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Display Ad rates furnished upon application. Local reading notices 10c per line first insertion, 5c per line for each subsequent insertion. Resolutions of condolence, 5c or 10c. Orders of thanks, 5c per line.

CONTRABAND OF WAR

Owing to the possible condition the foreign trade of the United States is liable, at any time, to be placed in by a war between any two or more of the nations that now furnish the ships that do the carrying for us of things we sell to or purchase from people living beyond the seas, the question of what is or may be considered contraband of war may arise.

The term contraband of war is generally accepted by writers on international law as meaning, "goods which neutrals may not carry in time of war to either of the belligerent nations without subjecting themselves to the loss of the goods." Provisions may be contraband of war and generally all articles calculated to be of direct use in aiding the belligerent powers to carry on the war; and if the use is doubtful, the mere fact of a destination to a country at war renders the goods contraband.

The power making the capture, by its own court of admiralty, passes upon the question as to whether captured goods are contraband, and not the power whose citizens have had goods captured.

Should two ship owning nations like France and Germany go to war with each other the result will be to stop all exports of bread stuffs from the United States to either, as we have nothing like enough of our own to carry off our products and what we put aboard our own or European neutral nations ships would not be allowed to land contraband articles.

Why not register today?

Remember that if you wish to have a voice in the selection of candidates you must register.

Show the world that you are abreast of the times and register at once. Every good citizen should register and take a hand in the game of nominations.

If Ben Franklin knew his Philadelphia thoroughly he might have foreseen with pride it would get around to celebrate his birthday in about two hundred years.

On Sunday an old man was prostrated by the heat in Ohio. Probably today he is suffering from pneumonia occasioned by the sudden drop of the mercury to 17 degrees below zero.

Governor Folk is out with his reform hatchet and has given instructions to the police board, to make the St. Louis department as near a model as human nature will permit. He says: "A majority of the board will back you up. Use your own methods but clean up the whole department."

Talk with the men that do things. Don't you catch the spirit of progression? Don't you feel it in the atmosphere that 1906 is freighted with activity for Union county? Don't you realize the possibilities of new things such as electric roads; irrigation problems that will be worked out; larger areas planted in fruits; and mining matters receiving attention as never before? Oregon is moving, and as in the past Union county will not work in the rear end of the procession and La Grande will develop in the same ratio as the county increases in wealth and population.

Dr. Price's CREAM BAKING POWDER

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

STATEMENT NO. 1

Statement No. 1 has become a byword in Oregon politics, it reads as follows:

"I further state to the people of Oregon, as well as to the people of my legislative district, that, during my term of office, I will always vote for that candidate for United States Senator in Congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes for that position at the general election (next June) next preceding the election of a Senator in Congress (January, 1907), without regard to my individual preference."

If candidates shall not wish to take this pledge they are not required to do so, and if they choose, may subscribe to statement No. 2:

"During my term of office, I shall consider the vote of the people for United States Senator in Congress as nothing more than a recommendation, which I shall be at liberty wholly to disregard, if the reason for doing so seems to me to be sufficient."

NEW EATING HOUSE

The Blue Mountain Hotel dining room is again opened. Meals 25 cents, rooms 25 and 50 cents.

NOTICE OF ESTRAY

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern that on or about the 29th of November, 1905, one yearling steer came to my place. Said animal is red spotted with white, has unreadable brand on left hip, left ear underbit, right ear points out off and split. Said animal came down with my cattle from the hills. Owner can have same by calling at my place. Two and one half miles east of Island City and paying charges and proving property. Dated this 12th day of January, 1906.
J. A. HOLMAN



A HARD ROW

And a long pull describes the pathway of a woman afflicted with female weakness unless she is under the care of a doctor who has had successful experience in the treatment of such cases or if she has found the right remedy which can be safely used independently of the doctor.

Forty years ago, Dr. R. V. Pierce found that women were being grossly neglected—gained through ignorance and carelessness, and he determined to devote himself to study and research till he found the real cause of their suffering and a proper remedy for it.

He found it, and dug from Nature's Laboratory, the earth, Nature's remedies for women's weaknesses and ailments. He found in Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Pine Colobus root and Golden Seal root, the required ingredients.

The remedial virtues of these he extracted, combined and preserved by his own peculiar non-alcoholic, glyceric processes, and the compound is now known the world over, as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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\$ 2.75	18 in Air Tight Heater,	now \$2.20
3.50	20 in " " "	now 2.80
4.55	25 in " " "	now 3.50
4.95	18 in Cast Top, Screw Draft Heater	now 4.00
6.50	20 in " " "	now 6.55
11.25	21 in Model Heater, Nickel trimming	now 9.00
15.25	22 in Magic Steel Parlor Heater	now 12.25
18.00	24 in " " "	now 14.45
11.25	13 in Junior Oak Coal Heater	now 8.95
11.50	13 in Boss " " "	now 9.15
13.25	15 in " " "	now 10.75
12.50	14 in Air Blast " " "	now 14.25
19.75	16 in " " "	now 15.75

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