

**The Farmers and Traders
National Bank**
of La Grande Oregon
NO. 4452

Capital	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus	14,000 00
Liability of Shareholders	60,000.00
Total	\$134,000.00

For the protection of its depositors! Depositors of this Bank are accorded such liberal treatment as shall be in keeping with the character and value of their accounts. We would be pleased to have your account.

JOSEPH PALMER, PRESIDENT. J. W. SCRIBER, CASHIER.
G. E. McCULLY, ASST. CASHIER. T. J. SCROGGIN, ASST. CASHIER.

**FARMS FOR SALE
IN THE GRANDE RONDE VALLEY**

- 200 Acres with good improvements, all tillable land, 3 miles from railroad station and 14 miles from La Grande Oregon. Price \$40 per acre
- 400 acres with good improvements, nearly all tillable land, about three miles from the railroad and 14 miles from La Grande. Price \$38 per acre
- 180 Acres about 3 miles from the railroad and 14 miles from La Grande. No buildings. Price \$35 per acre
- 200 Acres, one mile from the town of Summerville, 15 miles north of La Grande and 3 miles from the railroad. All tillable land. No buildings. Price \$35 per acre
- 50 Acres, same class land as the above and adjoining. Price \$35 per acre
- 480 Acres, 2 miles from the railroad and 15 miles from La Grande. Good barn and small house, well watered. All good land. Price \$42 per acre
- 65 Acres, three and half miles from La Grande, all under cultivation. No buildings. Price \$75 per acre
- 160 Acres, 6 miles from La Grande. Good grain land. No buildings. Price \$25 per acre
- 160 Acres, 12 miles from La Grande, 2 miles from the railroad, first class improvements. Price \$65 per acre
- 1000 Acres 9 miles from La Grande, nearly all in cultivation, all good land. Price \$55,000.00

La Grande Investment Co.
FOLEY HOTEL BUILDING LA GRANDE, OR

Union Woolen Mills Indian Robes

We have received a consignment of Union Fleece Wool Indian Robes which we have on sale. These robes are suitable for couch covers, steamer robes and ornamental for Indian corners. The price range is from \$5.50 up

HENRY & CARR

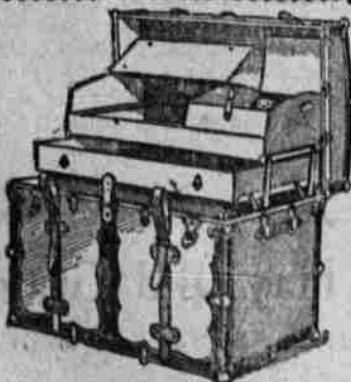
HOUSE FURNISHERS AND UNDERTAKERS
Phone No. 821. J. C. Henry, residence 664 J. J. Carr, residence 586

**Just Received by W. H. Bohnenkamp a beautiful
LINE OF CHRISTMAS ROCKERS**

From 75c up

The finest display of China and Glass
in the city. See the Ten Cent Table

W. H. BOHNENKAMP,



**ROMADKA
READY ACCESS TRUNK**

RAISING the cover brings every corner within reach without removing trays. Saves at the time of an ordinary trunk to pack or unpack. Easy to operate. Nothing to get out of order. Will stand all the knocks and hard usage of traveling. Costs no more than a common trunk. 24 styles at \$5.00 and up.

**BARGAINS THIS
WEEK**

- Fifty dollar Camera and outfit 4x5 and 5x7 for \$15.00
- Reed Rockers, Fine for Christmas. Others Ash \$12. We want \$9.00
- 1 50-gallon pressure water tank, used a short time, cost \$28 new, for \$6.50
- 50-piece Flowered Dinner Set \$3.65
- 20 per cent discount on all Heaters. We mean this as we want to close them out.

F. D. Haisten,
PHONE: RSD 1161
Highest prices paid for Second Hand Goods.

AMUSEMENTS

The Whitman College Glee Club will appear in this city December the 26. This club is accredited with being one of the best organizations this College has ever sent out. Those who enjoy listening to college songs and college music should not miss this entertainment. The Walla Walla papers have only words for the Whitman College Glee Club.

WILL NOT VISIT LA GRANDE

Manager Steward received a telegram last evening from the manager of the University of Oregon Glee Club stating that the club would not appear in this city. The reason ascribed is that on account of the smallpox epidemic which had appeared among the students of Eugene it was thought best to discontinue the tour.

HAS REAL MERIT

In a recent lecture, Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall characterized Ibsen's greatest drama "Ghosts" as a "dramatic sermon." The eminent psychologist insists that in it, Ibsen preaches the greatest sermon that was ever delivered to the world. In this opinion many of the clergy do not agree with Dr. McIvor-Tyndall, however, as they denounce the play as "Immoral." "Ghosts" will be presented at the Stewards Opera House on Friday Dec. 16, and the public will have an opportunity to decide the question for themselves. Harry Mestayer, who assumes the role of the artist Oswald, is said by critics to give the best interpretation of the youth who was "afflicted from his birth" that has ever been presented.

A SPLENDID TESTIMONIAL

It gives me very great pleasure to say that the Adams Sisters gave one of their entertainments under auspices of the Congregational Church at Forest Grove, and that it was not only lucrative, but from first to last gave perfect satisfaction. Their entertainments are so fresh and buoyant and withal so genuinely humorous and whole-souled that one could listen to them often with great interest. Aside from being unique, it is worth much more than the price of admission for its chaste, artistic and delightful interpretation of recitation and song. Not the least recommendation for them, in my estimation, is the fact that they are devoted, earnest Christian women, and love the interests of the Kingdom more than anything else. I recommend them to the confidence, fellowship and love of the pastors and churches everywhere as being in every way worthy of patronage—Rev. Gophas F. Clapp, Supt. Congregational H. M. S. M. E. Church, Dec. 18.

JUST THINKETS

Be sure of the foundation before attempting to put a bluff.

Even the church bell repeats all it is tolled.

If you would make your friends weary talk continually about yourself and your affairs.

The man who is always going to do a lot of great things usually ends by doing a few small ones.

After a girl has acquired a beau the first thing she does is to look in his watchcase to see if it contains another girl's picture.

ORDINANCE NO. 320 SERIES 1905

An ordinance vacating alleys running east and west through Blocks one (1) four (4) and five (5), in O'Conner's Addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon.

The City of La Grande does ordain as follows:—

Section 1. All the alleys extending east and west through blocks numbered one (1), four (4) and five (5), in O'Conner's Addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon, are hereby vacated, upon the petition of all the owners of said blocks.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be published for one issue of the La Grande Evening Observer, and shall be in full force and effect from and after the 20th day of December, 1905.

Passed by the Council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, on the 15th day of December, 1905, by 4 Councilmen voting therefor, and no Councilmen voting against its passage.

Attest:—I. R. Snook, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.
Approved this 15th day of December, 1905. J. D. SLATER, Mayor.

The price of a pretty face is \$1.00—three packages of Hallister's Rocky Mountain Tea brings red lips, bright eyes and lovely color. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. NEWLIN DRUG CO.

All women should strive to be beautiful. Beauty rules mankind. Hallister'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



**The Finest Xmas
decorations**

For House or home are our new wall papers of the best vogue, both in design and coloring. Better have your home made beautiful against the coming Christmas. Our prices are low and beyond reproach.

STANIELS & JARMAN,
Red 1511



**Early
Advice**

When you wish a nice juicy roast or a tender steak, or a piece of boiling meat or pot roast, just phone Main 48 and you will soon have exactly what you desire.

J. BULL & Company

Phone Main 8. Remember phone is on the directory as Boss Meat Market Main 48.

WOOD SAW

Your wood sawed with steam saw at 40 cents a cord, if you have ten cord or over, under ten cord only 50 cents per cord. I come when I promise and satisfaction guaranteed
DROP ME A POSTAL

J. S. VANDORFY,

Practical Plumber

Repairs Strictly First-class
Cups restocked
Keys fitted to door Locks

WM. AGNEW
Adams Avenue

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.

Day phone Red 761
Night phone Black 1972
Wagon always at your service

J. L. MARS,

Contractor and Builder
Dealer in Building Material
La Grande, Oregon
Drop a line naming work, and I will name the right price.



Yes, They are good!
What every man says with each puff of a VISTA GRADA cigar. It's the best for the money that can be procured, and you can get more enjoyment from his luxurious smoke than from any cigar made and sold at the same figure. Try one and you will never make any other, manufactured by
C. E. HACKMAN,
Factory Corner Adams Avenue and Greenwood Street. Red 1641

FOR WINTER WASHING

Our new machinery and additional help will enable us to do family washing CHEAPER, QUICKER and BETTER than you can do it yourself. We call for and deliver your laundry quickly and make specialty of rush order work. Give us a trial and you will not be bothered through the winter with family washing.

**A. B. C.
STEAM LAUNDRY**

PHONE Main 7
La Grande, Oregon.

We have a number of hogs on hand, and we are prepared to furnish a few well bred Poland China Glits at reasonable prices. Bred to our three herd bars. 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 2063, also on the Farmers Line

LA GRANDE IRON WORKS

Complete Machine Shops and Foundry
General Blacksmith, Horse Shoeing and Wagon Work. Manufacturer of The Fitzgerald Roller Feed Mill.

D. FITZGERALD,
PROPRIETOR

FOR WINTER FEED

PHONE MAIN 6 VERGERE PHONE

The Grande Ronde Cash Company is in a position to offer the best there is. Fresh Steam Rolled Barley, Timothy and Wild Hay, and all kinds of Grain and Chopped Feed.

WOOD AND COAL DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF CITY
Grande Ronde Cash Company,
Jefferson Avenue

STEWARDS' OPERA HOUSE

D. H. STEWARD, Proprietor and Mgr

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

OLIVER MOROSCO

OFFERS
MR. HARRY MESTAYER
In HENRIK IBSEN'S great play of Heredity

"GHOSTS"

The play that has aroused more discussion on two continents than any other that was ever written.

A wonderful soul reaching performance—Mestayer a great young actor.—Louisville Courier-Journal.
"Never has any play created such a sensation in Los Angeles."—Los Angeles Examiner.

The most brilliant dramatic performance of the season.—Chicago News.

PRICES—Lower Floor 75c. and \$1.00. Boxes \$1.50. Gallery 25c and 50c. Seats on sale Wednesday at Van Buren