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**STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF**  
**The Eastern Oregon Trust and**  
**Savings Bank**

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JANUARY 26, 1907

**CAPITAL STOCK \$60,000.00**

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$87,126.61	Capital Stock \$60,000.00
Deposits 5,000.00	Earnings 55.68
Warrants and Stocks 3791.15	Discount and Exchange 1673.21
Furniture & Fixtures 12728.50	Interest 66183.36
Expense and Int. paid 150.11	
Accrued 1250.00	
Cash on hand and in banks 27856.28	
<b>\$127,882.65</b>	<b>\$127,882.65</b>

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*February*

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The regulation of wildcat mining and other investment companies which try to sell their securities to the public, is aimed at in a bill before the Minnesota legislature.

One of the unique measures introduced at the present session of the Wisconsin legislature provides that a wife who has property must support a husband who has none just as now the husband must provide for the wife.

A measure that is likely to be enacted into law by the Missouri legislature provides for a stamp tax of 25 cents on every transaction in stocks, grains, cotton and provisions for future delivery. The revenue is to be applied on the fund for improvement of roads.

After the people had given a large majority for the anti pass law, and thru an oversight it was not legal, it must have taken some nerve for the legislature to have turned it down, but then the legislators or at least most of them enjoyed the pass privilege and were loth to give them up.

Notwithstanding the fact that the state thru its own guards can deliver insane patients from the various counties in the state at a saving of fifty per cent over the cost of conveying criminals to the penitentiary, the legislature refused to make any change in the present system. The sheriffs may not object but the people may.

**THE DUMPING GROUND**

Of the 254,308 emigrants from whom passport were issued by the Hungarian government, 185,705 came to the United States.

**WE SHOULD THINK SO**

Consul Thomas E. Heenan, at Odessa Russia states that there is a grand opening in that country for the introduction of American laundry machinery.

**NEW BULLETINS**

This office is in receipt of four new bulletins just issued from the press of the Oregon Agricultural College. No. 89 from the department of agriculture treats on the "Efficiency of cream separators under farm conditions by Ira P. Whitney and on "Dairy school cream separator tests" by F. L. Kent. No. 90 from the department of Chemistry on "Acid soils" by A. L. Knissely. No. 91 on "Farm practice with forage crops in Western Oregon and Western Washington" by Byron Hunter. No. 92 on "The walnut in Oregon" by C. I. Lewis. These bulletins are free for the asking and contain much matter of value to those interested.

**TRADES ONLY HALF LEARNED**

About the only men who learn a trade any more are those who are sent to the penitentiary. The country is being imposed on more and more every year by men who have mastered the trade they claim to understand. As soon as a young man can distinguish the difference between a handsaw and a jackplane he is a carpenter. If he can tell mortar from pancake batter he is a plasterer. If he can pick a paint brush out of a pile where half the pile are whisk brooms he hangs up his sign as a painter. If he can screw the lid on a fruit jar he is a plumber. Lawyers and doctors are obliged to pass examinations to engage in their work, but the public is imposed upon by men who "but in" in a trade, a business or profession which they do not understand and have not fitted themselves.—Ex.

**REDUCTION SALE**

In order to make room for our spring stock which will arrive soon we will, till the first of March offer all our granite and tin ware and in fact every article in our kitchen furnishing department, and also all our light hardware at a twenty per cent discount. Our stock is now complete, but these bargain prices will soon reduce the stock. A word to the wise is sufficient. **THE LITTLE RACKET.**

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**TREASURER'S CALL FOR CITY WARRANTS**

Notice is hereby give that there are now funds on hand to pay all out standing warrants issued on General Fund of La Grande City, up to and including No. 5481 endorsed May 5, 1905. Interest on all warrants on General Fund from No. 5345 to No. 5481 inclusive, ceases from this date. There are also funds in the treasury to pay all warrants issued against Water Fund of La Grande City, up to and including No. 6674 endorsed. Interest on all warrants on water fund from No. 6389 to No. 6674 inclusive, ceases from date of this call. La Grande, Oregon, Feb. 7, 1907  
 J. K. WRIGHT, City Treasurer

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