

# Aurelia Stock

Reports from the mines during January has warranted a raise, consequently stock has gone up to 7½ cents, and this is not all, it will keep going up as long as the property gets better, as it is you should buy before another raise in price, or you will miss a good investment. You should consider this as being a home enterprise and help the matter along, thereby helping yourself.

**AURELIA MINING CO.**

J. A. THRONSON.

# WHAT TO EAT?

Is the question that perplexes the housewife these days. Call at our store and select a menu from our choice line of canned goods. Or, better yet, we have on hand vegetables and other delicacies that will relieve the monotony of the usual spring menu. Remember, our delivery is at your service whether the order is large or small.

**NEBRASKA GROCERY**

MRS. MAGGIE SHEARER, Prop.

MILK TALK No. 2.

## CLEANLINESS

As milk is the natural food for the young, containing within itself all the requirements of the body, and as any adulteration is injurious to the system, (either from absorption or otherwise) therefore the health of the consumer, and especially the young, depend to a great extent upon those who handle the milk. And as there are so many ways in handling the cow as well as the milk after being drawn from the cow. Every consumer should visit the place from whence he gets his milk (no matter if it is surrounded by a high board fence) and see how the cow and the milk are handled before using it as a food for the baby.

## SPRING BROOK DAIRY

is always open for inspection and invites you to come and see

## Practical Gunsmith

Repairs Strictly Firstclass  
Guns restocked  
Keys fitted to door locks

**WM. AGNEW**

Adams Avenue

## LA GRANDE SCHOOL OF MUSIC

PROF. DAY, PRINCIPAL.  
MRS. DAY, ASSISTANT.

This is one of the best musical institutions in the state, and that people in this city and valley are beginning to discover the advantage of this school. The system is the latest and most practical, and includes all the latest discoveries in the art of teaching music. The school is divided into two departments; No. 1 is for beginners from 5 years of age and are taught the first three grades. Pupils come one hour each day. This is no kindergarten system but far superior. In No. 2 the grades are from 2 to 5. Here they graduate. Pupils take one or two lessons a week as they desire. No scholars will be permitted to remain in this school who do not study. Opposite the Foley House over the candy store. Phone 475.

# CONGRESS DISCOURAGES AID FOR EXPOSITIONS

(Observer Special)

Washington, D. C. March 1.—Congress does not seem to have discouraged expositions so effectively as to be relieved from further requests for assistance.

When Portland asked for aid, the Congressional foot was at first firmly planted, but relaxed sufficiently for a limited amount of financial assistance to slip through. But following that contribution, Congress was more emphatic than ever. Its frowns have not discouraged another enterprising community, which has a most memorable as the provocation for its intended celebration. There will in all human probability be a Jamestown exposition, and the sentiment grows here that it will have congressional aid of a substantial manner. Gently the news is already being broken to the legislators and their time to ante will be indicated shortly. It is a three-to-one proposition here in the popular mind that the Jamestown Exposition will be made an important national affair.

Chairman J. E. Ransdell, of the executive committee of the Rivers and Harbors Association, who is also a congressman from Louisiana, says the first results from the national campaign for heavier work on navigable streams and bodies of water gratifying. He finds public sentiment quicker in this movement than he and his colleagues expected. The one statement that but 2.70 per cent of the average annual appropriations for the past ten years has been given to this vastly beneficial work, has proved the key-note "More money for peace, more for progress in the industrial arts, more consideration of navigation," is a thought that comes from many quarters of the country. Mr. Ransdell says the movement is sure of general support. He says that the people grasp readily the fact that wherever such may be utilized, water courses are the strongest factors in reducing transportation rates that could be secured. The nation has rate-regulation first in mind

just now, and accept this eminently practical doctrine for a relief in a large number of places, with plain eagerness. He believes that by next congress the people will be ready to demand \$50,000,000 annually for rivers and harbors, instead of accepting \$50,000,000 tri-annually.

In the struggle for a pure food bill, Eastern interests were much more aggressive than the people of the West. While the Senate measure that passed was fathered by Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, and had the support in its essential features of the Western men, the real fight was made by interests of the Mississippi valley and Eastern sections. Even this effort was not to prevent Federal regulation of food and adulteration, but consisted in the main of contentions regarding method of procedure and the ultimate authority on questions of deleteriousness or wholesomeness of food. In the expert testimony given, the radical difference of opinion suggested some of the troubles the law may beget if it is enforced. Renewed chemists flatly contradicted each other on the point. Enforcement of a law where the manufacturer leans strongly toward economy in using ingredients for coloring or preserving, and the consumer inclines toward absolute purity, will have many contests.

Friends of the pure food movement are already urging every community to begin educational work. Cannerymen and packers will continue in business, for their industry representing a public need, and the first announcements under the measure which seems assured of becoming law, may interfere seriously with perfectly clean, wholesome products. Friends fear reaction from such conditions, and hope for the educational movement to sustain public confidence while the law is dealing with such aggravated cases as some patent medicines and drink adulterations.

## MINER'S CONVENTION CALLED

(Scrapps News Association)  
Indianapolis, March 1.—An official call for a convention of the Union miners of this district was issued for March 15.

## MORE RESIGNATIONS

(Scrapps News Association)  
New York, Mar. 1.—The resignation of E. D. Morris and Stuyvesant Fish as trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance company was accepted today.

# HUNTING FOR ATTORNEY

(Scrapps News Association)

Washington, Mar. 1.—The Interstate Commerce Commission is hunting the proper counsel, preparatory to the exhaustive investigation which is to be made into the railroads to ascertain their interests if any in the products they ship. C. E. Hughes, it is understood, is to be offered the position and Judge Calhoun, of Chicago, is also being considered.

## UNEMPLOYED GO TO CANADA

(Scrapps News Association)  
Winnipeg, Can., March 1.—The local officers of the Salvation Army are busy making preparations for the large body of immigrants who will arrive here from England and the coming summer. About 5,500 British people will be brought west directly under the care of the Army and the first steamer with part of these immigrants started from England today. This is an undertaking of the Salvation Army, prompted by the double intention of relieving the situation in Great Britain and to supply the much needed help to the farmers and business men in the west of Canada. Of the 3,500 to come to Winnipeg it is expected that about 1,000 will be located in Manitoba, while the rest will go to Saskatchewan. The Salvation Army does not intend to bring the paupers and the scum of the British population to this country and deals only with hard working and willing people, who may be temporarily out of employment or wish to better their condition.

# LARGE BATTLE SHIP

(Scrapps News Association)

London, Mar. 1.—The papers say that Japan proposes to construct a ship more powerful than the Dreadnaught which England is now building. Germany intends to provide an enormous sum to improve the Cais, Chau as a military naval basis and will send suitable boats to the navigation of the Chinese river.

## AMERICANS SAFE

(Scrapps News Association)  
Washington, Mar. 1.—The state department has been notified by Consul-General James R. Rogers, of Shanghai, that the American property at Nachang was safe and that the refugees had arrived at Kiangang.

## ST. DAVID'S DAY

(Scrapps News Association)  
Pittsburg, Pa., March 1.—The Welshmen in all parts of the world are celebrating St. David's Day today. The Cambrian Society of Pittsburg will give a dinner and entertainment at the First Congregational church this evening in honor of the patron Saint. Many prominent Welshmen from this city and the surrounding districts will attend. There will be some good speeches and musical numbers on the program. President D. Lloyd Jones will preside.

## FINED FOR GAMBLING

(Scrapps News Association)  
San Francisco Mar. 1.—The 241 gamblers who were arrested in the Harvey & Daroux establishment Monday night were arraigned today and were fined \$5 each. Daroux and two dealers were fined \$100 each. Raids on slot machines continue.

## NORSEMEN SUSPENDED

(Scrapps News Association)  
Los Angeles, Mar. 1.—Judge Hamilton today suspended J. J. Cafferty and C. E. Durnell, horse owners for one year on all tracks. Cafferty doped the Huguenoy on February 19, and Durnell was suspended for general questionable practices on the turf.

## THE FINAL ACT

(Scrapps News Association)  
Portland, Mar. 1.—The Lewis & Clark Fair formerly ceased to exist today when the stockholders, through the board of directors passed resolutions of dissolution after declaring a 25 per cent dividend on the stock after donating the remaining \$13000 for the commemorative statutes of Lewis and Clark.

## ANOTHER BANK FAILURE

(Scrapps News Association)  
Fort Smith, Ark., Mar. 1.—The Southern Bank and Trust Company which had a capital of six hundred thousand dollars, failed to open this morning. The officers of the bank announce that the concern will be able to pay in full.

## GRAIN MARKETS

(Scrapps News Association)  
Chicago, Mar. 1.—Wheat opened at 81½; closed 80½; corn opened at 43, closed 43; oats opened 30½ closed 30½.

## OFF FOR TAMPA

(Scrapps News Association)  
Havana, March, 1.—Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth sailed from this city today for Tampa, Florida.

Our delivery service is for the benefit of all. Don't hesitate to use it.  
NEWLIN DRUG CO.

## S. EDMONDS,

## TAILOR

NEW SPRING LINE OF WOOLENS ARRIVED  
ALL THE LEADING EXCLUSIVE STYLES

McKennon Building, next door to J. H. Pear's Jewelry Store.

# Fine Confectionery and Cigars

# VanBuren's

## LA GRANDE IRON WORKS

D. FITZGERALD, Proprietor.

## Complete Machine Shops and Foundry

General Blacksmiths. We manufacture The Fitzgerald Roller Feed Mill, the best and cheapest mill on the market. Our shops are equipped with machinery to handle any sized work, nothing too large or nothing too small. Highest prices paid for old iron.

Romig & Staples of this city, and Mrs. Sullivan of Starkey bid the greater part of the property sold at a sheriff's sale at Carson on Monday last. The property belonged to the Carson Consolidated Hydraulic Mining Company and was attached early last winter for supplies furnished by several business firms of this city.

## THE LA GRANDE NURSERY

GEO. W. POWELL.

I have made a special reduction on roses for the next 15 days. roses from 55c to 50c  
**Your choice for 25c**  
Until the 28th of February

Come and be first to select. I also have a fine lot of Apple, pear, plum, cherry, apricot, peach, mulberry, shade trees and ornamental trees, grapes, currants, gooseberry, blackberry, dewberry, raspberry, vines, cressers, and hedge plants.  
Phone 1511. Thorns' grocery

## LA GRANDE MESSENGER SERVICE

### RATES

Five blocks from fountain 10c  
Seven " " 15c  
Any place in the city 25c

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C. L. SMITH  
CREAMERY BUILDING

## IN A HURRY?

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THE TRANSFER MAN

He will take that trunk to the Depot or your home in less time it takes to tell it.

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Wagon always at your service

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May be had by having scientific Shampooing and Massage. The

## HOTEL FOLEY Tonsorial Parlors

are prepared to do these specialties and Friday of each week will be for Ladies customers. Private parlors for ladies. Lady attendant in charge.

C. T. COLT Prop.

## G. E. FOWLER

### Truck and Transfer

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All orders given prompt attention

## THE OXFORD BAR

JAMES FARQUHARSON, Prop.

Complete assortment of

### WINES, LIQUORS

### AND CIGARS

Cold lunches and mixed drinks a specialty. Fair and impartial treatment to all. You are invited to call and get acquainted.

## THE LOUVRE

CHRIS WRIGHT, Prop.

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### WINES, LIQUORS

### AND CIGARS

Gentlemen always Welcome

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