LA GRANDE EVENING OBSERVER

NOLUME IV

LA GRANDE, UNION COUNTY, OREGON THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1905

AND SUICIED

Portland, Jan 5-It developed this

morning that Henry Loomis who last

night shot and killed Frank Frits and

murdered his wife and then suicided

by cutting his throat with a ragor ap-

peared recently before the grand jury

GOOD

ROADS

justice into his own hands.

ABOUT

JAPANESE TOOK MURDER **TWENTY THOUSAND**

Of the Thirty-five Thousand Inhabitants of Port is an attempt to get them to take an Arthur Twenty Thousand are

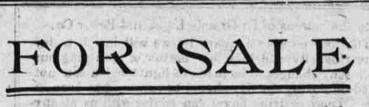
Sick

MANY PRISONERS

Tokio, Jan. 5-A, dispatch from General Nogi says order is being maintained in Port Arthur and the people are quiet. He says common provi- The total number of inhabitants is sions and bread are plentiful but there 35,000 of whom 20,000 are sick. is a scarcity of meat and vegetables. No medical supplies are in Port Arthur, but the Japanese are strenuously succoring people

Tokio Jan 0-The Japanese cap sured 25,000 prisoners at Port Arthur BLIZZARD IN NEW YORK New Yo k Jan 5-The most severe storm of the winter prevails in this city and visinity today. Traffic of all

LEFT WITH OFFICERS kinds is delayed and many suburban trolley lines are blocked by snow drifts Tokio, Jan 5-The emperor of Russis has cabled General Stoessel saying In many cars snowbound in the that the giving of their parols or the streets the passengers remained all alternative of imprisonment is option- night rather than face the tlizzard in



We have just bought all of the goods out of one of the largest rooming houses in the city, and will sell the entire lot cheap, on easy terms. There is everything you want to fit up a first class rooming house with.

Bed Room Suits	Carpets	Heating Stove
Bedding	Sheets	Pillows
Towles	Chairs	Bed Spreads

The people of Western and Southern Oregon seem to be taking a more lively interest in good roads than has been so far manifested by the people gener ally in Eastern Oregon. The Observ al with the captured Russian officers, an attempt to walk to their homes. er believes that good roads are of as

much concern to the people of Union county as to any other county in the state and hopes soon to see as much interest taken in good road making here as elsewhere. The following dis satch taken from the Portland Journal indicates how the feeling runs in the Willamette valley.

Hillsboro, Jan. 4 .- Good roads was the topic of absorbing interest to Hills that land frauds in Idaho were being was the meeting of more than 200 prominent citizens and farmers of Washington county to discuss the bet-terment of the public highways in the meeting of more than 200 to not the officers of justice in an investiga-tion of these frauds. Certainly I have no desire to shield any one who has been guilty of their perpetration. The stand would not be that if the Pacific coast had been set-ticed first, New England would not be at 10 a m. pear future.

Several men of prominence in good If they are guilty I want them punished whole matter investigated. other counties and towns in the state and took an active part.



tion sgainst his wife and her para-But Knows that Land mour. Failing in this, he also tried to procure a warrant at the police Frauils Do Exist in station. Then, as a last step he took

SAYS HE

Washington, January 5.-Persistent rumors have been in circulation here that amdavits presented by Senator Dubois charging extensive lard frauds with the alleged frauds and caused considerable comment. 'These ramors are entirely without foundation but the senator, upon the recurrence of

Idaho

Those who challenge me to combat want to be particularly careful what they have to say," said Senator Heyburn. "I have never represented any of them. On the contrary I have fought them and a year ago, in the course of a discussion of some matter affecting Northern Pacific land grants, I gave notice on the floor of the senate

committed. I stand ready now to ald men accused are no. friends of mine

and at any rate I want to have the



Far more than u ual interest attends upon the meetings at the West Webb Methodist church, where the pastor, Rev Howard is assisted by Reve. Thoroughman and Crockett. The former, once pastor here needs no introduction. Mr Crockett is known only to the highly pleased people who have listened to bim at that church

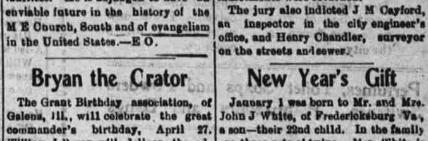
since Sunday morning. Mr Crockett ha- as auditor each night she people, (all of them who can come) who listened to him previously and the result is that the meetings are growing rapidly in interest and effectiveness.

Mr Crockett who is a graduate of the Kentucky Wesleyan University at noon returned indictme came West last spring and was for a Mayor G H Williams for malfeasance time supply at Arlington. Later he n office pertaining to the licensing to in Idabo connected Senator Heyburn was sent to La Grande, w ere he is gambling and of Chief of Police Hant now pastor. He is here now to help for malfeasance in permitting gambling Mr Howard in the present series of also, and releasing prisoners without Mr Howard in the present series of trial. the senator, upon the recurrence of the reports, went to the White House this morning and had a conference with the president. The senator was seen when leaving the white House and upon being asked concerning the report that he was attorney for the men implicated in the land frands expressed himself vig-orously apon the subject: "I always select my own battlefield. Those who challence me to combat consecrated and one of the best of the speaker and reasoner. His address plarities connected with the construc-

Bryan the Crator

Not Yet

dress.



William J Bryan will deliver the ad- are three sets of twins. Mrs. White is 38 years old.

NUMBER 66

Indicted

Mayor

Along with Chief of Po-

licc and other Minor

Officials.

The Multnomah county grand jury

Former (ity Engineer W O Elliott

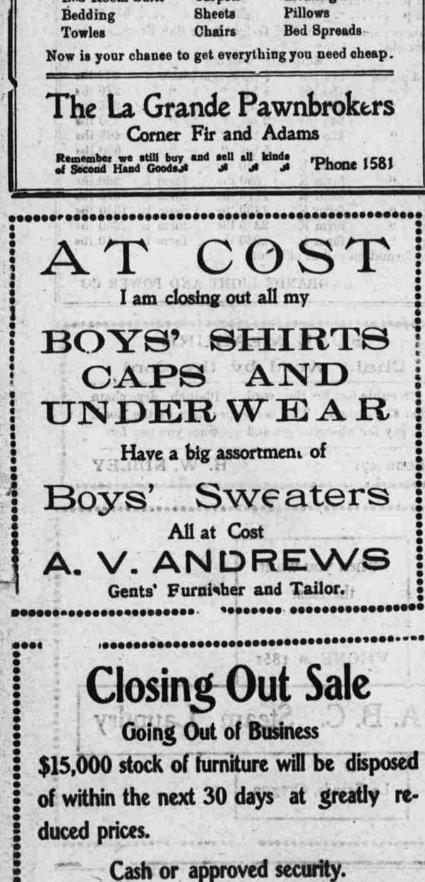
who resigned last month, and Con-

tractors E B and B W Riner, for irreg-

tion of sewers and several other mino

indictments were returned.





HOUSE FURNISHINGS

is hereby called to be held at the Council rooms in said City on Wednesday, the 11th day of January A D 1905 at the honr of eight o'clock p. m. of said day for the purpose of electing a E. ANDROSS Phone 9-1 Residence Phone 367 Chief of said Fire Department.

1202 Adams Ave

County Judge L A Rood presided at the meeting and George A Morgan actd as secretary.

MOVE TO

MISSOURI

El Paso, Jan. 5.-The headquarters

the Mormon church will some day

be located in Independence, Mo.,"

apostles of the Mormon church, while

"This dream seems now to become

comething ta gible. James G Duffin,

a bishop of our church, has bought

several thousand acres of land near In-

dependence for use of Mormon colon-

be a Mormon temple far more extensive

Lake. When this city and temple have

Mormon church will be moved from

Notice

Fire and Insurance Committee,

Of the Council City La Grande, Ore.

far from Kansas City.

Salt Lake."

Department.

Fire Department.

LADD CANYON

LITERARY

The Ladd Canyon Literary Society et Jan. 4 and rendered the followng program to a large audience

The question for debate was Resolved that foreign emmigration should be checked. The affirmative Mrs Braden, Mrs Couch, Leonard Peterson and Roy Peebler. Negative said John Henry Smith, one of the 12 Mr Curry, Mrs Braden and WO Sherwood. The question was decided in

here today. "The Mormon people favor of the negative. have long cherished the idea," he con- After a short recess After a short recess a very interesttinued. "Their great city should be ing progr m was rendered which was located in Independence, which is not as follows :

Recitation Ruth Peebler Song Mrs Henry Feeb'er Recitation Eugene Bantan . Duet...... V Crossen, L Phillips ists. This will be our vanguard and Recitation Lucy McClure in the course of time we will erect ther) a magnificent city which will be Beading Mrs Braden known as Zion, and in which there will Song Lens Ragain Recitation Roy Couch and more magnificent than in Salt Song Mre Couch After which the meeting adjourned been built the headquarters of the until next Wednesday evening.

Shicklin Killed

Baker City Jan 5-Constable George W Reynolds last night returned from Notice of election of Chief of Fire Durkee having in charge a man named To the Members of the La Grande John Wilson who is charged with threatening to kill a man named Shick-

Notice is hereby given that by order lin as the result of a quarrel. Judge f the Council of the City of La Grande Currey placed Wilson under \$200 of the Council of the City of La Grande Oregon, a convention of the members bonds to appear in court and plead . os the said La Grande Fire Department

Special Sale Mrs. T N Mnrphy is having a special sale on Out Gisss, Fancy China and Heating Stoves. Call and make your selections early. She has some great bargains. Sale from January 6 to 20th J 20.

TO THE PUBLIC

The rush of Holiday trade is over and business in general has got back to its normal condition, I wish to inform all my patrons, and those not my patrons but who are liable to be, that I am now in a position to take care of all watch, clock and jewelry repairing with dispatch. I have secured all the necessary help in all the latest tools and materials known to the trade, as well as the best workmen that money can procure.

All repair work is under my personal supervision and I guarantee each and every piece of work done to be finished in first class workmanlike manner, and to give (with roper attention) perfect satisfaction. All work sent by mail or express will receive the same careful attention as if delivered in person, and to be promptly returned in first class condition.

Thanking my patrons for their past liberal patronage and assuring them of my utmost ability to give them perfect satisfaction in the future. I remain J. H. PEARE, as ever.

Next to Newlin's Drug Store. La Grande's Leading Jeweler



Coughs are warnings of something amiss in throat or lungs. Don't mind the cough, mind the cause, Use a remedy that will go to the source of trouble and cure that. Such a remedy is our

White Pine Cough Balsam

It cures promptly and thoroughly because it cures in the right manner. Relieves irritation, heals inflamed sur-faces, loosens the cough, and seothes and strengthens while it cures. A splendid remedy for children because it is so good to cure and so good to take. Price 25 and 50 cents.

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