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- Fresh Salted Peanuts
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- Fresh Popcorn
- Fresh Fruit

PHILIP LOY

A FEW OBSERVATIONS BY OUR REPORTERS

Visit the Rest Room, and see how you like the look of the place.

L. W. Damon returned this morning from a business trip to Portland.

George H. Curry is in Cove today looking after business for the Observer.

The program for the commencement exercises in this issue.

Lost gold rimmed glasses in a spring case. Finder leave at this office.

The street department of the city is doing good work removing the rubbish and filling up the holes in the roadway.

Look out for your dog. Pay the tax or you will be short when you round up your livestock.

Ferdinand Kraft who has been very low with pneumonia is now recovering rapidly under the care of Dr. Molitor.

A number of our local fishermen have been trying their luck but the reports so far, are that there is too much water.

So as for the commencement exercises will be on sale at Van Buren this morning. Secure your seats early.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jones.

The French Ship Lawrence, which has been in Portland every since April 19 was chartered on May 14 for wheat to England at 16 shillings 3 pence per ton.

Marsal Raburn says he is going to have signs printed and placed in the various rooms calling attention to the fact that guests wishing to cut their troubles will please leave direction for the funeral with the clerk. In large type he will ask as a special favor that they select a method that will complete the work. He has been put to consider rable throats and inconveniences by half hearted efforts which did not result in anything more disastrous than to spoil the bed clothing and the hall carpet.

Mr and Mrs A. M. Stackland spent Saturday and Sunday in Cove. Mr Stackland says that he never saw the Cove looking better than it does at the present time. The entire section is one mass of bloom and the fruit men claim that up to date there has been no frost sufficiently heavy to cause damage. There is considerable building going on and in every way

there is evidence of growth and prosperity.

Mrs J. Robert Wilson, who has been in the city the past two weeks the guest of Mrs W. A. Westfall, left last evening for her home at Albany.

The Rev. Skipworth, is in the city and will preach this evening at the Presbyterian church and also at the island city church tomorrow evening.

L. M. Jensen, the lumber merchant was in the city yesterday transacting business, we acknowledge a very pleasant call from the gentleman.

J. A. Woods of Walla Walla, passed through the city yesterday enroute to Wollawa where he has stock interest. He says he will begin rounding up his horses there in a few days.

While the band is playing go to Central Church where you can enjoy ice cream and cake along with your music.

Mrs George Small, one of the editors of the Baker City Democrat, was a visitor in La Grande a few hours this morning. He came down on No 1 to meet his wife who was a passenger on No 6 enroute home from Portland. Mr Small was the guest of J. C. Henry while in the city.

PLANTS FOR SALE—Parties wishing vegetable plants or pansy plants will do well to call upon Mrs. M. Tasi. She has all kinds of plants for sale at moderate prices. Parties desiring to plant flowers upon the graves of their friends and relatives will find exactly what they want at her home. Mrs. M. Tasi, La Grande Oregon.

SOMMER HOUSE

- E Jennings
- J. J. Lally
- J. R. McLain
- L. Haselwood
- Arthur Halgarth
- Myer Abraham
- Harry Lacey
- W. M. Rice
- Della Park
- Mrs. A. S. Wilson
- Geo. Pimey
- F. J. Hauer
- Oscar Osenheimer
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Try our Sunday Chicken Dinner.

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- 11 Dressers — 56 and up
- 1 Ladies Dressing case — 22 50
- 9 Commodore — 1 25
- Wash Stands — 35c
- Parlor Suits — 7 00 to 15 00
- center stands — 25c and up
- Childrens cribs & beds 1 25 up
- cook stoves, ranges 5 00 and up
- Iron bedsteads, several patterns — 2 00 to 5 00

I have all kinds of chairs, tables, quilts, comforters, blankets, pillows, portiers and lace curtains, rugs, springs, etc., which must be sold during this month. Come in and look at these genuine bargains.

Remember all my new stock of crockery, hardware, and tinware goes this month only at net wholesale cost.

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CUTS HIS THROAT FROM EAR TO EAR

Was Tired of Life and Thought He Would Sever Connection With This Way By Severing His Wind Pipe.

Wm Canaban an aged stone mason stopping at the Blue Mountain House attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. As soon as he was discovered Dr Willard Smith was called and rendered all aid possible. The doctor says that while the cut is a very bad one there is a chance that the man may recover.

He was tired of life. That was all. He was not drunk, nor was he out of work. He simply did not care to continue the responsibilities of life any longer. Therefore he took his razor and slashed his throat from ear to ear. The cut was a nasty one and almost completely severed the wind pipe. He committed the rash act about four o'clock this morning and was discovered within a very few minutes thereafter. He is about sixty two years of age and from all appearances was not a drinking man. He was a stone mason by trade and yesterday he claimed that he had found employment and would go to work this morning. He was known to be out of money, but did not seem to allow the

fact to worry him for he spent the greater part of yesterday entertaining the guests of the hotel with humorous stories and seemed to be in the very best of spirits.

Canaban left the following note for the coroner which through the kind offices of Mr Henry we are allowed to publish.

To the Coroner, La Grande.

Dear Sir: I have some baggage in the house 2 telescope with some clothing and shoes 1 grip with miscellaneous articles in it, one over coat, one watch and some stone masons tools in telescope. My wish is that you take charge of same, sell and get something to help pay expenses. There is one wish I wish done, write James Marrey to South Oil City, Pa., tell him I am gone but not how I went. My last wish

The last report as we go to press is that he is still alive but it is not thought that he will recover.

Mr Canaban has been in the city but a few day ago and so far as is known has no relatives here.

OS-TE-OP-A-THY

It is a mistake to suppose that because Osteopathy is harmless in the hands of Osteopaths, that its abuse may not become dangerous in the hands of others. It may. The human anatomy is far too delicate to entrust to the ruthless manipulations of those experimenting to see what they can find out, or pretending to know what they do not. Even physicians—well educated in other systems of healing, have no business experimenting with Osteopathic methods under the guise of being able to practice it—no more than an Osteopath, uneducated in and particular drug system, would be justified in dispensing its poisons. Everybody admits that a powerful drug—even when prescribed intelligently—may be dangerous; but it is too often assumed that manipulations, even when ruthless experiments, cannot be dangerous. This is wrong. It is entirely wrong

Oregon has never had a legislature for years that would have given us the proposed

direct primary law. Why? Because for years the legislature has been under the absolute control of first one political boss and then another and the one in control would not permit such a bill to become a law for fear he would lose his grip. Thanks to the Initiative and Referendum act, which the Populist forced both of the old parties to support the people as well as the legislature have a chance to say what shall or shall not be law.

Astoria's new directory indicates a population of 13,000, an increase of one third in the past year. Astoria promises to hold its place as the second city in point of population in Oregon.

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Black Etamine suit, Eton Jacket trimmed with black silk around neck and down front, stole effect. Three narrow silk bands down front and back Regular price 13.50 sale price 10.00

Casimere suit, Eton or Norfolk Jacket with cape, military effect, blue and gray mixed. Neat looking and serviceable Regular price 12.50 sale price 10.00

Novelty suit, Eton Jacket, of light grey suiting piped with Royal blue, small brass buttons on shoulders, front and sleeves. skirt trimmed same. Regular 12.50 sale \$10

Finer and more elaborately trimmed suits in Novelties, Cheviots, Voiles, etc.

\$15 suits \$12. \$16 50 suits \$13 20. \$17 50 suits \$14. \$21 suits \$19.80

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