monday evening, January 25, 21 By order of President

OLD PAPERS

This office has old papers for sale, 25 cents per hundred.

EGGS WANTED

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Cash paid for eggs at the Queen Chop House.

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