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**HOT DRINKS
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TAMALES**

For Ladies and Gentlemen only

SCHEURER'S

WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL AFTER THE SHOW

LOCAL ITEMS

Dr. Charlton, the veterinary surgeon, is in Union today.

Sheriff Childers is in Elgin today on official business.

John D. Casey of Hilgard is transacting business in the city.

J. D. Grant of Pendleton, a business visitor in the city today.

G. W. Hall of Enterprise, transacted business here last evening.

Mr. Otis Robertson is home spending the holiday with friends and relatives.

Presiding Elder Gilliam is in Imbler today and will visit Elgin tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Burns are down from Meacham today, transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Reinhardt and family are in Summerville visiting friends.

County Judge Henry is transacting business in Elgin today.

J. F. Aidan of Starkey transacted business at the court house this morning.

County Treasurer Frawley is again in his office after having visited in Summerville.

Attorney Robert H. Lloyd of Elgin is spending a few days in the city on professional business.

Misses Edna Mason and Clara Wilkinson, teachers in Elgin schools, are visitors here today.

Mr and Mrs J. A. Thronson and Miss Rose Foutes left this morning for Hot Lake where they will visit over Sunday.

Mrs. Adney Rogers returned this morning from Hilgard where she visited her parents.

Ralph Dial, of Spokane, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Anson, in this city during the holidays.

Mrs. J. K. Romig and daughter of Baker City, are guests this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Romig.

Polk Mays of Joseph, came in on the Elgin train last evening and is looking after business today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bramwell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bramwell returned this morning from a brief business visit to Portland.

The brick work on Architect Thornton's new office is completed and a few more days of good weather and the building will be completed.

R. D. Gline, formerly of Walla Walla, who is now at Hot Lake taking advantage of the beneficial effects produced by the waters of that well known watering place, was a La Grande visitor this morning.

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Mayor Stoddard was placed under quarantine this afternoon for smallpox. He has been ill for several days but not until today did the diagnosis pronounced smallpox. He is not seriously ill, being able to answer teleph'one calls. There are also two cases of diphtheria in town. While this warm deep weather continues it is wise to give every precaution to prevent the spread of these diseases otherwise they may become epidemic. There is no cause of alarm at present but an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure.

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After Christmas Talk

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Gut Glass	\$.50 to \$45.00	a piece
Silverware	1.50 to 60.00	a piece
Salad sets	3.00 to 10.00	a piece
Vases	1.00 to 10.00	a piece
Sleds	.75 to 5.00	a piece
Express wagons	1.50 to 6.00	a piece
Ice skates	.75 to 7.00	a piece

My 10, 25, 50 and 75-cent counter will surprise you. Come and look it over.

MRS. T. N. MURPHY
Hardware and Ranges

ELECTED AND INSTALLED

La Grande, Lodge No 41, A F and A M at its last regular meeting, elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing year:

L. H. Russell W M; Chas W. Noyes S W; J. W. Hockenberry J W; C. D. Huffman Sec; J. M. Berry Treas; A. C. Williams S D; Thomas Williams J D; W. T. Stein S D; Avery Harrison J S; A. W. Leffel Sentinel.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Royal Neighbors of America, Camp No. 2980, met and elected officers as follows: Minnie Whitby, orator; Ella Sampson, vice orator; Mrs. Root, chancellor; Mary Riesland, recorder; Sylvia Wyatt, receiver; Sarah Greene, marshal; Ida Riesland, inner sentinel; Lillie Kimmell, outer sentinel; Mable Williams, manager; Drs. Biggers and Richardson, physicians.

RECORDER'S COURT

A man giving his name as Fred C. Brown, and claiming his residence as Baker City, was arrested last night on the charge of being drunk and disorderly and was fined \$10 by Recorder Snook late last evening. This morning he paid his fine and was released.

L. H. Russell of the Sanger mines, who is spending the winter at La Grande, was a visitor in Baker yesterday looking after business interests.—Baker City Herald.



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is always, without exception, the La Flora De Hackman cigar. For Christmas they make the one ideal present for a gentleman. Sweethearts and wives can always depend on these cigars as being the one kind which is always gratefully accepted. In case your dealer should be out you may secure same in boxes of 25 or 50 at the factory.

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Handkerchiefs, Silk or Linen	from \$.25 to \$1.50
Silk Mufflers	1.00 " 2.50
Fancy Suspenders	.50 " 2.00
Fancy Hose	.25 " .75
Sweaters	1.50 " 4.50
Neckwear	.25 " 1.50
Smoking Jackets	6.00 " 10.00
Cravenette Overcoats	18.00 " 25.00
Suit cases	6.00 " 15.00
Umbrellas	1.50 " 6.00

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HABERDASHER AND TAILOR

A DELICIOUS DINNER Without Precedent

can be served on your Dinner table if you would call and examine our lines of Heinz pickled goods. We carry his complete line. Then we have pop corn that will pop. Delicious Booth oysters are sold here too. Then we have a hundred other accessories that make a record breaker dinner.

THE CITY GROCERY AND BAKERY
E. POLACK, Propr.

SOCIETY

A GENUINE SURPRISE

A few friends of Mrs. Jennie Gilham surprised her yesterday afternoon. The occasion being the anniversary of her 71 birthday. The party first met at the home of Mrs. C. W. Preston and from there proceeded in a body to conquer their hostess. That was soon accomplished and a most pleasant afternoon was the result. Refreshments provided by the attacking party were served and one and all hoped their hostess would live to enjoy many more anniversaries. Those present were Mesdames S. F. Richardson John Blockland, L. T. Harper, T. R. Smith Kerr, Anderson, Bragg, Taylor Ed Thomas, Hanna, Hesse, Newman, Nelson and Prescott.

Sorrowful News

Reached this office at 1.30 p. m. announcing that the La Grande Milling Co. does no keep flour any more, for the simple reason they sell it so fast they can't keep it in stock.

Still we are running every day too
LA GRANDE MILLING CO

OFFICE HELP WANTED
THE SCHOOL THAT PLACES YOU IN A GOOD POSITION.
HOLMES BUSINESS COLLEGE
WASH. & TENTH STS. PORTLAND, OREGON

BROTHER SERIOUSLY ILL
Rev. E. B. Hays today received a telegram from relatives in Los Angeles, California, informing him that his brother W. H. Hays, is seriously ill with pneumonia. The message infers that the disease has a firm grip and the sick man's condition is very low.

THE FIRST LICENSE
Chas Berg of Hot Lake has the distinction of having made application for the first hunting license for 1907. His permit will be made out as soon as the blanks arrive.

APPEALS HIS DIVORCE CASE
John Anthony has filed an appeal in the John Anthony vs. Matilda Anthony case a divorce trial and will carry the case to the Supreme court. The Circuit court granted the divorce at its last term.