

BUYING DRUG STORE GOODS WITHOUT RISK

When you come to Hill's Pharmacy for any drug store article it is distinctly understood that in case your purchase does not fulfill our promises you may return it and WE WILL BUY IT BACK AT FULL PRICE—no arguments, no unpleasantness, no delay—your money is yours immediately upon request.

PERFECT RUBBER GOODS.

We thoroughly examine our RUBBER GOODS and sell none which are not perfect. HOT WATER BOTTLES, FOUNTAIN SYRINGES, BULB SYRINGES, ATOMIZERS, complete new stock, fully rubber, long wearing, stand hard usage.

A. T. HILL

Prescription Druggist LA GRANDE, OR

Call up Main 29 for

NEW WALNUTS ALMONDS
BLEACHED SULTANAS
Cluster Raisins Muscatel Raisins
Citron and Lemon Peel
Dates Figs

Heinz Mince-meat

BAKER BROS.

PHONE MAIN 29 Adams Ave.

Now is the accepted time

To do Your Christmas Shopping

We Have the Goods
BOOKS, DOLS, GLOVES, ETC
Presents for old and young

E. M. Wellman & Company

ADAMS AVENUE

We have a number of hogs on hand, and we are prepared to furnish a few well bred Poland China Gilts at reasonable prices. Bred to our three herd boars. We also have both ball and clean beardless barley

BLOKLAND BROS

Island City, Oregon
Breeders of BERKSHIRE and POLANDCHINA SWINE.

Call us up on Long Distance phone 2964, also on the Farmers Line

Wood! Wood! Wood!

Good dry wood delivered to any part of the city.

ANY LENGTH, ANY KIND,

Special prices on quantity orders. No order too large or too small

James Beavers, Red 1441

Service

This drug store tries to serve every customer so well that they will not think of going elsewhere for drug store goods.

A. T. HILL, Prescription Druggist

Practical Gunsmith

Repairs Strictly Firstclass Guns re-stocked Keys fitted to door Locks

WM. AGNEW

Adams Avenue

HOLLAND WOMEN AND THEIR COWS

In that Land of Plenty the cow is made one of the Family

Many centuries ago a crusty old ascetic named Saint Columba, came over to Scotland to convert the wild tribes to his religious way of thinking. He located on the island of Iona, and the first decree he issued was that the people should have no cows. The reason assigned is characteristic of all gloomy celibates who spend their lives in secluded monasteries. "Where there is a cow there will be a woman," said Saint Columba, "and where there is a woman there will be mischief." As the result of this stupid and fanatical outgiving to the Ionsians were deprived of the supreme luxury which comes from keeping cows. It is true, as this ancient ascolyte remarked, that wherever there is a cow there will be a woman, but what finer combination was ever brought together, a union of the two chief blessings bestowed on man? Wherever there is a cow there ought to be a woman, and wherever there is a woman we naturally look around for the cow. They compliment each other; they belong in the same category of usefulness and gentleness. A woman can get more milk from a cow than a man. Cows hate men and will kick them. No cow ever kicks a woman or steps in her milk bucket. Successful dairy people know this quite well, and are now employing women to do their milking. The cow yields readily to the gentle voice of woman, and likes to have her udder stroked by a woman's soft hand. Man's brusque ways and rough hands startle her, and his hoarse voice is not agreeable when it wakens Brindle from her dreams of clover and bran mush.

Holland is a country where the cow and the woman reign supreme. The cows indeed, are a part of the family, and one of the latter always sleeps in the stable to watch. The cow stable is generally a large building, paved with brick, upon which the cows lie in the absence of straw, which is scarce. There is a brick paved passage down the center, at the end of which is a fireplace and the windows are covered with white curtains, as dainty as those used in the house proper. Sometimes the entire family will gather in the stable in the evenings, enjoying the warmth of the fire and exchanging the talk of the day, while the cattle, always placed with their heads facing the central passage, chew their cud and almost seem to enjoy the human companionship. Surely the imagination of poet nor artist ever conjured up a more domestic scene than this. The woman and the cow in close juxtaposition the woman busy with her knitting needles, that emblem of peace and affection, and the cow gazing on with her lustrous eyes waiting patiently to be milked. Burns must have had this scene in view when he wrote his infinitely tender "Cotter's Saturday Night." Yes, cows love women, and for the same reason that all other living things love them, and the dairy proves, as few other places do, what great factors love and kindness are in all the affairs of life.

The Dutch are a happy people, and nothing contributes more to their enjoyment than their home-like herds of cows. They are also an important factor in the national prosperity, few countries excelling Holland in the output of superior milk and butter. Because of the fertility of the pasturage and the care taken in their keep, the cows are capable of giving large yields of rich milk. In no place in the world are cows made as much of, and from the annual yield of butter it would seem that the care is not taken vain.

Farmers Attention

When you want the Newlin Drug Company over the Vergere telephone just ask Central for No. 4.

The OBERVIER has taken a number of orders for engraved visiting cards as a result of the advertising we have been doing for the past two weeks. Those wishing extra fine work should give us a call and see our line of samples before ordering.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between J. A. Garity & Ben Brown known under the firm name as J. A. Garity & Company has been dissolved. All parties knowing themselves indebted to the above named firm will please call at their office and settle before January 1st, 1906, as all accounts must be settled by that time.

J. A. GARITY,
BEN BROWN.



Christmas Day

is the hardest day in the year on your wife. After looking after the dinner and other meals she is too tired to get any enjoyment out of the holiday. Why not give her a chance.

Fat Your Dinner Here

It certainly will be as well cooked and served as any you could get at home. It will save your wife a lot of trouble and worry. It will save you considerable money, too. Try it this year, anyway.

The Model Restaurant

J. A. Arbuckle, Proprietor

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT We sell weekly meal tickets for \$4.50

CANDIES CANDIES

A box of our candies is what you want for the holidays. Our pure chocolates and bonbons are the best in town—better than imported candies they are made every day.

Special for Holidays

Best hand rolled chocolates 50¢ a lb.
Other grades 40¢ a lb.
Full cream caramels none better 40¢ a lb.
California nougats 25¢ a lb.
Taffy, all flavors 25¢ a lb.
Lump and Drop candy 16¢ a lb.
Watch for display of a full line of toys.

SELDER, The Candy Man

J. R. OLIVER, UNION COUNTY ABSTRACTS

Farm Loans a Specialty

Best equipped abstractor in Union county. Many years experience with the Union county records gives me a great advantage. It is folly to purchase real estate without first securing a proper abstract. An abstract from my office will show the title just as it appears on the official record.

J. R. OLIVER,
LA GRANDE, OREGON
Room 31 Sommer Building

Saved By Dynamite

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe, for sale by Newlin Drug Co. Price 50¢ and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

All women should strive to be beautiful. Beauty rules mankind. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea brings red lips, bright eyes and cream-like complexion. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. NEWLIN DRUG CO.

Always Accommodating

You will always find us accommodating. Try us and see if we are not ever ready to oblige, and our prices are right.

A. T. HILL, prescription druggist

SIEGRIST & CO.

The Largest Stock of

HOLIDAY GOODS

Ever in Eastern Oregon



\$15,000 STOCK

Of beautiful, useful and desirable things to select Xmas Presents from for your friends.

This showing of our enormous stock of new holiday goods is by far the most handsome ever in La Grande. We would like to have everyone know they are welcome to visit our store at all times and look around. We will be glad to be at your service if only to show and explain our up-to-date stock to you. Our goods are dependable and our prices are the lowest. Special inducements to early shopper and you will see our stock before the inducements are broken.

Cut Glass

makes a beautiful and useful gift for your relatives or friends. Examine our glass and notice the cut, color and thickness. You will all have our glass.

Hand Painted China

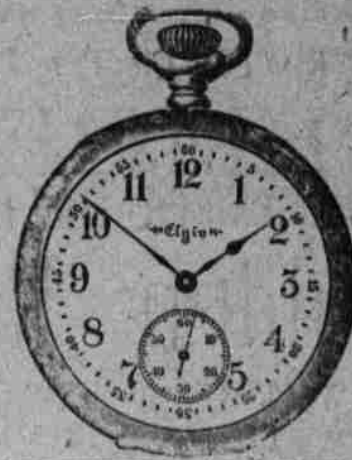
That is hand painted. We have no china to use as a bait, every piece warranted.

WATCHES

That will keep time. What will please your boy or girl more than their first watch and what is more serviceable to an older person? Our prices are the lowest. Here

Elgin or Waltham
Watch for \$5.50

Twenty-year gold
watches for \$9.50



DIAMONDS

You all want and we will sell you a perfect stone for less money than any catalogue house. You should call and examine our stock of diamonds and let us explain just how you can make money by buying of us.

Jewelry of Every Description

Rings, Stick Pins, Broaches, Chains, Cuff Links, Emblem Pins and other things you want

The Jewelry business we know and when we warrant goods we know they will give satisfaction. You must trust the Jeweler in buying Jewelry and he must know gold from inferior goods. You take no chances when you buy of us. We have no side line and must have your confidence and good will.

Watch our advertisements as we have bargains for you and we will also keep you posted on up-to-date goods.

SIEGRIST & CO.

Reliable Jewelers

Next Door to Postoffice LA GRANDE, OR.

Kindergarten Work

Is there any young lady who would like to take a training from 10 to 11 each morning? If so please call upon Mrs. J. M. Agnew at Kindergarten room.

IN A HURRY? THEN CALL WM. REYNOLDS THE TRANSFER MAN

He will take that trunk to the Depot or your home in less time than it takes to tell it.

Wagon always at your service

Charges moderate. Day phone. B 1792, night phone. P 12.

Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Jen'ie Hensen deceased. Any and all persons having claims against said estate, are requested to present the same properly verified to the undersigned as such Administrator, at his office in the Foley Hotel Block in La Grande, Oregon.

Dated Nov 14th, 1905.
Wm. B. SARGENT,
Administrator of the estate of Jen'ie Hensen, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that Alice Ladd, executrix of the last will of Louis DePetrie, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate, and the Court, Court of Union County, Oregon, has set Tuesday, the second day of January, A. D., 1906, at two o'clock, p. m., for hearing of such report and all objections thereto.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 1st day of December, A. D., 1905.
ALICE LADD, Executrix.