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- For Supreme Judge—**ROBERT EAKIN**
- For Attorney General—**A. M. CRAWFORD**
- For Supt. Pub. Instruction—**J. H. ACKERMAN**
- For State Printer—**W. S. DUNNIWAY**
- For Commission Labor—**O. P. HOFF**
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- For Prosecuting Attorney—**F. S. IVANHOE**
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W. G. COLE
- For Joint Representative, Wallowa Union
JAY H. DOBBIN
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- For Commissioner—**BEN BROWN**
- For Clerk—**JAMES B. GILHAM**
- For Recorder—**DAVID H. PROCTOR**
- For Treasurer—**JOHN FRAWLEY**
- For Coroner—**J. M. HILTS**

There is every indication that this will be a good building year. Many new residences will be erected and plans are now being prepared for several brick business blocks.

There is plenty of work in this city and county for all who really wish to work. The next time an able-bodied man asks you for the price of a meal just inform him that there is plenty of work and no necessity for begging.

The fact that John D. Rockefeller has lately donned a wig and has been blessed with a new grandson lead some facetious papers to juggle with the phrases "hair-apparent" and "heir-apparent." If President Roosevelt's inheritance tax ever prevails, no one will be more affected by it than Mr. Rockefeller and his heir-apparent.

A careful glance over the list of names of the contributors towards the relief of the San Francisco sufferers will be sufficient evidence to show why the business men of this city should not be subjected to an occupation tax. In addition to their regular property tax they are continually called upon for subscriptions towards public and private enterprises. An occupation tax would only add another item of expense, if the city needs more money and there is no other way to secure it, let it raise the rate of taxation. Then all of the property will pay it proportionately.

TEST SHEEP TAX LAW

Attorney General Crawford is of the opinion that the law imposing a tax of twenty cents per head on all sheep brought into the state for grazing purposes is constitutional. The law will be tested in an appeal from Umatilla county, Oregon, at the request of sheepmen and the case will be heard at the May term of the supreme court.

The construction placed on the law by Attorney General Crawford is that it is a license and not a direct tax and therefore not in conflict with the state constitution. Whether this contention will hold good, of course, remains to be seen.—The Dalles Chronicle.

Wednesday night of this week the city council will consider the question of providing an occupation tax. The mayor in a recent published statement suggested that if the business men do not approve of this manner of raising revenue, they have the right to file a remonstrance. This is the proper way to ascertain their wishes regarding the matter.

The two Senators from Wisconsin, Spooner and La Follette, though both Republican, are at swords' points on most issues. Spooner is a conservative, La Follette on many issues a radical. They are one on the protective tariff, however.

ICE WAGON

Grandy & Russell now have their ice wagon running. Leave or phone orders to their meat market. Phone Main 50.

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The Sugar company wants to employ teams and men, see F. S. Bramwell.

MILLINERY OPENING

Every day in the week at Mrs. J. R. Forrest's. Prices lower than ever known. Trimmer from Gage's of Chicago.

ATTENTION EASTERN STAR.

There will be a special meeting of Hope Chapter O. E. S. on Saturday night, April 28. Worthy Grand Patron, Geo. M. Hyland, will be present, the work exemplified and a banquet served by section number five, Mrs. Forrest, chairman. **GENEVIEVE BOHNENKAMP, Worthy Matron.**



YOU SHOULD VISIT OUR STORE TO-DAY

if you are out to buy Groceries for the lay out of tempting things which our roof covers sparkles with interest to those who appreciate right quality and the value of a dollar.

PHONE MAIN 46

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NORTH FIR STREET

NOTICE OF RESTORATION to Settlement, Entry, Filing and Selection of Lands within the former Baker City Forest Reserve, Oregon. Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., March 28, 1906. In pursuance of the proclamation of the President of the United States, dated March 18, 1906, excluding from the former Baker City Forest Reserve, partly embraced in the Blue Mountains Forest Reserve, Oregon, the area described below, and restoring to settlement the public lands therein, notice is hereby given that the said public lands will become subject to entry, filing and selection, under the usual restrictions, at the United States Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, on July 18, 1906: In Township eight (8) South, Range thirty-eight (38) East, Willamette Meridian, the west half of the north-west quarter and the west half of the south-west quarter of Section thirty-five (35); in Township nine (9) South, Range thirty-nine (39) East, the west half of the north-west quarter and the west half of the south-west quarter of Section twenty-nine (29), and the west half of the north-west quarter of Section thirty-two (32). **W. A. RICHARDS, Commissioner.** Approved: **THOS. RYAN, Acting Secretary of the Interior.**

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Better Lumber and Cheaper than is sold in La Grande, We deliver it to your building

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When you want a first class turnout call or phone the **RED FRONT LIVERY STABLE**

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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.**

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200 cords of Yellow Pine and Red Fir, winter cut, on my place 2 miles south of city. Any quantity \$3.50 per cord on the ground, banked out within easy reach. **W. W. GLASS, La Grande, Oregon**

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

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SOCIAL DANCE

The Commercial Club will give another one of their popular dances Saturday evening.