

**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.
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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.
- 160 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 25 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 55 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 \$6.50 up

HENRY & CARR
HOUSE FURNISHERS AND UNDERTAKERS

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**Just Received by W. H. Bohnenkamp a beautiful
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The finest display of China and Glass
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READY ACCESS TRUNK**

Raising the cover brings every corner within reach without removing trays. Saves 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 of.....\$5.00 and up.

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WEEK**

Fifty dollar Camera and outfit 4x5 and 5x7 for \$16.00
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.

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Highest prices paid for Second Hand Goods.

**PROPERTY
PROPERLY
DIVIDED**

Dramatic Dissolution of Greek Partnership

Bangor, Me.—Gerelomo Pasquinnel and Giuseppe Pasquinnel, sons of Ital, and Giuseppe, recently dissolved partnership in a dramatic manner. For years they had acted in the same tone, one denegating, served to carry the vital stake, two trusts and the last out of it, then Gerelomo and Giuseppe divided crumb and crust alike, each for mesh, each had an equal share in the two nets with which they fished and for every strand in the intricate gear that Giuseppe owned Gerelomo owned a strand. Equal owners, everything and share and share alike in toil, hardships and profits, when the rule under which the partnership flourished, a few days ago the quarrelled for 24 hours neither would speak to the other. Gerelomo sent a central hand an offer to buy out Giuseppe, Giuseppe replied with an offer to buy out Gerelomo. Another 24 hours of silence. A meeting was arranged and at the appointed time the estranged partners met.

After 11 hours of violent discussion a plan of settlement was agreed upon. They would spread the assets of the firm on fishermen's wharf and with axe and saw make a literal division of the property owned in common. Every disengaged Greek an Italian fisherman of the local color, gathered on the wharf to witness the ceremony of dissolving partnership. A committee was appointed to see fair play.

First came the nets. "There are two nets. Better take one apiece," suggested one of the committee. This did not suit the dissolving partners. One net might be a little better than the other, and the one drawing the better net would have more than his share.

The committee stepped back and allowed Giuseppe and Gerelomo to carry out the ceremony in their own way. The nets were spread on the wharf and with a sharp knife Gerelomo divided one lengthways, making a 1/2 division, but rendering each half useless. Giuseppe performed a similar operation on the other net. The ropes lying in neat coils, were then divided by severing the coils in half. The bars were split down the center one sliver going on Giuseppe's junk pile and the other on Gerelomo's heap.

The division of the boat hook presented a problem that was solved by throwing that article of equipment into the bay. The boat, drawn up on the ways, was then attacked with a cross-cut saw.

As they watched this destruction of treasured property the assembled fishermen had worked themselves into a frenzy, which reached white heat when they realized that a boat, stout, sound and of good reputation, was about to be sacrificed. At the second stroke of the saw the partners were seized and dragged to a near by resort and persuaded that the community fully realized the contempt in which each held the other, but that the destruction of the boat would not be permitted.

The boat was offered for sale, the purchaser paid the price to the committee and Giuseppe and Gerelomo received each one half. They accepted whole coils. The crowd dispersed and the dissolving partners walked slowly down the street. Face to face they stood for a moment. Each made a half turn. Giuseppe walked away on a northerly course. Gerelomo when last seen was headed due south.

**Religious Revival in Montpelier, Ind.,
Brings Much Piety Out of
Unholiness.**

Hartford City, Ind.—Montpelier, a small town nine miles north of this city, is in the throes of religious excitement. Revival meetings are being held in three of the big churches and there are besides a number of home prayer meetings each night. For months these services have been in progress and many conversions have been made.

Prayer bands have been organized among the young men of that city and each night they hold services in the downtown district, selecting the saloons oftentimes as the place of meeting.

The climax was reached when a special car on the Muncie, Hartford City & Fort Wayne Interurban road was chartered and a number of those who had been converted were taken to Muncie and baptized in the ice cold waters of a small gravel pit.

STOCK HOLDER'S MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the stock holders of La Grande Real Estate Association will meet in the office of Wm Miller & Bro. on Monday, January 15th 1906, at 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
Wm MILLER, President.



**As a Christmas
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A supply of Sherwin-Williams paint will prove a valuable medium for giving your rooms a new dress in autumn fashion of the coming holiday season when you want your home to look its best. Our paint is the best made. Ready to use, any shade, permanent and lasting.

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Drop a line naming work, and I will name the right price.



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