

## BICYCLES

The season is on for bicycles and if you wish to ride in the lead, get a

### Crescent or Rugby Wheel

Step in and we will show you how they are built. If your lawn needs sprinkling, we have cotton or rubber hose that will give you perfect satisfaction. Our ball-bearing lawn mowers lead them all for easy running and durability.

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## HOUSE CLEANING

Time is here and you will probably have some things you will want to sell. If so call up phone 1581 and we will call and pay you the cash for your goods. Also if you want to buy we can give you bargains on anything we have.

We also have some choice city property for sale at bargain day prices. Terms to suit purchaser.

### The La Grande Pawnbrokers

Corner Fir and Adams

Remember, we still buy and sell all kinds of Second Hand Goods. Phone 1581

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The Dry Land Alfalfa grows without irrigation.

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Red Clover, Alfalfa and all kinds of Garden Seed in bulk

Seed Wheat, Baled Barley, Oats, Etc.

The only Seed House in Union County.

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and get a

Quinine Panama for \$5.00

WEEK OF WEEK ONLY

## A FEW OBSERVATIONS BY OUR REPORTERS

J. M. Berry is in the Cove. G. B. Batson of Portland is in the city. J. J. Lally spent yesterday in Pendleton.

Beautiful old china at the Loan Exhibit.

A collection of sea shells at the Loan Exhibit.

The Loan Exhibit opens today, come early and avoid the rush. June 28 has been set as the date for wool selling at Elgin.

Everything your mother used to make except her pies, at the Loan Exhibit. A musical program each afternoon and evening at the Loan Exhibit.

L. B. Rinehart was in the city Monday from Yaquina on his way to Vale. Special Inspector J. H. Alexander of the land office, is in Pendleton on business.

Things brought to Oregon by the Hudson Bay Company at the Loan Exhibit.

Mr. Aho Stover and family started for his mines on Snake River yesterday morning.

Bring your wife to the Loan exhibit and talk over old times when you see the homespun linen.

Mrs. Minnie Kirk, of Spokane, arrived in the city last evening to visit her sister Mrs. R. Kooley.

W. T. Cross left last evening for Portland with two cars of cattle which he is shipping to Troutdale. Come and see the beautiful pictures at the Loan Exhibit April 20 and 21, at the residence of Judge Ramsey.

Mrs. Ivanhoe is in St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton receiving treatment for a severe case of jaundice.

St. Peter's Guild of the Episcopal church will give a cooked food sale Saturday at the Golden Rule Store.

Mrs. W. D. Arnold, of Stevenson, Wash., but formerly of La Grande is in the city the guest of Mrs. M. L. Cansey.

Dan Carpenter who has been running an engine on the Rio Grande weston is visiting friends and relatives here.

L. M. Jensen the lumber merchant was in the city Tuesday reporting an increased beet average over last year.

The ladies will serve ice cream and cake at the Loan Exhibit this afternoon and evening at the home of W. M. Ramsey.

We were forced to crowd out the changes for ads of the Stoddard Co., The A. B. C. Laundry and Preston shoe store.

Miss B. Long, of British Columbia, arrived in the city last evening to visit her aunts Mrs. Kellenbeck and Mrs. J. J. Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Erickson have leased their clover creek farm to A. S. Bradway of this city and have moved back to this city.

Wm. Morris is working on the streets in default of a fine of \$5. for disorderly conduct. He came from off the section at Ilwaco.

It is reported that the Baker City Brewery co. have leased the Dan Marx brick on Depot street 5 rooms paying \$250 per month.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Harvie McKennon to Mr. Charles Anthony Varpillat, to take place Monday May 4.

There will be a Missionary tea at the home of Mrs. A. C. Huntington on Thursday afternoon April 21st. All persons are cordially invited.

Mrs. J. D. McNulty arrived out from Joseph last evening on her way to Hood River to join her husband, who is spending some time on his apple orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harper were over from Union yesterday trying to secure a residence. Mr. Harper will have personal charge of the creamery in this city.

Mr. F. E. Enloe went to Portland Monday evening for the purpose of purchasing machinery for a planing shop to be erected in La Grande soon.

O. C. Kirtley, who has been in Promie Wallowa County the past winter logging for O. S. Wigglesworth, has returned to La Grande and will remain for the summer.

A. C. Haynes is taking advantage of his enforced visit from Sumpter caused by the high water and is improving his property on the North side of the tract by a new fence and porch.

Under the most favorable circumstances it will be several days before the Proebstel bridge will be open for travel. A large force of men are at work but the force of this current is against the bank.

The La Grande cash Store has leased the store room formerly occupied by the defunct Ormon grocery company which adjoins their present quarters. They will move their grocery stock into this room in order to give them more space for their dry goods and clothing department.

W. F. Hendricks a recent arrival of Nebraska has purchased the property west of the Foley house which has been used as a photograph gallery for many years the consideration being \$1500. Mr. Hendricks is a practical photographer and will open a gallery in the near future. Mr. Hendricks also purchased a residence on Park street and will occupy the same as soon as his family arrive.

J. C. Reavis familiarly known as "Uncle Joe" to all who know him, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Walla Walla, with his wife, on their way to their home at Enterprise. Mr. and Mrs. Reavis have been spending the winter at Walla Walla. They will spend a day or two with relatives and friends here before returning home.

### Married

Mathews-Elridge—Sunday April 17th 1904 Mr. Arthur Mathews and Miss Mamie Elridge of this city were married in Union by Justice of the Peace J. R. Oliver. The many friends of the popular young people extend their hearty congratulations.

### Cards of Thanks

We desire through the Observer to extend our sincere thanks (and to express our appreciation to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our husband and father, Mr. Archie Little.

Mrs. Archie Little  
J. W. Earles

### What Does it Mean?

The following resolution was passed by the Democratic Convention of Grant Co. Oregon

Resolved, Public lands belong of right to the people and any attempt to alienate said lands is contrary to law and should be condemned at the bar of public opinion

### Flower Talk

A most beautiful assortment of flowers in silk and linen in such perfection that they cannot be told from nature's choicest production reached The Fair yesterday and is now on display

### SOMMER HOUSE

E. L. Lentre	Chicago
K. L. Martin	Indian
S. Harderberg	Portland
T. A. Purdy	do
M. A. Cohen	do
A. Lovit	do
B. Dalsen	do
I. Anderson	do
E. J. Walsh	do
L. Wetzel	do
L. R. Scherman	do
J. A. Lawton	do
Julius Green	do
F. E. Ramsey	do
J. Watson	do
J. A. Harran	do
N. Smith	do
T. Malley	do
M. Mandell	do
M. Harman	do
L. Dougherty	do
A. S. Smith	do
H. A. Mone	do
Frank Jennings	do
O. Johnson	do
C. Tetali	do
A. L. Barnes	do

LOST—A ladies black macintosh cape Yellowish brown color lined with red white and blue check. Was lost somewhere between La Grande and Ladd Canyon school house. Finder please leave at this office. 4-16tf

FOR RENT—Two five room houses on Fir and Stoddard streets. Near the little brick school house. Apply to John H. Post.

FOR RENT—Office room for rent. Inquire at Lewis Printery. 4-20tf

### Handsome Men --

Should protect their beauty by seeing that they have only COMPETENT BARBERS To shave them. We will protect your face. Evans & Fitzgerald

### Resolutions of Condolence

Hall of La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. April 19, 1904. Whereas, it has pleased our grand master on high, to call from us, our beloved brother Archie Little, who departed this life on April 17, 1904 and while we as masons mourn his loss at the same time we realize it to be our duty to bow in submission to the will of him that doeth all things well.

Therefore, be it resolved that in the death of Archie Little La Grande Lodge No. 41 has lost a faithful member the community an honored and upright citizen and the family has lost a loving husband and father.

Therefore, be it resolved that this lodge extend their sympathy to the family of our deceased brother in this their hour of bereavement. Be it also resolved that our lodge be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days.

Be it also resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our lodge and published to the press of the city.

Be it also resolved that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of our beloved brother Committee—H. C. Cotner, H. P. Kennedy and E. E. Holme.

TO RENT—Bare centrally located. See Jack Chiles

### Central Church of Christ

Opposite Sommer House.

OPEN EVERY DAY

Pastor's Office Hours—1 to 2:30 Free Reading Room open from noon until 9 p. m. Men and boys invited.

Bible school Sunday 10 a. m. P. eaching Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.



It's in the cooking that makes most of the difference between a good meal and a poor one. The best food will be spoiled by poor cooking. We are to prudent to waste good victuals by poor cooking. The patrons of our restaurant are very particular people. If our dishes were not properly cooked we would lose the victuals and their patronage as well. So you can always be sure of a first-class meal here. We cannot afford to serve any other kind.

### MODEL RESTAURANT

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Money back if not satisfied. So few come we can afford to do this.



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We have just received a shipment of the nicest and best shoes on the market and can fit you perfectly.

We can give you the best pair of shoes for the least money that you can buy anywhere.

Come in and buy one of our latest tailor made suits, a Krippendorf Dittman shoe, an up-to-date belt and be happy.

We are receiving new goods daily, which makes our line complete.

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OREGON

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