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are not all the flowery petals. The best are here, secured in glass and ready to impart a pleasing fragrance to "any lady's" Easter Toilet. We carry in stock all the well known makes in Toilet Waters and Perfumes.

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Did you do without cigars during Lent for a self-imposed penance? You deserve credit. But, oh, how you'll enjoy a smoke when Lent is passed. Easter's come! Don't mar your pleasure by buying an inferior cigar. Get a

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Bring us Your Watch and let us put in proper shape. No matter what's the trouble we can fix it. And we repair jewelry too. So skillfully that you wouldn't know it from new. People who know us say our charges are entirely satisfactory.

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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 specialty of rush order work. Give us a trial and you will not be bothered through the winter with family washing.

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THE COMING DRIFT

At the dinner of the Missouri society of New York, Attorney General Hadley, who was the guest of honor, diagnosed the existing abuses which command the attention of the country, such as the bribery of legislatures and railroad rebates, by declaring that corporations which override the law are in every case behind the bosses and are responsible for corrupt politics. To his mind the vital problem is whether these great commercial enterprises of trusts can continue in open defiance and violation of the law of the nation and the state. He says it is a conservative statement to say that the greater part of our trade and commerce is owned by corporations which are unlawful in their business methods. He does not believe that socialism or government ownership offers a remedy, but he believes that our industrial system "cannot continue to exist half lawful and half unlawful." He thinks the people will stop the unlawful practices without any radical departure from beaten paths; that it will be accomplished by aroused public sentiment and conscience which will require that men who would be regarded as respectable must be honest, and that officers of the law should prosecute the offenders until the rights of the poor shall receive the same protection as the property of the rich.

ON WRONG END

When the primaries are over we trust that some of our Republican exchanges will contain something more than paid matter relating to aspirants for office.—Roseburg Review (Dem.)

Cardinal Gibbons voices the honest public estimate of the press when he says: "The dread of exposure in the public press keeps many a man sticking close to the path of rectitude who otherwise would stray off into the byways of graft."

A London doctor declares that the night air is free from microbes and beneficial to those who breathe it. This may be what keeps so many husbands out at night.

THE HAPPIEST HEART

Who drives the horses of the sun
Shall lord it but a day;
Better the lowly deed were done
And keep the humble way.
The rust will find the sword of fame.
The dust will hide the crown;
Aye, none shall nail so high his name
Time will not tear it down.
The happiest heart that ever beat
Was in some quiet breast
That found the common daylight sweet
And left to Heaven the rest.—John Vance Cheney.

A DEGENERATE SON

E. O. Anderson, who resides on a homestead north of Wallowa, made this office a very pleasant call on Saturday of last week, and informed us that W. W. Palmer, who had been absent eleven years, had been located in northeastern Washington. During his entire absence Mr. Palmer had sent no word home of his whereabouts, but was accidentally located by his relatives through the medium of a newspaper. His aged mother was overjoyed at the welcome news.—Wallowa News.

TABLETS

A new line of tablets just arrived.
W. K. DAVIS.
1316 Adams Avenue.

Report of the Condition of The Farmers & Traders National Bank.

At La Grande, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, April 6, 1906.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and Discounts	\$ 147,564 41
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	6,028 35
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	10,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	750 00
Bonds, securities, warrants, etc.	15,361 33
Real estate, mortgages and fixtures	18,397 25
Other real estate owned	4,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	10,040 11
Due from State Banks and Bankers	7,273 90
Due from approved reserve agents	17,031 84
Checks and other cash items	493 65
Notes of other national banks	1,000 00
Fractional paper, currency, tickets, and coins	29,548
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$30,728 90
Legal-tender notes	372 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	750 00
TOTAL	\$280,943 08

LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock paid in	50,000 00
Surplus fund	14,000 00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	127 93
National Bank Notes outstanding	15,000 00
Due to other National Banks	15,146 09
Individual deposits subject to check	126,212 58
Demand certificates of deposit	60,516 44
TOTAL	\$280,943 08

I, J. W. Scriber, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. SCRIBER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1906.
J. W. KNOWLES, Notary Public for Oregon.
Correct—Attest
GEORGE ACKLES, G. E. McCULLY, JOSEPH PALMER, Directors

FOR FAMILY USE

Every family in town should have a box of soap from our window this week at 20 cts. Come in or telephone us.
NEWLIN DRUG CO.

PUBLISHED SUMMONS

First Publication March 26th., 1906
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Union County.

J. E. Bateman, Plaintiff
vs.
Allen Clark, Defendant.
To Allen Clark—defendant above named:—

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit on or before May 8th. 1906. And if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take the judgment of said court against you for the sum of \$55.76 together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum after October 30th. 1906, together with attorney fee of \$20 and the costs and disbursements of this action, upon your certain promissory note—and also, order for sale of attached property viz—NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 & SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 18 in Twp. 5 S. R. 35 E. W. M. to pay such judgment.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Robert Eakin, Judge of the above entitled Court made March 26th. 1906—fixing six consecutive weeks therefor—and in the La Grande Evening Observer—the first publication hereof being March 26th. 1906.
C. H. FINN,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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At a bargain. A cottage of five rooms with fine bath, pantry, two large clothes closets, china closet, cellar, and barn with two lots, set out with fruit trees strawberries etc, on second St near Mr. Bohnnekamps residence. W. H. Saxly. Phone Red 1222
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La Grande, Oregon

Do a line naming work, and I will name the right price.

Have you weakness of any kind—stomach, back, or any organs of the body? Don't dope yourself with ordinary medicine. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the supreme curative power. 35 cents.
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Cook Stoves \$4.50 to 15.00
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Fine Hanging Lamps \$2.50, 2.00, 2.50
Three Wash Machines \$3.75, 5.00, 6.50
Iron Beds \$1.50 to 7.50
Mattresses \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 to 8.50 for the best Wool Mattresses made.
Singer and Household Drop Head Sewing Machines \$16.50, good as new on trial.
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Best Values in Crockery in La Grande today 30 piece dinner set Floral Design \$3.75, 45 piece dinner set Johnson Bros. English white ware only \$5.25. WE WANT YOUR TRADE.

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