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WILL BE TAKEN UP

The United States senate will take up the ship subsidy bill tomorrow. There are many persons who do not believe the United States should pay bounties or money to ship owners, and others who think money thus judiciously spent. As the world is now running it looks as though the nation that does not encourage ship building and operating must be content to hire foreign ships to carry its foreign trade. England paid to her ship owners in 1901 bounties and subsidies \$5,656,612. Italy paid for the same purpose \$2,819,451 and Japan \$2,942,299. Our competing nations for ocean freights paid in the aggregate in bounties and subsidies in the year 1901 the sum of \$27,670,160.

VALENTINE SOCIAL

Crystal Rebekah Lodge No. 50. will give a valentine social at the I. O. O. F. hall, Feb. 13th. Program will be rendered and light refreshments served. Admission ten cents.

Service

This drug store tries to serve every customer so well that they will not think of going elsewhere for drug store goods.

A. T. HILL, Prescription Druggist

ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for County Judge, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

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11.25	15 in Junior Oak Coal Heater	now 8.95
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We feel a just pride in quoting the figures that show our great foreign trade which now exceeds two billion dollars per year. For the ten months ending October 1904 the total of our imports and exports was \$2,236,943,822. This is a good showing and one that very properly flatters our vanity, but when we are told that but ten per cent of this is carried in American ships, and that we are paying an annual tribute to foreign owned ships as freight, the enormoussum of \$150,000,000, the pride oozes out of our inflated bosoms, for we intuitively feel that we are dependent on foreign ships to carry the products of our farms, mines and work-shop to market.

In 1810 American ships carried 91 per cent of our foreign trade. Foreign marine countries seeing the advantage that a share in the foreign trade of the world would be to them, began a system of rational aid to their ships by bounties and subventions. The United States alone of all the commercial nations failed to encourage its merchant marine with the result that in 1861 but 65 per cent of our foreign trade is carried on beneath our flag in our ships and now but ten per cent of our foreign commerce under our flag.

"Well I declare I must register, the time is slipping by."

An exchange speaks of "the trouble at Panama." But the trouble isn't at Panama; it's in the United States Senate.

Less than thirty days until city election. La Grande must move along this year and progressive and conservative officers make this all possible.

In Sweden the school children, led by their teachers, plant 600,000 trees annually. It is a simple lesson in the science of government economies, with all the fun of a picnic.

La Grande is sleeping on a golden opportunity in not taking steps towards securing some kind of an educational institution to take care of our young people after finishing the public school.

Governor Johns, Governor Brown, Treasurer Atkin, Congressman Rand, Congressman Lachner, Congressman Graham, all of Baker county. Really the primary law has been very kind to us.—Baker City Herald.

A prominent eastern journal may know whereof it speaks when it says that if the "square deal" idea continues to grow that the trusts and corporations will stand in with the general demand to have President Roosevelt accept another four years term. They have full confidence in his desire to do justice in every case and they fear that if public sentiment continues to grow, by the time for another presidential election, some man more radical than Roosevelt might be elected, which would result in a great loss to their interests. This may sound flimsy to hear these great trusts talk this way but on sober thought they may have reached the point whereby they will be satisfied with a "square deal."

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