

**Fresh Vegetables are Scarce**  
 But we have just received nearly a  
 carload of canned goods. The goods  
 are all standard brands and are this  
 season's pack

- Preferred Stock, Asparagus
- Preferred Stock, Spinach
- Preferred Stock, Sweet Potatoes
- Preferred Stock, Pumpkins
- Preferred Stock, Succotash

**Everything in Staple and Fancy Can-  
 ned Goods**

**City Grocery and Bakery,**  
 E. POLACK, Prop] PHONE MAIN 75

**20 PER CENT  
 BIG DISCOUNT SALE  
 CONTINUED**

**Jewelery, Watches, Rings,  
 Cut Glass, Silverware,  
 Umbrellas, Hand  
 Painted China  
 & Clocks**

**This Week I am making a reduction  
 of 20 per cent on everything I  
 have in my Jewelery Store**

Ladies Watches from \$5.60 to \$25.00 Gents  
 Watches \$3.20 to \$55.00. This reduction makes  
 a \$25. watch for \$20. You save the \$5.00 and  
 we are satisfied as the volume of our business  
 is greater. Come early and avoid the rush

**Heacock's Jewelry Store**  
 OPEN EVENINGS

**Cut Prices on Lumber and  
 Shingles for large Orders**

We need the money; You need the material

**Fir and Native Lumber, Cedar  
 Shingles**

**STODDARD LUMBER CO.**

DAILY OBSERVER 65c a Month

**INSTALLATION  
 BIG EVENT**

Masonic Temple was resplendant  
 with beauty and wit last night, the  
 occasion being the joint installation of  
 La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A.  
 M., and Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E.  
 S. The past year has been exception-  
 ally prosperous in Masonic circles,  
 many new members being received  
 into the several branches of the order  
 and in the Blue Lodge Worshipful  
 Master L. H. Russell in his address,  
 in turning over his authority to his  
 successor, reviewed the condition of  
 the order under his two years of official  
 service and stated that during this  
 period the Angel of Death had in-  
 vaded their ranks four times.

Worshipful Master R. L. Lincoln, in  
 acknowledging the honor that had  
 been conferred on him, reviewed briefly  
 the history of the order, which runs  
 back so far that, historians are no  
 longer sure of the time of its origin.  
 No dispute whatever but it was in ex-  
 istence prior to the building of King  
 Solomon's temple. Following this ad-  
 dress was one by Senior Warden John  
 S. Hodgkin, who has given Masonry a  
 great deal of research.

Following the installation of the  
 Blue Lodge, the recently elected offi-  
 cers of La Grande Chapter No. 9, Roy-  
 al Arch Masons, were escorted to seats  
 of honor, wearing their new and beau-  
 tiful regalia, which is second to none  
 in the state for workmanship, beauty  
 and durability. Bible students  
 could easily imagine they were re-  
 enacting the scenes in the time of Sol-  
 omon.

Circumstances prevented the attend-  
 ance of Grand Worthy Matron Jennie  
 E. Reames, and her letter of regret  
 was read. The lateness of the train  
 prevented Grand Worthy Conductress  
 Pauline Riley of Baker City, from be-  
 ing present, and illness prevented  
 Grand Worthy Treasurer Clara T.  
 Lyle, of our own city, attending. Grand  
 Worthy Conductress Jennie G. Rine-  
 hart of Summerville, was present, and  
 at the close of the banquet, in response  
 to a call for a few words, delivered a  
 stirring address that was punctuated  
 with encomiums on the order, and  
 through which ran a strain of wit  
 which called forth approbation which  
 ranged at times from a rippling laugh-  
 ter to enthusiastic applause.

During the installation of the East-  
 ern Star officers in recognition of her  
 continued service and faithful interest  
 and attendance at the direction of the  
 installing officer, Grand Associate  
 Conductress Mrs. Rinehart, fastened  
 the emblem of her office on Mrs. Al-  
 mira Curtis, as chaplain. Mrs. Curtis  
 was one of the charter member in  
 1891. At the conclusion of the instal-  
 lation Past Worthy Matron Mrs. W.  
 H. Bohnenkamp, on behalf of the Star,  
 presented Past Worthy Matron Mrs.  
 F. G. Schilke, who acted as installing  
 officer, with a handsome solid gold past  
 worthy matron's pin, in appreciation

**We Wish All  
 A Most Merry  
 Christmas  
 The People's Store**

**La Grande's Leading Dry Good and Clothing Emporium**  
 OPERA HOUSE BLOCK LA GRANDE, OREGON

of her services, covering a period of  
 many years, and through whose skill  
 in executing the drills that have placed  
 Hope Chapter No. 13 in the highest  
 favor in the state and whose work  
 last evening added additional laurels  
 to her already well filled crown. Mrs.  
 Schilke attempted to make a reply.  
 We say "attempted," advisedly, for  
 Mrs. Schilke can always be depended  
 upon to say just the right thing at the  
 right time, but this unexpected token  
 took her completely off her guard.

It was midnight before these broth-  
 ers and sisters said good night, and  
 one and all were deeply impressed with  
 the teachings of their Blue Lodge.

**Officers Installed.**  
 Eastern Star—W. M., Mrs. Rachel  
 Worstell; worthy patron, A. C. Mac-  
 Lennan; assistant M., Miss Pauline  
 Lederle; secretary, Miss Mary War-  
 nick; treasurer, Mrs. May O. Noyes;  
 conductress, Miss Currie Hunter; as-

sistant conductress, Miss Cynthia  
 Stine; chaplain, Mrs. Almira Curtis;  
 marshal, Mrs. Irene Williams; organ-  
 ist, Mrs. Nellie Neill; Ada, Miss Laura  
 Holmes; Ruth, Mrs. Edna Swartz;  
 Esther, Mrs. Emma Grady; Martha,  
 Miss Bertha Berger; Electa, Mrs. Anna  
 Bacon; warden, Mrs. Hattie Hoyt;  
 sentinel, William Stine.

Blue lodge—R. L. Lincoln, W. M.;  
 John S. Hodgkin, S. W.; L. M. Hoyt,  
 J. W.; Dr. C. T. Bacon, treasurer; A.  
 C. Williams, secretary; W. H. Os-  
 borne, S. D.; J. J. Carr, J. D.; J. T.  
 Williamson, senior S.

**Wedding Bells.**  
 A Christmas eve wedding will take  
 place this evening at the home of the  
 bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A.  
 Driskell. The happy couple are Glenn  
 Hays of Heppner and Miss Verna Dris-  
 kell of this city. The ceremony will  
 be performed at 6 o'clock, the Rev.

O. H. King, pastor of the Central  
 Church of Christ, officiating. The  
 home will be decorated with cut and  
 potted plants and trailing vines. The  
 a few of the most intimate friends of  
 color effect is pink and white. Only  
 the family will be present. The bride  
 will wear white mousseline silk over  
 tulle, and carry white carnations; her  
 maid of honor, Miss Hilda McCrary,  
 will be dressed in pink and carry pink  
 carnations. After the ceremony Mr.  
 and Mrs. Hays will leave for Portland  
 from where they will go to Eugene  
 before returning to Heppner, where  
 they will make their future home. The  
 groom is one of the prominent agricul-  
 turalists of the Heppner country, and  
 has the respect of a large circle of  
 friends and business associates. The  
 bride is one of La Grande's most ac-  
 complished daughters and carries with  
 her the best wishes of a large list of  
 friends.



SCENE FROM "THE TOYMAKER," WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO OPERA CO. AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.