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Wholesale and Retail **A. C. MacLennan, Ph. C.**

Complete Line of

Men's Furnishings and Haberdashery

A. V. ANDREWS,

Tailoring

THE CITY GROCERY AND BAKERY

E. POLLACK, Propr.

Keeps the Best Groceries, Vegeta-
bles Etc. Call up Telephone Main
75 and give us a chance to get
acquainted.

Ready For Business

WITH A FULL LINE OF FEED, HAY AND GRAIN

We are ready to buy all kinds of hay and grain, and pay the highest
market prices.

A. V. OLIVER

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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 special-
ty 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.

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 orna-
mental for Indian corners. The price range is from
\$8.50 up

HENRY & CARR

HOUSE FURNISHERS AND UNDERTAKERS

Phone No. 821.

J. C. Henry, residence 864

J. J. Carr, residence 386

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This paper will not publish any article
appearing over a non-de-plume. Signed
articles will be received subject to the
discretion of the editors. Please sign
your articles and save disappointment.

ADVERTISING RATES
Display Ad rates furnished upon application.
Local reading notices 10c per line first week
then, 5c per line for each subsequent week
Insertions of advertisements, 5c or 10c
per line, 1c per line.

HOW TO ADVERTISE

The best advertisement a county court
can write, is an official statement of a
low tax levy, coupled with a showing
that the county money has been expended
for the making of good roads more largely
than for the payment of salaries. The
new comer does not expect an office, but
he knows he will have to travel over the
country roads to get any produce he may
raise on his newly purchased farm to
market, and if the roads are but streaks
of stifling dust in the dry season and
mud canals in wet weather, he will seek
other places to start a new home and
business in.

By noting the results of other counties
through our exchanges, we are of the
opinion that voters are registering in
larger numbers elsewhere than in this
county. However few returns from the
outside precincts have been received at
the clerk's office and when they begin to
arrive it may be found that more interest
is being taken than is manifested at present.
It is the duty of every voter to
register and participate in the primaries.
We are all interested in the matter of the
selection of our public servants and the
primaries is the place to make these
selections. If you do not register you
have no legitimate ground to enter a com-
plaint, if the best results are not obtained,
from the very fact that you did not do
your duty as a citizen. You shirked your
responsibility and should pay the penalty
and should do it gracefully and not
murmur.

Think of it, the Willamette valley is
realizing the advantages of irrigation and
several irrigation projects are receiving
attention. That section of the state, like
the Grande Ronde valley, only needs one
or possibly two irrigations during the ex-
tremely dry seasons to raise any kind of
crops. To illustrate, if the Sandridge land
could be irrigated once, or twice at the
most, during the months of August or
September, think of the different kind of
crops that could be grown at an immense
profit. Think of the thousands of acres
of land that would produce from fifteen
to twenty tons of beets if one or two water-
ings were possible. Three crops of alfalfa
could be grown every year. Such land
anywhere in this state is in demand and
buyers are willing to pay \$100 per acre
for it. We grow so many kinds of crops
without irrigation that we possibly over-
look the advantages. The waste waters
of our rivers and creeks will be stored and
when this is brought about, the big farms
will be divided and sub-divided and on
each sub-division there will be a home.

DeWitt

DeWitt is the name to look for when
you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve.
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the
original and only genuine. In fact
DeWitt is the only Witch Hazel Salve
that is made from the unadulterated

Witch-Hazel

All others are counterfeit—have imi-
tations, cheap and worthless—even
dangerous. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
is a specific for Piles; Blind, Bleeding,
Itching and Protruding Piles. Also Cuts,
Burns, Bruises, Sprains, Lacerations,
Cuts, Sores, Boils, Carbuncles, Eczema,
Tetter, Salt Rheum, and all other Skin
Diseases.

SALVE

PREPARED BY
E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago

A. T. HILL DRUGGIST

DeWitt's Price's CREAM BAKING POWDER

Improves the flavor
and adds to the health-
fulness of the food.

The extension of the railroad into
Wallowa county will scatter thousands
of dollars into this county and when com-
pleted will be of great advantage to La
Grande for all time to come.

Collar your dog. The city recorder has
just received a new invoice of tags which
he is anxious to dispose of at the regular
market price. These tags also act as a
kind of life insurance policy, in other
words your dog has a longer lease on
life in case the pound master does his
duty.

Among Union county's many resources
it may be that mining will not be among
the least. The camp up Grande Ronde
river is certainly promising. At any rate
the concentrating mill will make it possible
for many properties to become thoroughly
developed and, if there is one paying mine
there, there are dozens and capital will
go after them.

It is evident that it is only a question
of a very short time until the O. R. & N.
company will extend the Elgin branch
down the Grande Ronde river to Lawiston,
which means a water grade from Grande
Ronde valley to Astoria. It is possible
that the company had this in view when
considering the enlargement of their shops
in this city.

The thirty or more saw mills of this
county are all in a prosperous condition.
They practically have all of their output
contracted for and it is only a question
as to how much they can cut and with
the snow in the mountains every mill
will have no trouble in securing all the logs
they can manufacture into lumber. There
is an army of men in the mountains in
the logging camps.



The Good Old Standby.

Nothing like a nice cut of juicy corned
beef with cabbage or sauer-kraut once
in a while! We can offer most of the
time whole or half rounds, if you can
use so much, or whatever quantity you
require, of well fed and carefully corned
beef-tender, "tasty" and wholesome.
If you're in the notion today, phone us
the order and we'll have the meat
around in no time.

Grandy & Russell

BRICK BRICK

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

GEO. KREIGER
La Grande, Oregon

INVENTORY SALE

It's near stock taking time again, and we are going to
make a strenuous effort to convert everything into cash
before inventory. All our lines of clothing, hats and
haberdashery will be

CUT TO THE QUICK

Buyers will reap a harvest during this great sale. It's
only once a year that we offer an opportunity like this,
and you'll do well to take advantage of it. We'll not
bore you with blatant boasting or deceive you with
false inducements.

Come, see how much a
Little Money will Buy

ASH BROS.

CLOTHIERS AND HABERDASHERS.

I HAVE TO OFFER AT A VERY REASONABLE PRICE

2 good saddles	\$9.50 and \$12.50	Remington type writer	35.00
Walnut Hall tree	2.50	New toilet sets	2.00 and 2.75
Child's Rocking Horse worth	four dollars	3 new Co-carts	5.00, 6.50, 7.50
2 Oil Cook Stoves	2.50 and 5.50	1 folding ironing board	2.00
1 roll cocoa matting the yard	.25	Lace curtains stretchers	2.50
		Halters, new	90c, 1.00 1.10

My entire line of new furniture at greatly reduce
prices **FOR CASH**

F. D. HAISTEN,

PHONE RED 1161

Highest prices paid for New and Second Hand Goods

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 ac-
corded such liberal treatment as shall be in keeping with the character
and value of their accounts. We would be pleased to have your ac-
count.

JOSEPH PALMER,
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CASHIER.

G. E. McCULLY,
ASST. CASHIER.

T. J. SCROGGIN,
ASST. CASHIER.

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The Price \$1 00

Also new lot of school Tablets, 10c value
The Price 5 cents

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