

# EXTRA VALUES

In Every Department

One-Fourth Off on All Ladies' Suits, Coats and Jackets. These Garments are the season's latest creations. We offer you a wide variety in quality, styles and materials to select from.

## N. K. WEST

The Quality Store

### Remnants of Wall Paper

5c a Roll and up

Now is the time to patch up.  
W. H. BOHNENKAMP Co

### 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 Assurance 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

J. W. OLIVER, Agent

### UNION NURSERY

J. B. WEAVER, Prop.

Fruit, shade and ornamental trees. Sherbs and Roses. Strawberry vines and other small fruit

SEND FOR PRICE LIST UNION, ORE.

### SOON HAVE NEW MAINS

About half of the pipe ordered by the city for that section of La Grande along Grandy avenue which has petitioned for water mains, has been laid by Water Superintendent Gilman, and will soon be at the disposal of the subscribers. The water facilities at this time are limited in that section and completion of the mains will be awaited with added interest due to the coming summer heat.

### ARRANGE HOSE RACES

Every member of the fire department is requested by Fire Chief Jones to report at the central house tomorrow night when it will be definitely decided how many and what companies of the department will enter hose teams in the races for the celebration. The chief is imperative in his call. It seems doubtful that there will be any outside teams, in these races, but fully as interesting events will be arranged between the different companies at the coming meeting.

#### Cooked Food Sale.

On Saturday all day, just before the big celebration, the ladies of the Methodist church have arranged to hold one of the largest cooked food sales given by this society. The location is to be announced later.

#### Wanted.

Fifteen boys and horses to carry banners for floats of Nations, in parade July 5th. Inquire at Bohnenkamp's store.

#### Notice.

Mrs. A. D. Vandecar will be in La Grande, June 27 at the Sommer hotel, with hair goods for one week. Bring your combings.

MRS. A. D. VANDECAR.

### USED PROFANE LANGUAGE

A stranger, Joseph Caplin, who is working up the picture business in this city was arrested this afternoon on complaint of H. J. Ritter of the Ritter studio, and given a hearing before Recorder Cox for using profane language. The plaintiff and the warrant allege that Caplin went into the Ritter studio thoroughly angry because of an advertisement in a local paper which Caplin interpreted to be derogatory to his business.

In the quiet word-battle that ensued in the studio, Ritter was termed an unprintable name, in the hearing of Mrs. Ritter. This the defendant admitted to the chief when the arrest was made. The only witnesses called by the plaintiff were Mr. and Mrs. Ritter.

The defendant was found guilty and fined \$15. The matter of appeal was taken under consideration by the defendant and his attorney George T. Cochran.

### LOCAL SHOPS ARE CLOSED

Two machinists, two boiler makers and two wipers constitute the force at the railroad shops today and will again tomorrow. July 1st is the end of the fiscal railroad year and it is the desire of all the officials to make a good showing and therefore all of the employes have been given a two-days layoff. All of the reports for the past year are being prepared and other necessary work will be done which will wind up a very busy year for the local shops. The shops will start up again on July 1st, with a full force.

### HORSE KICKS R. CHINAULT

Ralph Chinault is suffering with severe bruises today, as the result of an effort to be patriotic. He was grooming one of his father's valuable horses in anticipation of making a good showing in the parade, and that is the last that he remembers concerning the grooming. When he regained his senses, after having been knocked about and kicked severely, by the unshod horse, he had been removed to his room and a physician had been called. He was unconscious over two hours, but is now sufficiently recovered from the injuries to be out with several bandages on his face and body.

#### Important Notice.

Notice is hereby given that firecrackers can be discharged in the city of La Grande on Saturday and Monday, July 3rd and 5th, only, and that all firecrackers larger than the No. 7 giant cannon cracker are prohibited under this provision. All violations of this regulation will be punished to the fullest extent of the law.

LOU RAYBURN, Chief of Police.

#### Attention B. M. A.

There will be a special meeting of the Blu Mountain Association at the Observer office at 7:30 this evening. All members are requested to be present.

#### PICTURE TAKEN 24 YEARS AGO.

In sharp contrast with the picture of La Grande taken a few days ago by Photographer Ritter, Attorney C. H. Finn has brought one taken of the city 24 years ago, showing the few scattering houses which then constituted the city of La Grande. The two pictures show the development of the city in less than a quarter of a century.

# SEEDS

Field Garden Lawn  
IN BULK

I AM SHOWING THE LARGEST VARIETY AND BEST SELECTED STOCK OF SEEDS EVER EXHIBITED IN UNION COUNTY, AND I KNOW THESE ARE THE PRODUCT OF REPUTABLE SEED GROWERS; AND I ALSO KNOW MY PRICES ARE AS LOW AS IT IS CONSISTENT TO SELL FRESH, RELIABLE STOCK.

Alfalfa, Red and Alsike Clover, Timothy and all Kinds of Garden Seed and Lawn Grasses

A. V. OLIVER

## THE BEST PLACE

Without a doubt the best place to get all kinds of vegetables, strawberries, cherries, oranges, bananas and lemons, is at the Geddes Grocery, they have the best and the freshest; and should you want nice crisp sweet or sour pickles, just call them up; and don't forget that 25c coffee, it takes the place of your 40c coffee. Just a shipment of Swifts ham and bacon.

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