

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

BLOOD POISON

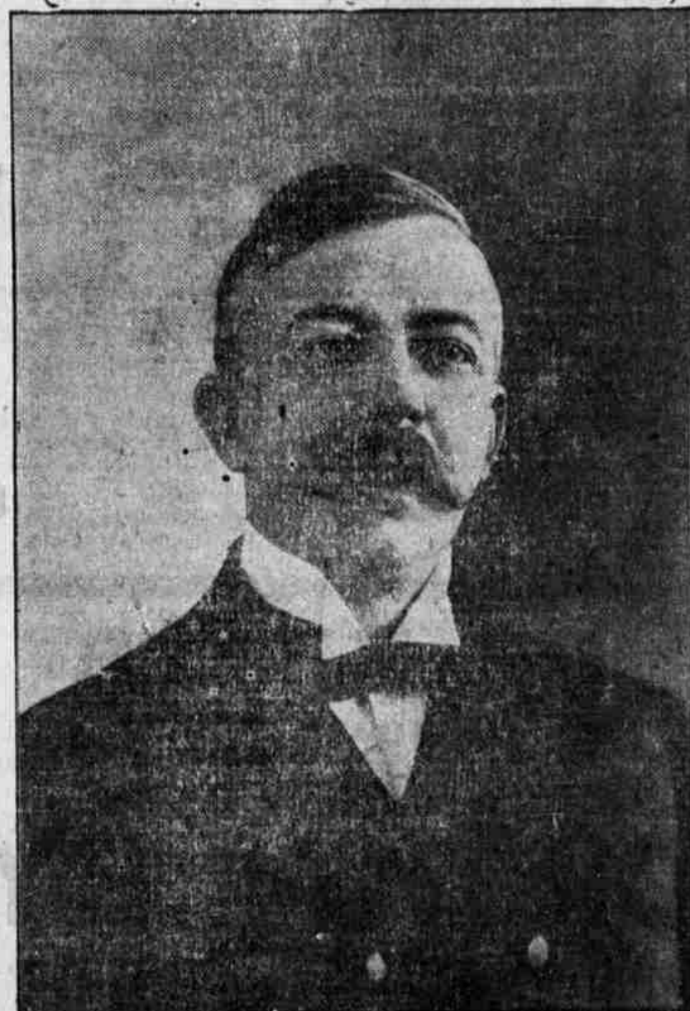
HUMILIATING-VILE-DESTRUCTIVE

The first symptom of Contagious Blood Poison is usually a little sore or ulcer, which is quickly followed by a red rash on the skin, swollen glands in the groin, falling hair, ulcerated mouth and throat, and often copper colored spots on different parts of the body. As the blood becomes more fully contaminated with the poison, pustular eruptions and sores break out on the flesh, and in extreme cases the nerves and bones are attacked and the finger nails drop off. Then the sufferers find themselves diseased from head to foot with this humiliating, vile and destructive poison. No other disease is so highly contagious; many an innocent person has been inoculated by handling the clothing or using the toilet articles of an infected person. There is but one certain, reliable cure for Contagious Blood Poison, and that is S. S. S. It attacks the disease in the right way by going down into the circulation, and neutralizing and forcing out every particle of the poison. It makes the blood pure and rich, tones up the system, and completely and permanently cures this disease. S. S. S. has cured thousands of cases of Contagious Blood Poison. If you are suffering with this debasing and destructive disease begin the use of S. S. S. and get the poison out of your blood before it permanently wrecks your health. We have a home treatment book on the disease which we will send free to all who wish it, and in addition our physicians will give without charge any medical advice needed. **THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.**

CAKE FOR U. S. SENATOR

Mr. Cake is the advocate of statement No. 1 and the popular election of United States senators; two years ago he took the stump for his suc-

cessor, but boasts that he will not be interested enough to vote at the primaries. This is the last appeal the people go to the polls, but those who believe in statement No. 1 will not be interested enough to vote at the primaries. This is the last appeal



H. M. Cake, Republican Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator

successful opponent. He deserves the support of every loyal republican who believes in pure politics. The machine element concedes his nomination if

to those who believe in the popular election of United States senators to assert the rights which the old machine is trying to wrest from them.

MEETING PLACE CHANGED.
Annual Election of Officers for W. C. T. U. Thursday.

The W. C. T. U. meeting announced for this week will meet at the Mrs. Simmons home, corner Eighth and N streets, on Thursday afternoon.

This is a special meeting and is also the date for the annual election of officers. All members are requested to be present. Attention is called to the change in meeting place.

Silver Deposit ware at one-half wholesale price, at the Hancock Jewelry store. Sale closes April 18.

LOCAL ITEMS.

J. T. Williamson is in Pendleton transacting business.

Miss Bernice Ellsworth is over from Hot Lake, visiting her mother.

John Eaton of Cove, is a business visitor in La Grande today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scott are down from Hignala today, transacting business.

The Presbyterian Brotherhood meets at the home of Fred Geibel tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wright and Mr. Austin of Union, were land office visitors today.

Mrs. A. J. Woods of Elgin, came in last evening to transact business before the land office today.

Mrs. James Jay Van Buren and F. E. Moore, returned last evening from a short visit to Caldwell.

E. Damon returned this morning from a week's business trip to Portland and vicinity.

E. W. Davis, republican candidate for the nomination to the office of sheriff, visited at Hot Lake last night, returning this morning.

Mrs. Gunn, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lilly the past few days, returned to her home at Roseburg this morning.

C. M. DeVere, who is conducting amateur theatrical performances at Pendleton, arrived last evening to spend a few days here with relatives.

Members of the board of managers of the Commercial club are to meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock, to settle up the club's finances.

Rev. D. G. Curry of Weston, arrived this morning to move onto his home-stand on Rock creek. His family will remain in Weston until after school closes, when they will join him.

The young people of Island City will give a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kiddle on Friday evening, the 17th. The proceeds are to be applied on the purchase of new song books.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Aid society will meet with Mrs. C. M. Humphreys Thursday afternoon to complete plans for the trip through Europe, which they expect to give in the near future.

Pitman David Graybeal is able to leave his bed today for the first time since he was so severely scalded in the Pendleton wreck. Though forced to rest on crutches, he is elated over his slow but apparently sure recovery. He expects to be up town in a few days.

This afternoon the funeral of the late Ethel Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Baker City, took place in that city, and the following relatives residing in La Grande left this morning for Baker City to attend the services. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grandy, Mrs. Emma Harding, Mrs. S. C. Williams, Mrs. Will Grandy and Mr. B. W. Grandy.

Autos Mean Good Roads.
Those who are interested in good roads are delighted to see so many new autos arriving in the city, for they allege that with the increased number of machines in use a like increase in the interest in good roads will result, says The Dalles Chronicle, and the same applies to La Grande. At no other time in the history of The Dalles has the auto fever held sway as it does this spring. Several new machines have already been purchased and there are at least two purchases in contemplation.

Kemp Friday Night.
Everett Kemp, who so greatly pleased his audience in "Seven Oaks" last year, will appear in Central Church Friday evening. This time he renders "If I Were King." Those who heard him last spring will be among the most desirous to hear him. Admission 50c and 25c. Seats at Selder's Thursday morning.

Card of Thanks.
I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to the friends who so kindly showed their love and kindness to my niece, the late Miss May Nelson, during her illness, and especially to her classmates.
MRS. W. H. JACKSON.

Seed Potatoes.
Early Rose potatoes for seed. All first-class. Quantity to suit purchaser. All garden seeds. Call and see our assortment. Now is the time to plant. City Grocery and Bakery.
E. POLACK, Prop.

GRAND OPENING WEEK

OF

Bargain Basement Department

Owing to constant increase in business, we have found it necessary to have more room and to obtain the same we have remodeled our basement, thus giving us 1800 feet more floor space, and we will open this department SATURDAY, APRIL 11.

Special Features and Special Bargains
For one week to introduce this new department.

GRAND DISPLAY of household necessities. We want everybody to visit our **BARGAIN BASEMENT DEPARTMENT** during this one week's **OPENING**.

THE NEW DEPARTMENT is what its name implies, a basement of **BARGAINS**

Opening Week, April 11 to 18

THE GOLDEN RULE CO.
LA GRANDE, OREGON

PICK LOCAL AMATEURS

The cast has been chosen, rehearsals will start at once, in fact everything points to one of the most successful home talent theatricals of the past year, when the band benefit is given in this city two weeks from tonight. The Observer was misinformed last evening when it announced the date as one week from Friday. It is two weeks from tonight.

There are but three or four new faces in the personnel. Well known amateurs such as Ed Coolidge, A. B. Rogers, Postmaster Richey and Miss Biever, are to be seen in this four-act drama, entitled "For Brother Tom." The full list of players follows:
H. E. Coolidge Dad Hewins
A. B. Rogers Jim Hewins
Sherwood Williams Tom Hewins
Chas. Vurpillat Harry Swift
G. M. Richey Willard Hilton
Miss Gertrude Biever Anna Hewins
Miss Carmen Stoddard, Hattie Hewins
Miss Margaret Cundiff Maida Lorno Coolidge Master Eddie

THEATRICAL.
New Program at Electric Theater Pleases All—Beagles Coming.

The new program at the Electric more than pleased the patrons this week. The pictures are plain and life like and the situations are such as would naturally occur. The pictorial drama, "The Hold-up," is without doubt the best number of its kind yet offered by Manager Sherwood. The songs are pleasing all and as a result the capacity of the hall is taxed at each performance.

Charles Baker returned to La Grande this morning and has leased the Elks' hall and next Thursday will open an engagement with the Beagle family. This family will appear in the musical comedy, "The Man Behind." Watch for the parade at noon.

DENTIST.
Dr. W. D. McMillan, Red 581. Painless extraction. Expert gold work. Special attention to children's teeth.
La Grande National Bank Building. Rooms 4-5.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

Held in Various Sections of the City This Afternoon and Evening.

The members of the five churches that are now working together preparatory to the revival meetings to be held by Evangelist Haudenschild, have been holding cottage prayer meetings in various portions of the city. This afternoon prayer meetings were held at the homes of Mrs. C. L. Thorne, Mesdames Beardin, Milligan, Herr, Whitby, Mason and Swart. This evening there will be meetings at the following homes: Mrs. Brenholts, led by Mr. Byrkit; Mrs. Soulder, led by Mrs. Davis; Mrs. John Cates, led by Rev. Deal; Mrs. Scott, led by A. W. Leffel; Mrs. J. M. Wright, Mrs. Jacob Devine and Mrs. G. L. Biggers.

Ladies.
Have you seen the Alorine Female Syringe? It is something new. It is the only absolutely scientific sanitary female syringe made. See them at the drug stores. 3-16-1m

To Exchange.
Want to exchange second-hand organ for some team work; also want some poles. See Hendricks, the reliable piano tuner.

UMBRELLA RECOVERING AND REPAIRING

New Covers put on, \$5.00 to \$4.00.

If you have anything broken I can fix it

L. C. SMITH
OPPOSITE FOUNDRY

Croup

When a child wakes up in the middle of the night with a severe attack of croup as frequently happens, no time should be lost in experimenting with remedies of a doubtful value. Prompt action is often necessary to save life.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

has never been known to fail in any case and it has been in use for over one-third of a century. There is none better. It can be depended upon. Why experiment? It is pleasant to take and contains no harmful drug. Price, 15 cents; large size, 50 cents.

NEWLAN DRUG CO.

SALE CLOSES

The Bankrupt Sale at the Heacock Jewelry store will close

APRIL 18

EDISON RECORDS 25c

Other merchandise at wholesale prices.

Great bargains in hand painted China, Cut Glass, Watches, Plated Ware, Umbrellas, and a full line of Jewelry.

La Grande INVESTMENT Co.

HEACOCK'S OLD STAND
Mr. Heacock will be on hand to repair watches and test eyes.

TRY SHEPHERD FOR CONGRESS

All bills carrying appropriations originate in the House. There are no conflicting interests to prevent a Multnomah man from giving a Square Deal to any part of Eastern Oregon.