



Clearance Sale

OF HOUSE FURNISHINGS



We are overcrowded in our new brick corner store and must sacrifice these splendid goods to make room for our Spring stock soon to arrive.

We have some attractive things in room furnishings, comfortable chairs and bookcases **\$5.00 to \$25.00**

STOVES AND RANGES

We have 23 ranges on which we will make you First Cost prices for cash. These are new, up-to-date and high quality goods.

\$33.50 Elite Range, double fire box linings, duplex grate for wood or coal, 16 inch oven, high closet and end shelf for cash only **\$25.75**

\$55.50 Acme Steel Range, extra heavy fire box lined, duplex grate, wood or coal, 20 inch oven, high closet, flush reservoir, porcelain lined, We guarantee this range for 10 years. A bargain at our price **\$45.00**

\$60.00 Blue Steel Improved Cascade Range, 22 inch oven, duplex grates, extension broiler device, large warming closet, flush reservoir porcelain tank, handsome nickle trimming. This is a large range suitable for farms and boarding houses where capacity is required and is a very special bargain at our cash price **\$47.00**



We are leaders in low prices on floor coverings

Beautiful designs in carpet at 35c to 70c, worth from 50c to \$1.00.

Alexander Smith & Sons genuine Velvet Rugs, 27x54 in., worth \$2.75, sale price **\$1.40.**

Genuine Axminster, 27x54 in., beautiful designs, Floral, Oriental and Animal, worth \$3.75, our price **\$1.95**

Alexander Smith & Sons best Axminster Rug, 36x72 in., worth \$6.50 course price **\$4.15**

Imported Scotch Brussell Rugs, 9x12, \$16.50 values at **\$10.90**

We have a large assortment of Ingrain Rugs at from **\$3.00 to \$12.00**

We have several second hand Ranges and Stoves in excellent shape at **\$5.00 to \$20.00**

WANTED—\$500.00 worth of Second Hand Goods. We pay highest cash price or will take in trade.

Remember: ONE STORE ONLY. New Brick, Corner Fir Street and Jefferson Avenue. Phone Black 641

F. D. Haisten & Bros.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Popular Because it is the Best.

"I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past eight years and find it to be one of the best selling medicines on the market. For babies and young children there is nothing better in the line of cough syrups," says Paul Allen, Plain Dealing, La. This remedy not only cures the coughs, colds and croup so common among young children, but is pleasant and safe for them to take. For sale by all good dealers.

Colds contracted at this season of the year are quickly relieved with Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. Its laxative quality rids the system of the cold. Pleasant to take. Best for children for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Sold by Silverthorn

FOR SALE—New house, containing 5 rooms and bath; one acre first-class garden land with water right; trees, bushes, barn, woodshed, chicken park, etc. Close in. A bargain if taken at once. N 43, Observer. 2-161f

Merchants! Save \$10,000

In 1907 the Merchants of Oregon saved over \$10,000 by carrying a part of their insurance in their own company, the Oregon Merchants Mutual Fire Insurance Association, of Dayton, Oregon. In 1908 they will save \$15,000. During the same period their neighbors were handing over \$1,500,000 in profits to outside companies

In the Oregon Merchants Mutual you get: INSURANCE AT COST A LIMIT TO YOUR LIABILITIES PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF LOSSES

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N. B. Long Distance Collection a Specialty
OVER NEWLIN DRUG CO.

A Common Cold.

We claim that if catching cold could be avoided some of the most dangerous and fatal diseases would never be heard of. A cold often forms a culture bed for germs of infectious diseases. Consumption, pneumonia, diphtheria and scarlet fever, four of the most dangerous and fatal diseases, are of this class. The culture bed formed by the cold favors the development of the germs of these diseases, that would not otherwise find lodgment. There is little danger, however, of any of these diseases being contracted when a good expectorant cough medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It cleans out these culture beds that favor the development of the germs of these diseases. That is why this remedy has proved so universally successful in preventing pneumonia. It not only cures your cold quickly, but minimizes the risk of contracting these dangerous diseases. For sale by all good dealers.

For That Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching and many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by all good dealers.

Pineuric—for the kidneys are little golden globules which act directly on the kidneys. A trial will convince you of quick results for backache, rheumatism, lumbago and tired, wornout feeling. 20 days' trial \$1. They purify the blood. Sold by Silverthorn

AT SAME PLACE

G. Preston selling out did not interfere with my business. For up-to-date shoe repairing go to G. W. Preston's old stand on Depot Street.

R. Plant

Quick Transfer

For Rapid-Delivery Service
Call Up
WILCOCK BROS.

We are in position to do any kind of transferring. Give us a trial order. Calls answered day or night.
Phones:—
Day, Red 761.
Night, Black 1271.

Everybody's Magazine

HAS GOT THIS MONTH

Two screaming stories by Ellis Parker Butler and Lindsay Denison, each racing to see which will bump your funny bone hardest.

One tragedy that will grip your heart.

And articles by Russell, Paine and Dickson that cut deep into things.

LOOK OUT FOR EVERYBODY'S THIS MONTH. THE CAT IS BACK

Already sufficient applications have been received by the exhibits department of the A. Y. P. exposition to more than fill every building on the grounds.

TEACHERS WILL PROFIT

Friday and Saturday, February 26 and 27, will find La Grande the gathering place of a large and varied crowd. As announced several days ago, the county teachers' meeting will be held in La Grande on Saturday, the 27th, but the day prior to that will find delegates to the athletic conference gathering here. By reason of the fact that the principals of the various high schools of eastern Oregon will be in La Grande that day, the county school teachers of this county will fare well when they attend the meeting on Saturday. The program makes room for J. S. Landers of Pendleton, J. A. Churchill of Baker City, and E. B. Conklin of Ontario. In addition to these are local men and women on the program that will unquestionably be one of the most interesting that has been arranged in the recent past. Mental training, a branch of education that is slowly working its way into curricula of western schools, as it has already been firmly established in the east, will be discussed by Prof. N. J. Messenger of this city. The topic is a new one to La Grande.

The schedule of speakers for the meeting follows:

- Milton's Paradise Lost, H. J. Hockensberry.
- Reasons for Modifying Course of Study, J. S. Landers.
- Value of Ideals in First Grade, Mrs. Stella Ingie.
- The Afternoon.
- Literature: Its Definition and Use, Pauline Hilliard.
- Measures, J. A. Churchill.
- Manual Training, N. J. Messenger.
- Nature Study, E. B. Conklin.

NO PAID DEPARTMENT.

Baker City Mayor Vetoes Measure to Pay Firemen.

Baker City, Feb. 16.—The ordinance providing for a paid fire department in Baker City was vetoed at the meeting of the city council last night by

Mayor Pollman. The mayor explained his veto, saying that while he had confidence in the fire department in its present organization, he thought the time might come when the best interests of the city could be best served by securing a fire chief outside of the regular 20 firemen, and that was the most important reason for vetoing the ordinance. The veto was sustained by the council, and the fire committee will prepare another ordinance which will meet with the approval of all concerned.

BALL GAME AT COVE.

Sandridge Team Seeks to Scalp the Doughty Coveites Tonight.

Cove, Feb. 17.—(Special.)—A basketball five, termed the undefeated champions of the Sandridge, will play the local L. D. S. five at Cove tonight. For a period of 35 or 40 years this team has never seen defeat, as this is the first game in the history of the Sandridge. They came to Cove to-

night determined to scalp their worthy adversaries.

A site has been set aside on the grounds of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition for a camp where students and graduates of the leading universities and colleges of the country will have headquarters.

Changed His Location.

All parties wishing a first-class workman to repair their watches and jewelry, will find O. M. Heacock located with Carl Bros., at Huelat's old stand. Repairing done promptly. if

The perpetual snow fields of four mountain ranges and Mt. Rainier, the highest peak in the United States, offer an unsurpassed view from the central court on the grounds of the A. Y. P. exposition.

FOUND—A suit case on the road near Moss chapel. Owner may recover same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

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