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ANNUAL MEETING

Of the shareholders of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande, will be held at their banking house in La Grande on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, 1906, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to select a board of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before said meeting.
 J. W. SCRIBER, Cashier of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of La Grande. Dated this 18th day of December 1905

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LOST CALVES—The undersigned will pay five dollars reward for the return or information leading to the return of one two year old brocked faced heifer branded quarter circle seven on right rib, ear marks unknown. Will also pay a liberal reward for the return or information leading to the recovery of one yearling brindle heifer calf with split in one ear. The first named animal never returned from the hills, the second left my place about the tenth or fifteenth of December, 1905. Address Ed STRINGHAM, La Grande, Oregon. Phone Farmer's line 196x6.

Methusala was all right, you bet For a good old soul was he, They say he would be living yet. Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea. NEWLIN DRUG CO.

PIANO TUNING

J. C. Ardrey, a former resident of this city, but now near Portland, is in the city. Mr. Ardrey is now in the piano tuning business, and those having instruments requiring attention can secure his services by leaving orders at Huelat's music store. Mr. Ardrey will be in La Grande only about ten days longer.

MAY LIVE 100 YEARS

The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at NEWLIN DRUG CO.'s drug store. Price only 50c.

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 attend. Cemetery plot may be seen at Model Restaurant.
 H. E. COOLIDGE, N. G. D. E. COX, Sec.
STAR ENCAMPMENT, No. 51, I. O. O. F.—Meets every first and third Thursdays 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. 7205 meets every first and third Wednesday of the month at I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
 C. S. WILLIAMS, V. C. JOHN HALL, Clerk.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA—Court Maid Marion No. 22 meets each Thursday night in I. O. O. F. 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 Pattison.

FRIENDSHIP TENT No. 21, K. O. T. M.—Meets second and third Wednesdays each month in I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting knights welcome.
 G. T. WEISBERGER, Com. MOX BLOCH, Record Keeper.

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

B. P. O. E. LA GRANDE LODGE No. 435—Meets each Thursday evening at eight o'clock in Elks hall, on Adams Avenue. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.
 F. S. IVANHOE, Exalted Ruler. G. E. McCOLLY, 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.

CODY EDUCATED THE ENGLISH RAILROADS

(Scripps News Association)
 Washington, Jan. 16.—"I did some educational work with the railroads in England and France and showed them how to make some extra revenue by a plan common enough over here, but which, it seems they had never considered," remarked "Buffalo Bill" at the New Willard hotel.
 "What I put them onto was our Yankee scheme of running excursions and making cheap rates. The first provincial town I was to show in gave me the opportunity. I went to the railroad people and said: 'See here, I am going to give a great exhibition that ought to attract the people for miles around, and will if you will only make a low rate so that the multitudes can attend.' They laughed at me and said they had never heard of such a thing, but finally after much confabing they agreed to run the excursion trains provided I'd guarantee to much money, which I did.
 "The result was a success even beyond my dreams. I had flaming big ads stuck up everywhere, and on the day of the show the crowds poured in just as I had figured. After that it was an easy matter to get the excursions, and I never was asked again for a guarantee."

AN INTERESTING STORY ABOUT UNCLE SAM'S FARM

No cabinet official has had a more interesting story to tell this year than that told in the annual report of the Secretary of Agriculture. It is a record-breaking story, such as no other nation in any age has been able to tell. The value of the year's farm products—not the value in the retail markets but on the farms—is estimated at \$6,415,000,000. That sum would buy out six steel trusts paying par for all the stock. It would more than pay the enormous national debt of France or Russia. It would purchase all the gold produced in the world in the last twenty years. The value is well distributed among the different kinds of product. The American hen has given us values nearly equal to that of the wheat crop, and the American cow has brought 100,000 more dollars to her owners than the cotton crop has produced. Cotton has long since ceased to be king. Three farm products, corn (\$1,215,000,000), milk and butter (\$655,000,000) and hay (\$508,000,000) are ahead of cotton (\$276,000,000) in value. In consequence of these enormous crops following a series of wonderfully prosperous years, the aggregate value of all our farms has increased in five years by \$6,133,000,000. "Every sunset during the past five years," says Secretary Wilson, has registered an increase of \$3,400,000 in the value of the farms of this country." This advance has been relatively greatest in the South, and for the first time in the history of that section the deposits in the banks exceed the sum of one billion dollars. The farming population of the United States numbers but 55 per cent. of the total, but if the farmers keep up for three years more the pace at which they have been going they will have produced in ten years one-half the total amount of wealth produced in the nation in three centuries. Moreover, the exports of farm products have amounted in sixteen years to twelve billion dollars, reversing the balance trade and giving us a favorable balance of over five billions (\$5,092,000,000).

THE PIONEER

The following incident will serve to demonstrate that the pioneers who invaded this far western land possessed the ability to meet all of the requirements, and surmount all obstacles.

In the fall of 1892 Mr. A. E. Eaton, the present owner of the Union Woolen Mills, and one of the largest land owners in Union county was engaged in freighting business. His franchise, (they did not call them franchise in those days) extended from the Umatilla Landing to La Grande. While peacefully plodding along near the present Mechem station one of the wheels of his lead wagon suddenly went all to pieces. There was no place nearer than La Grande where a new wheel could be purchased, neither was there a wagon maker any nearer. There was one of two things to do, either leave the wagon or fix it on the spot. The only tools available were an ax and a file. Mr. Eaton had never "filled a wheel" but that fact did not remove the necessity for speedy repairs. He began to do some thinking and it finally occurred to him that on one of his previous trips he had seen an auger about eight miles distant from the break-down. This instrument would be inestimable value to him and he therefore unhitched one of his wheel horses and set off for the Dry Creek cabin. He got the auger and returned. Then the real work commenced, but the details are unimportant. He filled that wheel with timber cut from a fir log and set the tire, and got the proper amount of "dish." He not only was only able to bring his load to its destination, but used the wheel the following summer and made several trips over the Blue Mountains.

PATRICK REPRIEVED

Albany, N. Y. Jan. 16.—Governor Higgins, late yesterday afternoon, announced that he had reprieved Albert T. Patrick until March 19.

THE DINNER AND SERVICE

If you do your part as well as we do ours, the meal will be one of the bright episodes in your life. We are ready for the test whenever you are.

HALF THE WORLD WONDERS

how the other half lives. Those who use Aucklen's Arnica Salve never wonder if it will cure Cuts, Wounds, Burns, Sores and all skin eruptions: they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1130 E. Reynolds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of housekeeping." Guaranteed by NEWLIN DRUG CO. 25c.

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Reliable druggist, expert graduate of pharmacy in charge of the prescription department. Prescriptions delivered at all times. Phone Red 121.
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WHITE SCHOOL REPORT

The following pupils in attendance at the White School were neither absent nor tardy during the first half of the school year just closed.

- Room 1, Miss Henson.—Velva Ackley, Leona Lottes, Birdie McCan, Albert Lamm.
 - Room 2, Mr. Snider.—Carrie Ackley, Alma Gore, Edith Robbs, Bessie Hendrix
 - Room 3, Miss Goodnough.—Cleve Montgomery, Roy Grandy, Olof Group, Lucy Blystone, Julia Christianson, Ray Noyes.
 - Room 4, Miss McIlroy.—Christine Wheatley, Igna Martin, Nora Arbuckle.
 - Room 5, Miss Mitchell.—Clara Herman, Minnie Ladd, Winnie Ladd.
 - Room 6, Mrs. Snika.—Kenneth Bartlett, Helen Bartlett, Margaret Boorey.
- E. M. SNIDER, Principal.

Sometimes nervous woman's afflictions are imaginary. Again they are a form of actual and terrible illness. In any event, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes you well. A great nerve tonic. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Newlin Drug Co.

ANY FOOL

Knows enough to carry an umbrella when it rains, but the wise one is he who carries one when it is only cloudy.
 Any man will send for a doctor when he gets bed-fast, but the wise one is he who adopts proper precautionary, preventive and curative measures when first appear the signs which if unchecked and uncorrected, grow into serious illness.
 Impaired digestion and nutrition are generally the forerunners of a nervous or functional break-down. Nature has provided remedies most abundantly for all such conditions in our native medicinal plants. With the use of chemically pure glycerine, of proper strength and at a proper sustained temperature, Dr. Pierce's extracts from Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark, Bloodroot and Eleuthero root, medicinal principles which, when combined in just the right proportions, constitute his widely famed "Golden Medical Discovery." Restores the tone of the stomach, the activity of the liver and the steadiness of the nerves, pouring vitality into the blood till the once sick and debilitated one is so renewed in health, strength and power that he can resume his work, whatever it is, with vigor and elasticity.
 All medical authorities, of whatever school, agree that Hydrastis, or Golden Seal—one of the essential roots in the make-up of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—is of very great value as a pure tonic, and as an alterative—valuable in chronic affections of the stomach, intestines and bladder.

Not only the Original but the best Little Liver Pills, first put up over 40 years ago, by old Dr. R. V. Pierce, have been found to be never equalled, as they bring new up of concentrated and refined medicinal principles, extracted from the roots of American plants. Do not give one or two for stomach corrective, three or four for cathartic.

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**MILK TALK No. 1.
 CHEAP MILK OR MILK
 CHEAP, WHICH?**

Are you buying your milk cheap or are you getting cheap milk? That is the question which every consumer should consider before buying. There are five properties contained in milk, viz; ash, or bone material, casein or curd, butterfat, sugar, and water, in proportion of 3 of 1% ash, 5.3% casein, 4% butterfat, 5% sugar, 87% water. Now there are 15% solids and 87% water in a 4% milk, that is in milk containing 4% butterfat. This ratio holds good whether of a high or low test, i. e. if you have a milk testing 5% the other solids will be increased in proportion, if a 5% they will decrease in like manner. Now the solids are what is, or what should be considered in buying milk, as the water can be had for the pumping. Now let us consider for a moment before we buy whether we are paying a high or low price for these solids. A 3% milk contains 9.75% solids and 90.25% water, a 5% milk contains 16.25% solids and 83.75% water. Now if a 3% milk is worth \$1.50 per quart per month, what should a 5% sell for? Let's see, if we pay \$1.50 for milk containing 9.75% solids, at the same price milk containing 16.25% solids should sell for \$2.50, or you can to every three quarts of 3% milk add two quarts of water, making 5 quarts of 3% milk, i. e. three quarts of 3% milk is equal to five quarts of 5% milk, at the present price 5 quarts of 3% milk @ \$1.50=\$7.50; three quarts of 5% milk @ \$2.00=\$6.00, i. e. you are getting the same amount of solids for \$6.00 in a 5% milk that you get in a 3% milk for \$7.50. Are you getting your milk cheap or are you getting cheap milk, which?
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