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Ladies' Misses' and Children's Oxfords in Black and Tans at BARGAIN PRICES
\$1.25 ladies' Oxfords \$98. \$1.75 ladies' Oxfords \$1.39. \$2.75 ladies' Oxfords \$2.19

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Some of those you have always wanted to read but never have, why not do so now while they are so cheap, and the weather so hot you can do nothing else
20c Books 12c., 25c Books 19c., 35c Books 25c.

Men's Underwear		Glassware	
Broken lots of Men's Underwear per suit	35c	Berry sets, 90c values	65c
50c garments for	45	Salad bowls, 75c "	35c
15c socks in black, tan and fancy per doz	\$1.23	Water bottles, 75c "	45c
10c socks in black, tan and fancy per doz	97c	Water pitchers, 85c "	50c
200 men's fine dress shirts, half price		Table mats, per set	
Fine line men's ties, 35c to 50c values		Tanglefoot Flypaper, per box	
Large line men's pants at sale prices		Toilet Soaps, the best, per box	
Oud ends in men's suits \$8 to \$10 values, per suit		Diamond C. laundry soap, 7 bars	
\$5.00		38c	
Two patterns in Graniteware, closing out below cost		35c	
One decorated pattern in dishes at the price of white ware, only a few		45c	
		25c	

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Now is the time to give me your order for a Fall or Winter suit. Until

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SOCIETY

One of the leading society events of the summer season was that given by Mrs. Causey yesterday afternoon, complimentary to her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. A. Nelson of Salt Lake.

The scheme of decoration was with sweet peas, each room being elaborately and tastily decorated with this fragrant blossom. The guests played five hundred for which the first prize, a hand-painted cup and saucer, was won by Mrs. Bohnenkamp. The second prize, a beautiful plate, was captured by Mrs. Aikine. The consolation went to Mrs. J. M. Berry and consisted of a Haviland plate.

For refreshments, sherbet, wafers and punch were served. Those present were: Mesdames E. W. Bartlett, H. C. Grady, W. H. Bohnenkamp, Wm. Allinson, F. Kiddle, J. H. Aikine, Fred Swaney, A. L. Richardson, Chas. Dunn, L. Dunn, J. P. McCoy, Guy McCully, Geo. Palmer, A. A. Buckley, C. H. Finn, N. Malitor, R. Newlin, J. E. Foley, F. A. Watts, J. M. Berry, M. K. Hall, Wm. Ash, Ed. Murphy, Turner Oliver, Misses Grady, Bartlett, Burke, McKennon, Bohnenkamp and Anson.

Mrs. F. R. Swaney entertained the Five Hundred Club this afternoon.

STATE VS. SANTOES

Justice of the Peace Hough's office was well filled with spectators this afternoon during the trial of State versus Clyde Santos. The defendant is accused of taking away for the purpose of marriage the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown. Last Monday Rev. O. H. King married the young people, and upon the announcement of the marriage the bride's parents made themselves heard by saying that they knew nothing of the matrimonial intentions of their daughter, and also that she was not of legal age to marry without the consent of her parents.

The trial was a long drawn out affair and the many witnesses had not been heard at a late hour.

The defendant and the complaining witness is both highly respected and well known in the city.

MIDSUMMER DANCE

The managers of the La Grande Commercial Club have decided to hold a grand Midsummer dance the evening of Friday, August third. Special arrangements have been made to secure the very best music and the floor has been placed in the finest possible condition. All who enjoy an evening spent in dancing should not overlook this event.

GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Aug. 2—Wheat opened at 77½¢ closed at 76½¢; corn opened at 48½¢ closed at 47½¢; oats opened at 34½¢ closed 35½¢.

LOCAL ITEMS

Wm. Miller is making a business visit to Baker City today.

Father Walsh, of Sumpter, who has been a guest of Father Whyte of this city, returned home this morning.

Mrs. H. C. Grady and daughter Miss Ellen, left last evening for a few weeks visit in Portland and also at the coast.

Adolph Newlin and family left this morning for the head of Grande Ronde river and will spend a rustic week.

Our local nimrods are looking up their ammunition stock. The closed season on grouse opens on the 15th.

Robt. Walsh, who has been visiting T. W. Walsh and family at Spokane, has returned home.

Mrs. H. C. Grady and daughter Ellen left last evening for Portland where they will spend a week visiting friends.

C. J. Scriber and family are preparing to leave Saturday for a two weeks' outing on Beaver creek.

Messrs. A. C. Huntington and J. A. Dagle left this morning for a short fishing trip up the river.

Do not forget the young people's social tomorrow evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Biggers, under the auspices of the Baptist church.

Mrs. H. S. Massee, with her children Olive and Paul, left this morning for Kamela where she will spend a month recuperating.

Mrs. Emma Harding received word this morning that her son-in-law, Mr. Ben Scott who has been very sick, at his home in Idaho is rapidly recovering.

Dan McWaters was down from his Hilgard home today shaking hands with his many friends. Dan is always a welcome caller at the Observer office.

The Epworth League of Island City will give a lawn social Saturday evening, August 4, at the home of F. E. Kiddle. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thronson and children and Mrs. Stitzinger came down this morning from the Aurealia mines on the Grande Ronde River. They will remain until after circus day.

Mrs. Grace Barrie, who accompanied her sister, Mrs. Ingles to Portland, has returned home. Mrs. Barrie states that Mrs. Ingles is recovering rapidly and expects to be able to return home in the course of a couple of weeks.

F. W. Hamball, proprietor of the I. X. L. store is in receipt of a descriptive prospectus of the Knickerbocker Hotel a structure which is now being built in New York. When this monster hotel is completed one thousand guests can be accommodated. A Hamball, a nephew of F. W. is one of the managers.

It speaks well for the financial institutions of our city that the last two bond issues have been floated by home institutions. The \$250,000 City Hall bonds were purchased by the Farmer and Traders National Bank and the \$30,000 purchased yesterday by the Eastern Oregon Trust Savings Bank is another evidence of our prosperity.

ISLAND CITY ITEMS

Mr. C. H. Bidwell, under treatment at Hot Lake is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home. Born July 31.

Mrs. Elizabeth Atherton and daughter Miss Edith of Hamilton, Missouri are guests in the home of their cousin Mrs. E. E. Kiddle. They will remain for a leisurely visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wade are among Wallaway County relatives for a two weeks stay.

Mrs. W. R. Chattin of Summerville is visiting at the home of Robert Smith.

Mr. E. E. Kiddle left on a business trip Tuesday night for Portland.

Miss Stella Hunter went to Baker City Wednesday night for a visit with Miss Edna Blake.

The Epworth League of Island City will hold a Lawn Social Saturday evening August 4 at the E. E. Kiddle residence. Everyone cordially invited. Ice cream and cake will be served. A good time is assured.

CARD OF THANKS

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church wish to thank those who so kindly assisted on the program at the social given recently at the home of Judge Eakin. A vote of thanks is also extended to the Observer for advertising.

ELGIN EXTENSION

Work on the extension of the Elgin branch is progressing. Track laying is now two and one half miles beyond Elgin and a regular work train left this city for the first time to continue the work.

SOUVENIR

I have just received a nice assortment of souvenirs of the Mormon Tabernacle. Only 25c and 35c. You can see them in the windows.

Now is the time for haying tools, such as forks, pulleys, sythes, water bags, steel cable, pure Manila rope. If you need them I can supply you.

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I have the celebrated Kastor grease, made from pure castor oil, will not gum and lasts longer than any other.

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OFF TO GIGANTIC ENCAMPMENT

Captain Rogers of the local militia company has received orders to have his men in readiness to leave La Grande on August 10 to be present at the gigantic encampment which will be held at American Lake, Wash., the week following Aug. 10. It is planned to have this the best and largest national guard encampment in the history of the Pacific coast. There will be in the neighborhood of eight thousand enlisted men there, national guards from Washington, Idaho, Montana, California and Oregon, besides many regulars who are already there.

Company L is making preparations for a good showing in that large gathering of soldiers and with this end in view is holding special drills three and four times a week. There will be about forty-five enlisted men in the company.

ATTENTION CAMP MEMBERS

All members of the Star Encampment No. 31 are hereby notified to attend the meeting tonight as business of importance will come before the meeting, also a degree will be put on.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR CIRCUS DAY

The O. R. & N. Co. will run a special train from Elgin to La Grande on circus day. The special will leave Elgin at seven forty-five in the morning and will return in the evening after the night performance.



REST YOUR AUNT

And your uncle, too, by treating them to one of our 25 cent dinners. They'll have that pleasant after dinner feeling if they dine with us. The quality of our viands is unsurpassed. They are cooked to perfection. See how healthy and happy the Model Restaurant diners are. Don't you wish you ate at their tables? Well, we can make room for all who come and still have some left for the straggling business delayed dinner.

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