

POULTRY FENCE

Now is the time to fence your chickens in. Come and get some poultry fence. I have it in different kinds and all heights.

Just received a car extra Star A Star shingles. They are first class.

Call and see my souvenirs, 25c to \$2.00 each. They are nice presents to send to your friends.

MRS. T. N. MURPHY
HARDWARE and CROCKERY

LOCAL ITEMS

Fireman Graybeal, who was injured in the recent Pendleton wreck, is still confined to his bed.

Engineer Lou Given is laying off and Engineer Fontaine went out on his run on No. 6 this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rinehart of Summerville came up last evening. Mr. Rinehart states the recent rains insure fine crops in his section of the Palmer mill enters upon its second day of idleness this week, due to the high water of Saturday and Sunday.

Engineer John Carren, formerly on a work train near Huntington, is now on the board for the main line out of this city.

Engineer King and Fireman Anderson have charge of the engine on the work train which is assisting in removing the debris on the tracks on the west slope of the Blue mountains.

Lytton F. Ivanhoe, formerly stenographer at the Amalgamated Sugar company's plant, has accepted a similar position in Division Foreman Watson's office.

Those who dance should not overlook the opportunity to not only enjoy an evening's pleasure, but to give the baseball boys a little assistance tonight.

The body of E. L. Burrell, who died in Elgin last Saturday, passed through the city last night, en route to Kansas City for interment, accompanied by Mrs. George Ross, a daughter of the deceased.

The Kingsley home in North La Grande, was quarantined today on account of smallpox.

William Anderson, candidate for nomination to the office of county clerk, left today for North Powder, where he will make final arrangements for his stump-speaking tour of the county.

The air motor which the O. R. & N. purchased some time ago, is about to be installed on the turn-table. It runs on the circular tracks in the bottom of the pit, and is operated by air from the engine, which is to be turned.

Engineers Fred Schilke and Fred Holm are among the train crews trapped on the other side of the mountains, and are unable to reach home until repairs have been made.

A. W. Wall, who operates the locomotive crane on the elevated tracks, is ill and his brother, S. Wall, is working in his place. The crane is doing but little work, as there is no demand for coal from outside point during the traffic blockade.

Engine No. 64, the "old timer," is back on the Elgin run while the regular engine on that run is at the washout with a work train. On account of there being no logs to haul, the little locomotive can do the work satisfactorily.

The city of Elgin is without water, light and power. The high water of Indian creek caused a break in the pipe line, and as this line furnished the city water and the power for the lighting plant, also power for some of the planing mills and flouring mill, it caused consternation for a little while. It is expected to have the break repaired by this evening so things will be normal again.

You'll Pay With Pleasure



For every meal you eat here, it will be a combination of good food, good cooking and good service. Our restaurant is intended for people who appreciate good eating, also for people who like the good things of life at a moderate cost. If you belong to that class, come in and see what we can do for you.

The Model Restaurant
 J. A. ARBUCKLE, Prop.
 We sell weekly meal tickets for **\$4.50**

John Kennedy of Union, is spending the day with his La Grande friends.

T. J. Ormond is very much improved. His condition today has been especially excellent.

W. F. Anderson returned last night from Elgin, where he was in the interest of his candidacy for county clerk.

The many friends of Mrs. E. B. Richey will be pleased to learn that she is improving rapidly under the careful nursing of Mrs. J. D. Snodgrass. Mrs. Richey has been ill about three weeks.

E. W. Rumble, who is being urged by his friends in Wallowa and Union counties to become a candidate for joint senator, came up on last night's train and returned this morning. He has not fully decided to make the race, but will make a decision during the next few days.

The Davis-Jordan company have a wonder in a new lamp burner. It is adapted for use on any common oil lamp, and gives a beautiful light. Their store is illuminated every evening, at which time a practical demonstration can be seen. Their advertisement will appear tomorrow evening.

Attention is called to the announcement of J. W. Knowles of La Grande, for circuit judge, on the republican ticket. He states that if he is nominated and elected, he will faithfully, impartially and economically discharge the duties of the office, and favors the rigid enforcement of all laws. Mr. Knowles has been in the county recently and created a very favorable impression.—Joseph Herald.

ECCLES TO LA GRANDE.
 Sugar King Will Reach This City With Assistants Thursday.

President David Eccles, the sugar king of the world, and also president of the Amalgamated Sugar companies, his consulting engineer, Mr. Cowen, and General Manager L. J. Eccles, left Ogden, Utah, this morning, headed for La Grande, and will reach this city about Thursday. The object of their visit to this, the center of the Oregon beet industry, is to start the summer's work along the right channels. It is expected they will remain in the city for the day. This official visit occurs about twice every year but the local management is always so satisfactory to the company's heads that they have but little to do here. The last visit was of something like two hours' duration. They come by special train.

Political Information.
 County registration books open until April 7.
 Primary election April 17.
 Registration books reopened April 21; closed on May 15.
 General state election June 1.
 Registration books reopened September 20; close October 20.
 Presidential election November 3.

For Representative.
 I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of representative at the republican primary election, to be held April 17, 1908. If nominated and elected I will stand on statement No. 1; I will use my best endeavors to promote the best interests of the taxpayer, regardless of locality, religion or politics of Union county and eastern Oregon.

RICHARD D. HAMILTON,
 Hilgard, Oregon.

For Representative.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination on the republican ticket for state representative, from Union county, at the primary election to be held on April 17. If nominated and elected I will use my best endeavors to promote the best results for Union county and eastern Oregon, and do it impartially. My motto is: "No friends to reward, but equal justice to all."

S. F. RICHARDSON.

For Circuit Judge.
 I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of circuit judge at the republican primary election, to be held April 17, 1908. If nominated and elected I will faithfully and impartially perform the duties of the office, giving every one, regardless of locality, religion, politics or station in life, fair treatment and a square deal, and enforce the laws in the interest of the taxpayer, and for the promotion of justice and a higher and better citizenship.

LEWIS J. DAVIS,
 Of Union.

For Assessor.
 I hereby announce to the republican voters of Union county, that I am a candidate at the primary election for the republican nomination for assessor of Union county.

R. A. HUG.

For Commissioner.
 I take this means of announcing to the voters of Union county that I am a candidate before the primary for the republican nomination for county commissioner.

J. M. SELDER,
 Cove, Oregon.

For County Recorder.
 I hereby announce to the republican voters that I am a candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination for the office of county recorder.

I. R. SNOOK.

For Sheriff.
 I hereby announce to the republican voters that I am a candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination of sheriff of Union county.

W. W. RANDALL.

For Clerk.
 I take this method of announcing to the republican voters of Union county, that I am a candidate before the republican primaries for the republican nomination for county clerk.

ED WRIGHT.

For Sheriff.
 I hereby announce to the republican voters of Union county, that I will be a candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination for sheriff of Union county.

E. W. DAVIS.

For County Clerk.
 I take this means of announcing to the republican voters of Union county that I am a candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination for county clerk.

H. E. COOLIDGE.

Makes the most nutritious food and the most dainty and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No fussing or fretting over the biscuit making. Royal is the aid to many a cook's success.

NO ALUM—NO LIME PHOSPHATES.

For Circuit Judge.
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination of circuit judge for the Tenth judicial district, subject to the decision of the qualified electors at the primary election, to be held April 17. If nominated and elected, I will faithfully, impartially and economically discharge the duties of the office. I will favor the rigid enforcement of all laws.

J. W. KNOWLES.

For Circuit Judge.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination on the democratic ticket for the office of circuit judge of the Tenth judicial district, comprising Union and Wallowa counties, at the primary election to be held on April 17, 1908. If nominated and elected I will use my best endeavors to administer the business of the circuit court in both counties of the district impartially, speedily and economically.

D. W. SHEAHAN.

Candidate for Circuit Judge.
 I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of circuit judge of this district at the democratic primaries to be held on April 17, 1908.

My motto: No enemies to punish; no friend to reward; equal justice to all.
 February 18, 1908.

T. H. CRAWFORD.

For County Recorder.
 I take this means of announcing that I am a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of Recorder of Union county, at the primary election.

D. H. PROCTOR.

For County Treasurer.
 I hereby announce to the voters of Union county that I will be a candidate at the republican primary election for the nomination for treasurer of Union county.

JOHN FRAWLEY,
 For Congress.

Candidate for republican congressional nomination in the Second district. Liberal appropriations for waterways, equal opportunities and privileges for labor and capital, and governmental control of corporations.

For County Clerk.
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate before the republican primaries for the nomination of county clerk of Union county.

Later in the campaign I expect to address the voters upon the topic, "Pure Politics," at date and places to be announced later.

WILLIAM F. ANDERSON.

WILLAMETTE VALLEY PIONEER.
 Mother of C. C. Pennington Dies Yesterday Afternoon in Albany.

C. C. Pennington yesterday evening received a telegram announcing the death of his mother in Albany. Mr. Pennington is anxiously awaiting the departure of the first train for the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington were early pioneers of this state, having crossed the plains in 1847. Mr. Pennington is still living and will celebrate his 84th birthday next August. His wife, who has just passed away, was 78 years of age. For several years they have lived in Albany, but they still kept their old original donation land claim a few miles out of town, which they settled on many years ago.

Grand MILLINERY Opening AND A Merchandise Exhibition

THE PEOPLES STORE

Music and Special Entertainment Every Afternoon

ALL LA GRANDE AND VICINITY IS WELCOMED TO THIS SPRING EXHIBITION. YOU ARE ESPECIALLY INVITED TO LOOK AND LINGER AS LONG AS YOU LIKE REMEMBER, TEN PER CENT OF ALL CASH SALES GOES TO THE LADIES' NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB, A SOCIETY ORGANIZED FOR THE BETTERMENT OF LA GRANDE AND THE GRANDE RONDE VALLEY.