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We have in stock a lot of fine timothy, wild, grain and alfalfa hay, bought before the price advanced. We are selling this hay at low price, quality guaranteed.

We buy and sell oats, barley and mill stuff of all kinds.

We'll sell flour at lower price than others. Try us.

We are closing out our wood business. Have about 100 cords left. Get some at a reduced price before it is all gone.

THE REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND COMMISSION CO.

AIR LIFT FOR WATER

With the exception of attaching a few pipes and attending to minor details, the air lift which will operate the artesian water supply for the railroad yards, is almost complete.

As soon as finished the surface pump which has been doing the work partially satisfactory thus far, will be substituted by the air lift and then, the officials believe, they will have a more satisfactory water system. The air pump is installed and ready to work, but the connections are not all made yet. Although the air pump is to do the work hereafter, the surface water pump will be maintained, ready for use at a moment's notice, should the air system temporarily become disabled.

The air pump will lift the water from the artesian well by means of a small pipe that extends down in the well a depth of 100 feet, and then turns up again. In this way a force of air equal to 100 pounds to the square inch, will be applied to the "automatic" stream from beneath, insuring strong pressure. It is believed the air will do the work more satisfactorily.

Hand rails are being erected about the engines and other pieces of machinery in the power house, to avoid possible accident.

Whitman an Easy Winner.

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—Whitman college was an easy victor in the triangular debate last week between Whitman, Pacific and Willamette university. Three debates were held the same night, one at each institution. In Walla Walla Whitman won a unanimous decision over Willamette. Whitman's speakers being Frank Fletcher, L. M. Livengood, and Calvin Crumbaker. In Forest Grove Whitman won 2 to 1 over Pacific, being represented by R. W. Riggsby, Walter C. Eells, and Harry Davenport. In Salem Pacific beat Willamette. Thus Willamette lost two debates, Pacific broke even and Whitman won two. The question in all the debates was Japanese exclusion.

W. C. Eells, '08, Roy V. Perlinger, '08, and Clarence Morrow, '10, have been chosen to represent Whitman in the annual debate this spring with W. S. C.

Notice of City Election.

Be it resolved by the council of the city of La Grande, Ore., that the recorder shall give notice by publication in the La Grande Evening Observer, for the period of 10 days, of the general election to be held on March the 9th, 1908, for the election of a mayor, recorder, treasurer, marshal and one councilman from each ward of the city, and that the judges and clerks of the First ward shall be as follows:

Judges—J. P. Clark, E. C. Davis and Arthur Wranick. Clerks—D. E. Cox and Arthur Curtis. The voting place shall be at the city hall;

And that the voting place in the Second ward shall be the council room, and the judges and clerks shall be as follows: Judges—H. W. Stonor, David Bay and George Bal'. Clerks—H. E. Coolidge and A. W. Nelson.

That the voting place in the Third ward shall be in the South Methodist parsonage and that the judges and clerks shall be as follows:

Judges—B. W. Grandy, R. L. Lincoln and Arthur Williams. Clerks—R. W. Logan and C. C. Hamilton.

That the voting place in the Fourth ward shall be in the Harris building on Fir street, and that the judges and clerks in said ward shall be as follows: Judges—B. Logsdon, Wm. Thompson and G. E. Fowler. Clerks—C. G. Cummings and A. Thomas.

I. R. SNOOK,
Recorder of the City of La Grande.

By order of the council February 5, 1908.

Dated this, the 19th day of February, 1908.

"Everybody Saves But Father."
Get wise; save 50 cents on every \$5.00 worth of washing by buying a coupon book for \$4.50 cash.
CHERRY'S NEW LAUNDRY,
Phone Main 78.

If your Observer is not delivered as it should be, please notify this office, Phone Main 13. We will consider it a favor.

The Civic League.

About two months ago the Civic league of La Grande was organized by Dr. Hudson, of the International Reform bureau.

The first meeting was largely attended and resulted in the election of C. E. Cochran, president; George L. Cleaver, vice-president; F. G. Taylor, secretary, and J. K. Wright, treasurer.

The chairman of that meeting was instructed to appoint an executive committee of not less than 10 men, who, in conjunction with the officers, should act as a cabinet for the control of the league. This committee has been duly appointed and held its first regular meeting yesterday.

It is the desire of the board that a similar organization be effected in each precinct in Union county, and in order that the people may understand something more about it, a membership card is published herewith, setting forth the purposes of the league:

..... Ore., 1908.

The undersigned desires to be recorded a member of the Civic league of Union county, Ore., a non-partisan organization for good government, law enforcement and no license for sale of intoxicating liquors.

The voters who are interested in the movement are expected, and urged to cut this card out, sign it and mail it to the office at La Grande.

These names will be recorded here, as men who can be depended on to support the principles of this league, and as the organization is completed over the county, the names sent in to the general committee will be forwarded to the proper precinct offices.

Instructions for organization will be sent free to any who express a desire for the same.

Please bear in mind that there is no membership fee charged, and that this is a movement for better citizenship.

CIVIC LEAGUE OF LA GRANDE.

Wood Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the district school board of school district No. 1 of Union county, Oregon, will receive up to 4 o'clock p. m., of March 5, 1908, sealed bids for furnishing said school district No. 1 with 150 cords of four-foot split, yellow pine and red fir wood, said wood to be cut while green and not later than June 1st, 1908, free from large knots and acceptable to said school board. Said wood to be delivered, 135 cords at high school building, five cords at White school, and 10 cords at Fourth ward school, and to be corded up neatly and closely where directed by board. Fifty cords to be delivered by July 1st, and all on or before August 15, 1908. Bids to be left with school clerk. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. C. WILLIAMS,
School Clerk.

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By buying a coupon book good for \$5.00 worth of washing at Cherry's New Laundry, you can save 50 cents. Isn't that worth while. Talk to your wife about it. 3-4

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TO CAMPAIGN COUNTY.

W. F. Anderson Will Speak at Various Points in the County.
W. F. Anderson, candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination of county clerk, is arranging to address the voters of the county on "Pure Politics." Places and dates will be announced later.

Suffering and Dollars Saved.
E. S. Loper, of Marilla, N. Y., says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and dollars. It is by far the best healing salve I have ever found." Heals burns, sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c a Newlin Drug Co.'s drug store.

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