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Iron Beds,.....regular \$3.50 now \$2.65  
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Hard maple frame, woven springs,.. 3.00 now 1.95  
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Linoleum, only .....60c per yard.

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### THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Pursuant to the action of the city school board, the public schools of La Grande will open for work on the morning of September 11. At this time we wish to see every child of school age in the city in his proper place ready for a year of thorough and strenuous work. Years of experience have taught us that the best and most enduring results are attained only by those who enter on the opening day of school and are punctual and regular in attendance until its close.

Each pupil will be expected to present satisfactory evidence that he has passed from the grade below the one he desires to enter. Those not in possession of such evidence will not be admitted without submitting to an examination in the work of the grade next below the grade he desires to enter or unless he is vouched for personally by last teacher. This regulation is necessary to preserve the high standard in our school system, and teachers are instructed to enforce same rigidly, making no exceptions without consulting the superintendent.  
J. M. MARTIN, Supt.

### Rev. Mower

Rev. H. H. Mower, the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, preached his first sermon yesterday morning. His text was John 15:8, "Herein is my father glorified, that ye bear much fruit."

There was a splendid attendance and all were delighted in the able and scholarly manner in which the subject was handled.

Rev. Mower was raised and educated in the state of Pennsylvania. He is a college graduate, also a graduate of the Union Biblical seminary of Dayton, Ohio. He has been in the ministry fifteen years, seven of which he was pastor in Lebanon City, Penn., a city of 20,000. Four years ago he was transferred to the Idaho conference. The past two years he has been assigned the charge at Nampa, Idaho. When he first went there the church membership was 140, and his reports to the conference which convened a few weeks ago showed a membership of 280.

He is delighted with our city and enters upon his work with enthusiasm. His family, which consists of a wife and six children, are expected to arrive this evening, and a cordial welcome awaits them.

### Engraved Stock

We are prepared to furnish our patrons with the finest engraved cards and announcements at the same prices less postage, that you send away for your work. Call and see our samples  
THE OBSERVER

### Work Tonight

The Knights of Pythias will have work in the third rank this evening immediately following the opening of lodge. All members are requested to be present.

### NEW SHOP

We have purchased the I. Harris Meat Market north of the railroad and are now open for business. We make a specialty of fresh and cured meats. Use your telephone, call up Main 16, and we will deliver your order promptly any time during the day.

Harris Meat Market  
**Brooks & Rohr**

Telephone Main 16

### Sacred Heart Academy

La Grande, Oregon

This institution is conducted by the sisters of St. Francis, and affords excellent educational advantages. Classical, Literary and Scientific Courses are taught, also Music, Drawing and Painting according to the latest methods. Preparing young ladies for the profession of teaching a specialty.

Classes will be resumed September 5.  
For terms and other particulars, address

Sister Superior

### To Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization will meet at the office of the county clerk, at the courthouse, in La Grande, Oregon, on Monday September 25, 1905, and continue in session for 6 days.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 1st day of September, 1905.

J. H. MORTON,  
Assessor for Union county.

### TAKE NOTICE

Phone Red 971, Old Town store for wood (30 days time given). Cheapest Groceries and Provisions in the city. New stock and full line of feed.

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Sept 1 E. J. ATKINSON

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### Incredible Brutality

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "but a fearful gush over his eye, so I applied Knoben's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and nicks too. Only 25c at Newlin Drug Co. drug store.

### A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klotz, of Edina Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these Tablets are without a peer. For sale by Newlin Drug Co.

### Startling Mortality

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 15 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Newlin Drug Co. druglet.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon, on October 4, 1905, viz: H. E. No. 912, Sam A. Crowner, of Starkey, Oregon, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 5, Tp. 48, R. 35 E. W. M.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: B. L. Burnett, J. F. Aulden, A. J. Sullivan, Minnie Landess all of Starkey, Oregon.  
E. W. Davis, Register

### ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER

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### The Eastern Oregon Agricultural Association

OCTOBER 3 TO 9, INCLUSIVE

### RELAY RACE FOR LADY RIDERS

Ladies only, Purse \$350.

CONDITIONS OF RELAY RACE

There must be three starters. Riders must go four miles each day, changing horses every mile. Race begins Tuesday afternoon. Best total time for 20 miles wins

First Money, \$200; \$100 for Second; \$50 for Third;

Entries for this race required to give name of rider, names and description of the four horses they will ride, and file the same with the secretary. After the race starts no substitution of horses will be allowed except in case of accident, and then on the decision of the judges. Riders will be allowed two attendants for their mounts, and will each have a paddock to hold four horses, no assistance will be allowed in mounting. Horses for relay race will be on the grounds before noon of Oct. 2, for inspection by judges. Use of track permitted preceding the week of fair at hours prescribed by track manager. No entrance fee.

Entry to this race will close Sept. 20,  
**FRED J. HOLMES, Secretary.**  
Entry for this race will be taken only at riders risk. This association will use all precaution to avoid accidents, but will not be responsible therefor.

ESTABLISHED

1855

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## The La Grande National Bank

Report of condition, May 29, 1905

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts ..	\$571,039 10	Capital Stock .....	\$100,000 00
United States Bonds .....	25,000 00	Surplus .....	20,000 00
Real Estate Furniture Fixt'	17,600 00	Undivided profits.....	34,909 10
Due from banks and U.S.tres	71,642 14	Circulation .....	25,000 00
Cash on Hand .....	45,045 35	Deposits.....	550,417 49
Total	\$730,326 59	Total	\$730,326 59

### OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

George Palmer, President.

F. L. Meyers, Cashier.

Geo. L. Cleaver, Assistant Cashier.

W. L. Brenholts, Assistant Cashier

J. M. Berry, A. B. Conley F. J. Holmes F. M. Byrkit

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