



RESOLVED  
THAT IF YOU WANT SOMEONE  
TO BE YOUR VALENTINE YOU  
MUST LOOK WELL AND BE WELL  
DRESSED. DON'T BE A  
COMIC VALENTINE. GO TO  
THE BEST PLACE  
BUSTER BROWN



WHETHER YOU WISH FOR SOME ONE ELSE TO BE YOUR VALENTINE OR WHETHER YOU WISH TO BE A VALENTINE FOR SOME ONE ELSE, GOOD CLOTHES ARE NECESSARY. EVERYONE WISHES THE BEST, WE KNOW. SOME CANNOT AFFORD THE BEST BUT MUST TAKE THE NEXT BEST, BECAUSE THAT IS THE BEST THEY CAN DO. FOR THOSE WHO HAVEN'T MUCH MONEY WE CAN GIVE

ODD GARMENTS IN LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' COATS AT LESS THAN MANUFACTURERS PRICES.

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S WOOL HOSE- 25C VALUES NOW 18C.

MEN'S SUITS- \$10.00 AND \$12.00 VALUES- NOW \$6.75

BOY'S AND YOUTH'S SUITS AT HALF PRICE.

MEN'S \$1.00 AND \$1.25 DRESS SHIRTS NOW 68C.

MEN'S 75C SHIRTS NOW 45C.

MANY OTHER BARGAINS JUST AS GOOD IF THERE IS ANYTHING YOU NEED TO FINISH OUT THE WINTER. GET OUR PRICES-WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.

## GOLDEN RULE COMPANY

1308, 1310, 1312 ADAMS AVENUE  
LARGEST STOCK SMALLEST PRICES

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Carrie L. Gern, after this date she having left my house and home without any just cause. Dated the 29th day of January, 1907.

J. L. Gern

WANTED-By the George Palmer Lumber Company-125 Tamarack logs, 30 feet long, 10 to 15 inches at top end; 650 local feet Red Fir, 16 inches at top end, and not to taper more than 2 inches throughout the length. All logs free from wind shakes and rot. Deliverable in our mill in La Grande.

### ELGIN MAN HURT

Herman M. Bennett had his arm nearly torn from the body last Friday while working underneath the Starr Planer. The mechanism of the under-floor machinery had gone wrong and Mr. Bennett went below to remedy the trouble. While lying prostrate, his arm became entangled with the shafting and nearly twisted off. It is unlikely that amputation will be necessary as immediate surgical relief was secured.

### BORN

HEARST-Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hearst.

## Wonderful Advancement

Has been made of late years in the methods employed

The fitting of glasses should be done by one, who is a specialist, as many a good eye has been blinded by the folly of the patient intrusting their eyes to an incompetent or

### Ordinary Optician

Go to a specialist in eyes and nerve measurements one who can figure to a second just how much energy the eyes are using more than they should use. Dr. Pons the eye and nerve specialist will be at the Sommer Hotel the rest of this week. Hours 9 a. m. till 12 m. and 3 p. m. till 7 p. m. Consultation Free. Dr. Pons will be in La Grande every few months from now on. Bring your broken lens to him, he duplicates any lens in one hour's notice, at a reduced price.

For the past 6 years on my periodical visits I have become well acquainted with Dr. F. E. Moore and I know he has observed the good work in fitting glasses I have done and will have no objections to my referring any one to him who is uncertain of my ability.

DR. PONS

## LOCAL ITEMS

W. L. Webb transacted business in Baker City yesterday.

Mrs. S. A. Parker and daughter of Elgin are guests today with Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Hays in this city.

John McAllister is married in Pendleton, because of the washouts. He started for Portland but will be unable to reach his destination for several days at least.

Attorney and Mrs. Robert H. Lloyd came over from Elgin last evening. Mr. Lloyd is interested in several cases that will come up before the present term of court.

### RECORDERS COURT

Last evening at 7 o'clock Al Lehman and Geo. Berry were arraigned before Recorder Snook on the charge of disorderly conduct and were fined \$10 and \$25 respectively.

### CIRCUIT COURT

Upon application of District Attorney Ivanhoe, the time of filing informations against those who are under bonds was extended to Saturday of this week and those in jail to Wednesday.

### ARE YOUR COLLARS CRACKED?

No doubt of it. Come to us and let us demonstrate to you the manner in which they have been cracked. Then we will show you our modern collar damper and shaper, and explain to you the modern way of doing up collars. Remember we have the only modern machines for this work in this city. Begin the new month right by sending us your shirts, collars and cuffs. CHERRY'S NEW LAUNDRY.

### NOT GUILTY

Tacoma, Feb. 3-"Not guilty by reason of insanity".

This was the verdict read by Judge Snell after the jury in the case of Chester Thompson, charged with the murder of Judge George Mead Emory in Seattle, July 7, 1906, had considered the evidence less than three hours.

There was a large attendance in the court but no unusual scene followed the reading of the verdict. There were the usual handshaking and congratulations following the verdict. The boy was remanded to the custody of the sheriff until further disposition is made of him by the court. His face was impassive as he was led from the court room.

## SOCIETY

The Busy Bee Club of May Park met with Martha Dickenson, Jan. 30, 1907. The afternoon was devoted to the discussion of the life of Thomas Alva Edison, the wizard of Menlo Park; and it proved to be a most pleasant, instructive and entertaining subject. It is said that he has solved the problem of cheap power for automobiles. He promises to put upon the market within six months a new storage battery which will enable every man to travel in his own carriage at about the cost of car-fare, without danger, without breakdown and almost without cost. A carriage once supplied with the new power for \$200 will travel for 15 years or 100,000 miles if necessary.

Chalmers is important mineral used in the manufacture of the dynamite. This mineral is found only in a few states, Oregon being one of them.

The next meeting of the Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Ben Gandy.

MARY MILLER, President.

Regular mid-week dance at skating rink Wednesday evening. Arrangements same as previous occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dwyer entertained the members of the cast which presented Arizona in the Steward opera house recently, with an elaborate banquet last evening in the Model restaurant. Eighteen plates had been laid.

The High Five Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon 2 o'clock sharp by Mrs. Dr. Moore.

Miss Margaret Kirk on Friday afternoon entertains the Kaiffee Klatch club at her home.

### HUNTER WILL PROBATED

The will of the late Wm. G. Hunter was admitted to probate yesterday and letters of administration issued to the two sons, Albert R. Hunter and Charles A. Hunter. The estate is estimated at \$150,000. The real property is valued at \$75,000 and the personal property at an equal amount. Judge Henry has appointed E. E. Kiddle, E. P. Staples and F. D. Gaskill as the board of appraisers. These gentlemen have not filed their inventory. The bondsmen for the sons are as follows, and they assume responsibility for the amounts opposite their names.

Walter M. Pierce,	\$50,000.
J. E. Reynolds,	30,000.
J. L. Cavness,	25,000.
Julia B. Holmes,	50,000.
Fred J. Holmes,	25,000.

## FINE STEEL RANGES

If you are going to buy a steel range, come and examine our celebrated Majestic range. It is surprising at the small amount of fuel they consume and give perfect satisfaction. I also have a few heaters left. This is the time when you need them

Do not forget about carriage heaters. They will keep your feet warm on a long drive.

## MRS. T. N. MURPHY

Hardware and Ranges

## ANNOUNCEMENT

### Union Hospital, La Grande, Phone Black 581

The Management of the Union Hospital wishes to announce that Hospital Certificates are issued at the rate of \$1.00 for one month, \$2.75 for three months, \$5.50 for six months and \$10.00 for one year.

A certificate entitles the holder to admission and medical and surgical treatment in a ward in the Hospital—if desired medicine and treatment can be given at home—within the period of time the certificate is issued for, in consequence of wounds, injuries or sickness hereafter received or contracted, wholly disabling him from performing the duties of his occupation subject to the following conditions:

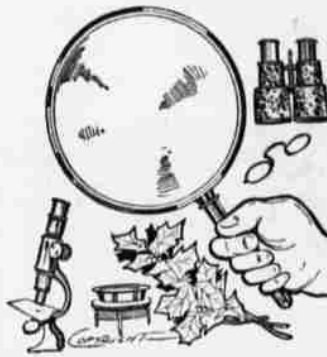
- 1—That certificate holder agrees with the rules and regulations of the Hospital.
- 2—The benefits secured by the certificate are limited to the period of time the certificate is issued for.
- 3—No benefits will be allowed for either of the following ailments to wit: Insanity, venereal diseases and Small-pox.
- 4—The certificate is not transferable and any one using it other than for himself, will be prosecuted by law.

Intoxication and drunkenness will not be allowed in or around the hospital, and certificate holders breaking this rule will be expelled and certificate cancelled without recourse.

Authorized agent for the sale of Hospital Certificates is Mr. J. A. Matott.

The Management of the Union Hospital  
DR. H. VOLP, Office, Corpe Bldg. DR. F. MOOREMEISTER, Office, New Bank Bldg.

## LATE JEWELRY ARRIVALS NOW ON EXHIBITION



## J. H. PEARE.

La Grande's Leading

Jeweler and Optician  
Opposite U. S. Land Office

## FINEST STOCK OF DEPENDABLE JEWELRY IN CITY

## Free Oregon State Lands Irrigated

You are entitled to 20, 40, 80  
120 or 160 acres FREE

you simply pay for the cost of irrigation, which is \$10.00 per acre, payable one-fourth cash, balance in three equal annual payments. Title direct from the STATE OF OREGON. This land is going fast; do not delay; call or write today.

## EASTERN OREGON COLONIZING CO.

Foley Block

La Grande, Oregon

### AN OYSTER SUPPER

is one of the delights of the season. The popular bivalve is now in the pink of condition and whether eaten hot or cold is delicious.

### OYSTERS

are served here in every style. They are cooked by one who has made a specialty of this work, and none of the fine flavor is lost.

When you want oysters in perfection come to the



THE MODEL RESTAURANT  
J. A. Arbuckle Proprietor

## HOT DRINKS OYSTER COCKTAILS AND TAMALES

For Ladies and Gentlemen only

## SCHEURER'S

WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL AFTER THE SHOW