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cations. Office in Foley Bldg.
LA GRANDE, OREGON

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
Notice is hereby given that there will
be a meeting of the stockholders of the
La Grande National bank at the La
Grande National bank building in the city
of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, on
Tuesday, January 9, 1906, at two
o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing
a board of nine directors, and any other
business the transaction of which shall
legally come before this meeting.
F. L. MEYERS, Cashier.
Dated this 11 day of December, 1905

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Hollow grind
Your Skates**

C. L. SMITH
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sults. Try one today.

**FOR RELIABLE ABSTRACTS OF
TITLES** go to the La Grande Invest-
ment Company, La Grande, Ore., in
Foley building.

FOR SALE—The A. V. Oliver four lots
on Jefferson Avenue, including plat-
form scales, one hundred and ten foot
porch running back to railroad track
G. H. Powers, the Minnesota land man.

FORTY ACRE TRACT of ground near
La Grande, for rent with good build-
ings, and fine soil. Price from Dec. 1st
1905 to March 1st, 1907, \$225. LA
GRANDE INVESTMENT CO.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—Any amounts
on city and country real estate. Loans
closed promptly, as soon as title is ap-
proved. LA GRANDE INVESTMENT COM-
PANY

LOST—Dragon stick pin with a diamond
and pearl setting. Finder please re-
turn to Dr. F. E. Moore and receive re-
ward.

LOST—Small black purse containing \$10
bill and two \$5 gold pieces. Finder re-
turn to this office and receive reward

FOR RENT—C. J. McLean house on
Washington Avenue. Call up Phone
Red 1712.

WANTED—Atonce girl for housework
Good wages. Inquire at this office
or J. W. Scriber.

FOR RENT—Four room house, block of
ground, small orchard. Apply on prem-
ises near brick yard, Mrs. MOLLIE
WEAVER.

WANTED—Bright boy desires a place
where he can work for his board and
go to school. Inquire of Mrs. MOLLIE
WEAVER, near brick yard.

FOUND—A boy's light colored hat was
found and brought to this office. Own-
er may obtain by proving property.

LOST HORSE—A liberal reward will be
paid for the return or information lead-
ing to the return of one steel gray horse
branded V on left thigh, and has a white
face. Was last seen near Mt. Emley last
October. T. N. BAKER, La Grande, Ore

STRAYED—There is at my place a red
steer between one and two years old,
branded 11 on right hip, swallow fork
on right and swallow bit on left ear.
G. W. Bartmess, on Rock Creek.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, two suitable
for housekeeping and two bedrooms.
Inquire of Mrs. W. J. Snodgrass, No.
804 Fourth street.

LOST—Gold bracelet on Adams Ave.
Sunday between 2 St. and Tele-
phone office. Finder please return to
Telephone office.

LODGE DIRECTORY

EAGLES—La Grande Aerie 259 F. O.
E. meets every Friday night in Redmen
Hall, Lewis Building at 8 p. m. Visiting
brethren invited to attend.
J. E. POLLOCK, W. S.

J. A. MATOTT, W. P.
I. O. O. F.—La Grande Lodge No. 16,
meets in their hall every Saturday night.
Visiting brothers cordially invited to at-
tend. Cemetery plot may be seen at
Model Restaurant. JAMES MOSS, N. G.
I. R. SNOOK, Sec.

STAR ENCAMPMENT, No. 31, I. O.
O. F.—Meets every first and third Thurs-
days in the month in Odd Fellows hall.
Visiting patriarchs always welcome.
I. R. SNOOK, C. P.

EDMOND ROBINSON, Scribe.
EASTERN STAR, O. E. S.—Hope
Chapter No. 15 meets the second and
fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30
p. m. in Masonic Temple.
MERTIE ALDRICH, W. M.
MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

M. W. A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703
meets every first and third Wednesday
of the month at I. O. O. F. hall. All
visiting neighbors are cordially invited to
attend.
E. REISLAND, V. G.
JOHN HALL, Clerk.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA—Court
Maid Marion No. 22 meets each Thurs-
day night in I. O. R. M. hall. Brothers
are invited to attend.
CHAS. BARTMESS, Chief Ranger.
C. S. WILLIAMS, Fin. Sec.
Board of Trustees—Dr. G. L. Biggers,
John Hall and Herbert Pratt.

FRIENDSHIP TENT No. 31, K. O. T.
M.—Meets second and third Wednesdays
each month in I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting
knights welcome.
G. T. WEISENBERGER, Com.
Mox Bloch, Record Keeper.

L. O. T. M. HIVE No. 27.—Meets every
first and third Thursdays in the after-
noon at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting
ladies are welcome.
LADY PORTER, Commander.
HAZEL BARNES, Recording Secretary.

B. P. O. E.—LA GRANDE LODGE No.
453—Meets each Thursday evening at
eight o'clock in Elks hall, on Adams Ave-
nue. Visiting Brothers are cordially in-
vited to attend.
F. S. IVANKHOE, Exalted Ruler.
G. E. McCULLY, Recording Secretary.

LA GRANDE LODGE No. 169,
WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Meets
2d and 4th Thursday of each month in
the I. O. O. F. hall over postoffice. All
visiting members welcome.
W. W. BERRY, Consul Commander.
J. K. WRIGHT, Clerk.

PEABODY MAY BE THE NEXT

**Says He has Direct Know-
ledge that He is
Marked.**

Denver, Colo., Jan. 4.—According to an
interview given out by James H. Peabody,
ex-governor of Colorado and his adjutant,
Sherman Bell, they have been threatened
with the same fate that overtook ex-Gov-
ernor Steunenberg, of Idaho, who was
blown to pieces with a dynamite bomb as
he entered his gate Saturday night. Both



claim to have direct knowledge that they
have been marked for death by certain
miners who object to their method of law
enforcement and they declare that oaths
have been taken to put them out of the
way. Mr. Peabody was seen in his bank
at Canyon City today and said:

"I have no doubt Steunenberg was
killed by miners and that I am marked
for the same fate I have no doubt,
but I shall protect myself."

ALASKA'S OUTPUT OF GOLD

(Scripps News Association)

Washington, Jan. 4.—Beyond doubt the
Alaska-Yukon Exposition in Seattle in
1907 will mark the beginning of a new
era in affairs Alaskan. That's what
Consul Ravndal, of Dawson, Yukon, says
officially to the department of commerce
and labor of the exposition. He was re-
porting on the wonderful output of gold in
Alaska during the year beginning October
15, 1904, and ending October 15, 1905,
and the new era he speaks of is one in
which he expects to see Alaska surpass
Colorado and even California in gold pro-
duction.

Despite early frosts which cut short
the crop, the value of the output for the
past year is estimated by the consul at
\$14,000,000. The season previous it
was about \$9,000,000 and the season
before that only \$6,000,000.

This is the way he figures out that
production. Down in the southeastern
"panhandle" and the Alexander Archi-
pelago, the output is placed at a million
and a half. Most of this came from the
famous Treadwell quartz plants on Doug-
las Island.

Frosts held the Seward peninsula pro-
duction down to \$4,600,000. Things
have been booming as nowhere else in
the Tanana Valley, where \$6,500,000
was washed out. Fairbanks, the surprise
of the season, has a strenuous rival town,
bearing the name of Roosevelt.

In the next few years, the consul ex-
pects to see the population of Alaska in-
crease very rapidly and the wealth of this
country doubled.

FOUND—Between Dec. 10 and 15 on
passenger train between La Grande and
Pendleton. The purse contains money,
over \$40. Owner can have the name
by describing and proving property and
paying for this notice.
S. M. Massey, Kamela, Oregon.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is
simply liquid electricity. It goes to every
part of your body, bringing new blood,
strength and new vigor. It makes you
well and keeps you well. 35 cents.—
Newlin Drug Company.

FEAR FINGER PRINTS

**PUDDINGHEAD WILSON THEORY
TERROR OF CRIMINALS.**

**System Is Now Scotland Yard's Most
Efficient Method of Crime Detec-
tion—70,000 Sets Are Reg-
istered There.**

The thumb print theories of "Puddin'-
head Wilson" as set down by Mark
Twain have been seriously adopted by
England's criminologists, and the inter-
esting statement is made in the official
review of last year's crime in Great
Britain that at the close of 1903 there
were 60,000 sets of finger prints of crim-
inals registered with the police at New
Scotland Yard.

Since the official report was closed
some thousands of additional records
have been obtained, and the register is
now increased to about 70,000 sets. It is
growing at the average of 250 weekly.

The commissioner of police states that
as a system of crime detection it is show-
ing "excellent results." The system is
thoroughly established throughout Eng-
land and Wales, and many police officer
have come to London from the colonies
to study how it is worked at Scotland
Yard.

A wing of the Scotland Yard building
at Westminster is especially set apart
for his finger print museum. In the quiet-
ude of this block of offices Inspector
Gill and his staff are daily class-
ifying, pigeon-holing and reexamining
their prints of the finger tips of the hab-
itual criminals of the United Kingdom.

The record room is pigeon-holed elab-
orately, as a chemist puts away his
flasks; every criminal in his own
little receptacle; all criminals whose
finger prints show corresponding char-
acteristics brought together, until about
1,024 pigeon-holes have exhausted all
the subdivisions of finger characteristics
which the scientific examination of hu-
man fingers has been able to discover.

From this system must yield a com-
plete index to all professional crim-
inals—an index which is infallible, owing
to two established facts:

(a) Each individual's finger differs
materially from the fingers of all other
persons.

(b) The thin capillary ridges on the
tips of the fingers undergo no natural
change of characteristics from the cradle
to the grave.

Identifications are increasing annual-
ly. Last year the police tried the sys-
tem on race course thieves. A special
detective was sent to Epsom for Derby
week and also to Ascot. Finger prints
were taken of all persons arrested on
these courses. The impressions were
delivered at Scotland Yard the same
night, and in the morning the police
were able to inform the magistrates
that they had recognized 27 of the men
captured at Epsom as thieves and nine
at Ascot.

Scotland Yard is so pleased with this
achievement that finger print detection
will be continued annually at the chief
race meetings.

BIGGEST HEADS IN NORTH.

**Paper of Post Office Employees Gives
Curious and Amusing Facts
Regarding Clothing.**

Some curious and amusing facts are
described in an article on "Post Office
Clothing" in the current number of
"Martin's-le-Grand," the monthly or-
gan of the postal workers of England.

Thus it is related that the process of
measuring reveals the interesting psy-
chological truth that the farther north
one goes the bigger become the heads
and the feet of his majesty's liegemen.
It is conspicuous in Yorkshire and still
more marked in Scotland.

"Glaswegians may like to know that
the heads of postmen in their city are
the largest in the kingdom and our
northern friends must acquit us of any
intentional rudeness when truth com-
pels us to add that the feet of their
elegant boys also hold the record."

Over 500,000 garments are made ev-
ery year for the postal servants. From
Mount Pleasant are issued annually
87 miles of cloth, 303 miles of linings
besides 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 of buttons
and other details. It is said that by
our system of "fitting sizes" there re-
sults only two per cent of misfits,
which is justly claimed as a triumph.

SHIP-BUILDING FALLS OFF.

**Decrease in the Yards in the United
Kingdom Considerable—Fig-
ures for Five Years.**

From the report of Lloyd's Register
of British and Foreign Shipping for the
year ended June 30 it appears that at
that date 9,672 merchant vessels, regis-
tering 17,716,999 tons, held licenses as-
signed by the committee of Lloyd's Regis-
trary.

Of these ships 5,543 steamers and 825
sailing vessels are built of iron and steel
and 281 of wood and composite. During
the year 625 new vessels with a gross
tonnage of 1,079,045 were classed, 581 of
1,051,900 tons being steamers and 27,085
sailing ships. Of the total 749,965 tons,
or 69 per cent, were built for the United
Kingdom and 329,140 tons, or 31 per
cent, for foreign and colonial owners.

As compared with the figures for the
preceding 12 months there is a decrease
of 130,305 tons in the case of steamers
and 41,070 in the case of sailing vessels.
The total tonnages of the ships built in
the last five years are: 1899-1900,
1,255,799; 1900-1901, 1,355,311; 1901-
1902, 1,425,416; 1902-1903, 1,250,420; 1903-
1904, 1,079,045.

Advice to Wives.

Bad cooking, so a speaker told the
Parents' club, is responsible for many
divorces. Until the race is much more
highly developed the surest way to
reach and hold a man is to feed him
right.

AMUSEMENTS

TOMORROW NIGHT

"At Cripple Creek" will be the attrac-
tion at Steward's opera house. It is pro-
duced by E. J. Carpenter, and is con-
sidered by managers to be the best native
drama of western life that has been given
to the American stage for several de-
cades. It tells a pure, sweet story,
healthy in tone and bright in action. The
four scenes of the play are laid in a min-



ing camp among the Colorado mountains
and each act is expensively and hand-
somerly mounted, a carload of scenery be-
ing carried for the production.

It will be given by one of the strongest
companies ever engaged for a drama.
According to competent critics "At Crip-
ple Creek" has eclipsed all E. J. Carpen-
ter's former great successes. The stage
sets of this thrilling drama of Rocky
Mountain life are masterpieces of the
scene painter's art and the story is one
that will appeal to the heart of every
theatre goer.

HOT TIME IN THE JEWELRY BUSINESS

Sale closes Saturday night at 10 p. m.
sharp to wind up our sale. We have de-
cided to offer you such prices in watches
and jewelry that even the small boy can
afford to carry a standard watch. We
ask you to compare our prices with the
prices of other jewelers and catalogue
houses and you will find that you are not
only saving the regular jeweler's profit
but that you can purchase watches and
jewelry from us for less than the cata-
logue houses or jewelers can buy the
same goods. This is no bluff. Note the
following prices:

12 size B. W. C. Company gold filled
case, warranted by the maker to wear 20
years, fitted with a 15 jewel Elgin move-
ment. Complete \$9.80.

12 size Deuber 14 K hand engraved
hunting case, warranted by the maker to
wear 25 years fitted with 17 jewel ad-
justed Deuber movement. Complete \$14.

18 size royal hunting gold filled case,
warranted by the maker to wear 20 years,
fitted with Waltham movement. Comple-
te \$9.

18 size coin silver heavy open face case
fitted with 17 jewel adjusted Seth Thom-
as movement. Complete, \$7.

18 size hunting gold filled 5 year case
fitted with movement, \$2.50.

18 size open face screw case nickel,
fitted with 7 jewel movement, \$2.50.

18 size open face silver case fitted with
Waltham movement. Complete, \$5.

6 size hunting 5 year gold filled crown
case American jeweled movement, \$4.

16 size open face gold filled cases (only
standard make such as the royal Crescent
and Deuber guaranteed by the makers to
wear 20 years. \$3 to \$4.50.

16 size open face cases standard make,
hand engraved 14 K gold filled warranted
by the makers to wear 25 years, \$6.50.

16 size open face nickel (cases only)
screw case, 90c.

Regular \$1 alarm clocks, 60c.
Coo Coo clocks worth \$18, now \$5.

Filled rings worth from 50c to \$1.50,
now your choice, 30c.

Solid gold rings less than one half
former price, \$3, \$4 and \$5. Chains
now \$1.

Brooch pins, stick pins and all other
articles one half and in some instances
one fourth the original price.

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these goods as this stock must be closed
out. Remember these prices remain
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January 6, 1906.

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Rings	\$2.50 to \$8.00
Chains	50 to 6.00
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Charms	.75 to 2.50
Cuff Links	.75 to 2.50

Other pieces too numerous to
mention.

Edward Propeck

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Fall vegetables of all kinds at
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apples are especially full from
60c to \$1.00 a box. E dollar
box gets you the best apples to
found in town.
Watch for our new wagon which
goes by your door daily.

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ZUNDEL & LAWSON.

BRICK BRICK

Brick furnished in any quantity or any
style. No contract too small or to
large. See samples of our pressed
brick.

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La Grande, Oregon.

THE OXFORD BAR

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Complete assortment of
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Cold lunches and mixed drinks a
specialty. Fair and impartial
treatment to all. You are invited
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Hot and cold lunch at all hours.
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AND CIGARS**

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FINE
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AND CIGARS**

Gentlemen always Welcome
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