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According to the reports of a prominent citizen of the Summerville district who after purchasing a pair of spectacles of a traveling solicitor which failed to give satisfaction, when he came to La Grande to consult a reliable optician stated that in one day his neighbors paid some smooth artist nearly \$300. The prices varied some giving checks for \$45 and \$25. In all probability that man will never visit that section again consequently there will be no opportunity to correct any errors, and the chances are that all will need corrections. People will learn some of these days to patronize established dealers, who cannot afford to lose their reputation in offering inferior wares and who are always ready to make good any errors. There are but few grafts that seem to be as easy as the spectacle business. All that is needed in many instances is, to be a good, smooth glib talker, a \$7.50 sample case of stock glasses and enough money to buy a ticket to some point where the operator is not known. There seems to be no limit to the amount that may be extorted from easy victims.

Merchants all report a much earlier Christmas trade than usual. There are several reasons for this. The roads on a whole, have been good. Nearly all of the hay and grain crops have been sold and the growers have their money which is rapidly getting into the various channels of trade and our people as a whole are unusually prosperous and are making their purchases before the stocks are becoming broken.

A few miles makes a great difference in the temperature of this country of uneven altitudes. The temperature at Kamela during the recent cold wave registered 15 below zero while at Mencham, only six miles distant, it was 25 below and at La Grande but 25 miles further east, but a considerable lower altitude, it was only one above zero. Within a limited area one may choose almost any kind of a climate they desire.

It matters little in what section one may be during this storm wave, they probably would wish they were some where else. However when we read of blizzards and low temperatures every where we naturally feel contented that our lot is cast in La Grande.

President Taft's message will be received by the majority of the readers, as an able state paper that should

### O. R. N. Schedule

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No. 7 ar 9: m. No Mail or Exp.  
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No. 2nd 8 thru. train.  
**Joseph Line.**  
No. 31 arrives 2:15.  
No. 32 leaves 9:45.

place confidence in the administration.

One wood dealer stated today that if this weather keeps up very long, four foot wood would reach the six dollar mark.

#### Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the Estate of Clara J. Hasbrouck, deceased, by the County court of Union County, Oregon, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, properly verified at his office in La Grande, Oregon, on or before six months after the date of the first publication of this notice which is November 26, 1909.

R. E. SMITH,  
Administrator of the estate of Clara J. Hasbrouck, deceased.  
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