

# 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

# TURKESTAN ALFALFA

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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**Walk-over Shoes.**

that they are good. From \$3.50 to \$7.50.

Andrews,

## A FEW OBSERVATIONS BY OUR REPORTERS

Luther Ward was down from Hilgard yesterday.

The weather bureau predicts showers for to day.

The Chicago Store has a special sale on pants see their new ad.

Mrs. W. W. Berry entertained the Kaffee Klatch yesterday afternoon.

Shippers have been paying mowers \$1 per sack for potatoes the past few days.

Frank Childers and family have moved back to La Grande from Elgin.

Rev. Geo. T. Ellis will preach his farewell sermon in Baker City next Sunday.

F. D. Haisten has an ad in this issue of the Observer which you should not fail to read.

Remember the cooked food sale given by the ladies of St. Peter's at the Golden Rule store Saturday.

Grocerman Jas McCoy who has been confined to his home for several days is able to be up and around.

New Shapes in Ladies Street hats just received at the Fair among them are all the noblest shapes of the season.

Mrs. Ed. Murphy and children returned home yesterday morning from Chehalis Washington where they have been visiting Mrs. Murphy's mother.

J. D. McKennon shipped four car loads of potatoes yesterday to Missouri and will ship two more today. This is practically the last shipments that will be made this season.

E. Ray Jones of the Modern School of Commerce came over from Pendleton yesterday and will remain a few days looking after the interests of the La Grande school.

The reported sale of the property that has been used as a photograph gallery for years west of the Foley house was premature, inasmuch as the actual transfer has not yet been made.

A solid carload of bobbins manufactured by the Woodstock Hardware and spool company, of Charleston, S. C. passed through the city yesterday, consigned to the Portland Cordage Co. of Portland.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor will hold a social at the K. of P. hall next Monday evening. All are invited to attend. Ice cream and cake will be served and an admission of ten cents will be charged.

Mr. R. M. Needham of Summerville district manager for the Modern Brotherhood of America was an Observer visitor Thursday. He will organize a lodge at Island City next week. This order is only seven years old but has a membership of 47,000.

The funeral of Mrs. A. Ends was held yesterday afternoon at the M. E. Church, the Rev. J. V. Walker officiating. The church was comfortably filled with friends of the deceased many of whom accompanied the remains to the cemetery. The bereaved husband the Rev. A. Ends has the severe sympathy of the entire community.

If you failed to attend the Loan Exhibit you are certainly very unfortunate. The ladies who had the matter in charge are to be congratulated on having made a success of the affair. There was much that was not only interesting but was also very instructive. Any one can spend an hours time to do good advantage looking over the collection.

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT OF GREENWOOD STREET

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

Notice is here by given that at a meeting of the council of the city of La Grande held on the 18th day of April A D 1904 Greenwood Street in the in the city La Grande was ordered to be improved at the expense of the adjacent and abutting property owners by the construction of a seven foot sidewalk on the Northwesterly side of said greenwood street from Adams Avenue to Washington Avenue said sidewalk to be constructed on or before the 1st day of July 1904 and to be constructed as follows.

The top of the walk shall consist of plank, one and one half inches by eight inches of pine wood seven feet long. The top of the walk shall be supported by not less than four stringers of tamarack or fir wood and shall not be less than two inches by six inches and shall be laid upon sills of tamarack or fir wood not less than four inches by four inches, said sills shall not be more than eight feet apart.

The outside stringers shall not be more than three inches from outside of the walk and shall join end to end; all other stringers shall lap and all shall be solidly nailed together with not less than 20d wire nails; covering shall be put on and solidly nailed to the stringers with two 20d nails in each board on each stringer.

Notice is hereby further given that unless said sidewalk is constructed by the adjacent and abutting property owners on or before July 1st, 1904 the same will be constructed at the expense of the city of La Grande and a lien taken against the abutting property for the cost the cost together with costs of such proceeding.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 20th day of April A D 1904.

WM MILLER

Recorder of the city of La Grande Oregon.

## Stuck To His Desk

Salem, Or., April 26.—Governor Chamberlain took no part in the deliberation of the Democratic State Convention, but was at his desk at the Capitol.

## Pasture

Anyone having cows to put in a pasture call on Louis Barnard Old Town, or phone G W Silke 1274. Terms \$1.75 in advance. 4 16 23

## The World's Fair Route

Those anticipating an Eastern trip, or a visit to the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis, cannot afford to overlook the advantages offered by the Missouri Pacific Railway, which, on account of its various routes and gate ways, has been appropriately named "The World's Fair Route."

Passengers from the Northwest take the Missouri Pacific trains from Denver or Pueblo with the choice of either going direct through the Kansas City, via Wichita, Fort Scott and Pleasant Hill.

Two trains daily from Denver and Pueblo to St. Louis without change, carrying all classes of modern equipment, including electric lighted observation parlor cafe dining cars. Ten daily trains between Kansas City and St. Louis.

Write, or call on W. C. McBride, General Agent, 124 Third st, Portland for detailed information and illustrated literature.

## Congratulations.

Mr. John H. Cullom, Editor of the Garland, Texas, News, has written a factoree congratulations to the publisher of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as follows: "Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croupy spells and we would be very uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup, we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results." For Sale by all druggists.

LOST—A ladies black macintosh cape. Yellowish brown color lined with red white and blue check. Was lost some where between La Grande and Ladd Canyon school house. Finder please leave at this office. 4-16-04

## Closing Out Sale

My entire line of NEW GOODS. For the next 30 days am offering every article of new goods at net wholesale cost in order to dispose of the stock which includes granite ware, tin ware wooden ware, willow goods, crockery, glass ware, brooms, cooking stoves, buggy whips etc

## SECOND HAND GOODS

I have a large assortment of furniture, stoves, carpenters' tools, harness, jewelry, watches and many other useful articles in good condition, many good as new on which I will make very close prices. Free delivery to any part of town.

## WANTED.

All kinds of Second Hand Goods. Highest prices paid. F. D. HAISTEN, - 1415 Adams Successor to C. and M. Noble.

## WHEN YOU WANT RUBBER STAMPS REMEMBER ME.

I manufacture every style on any mounting and carry a complete stock of Pads, Inks, Racks, Dates, Rubber Type, etc. Resin, Stamps, Trade Checks, Door Plates, Postal Scales.

Write me what you want. I can please you by return mail. Every stamp requirement supplied.

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Opposite Sommer House.

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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 Preaching 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

J. A. ARBUCKLE, Prop.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

We sell weekly Meal Tickets, Cash ..... \$4.50

## WE ARE IT! For Shoes.



Other stores may be selling the same and dry goods but they can't touch us on shoes. We've been eating, drinking, breathing and living shoes for so many years that we can't help beat the business.

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

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Phone 1901

LA GRANDE, OREGON

## How Can I Cure My INDIGESTION?

THIS IS A QUESTION THAT HAS BEEN ASKED TIME AND AGAIN BY HUNDREDS—yes, thousands and tens of thousands of people. There is but one way to do this; namely, relieve the Stomach of its nervous strain—rest it; and at the same time Assist the Stomach and Digestive Organs in Digesting and Assimilating Sufficient Food to Rebuild the Tissues Supporting the Organs Involved. There is but one remedy that will do this, and that remedy is KODOL DYSPEPSIA CURE. If you want to know more about Kodol, come in and

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