

# Our Fifth Annual Clearance Sale

Only lasts 5 days more. Don't wait until lines are broken. See our bargains before they are gone, as they are money savers

DURING THIS SALE

EVERY ARTICLE IN THE HOUSE REDUCED

N K WEST, La Grande Oregon

Sale Ending

Saturday, January 30, 1904

Geddes Bros.

Why are Geddes Bros. kept so busy? Why do they sell the best goods at the lowest prices?  
 Preferred Salt Tomatoes 3 for 50c  
 Preferred Stock Corn 3 for 50c  
 Preferred Stock Salmon 3 for 50c  
 Preferred Stock Peas 3 for 50c  
 Preferred Stock Beans 3 for 50c  
 Don't pay other grocers 20 cents a can for any of these goods.  
 Standard tomatoes, corn, beans, peas, etc., 2 for 25 cents.  
 They have the best butter made in the valley, and their creamery butter has no equal here. Try it and see.  
 Dill pickles, Helzer's mince meat, Swift's pickle pig feet, premium hams, loose olives. Everything tasty, nice and cheap.  
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Geddes Bros.

## SECOND HAND SNAPS

Look at these exceptional bargains and see what we are offering. The prices will surely interest you.

Large Mirror \$3.50  
 New 30-30 Marlin Rifle 10  
 \$25 tailor made gents suit 5.50  
 Dresser \$5 Extension table 4  
 Eight day clock 2  
 Pillows 50 cents and up  
 Quilts 50 cents and up  
 Two-horse buggy  
 Bob sled

Money to Loan

The La Grande Pawnbrokers

Corner Fir and Adams.  
 Remember we still buy and sell all kinds of Second Hand Goods. Phone 1581

## Fresh News Items of Local Interest

John Harly of Pendleton is recovering from quite a siege of sickness.

Wm Bay of old town has been quite sick for several days.

Island City holds their first city election Saturday.

Mrs O H Prentiss of Elgin came up from Elgin last night to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C Cotner.

Dr. Theodore Purdon who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. F.E. Moore of this city has returned to her home in Kansas City this morning.

The Thomas orchestra has been secured to furnish the music for the Uniform Rank Team ball which will be given at the Commercial Club Feb. 3.

Charles McClure Sr. who resides North of the track is not improving from his recent illness as rapidly as he had hopes of after returning from Walla Walla where he was operated on for cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haws who have been visiting Mrs. Haws parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ellidge of Alicel returned to their home in Hilgard last night. Mr. Haws states that the recent cold weather continues the activity in the logging camps up the river.

W. L. Dishman of Elgin is in this city and states that the saw mills are in the most prosperous condition. They are all securing large supplies of logs at a nominal cost. Last year from the want of snow logging was very expensive.

The Art Exhibit given by the Neighborhood Club and the Lyle Musical on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week is for the benefit of our public school. All children who would like to see tickets for the Art Exhibit please call at Mrs. Wostell's home just south of the white school house to day.

### TO RENT

Six rooms cottage. Inquire of Mrs. Stults Corner 4 and O street 2-20.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wade of Pendleton are on their way to Southern California and if Mr. Wade's health does not improve they may go to the Sandwich Islands.

### NOTICE OF ESTRAY

Notice is hereby given that the following described cow is now at my place, having been taken up by me as an estray. One black and white cow without visible brand, short horns, and cow is wild. Owner may have same by proving ownership and paying pasture bill and expense of advertising.—W. L. Robertson Perry Oregon.

### A. E. and S. L. Met

The Alpha Embroidery and Social League met this afternoon as usual with Mrs. G. W. Thomas. The League held their first Social Entertainment at the home of Mrs. Jno. Anthony where they were delightfully entertained, the evening being spent in playing games after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitby, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hatten, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thomas, Mrs. O. Berger, and the Misses Thomson, Shilb and Berger.

Next Wednesday evening the League will be entertained by Mrs. A. V. Oliver.

### "For Mother's Sake"

The delightful drama, "For Mother's Sake," a beautiful story of New England life, will be seen Thursday night in highly spoken of Marie Heath will head the company, which is a thoroughly good one, in every particular simplified to do the play full and complete justice. The managers have spared no pains or expense to make a success of the production. The company will have their own scenery car, which will contain everything used in the production. There are a number of pretty children engaged among them the famous McKinley twins, who will give naturalness to the scenes. Village tots always form a pretty picture, and particularly so where the surrounding atmosphere is in keeping.

### Neighborhood Club

The Ladies Neighborhood Club met yesterday afternoon in the Commercial Club parlors.

The subject for discussion was "Civil Government." The session was under the direction of Mrs. Geo. Carpy. The meeting was most interesting and instructive. The following program was rendered.

Roll Call of Current events.  
 Paper, Civil Government of Oregon—Mrs. Geo. Carpy  
 Piano Solo, Mrs. Clara T. Lyle  
 Paper, Oregon Laws concerning Women—Mrs. J. D. Slater  
 Vocal Solo, The Grand Amen—Miss Bessie Wostell  
 Reading, Federation report—Mrs. Rachel E. Wostell  
 Piano Solo, Miss Harvey McKennon

### Sold Out

The Jersey Dairy Changes Hands—La Grande Jan 25—I regret, dear patrons that my health is failing so that I am compelled to give up my business. I can say that my dealings have been agreeable and pleasant with all my customers and I regret that I have to quit trade. I thank all of my customers for their liberal, kind patronage and ask them to extend the same to my successor, Mr. Goar and his two sons. They will conduct the business in the same neat and clean way, furnish good milk in those germ and dust proof bottles.

Mr. Goar intends to improve the dairy so as to furnish standard milk to all those who wish to patronize him, and all will find him and his two sons gentlemen in every respect, with ample means to make the dairy a success in every way. And now I bid my many customers all goodbye and turn you over to my successor, Mr. Goar and wish you all to wax fat on the milk from the Jersey Dairy.  
 Your humble servant  
 W. Fairbank

### Public Ownership

New York Jan 25—The executive committee of railroad operators and railroad employes, who favor govern-

ment ownership of roads, met again this morning and put formal notices to all Unions in America that the scheme is well under way and support is wanted from all quarters.

The committee said that the statement that it expected to enroll every railroad employe in Greater New York to the number of 200,000 is not exaggerated. Several thousand have already agreed to sign, although the steps taken yesterday were merely of a preliminary nature. The announcement in the morning papers Sunday stirred the men and letters are being received by the thousands.

### MARRIED

Plumb—Lincoln—In this city Tuesday evening by the Justice of the Peace Wm Grant Mr. William B. Plumb and Miss Bessie Helen Lincoln were married. The bride is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Lincoln and the groom is well known to have resided here for many years.

### WE ARE HERE.

The Imperial Roller Skating Rink Co. Are Giving Their

### Grand Assemblies

Daily at the Red Front Bldg.

Using exclusively the Rubber roller, ball bearing skates.

### SPECIAL FEATURE RACE EVERY SATURDAY EVENING

Special Ladies Assemblies Wednesday & Friday afternoons and evenings. Gentlemen admitted with ladies only.

Owing to the interest being manifested we will make these special days of particular interest to all who attend, instruction being free to all.

GENERAL SKATING 2 30 to 11 pm

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### Equitable Savings & Loan Association

Easy Paying Loans and Monthly Installments

Fire and Accident Insurance Written in Safe and Reliable Companies.

City Property for Sale

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### CHOICE TIMBER CLAIM?

If so, we can locate you on some fine claims in Wallowa County.

McDaniel & McDonald, WALLOWA, OREGON

### HOLIDAY PERFUMES

Our perfume case is filled with a variety of odors, suited to every individual preference—the products of the world's greatest perfumers. For Christmas these same, superior perfumes, put up in attractive bottles and boxes, suitable for gifts, in prices from the tiny vial at 10c up to the most costly cut glass.

### MIRRORS For Christmas

Doesn't that offer you a suggestion for a Xmas gift? If it does it would be wise for you to make a visit to our store and look over our assortment Hand Mirrors of all sizes and in a variety of shapes and materials. Triplicate Mirrors, the kind that permits you to see the back of your head and the face at the same time. Triplicate Mirrors are the kind men like for shaving.

### HILL & ALLEN

Prescription Druggist La Grande, Ore

## Ross & Andrews



Have just received a large line of Dress Shoes and we are selling these shoes cheaper than you can buy them in Portland. We do this to get these shoes introduced among the trade that wears good shoes.

## POULTRY FOOD

Make your fowls lay when eggs bring top prices. We carry standard goods whose merit has been tested for years

### INTERNATIONAL POULTRY FOOD

Oyster Shell

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Ground Bone

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Flour, Feed and Hay  
 PROMPT DELIVERY

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## ODD END and BROKEN STOCK SALE

This sale means to us what spring housecleaning means to every housewife. A general overhauling, changing this ground, and various other things, besides lots of hard work. We call our housecleaning an Odd End and Broken Stock Sale.

150

Men's Gold and Fancy Shirts \$1.00 all for

48c

40 good numbers in ladies' Sateen Skirts  
 Nice line of Ladies' Eideolon Dressing gowns  
 Some good values in Shirt

25 per cent off

All Hoods and Fascinators "THEY MUST GO" ONE HALF PRICE  
 SHOE BARGAINS. One full Ladies Children's and Men's, every shoe in the lot are good values at the regular price.  
 Come and look over our bargain tables

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