

LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Moina Aikin of La Grande, arrived here today to visit Mrs. C. R. Seitz—Eugene Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Woodall of Summerville, are in the city today. Mrs. Woodall is having some dentistry attended to.

Mrs. Hannah Rogers, who is keeping house in Union for Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pursell while they are spending a few months in the east, came over this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Pursell are not expected to return for two months yet.

Professors G. M. Mickleson and N. J. Mansager, of the high school faculty, arrived this morning and will devote themselves to the duties at hand. Mr. Mickleson was here last year and spent his vacation at Payette. Mr. Mansager lives at Albany, Ill., when he is at home.

County Chairman J. H. Pearce, State Committeeman Chas. E. Cochran, Organizer J. W. Snodgrass and County Recorder I. R. Snook left this afternoon in Lot Snodgrass' automobile for Union to be present at the organization of a Taff-Sherman club there this evening.

All of the teachers of the La Grande public school are requested to meet in the Central school building at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with Superintendent Hockenberry, to receive instructions relative to the opening of school next Monday.

Circuit Judge H. J. Bean of Pendleton, arrived in the city this morning to hear three cases for Judge Knowles.

Mrs. J. H. Rinehart, who has been in Portland the past few months, returned to her home at Summerville this morning.

Ed Staples left this morning to spend a few days in Portland. He may take in the state fair before returning.

James Wasson, who last year taught school at North Powder, left this morning for Pleasant Valley, where he will teach the coming year.

Mrs. Peter Thilson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitman, returned home this morning to Umatilla.

Misses Netta Kiddle and Stella Hunter of Island City, left today for Seattle, where they will enter the University of Washington as sophomores.

Conductor Wissler of this city, who had charge of No. 6 this morning, dead-headed back to Pendleton on No. 1, where he will relieve another conductor who is sick.

Miss Laura Green is singing at the Sherwood Electric this week. Mr. Fern attempted to resume his duty for a few days, but his doctor advises additional rest.

Mrs. Harley Laughlin and son Frank Tevin, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brooks, returned to her home at Telocaset this morning. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Wade Brooks.

Congressman W. R. Ellis and Mesdames Ayers and Vaughn of Pendleton, are in the city today. They may return tonight, though it is more likely their stay will be extended until tomorrow.

Machinist W. H. Osbourne is back in the machine shops after a period spent in Portland, where he was taking treatment for internal troubles. He is much improved in health.

Mrs. Kate Cundiff and daughter, Margaret, came in from California last evening, having come from 'Frisco to Portland on the Rose City. They report a most enjoyable trip.—Eugene Register.

Assistant Superintendent D. W. Campbell, of the O. R. & N., arrived last evening from Pendleton, where the railroad officials held a conference yesterday. Chief Dispatcher A. Buckley returned with the superintendent.

The Mission band of the Presbyterian church, composed of "juvenile ladies," held a meeting at the A. Anderson home in West La Grande yesterday afternoon. The young but skilled fingers are making a quilt for a mission in Alaska.

Prof. H. J. Hockenberry, Waldo Geddes and Lowell Williamson returned yesterday from the Minam. They practically did no fishing owing to the muddy condition of the water. Shepherders who are familiar with the stream are of the opinion that a heavy waterspout occurred near the head.

## UNION PAYS UNION MEN

Paris, Sept. 16.—In one of the most remarkable decisions rendered by a French court, the secretary of the Electrical Workers' union is sentenced to pay damage to two members of the union because they were thrown out of work on the night of August 6, when Paris was dark. The court ruled that the electrical workers strike called will result in a sort of military alarm and must be recognized as malicious, since it overthrew the city's economic life and deprived those who wanted work. There is no appeal from this court.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.**

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping. Pleasant location; close in. Inquire of Mrs. Hattie R. McDonald, 1616 Sixth street, or 'phone to Black 462.

WANTED—To trade an automobile for real estate. L. C. Smith.

WANTED—Chambermaid. Apply at Blue Mountain House. 9-9-11

City Water Superintendent Will Disconnect Service Promptly.

After tomorrow there will be a water scarcity in many families of the city unless delinquent water rents are promptly paid. The city officials have taken the bits between their teeth and with either secure complete payments on delinquent water rents, or disconnect the service. Due notice has been given patrons and if the payments are not made before tomorrow night, the law will be rigidly enforced.

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**WANTS THAT RENT.**

Attention, Eagles.  
There will be a meeting of La Grande next Friday evening at the Elks' old hall. A full attendance is desired.

D. H. PROCTOR, President.  
One hundred and fifty firemen are required on some of the Atlantic liners.

SOCIETY.

**Presbyterian Ladies' Buffet Luncheon.**  
A section of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp is chairman, gave a most delightful and unique social yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bohnenkamp on Second street.

A large number of ladies were present, each bringing her favorite recipe, which she read aloud while the rest took notes, and in this manner a very profitable as well as enjoyable afternoon was spent.

The rooms were rendered more beautiful by the lavish use of flowers, and especially attractive was the dining room table, on which a dainty buffet lunch was served, the china and silver ware being almost hidden by vases of long-stemmed pink La France roses. One large bowl filled with roses formed the centerpiece, while pretty pink rosebuds were strewn in artistic profusion, marking the sections where the different courses were served.

Mrs. Grady and Mrs. Donohue assisted the hostesses in receiving and serving, and a snug sum was realized to assist the ladies in preparing for their church fair to be held in the near future.

**A Street Railway for Baker.**  
Anthony Mohr, on behalf of eastern capitalists, represented to the council last night, that if the franchise now in the name of William Pollman was extended, he had parties ready with the money who would proceed with the building of the street railway, says a Baker City paper. Mr. Pollman could, if the franchise was extended, transfer the same to the interested parties. He asked for an extension of 12 months, and for an amendment to the franchise allowing the use of either electricity or gasoline power.

He said the Philadelphia Bonding company was ready to take the bonds and advance the money to build the road. Council, upon motion of Mr. Cooper, agreed to have an ordinance prepared to extend the time for the building of the road 12 months, and for an amendment to the ordinance so the gasoline or electricity could be used. On roll call Smith and Wright voted "No."

Mr. Mohr stated that he was in a position to say to the council that he would bring his engineers out at once and make the surveys and begin the building of the road in the spring. It will be one of the greatest improvements possible for the city to have the road built. And it will further advance the city to have it extended to the country for the accommodation of farmers and the nearby country villages.

# GET RICH

There are thousands seeking to get rich. It is not the amount that you earn that helps you to get rich but the amount you save, or the largest rate for the amount invested.

The following prices will suggest the great saving you make by purchasing your school supplies, shoes, hats, caps, dry goods, hosiery, notions, in the Bargain Basement. In fact everything necessary for school season, workshops, home or society can be purchased at a great saving in the Bargain Basement than any place in Eastern Oregon.

Hats, each .....48c	Calico, per yard .....5c	Adamantine Pins, per paper 5c
Hats, each .....98c	Lawns, per yard .....5c	Safety Pins, a good quality, per paper ..... 5c
Shoes, ..... 28c up	Apron Gingham, per yard 6 1/2 c	Pearl Buttons, 2 dozen .....5c
Overalls, men's, each .....48c	Outings, per yard .....5c	Thread, Clark's O. N. T. ....4c
Overalls, boys, .....28c	Percales, per yard .....7 1/2 c	Hair Pins, wire, per paper ..1c
Work Shirts, boys', each ..35c	House Lining, per yard ...5c	Darning Cotton, per spool...2c
Work Shirts, men's, each...45c	Bleached Muslin, per yard..9c	Combs, horn, tin back.....9c
Dress Shirts, boys', each...28c	Towels, per pair .....18c	
Dress Shirts, men's, each...48c	Linen Towels, per pair ....25c	
Ladies' Vests, each .....12c		
Tablets, Linen, wide and good quality each .....5c	Heavy galvanized Tubs, No. 1, ..80c	
Envelopes, each .....5c	8-qt galvanized Pails, each .....18c	
Box Stationery, .....13c and up	8-qt Flaring Pails, each .....13c	
Pencil Boxes, each .....5c	Dust Pans, each .....10c	
Lunch boxes, each .....12c	Milk Pans, 4-qt each..... 9c	
Lunch Baskets, each .....25c	Pudding Pans, from .....4c to 9c	
Matches, per bunch .....1c	5c, 8c and 13c Notion tables.	
Common Clothespins, per dozen ...1c		

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### Statement of the Condition of the FARMERS AND TRADERS NATIONAL BANK OF LA GRANDE, As the Close of Business July 15, 1909.

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.
Time loans .....\$ 77,666.00	Capital stock .....\$ 60,000.00
Overdrafts, temporary ... 3,846.73	Surplus and undivided profits ..... 2,713.45
Bonds, warrants, etc. .... 19,732.39	Circulation ..... 15,000.00
Banking house and fixtures 15,611.00	Dividends unpaid ..... 1,200.00
Other real estate ..... 6,000.00	Rediscouunts ..... 4,500.00
CASH AND AVAILABLE ASSETS	Deposits and due to banks 179,076.87
U. S. bonds and premiums ...\$15,675.00	
Demand loans \$5,353.70	
Cash and due from banks .. 37,855.20	
5 per cent redemption fund 750.00 139,633.90	
<b>Total .....\$262,490.02</b>	<b>Total .....\$262,490.02</b>

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Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schillou's Best.

Notice.  
Having sold out, I desire all parties having claims against me to present the same immediately, and those owing me must either settle same or arrange for settlement within the next 15 days. I can be found at my former place of business.  
Dated this 29th day of August, 1909.  
8-29-9-14  
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