



RESOLVED
HE NEVER TOLD A LIE
AND WE SHOULD ALL BE
THE SAME. A SUCCESSFUL
MERCHANT CANT AFFORD TO
MIS REPRESENT AND A
SUCCESSFUL MERCHANT DOES
NOT MIS REPRESENT.
BUSTER BROWN.

THE GREATEST THING GEORGE WASHINGTON EVER DID WAS TO TELL HIS FATHER THAT HE CUT DOWN THE CHERRY TREE. HE SET A GOOD EXAMPLE. IT IS EASY TO TELL THE TRUTH WHEN YOU HAVE A LINE OF MERCHANDISE TO TELL ABOUT THAT IS AS REPUTABLE AND WELL KNOWN AS THE BORN LINE OF MERCHANT TAYLORS. THE HISTORY OF THIS FIRM DOES NOT DATE BACK AS FAR AS THAT OF THE CHERRY TREE, BUT ITS PRESENT REPUTATION IS WHAT WE CAN BOAST OF. THAT IS, ITS BEING UP TO THE PRESENT TIME, OR AS BUSTER SAYS UP TO THE MINUTE IN STYLE OF CUT, PATTERNS, AND FRABRICS.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF 1-1-3 YD. SAMPLES, LARGE ENOUGH SO THAT ONE CAN TELL HOW A PATTERN WILL LOOK WHEN IT IS MADE UP, TO SELECT FROM, AND THE GUARANTEE OF A PERFECT FIT OF EVERY GARMENT. A GLANCE IN OUR SHOW WINDOW OR THROUGH OUR LINE OF SAMPLES WILL PROVE TO YOU THE PATTERNS ARE THE CORRECT THING FOR THE COMING SPRING IN MEN'S SUITS. GENTS FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

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O'SULLIVAN CASE STILL ON

The circuit court Judge Smith still sitting as judge has been taken up today with the case of Peter O'Sullivan vs J. M. Blakely sheriff of Wallawa county, which was common of yesterday. It is very likely that the case will go to the jury late this afternoon.

CHANGE IN TICKET

The Socialists met last evening and made a change in their ticket as previously filed. The name of E C Davis was withdrawn as a nominee for councilman in First ward and placed on the ticket for treasurer and W. N. Monroe as councilman in place of Mr. Davis.

LET BILL TAKE ITS COURSE

The retail grocer of La Grande have resigned themselves to fate in regard to the passage of the bill now before the legislature, which if it becomes a law, will compel all grocerymen, both retail and wholesale, to label all packages with the correct weight, price, name, of article or articles of which the package is composed. Delegates and lobbyists from the state organization of grocerymen are now at Salem and the wholesale men too are working hard to prevent the legislation. Many of the inland towns are sending telegrams to their representatives.

La Grande however has not made any appeals to our representatives. According to the clause, which has been added to the regular national food law the grocerymen will be forced to label every package, even a pound of rice, showing the net weight before sending it out of his store.

SALARY RAISED?

County Treasurer Frawley is today being congratulated (?) over the announcement in the Portland Oregonian wherein it is stated that a bill regulating the salary of the county treasurer in this county has been passed and it raises (?) the salary from the present sum of \$1000 to \$900.

IN BAKER ONLY

The announcement in yesterday's Observer that the county superintendents of the state had been given a raise in salary by the legislature, was not clear. The bill provides for a raise in the salary of Baker county's superintendent and not all the counties as first reported.

SOCIETY

The Ladies of the Methodist church will give a George Washington party Tuesday Feb. 19 at the home of Mr. Scriber on 4th street. A musical program has been arranged as follows:
Instrumental Solo Miss Massee
Vocal Solo Miss Williams
Duet Vocal Mr and Mrs Cleaver
Reading Mrs. Bridges
Vocal Solo Sherwood Williams
Instrumental Solo Miss Long
Vocal Solo Miss Aldrich

LOCAL ITEMS

Chas. E. Funk, a business man of Enterprise, and wife were in the city last evening on their way to Portland on a business trip.

J. L. Andrews who for the past eight months has been engineer of the Imbler flouring mill is in the city on business. He will return tomorrow.

Mrs. Eva Andross arrived from Portland and will be in the city several days. Parties desiring to see her may call at the furniture store of Adcock & Fritz.

Miss Rose Zweivel of Summerville who has been visiting her sister Miss Kate Zweivel for the past two days returned home today.

The girls' basket ball team of the high school will go to Baker City tomorrow morning to play the Baker team. Miss Barber the coach, will chaperone.

CITY CANDIDATES

The following have filed their nominations with the City Recorder.

For Mayor—A. L. Richardson; J. B. Stoddard; A. M. Paul*

For Marshal—Ralph Atchinson; L. Reyburn; John Waldon; J. F. Steinbeck.

For Recorder—L. R. Snook; C. W. Tullis*

For Treasurer—J. K. Wright; E. C. Davis*
COUNCILMEN

First Ward—M. McMurray; W. N. Monroe

Second Ward—A. V. Andrews; B. F. Lewis*

Third Ward—F. L. Meyers; E. Reiland*

Fourth Ward—J. T. Williamson; J. K. Sheak; H. A. Watson*

Candidates marked with an * are the Socialist nominations.

DOWN 426 FEET

Contractor West who has the contract for sinking the artesian well for the O. R. & N. Co. in this city is now down 426 feet and the work is progressing very satisfactory. It is the intention of the company to secure a natural flow if possible but if not successful in that, to secure a sufficient amount of water to furnish their requirement by pumping.

NOTES OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY

University of Oregon, Feb. 12, 1907.

Dr. Condon, the oldest member of the university faculty and one of the greatest authorities in geology in the United States, died Monday at his home near Eugene. The funeral will take place Wednesday from Villard Hall. It will be under the auspices of the student body of the University of Oregon.

Mid-year examinations are now in progress. They are unusually hard this year but the good quality of work done makes it improbable that there will be many failures.

James Neill '09 has gone out for track work.

Joel Richardson, after finishing his examinations with high honor, has gone to Portland to visit his mother and brother who are there at present.

Ben Grout intends to enter the competition for the hammer throw at the beginning of the new semester.

The Oregon track team will probably meet every other college team of prominence in the Northwest and possibly Stanford and Berkeley. The Oregon winners of last year are nearly all in college and there is much good material among the freshmen. The meets have not been definitely arranged or located, but at least two of them will be held in Eugene.

Grout and Neill from La Grande, McKenzie from Athena and Hawley from Baker City went boat riding the other day. Neill's lack of skill as an oarsman allowed the boat to strike the submerged reef which now separates the mill race from the Willamette river. There it stuck. But Grout's fine voice soon attracted attention and a passing canoe towed the shipwrecked sailors back into the channel with a rope.

Bezdek, the football coach, and J. E. Brindley, instructor in Economics, went canoeing last week and tipped over. Bezdek swam to land while Brindley saved the boat and floated with it to the water.

The total enrollment of the University in all of its departments is now 565. At Eugene there are 326 students, a gain of 12% over last year.

The inter-state debating teams are hard at work under the able direction of Coach Brindley.

Watch for the Junior Annual. It will be printed soon.

LOGGING TOOLS

I have a complete line of logging tools such as Cante Hooks, Peaveys, Axes, Sledges, Saws, Chain and Cable in fact everything needed for logging.

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The pivot revolving in such a jewel, however, soon cuts and frequently breaks, thus increasing the damage and cost of repairing.

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All repairs given my personal attention.

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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

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