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Don't miss seeing our window display of Women's Suits and Millinery. A glimpse of these authoritative fashions will be a revelation concerning this Spring's Style Tendencies. It will only whet your appetite for what's to come and a visit to the Suit and Millinery Departments will make you enthusiastic concerning this Spring's fashions and the little it cost to follow them, if you make this store your source of supply. We pride ourselves on the superb assortment we are showing of exclusive models, and will find lower prices here for good quality and perfection in style than at any other store in La Grande. By all means come in and see the very newest and most correct things for women to wear.

The Quality Store



Bargains in Furniture

Bargains that will appeal to your judgement. We have just received a carload of goods that went through a fire. Dozens of pieces that bear no mark or scar, whatever. A critical examination is invited. Besides this carload we have bargains in second hand goods. We can only quote you a few prices, but we know if you call the values will speak for themselves.

JUST 50 PER CENT
Solid oak bedroom suite, regular value \$59, our price \$29.50

CENTER TABLES
Splendid assortment all the way from \$7.50 to \$10.00

GARDEN HOSE
50-foot lengths \$4 to \$7

BARGAINS in LOUNGES
Damaged or slightly worn would never detect it. \$15 and \$20 values for only \$12 and \$15

SPECIAL BARGAINS
No. 8 Cook Stove \$8.88
Springs, job lot \$1
Carpet paper, per roll \$7.50
Cook Stove, good order \$14

RUGS
9x12 \$6 up
Beauties for \$16

LINOLEUM
We are selling the regular \$5c goods for 65c

DINING CHAIRS
A strong line, with wide range of prices.
75c to \$2.50.

CARPET
Splendid value, per yard \$2.50

MATTING
Pretty designs for 20c, 30c, 35c

MATTRESSES
Our range of prices, coupled with our bargain marking, will interest you.
\$2, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$6.

NEW TENTS
8x10, 8-oz \$8
8x10, 10-oz \$10
9x12, 8-oz \$11
12x14, 10-oz \$14

ROCKERS
Large line to select from; a net saving to \$2 on every chair.

WASHING MACHINES
Let us show you what \$6.00 will buy here.

Everything marked in plain figures. Large stock of new and second hand goods

Charles L. England

JUST OUT FOR SMOKERS

El Converso - 2 for 25c
A clear Havana, 5 inch Spanish made cigar

El Competo - 10c
A clear Havana 5 inch straight Cigar

King - 5c
A 5 inch long filter, sweet smoke

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LA GRANDE, ORE.
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FIST FIGHT AVERTED

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terminated to have the matter out. Fordney said if he had been discourteous he wished to withdraw his remarks. He explained there was great provocation. Byrd denied he had said the Fordney mill was a member of the trust. Fordney then resumed his speech.

Washington, March 26.—Representative Fordney of Michigan, in discussing the tariff bill in the house today, declared some schedules did not reach the standard demanded by republican platform. He says he favors high prices and high wages which will cause prosperity.

Representative Humphrey of Washington, today declared that over 20 per cent of labor employed in the British Columbia lumber mills are ori-

entals and he urged protection of the lumber interests of the northwest.

Cushman of Washington, read statistics on the imports from Canada, declaring shingles are produced so cheaply in British Columbia that \$2,332,000 worth were imported last year from Canada and only \$75,000 exported from the United States to British Columbia.

HOME MADE DRIED FRUIT

According to Dr. Woods Hutchins, this is the season when we are apt to long for something green to eat, "something to crunch." Probably earlier than for many years the stores of La Grande have been able to supply this almost universal want. For some time tomatoes, spinach, radishes, green onions, rhubarb and lettuce have been in the market, and even at the prices made necessary by long-distance shipping, they have found a ready sale. Radishes, asparagus, lettuce and rhubarb come mainly from California points, and Walla Walla has been furnishing the spinach and onions. Another nice article of food that has lately appeared in the stores of the city comes from Cove. We refer to dried cherries, of two varieties—Black Republicans and Oxhearts. They were brought in by Stackland Bros.

Few realize to what extent dried cherries can be utilized. A trial will convince that Grande Ronde valley has an enterprise that will fill a big want with housewives, and if housekeepers will try a tentative purchase at E. Polack's, they will be convinced of the value of this product of a new industry in Union county. It must be remembered that this drier at Cove is practically the only one of its kind on the coast—in fact, is the only one that uses the most modern methods.

ROBERTS PAYS FINE.

Found Guilty of Disorderly Conduct and Pays \$15 Fine.

When H. Roberts was arraigned in city police court today to hear the decision of Judge Cox who heard the testimony in the case instigated yesterday by Mose Harris, who alleged that Roberts used profane language and was generally disorderly two nights ago, he heard the court pronounce him guilty as charged. A fine of \$15 was imposed upon him, which was duly paid and the defendant released.

BALL TOSSERS TO ELGIN

La Grande's high school baseball team opens its season of 1909 in Elgin tomorrow. The trip will be made in a carryall and Manager Myers will take along but one substitute. The manager-player will open the game as occupant of the stellar mound, while Waldo Geddes, another twirler, will take a position on second base until called on the mound.

The carryall with its baseball adepts leaves La Grande at 7:30. Those to go with the positions they are to play, follow:

Frank Ralston, captain, cf; A. Myers, manager, p; R. Blystone, ss; Chas. Reynolds, 1b; W. Geddes, 2b; V. Bolton, 3b; R. Schofield, rf; O. Marshall, cf; H. Grady, lf; T. Earls, utility.

R. L. Harmon, field correspondent for the Spokesman-Review, was in La Grande this morning.

Chickens Wanted.

We pay cash and highest market prices for chickens.

GRANDE RONDE CASH COMPANY.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Notice is hereby given that those in arrears for water rent, on the La Grande water works, must pay up by the first of April or the water will be shut off according to section 23 of ordinance regulating the use of water. By order of
5-24-31 WATER COMMITTEE.

\$20. Meadow Brook Water Will Raise as Much as Others at \$60. or More
A Free Perpetual Right will Raise as Much as Either

5 Forty Acre Tracts in the Cove District, the best of orchard land, at \$100.00 per acre, with perpetual water right Free is a proposition you can't afford to overlook. The weather is fine, why not look it over. Terms can be arranged.

WHEAT LAND

400 acres of wheat land with 320 acres in crop is a farm you can step onto without losing a year. It yields about 30 bushels to the acre, and the price is \$55. per acre. There is plenty of water on the place, and is improved. See this at once.

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