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Red Cross Drug Store

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Calendar advertising is apparently at its high water mark and from this time on will begin to decline. Several representatives for 1911 calendars have already visited this city and many more are to follow. Several business men who formerly placed orders have refused on the ground that the cost is not in keeping with the income derived. The evolution in high calendars has been so great that the common inexpensive ones that formerly were sought after are now passed by with scorn. A business man last evening, remarked that the people are being educated up to expect them annually and make it a practice to go out "shopping" for them and after returning home pick out one or two of the most artistic and give the others to the children to cut up. Then often a visit to the homes will reveal that some little artistic feminine touch has hidden the advertiser's name and he is simply decorating the homes with no possibility of receiving any benefit whatever from his advertising. The man remarked that unless the advertiser invested anywhere from 25c to 40c or more for a calendar he was simply throwing his money away, and if he put this stuff into them, he did not believe it an investment and had cut them out.

A glance over the hotel registers of Portland to the trained political mind foretells the political storm that is brewing. The politician just at present does not know which end of the live wire to pick up. In other words, he does not know whether he favors the assembly plan or the primary. There is so much logic that can be advanced on both sides that the "statesmen" are somewhat befuddled, how to guess what the dear people really want. Of course they will find out a little later, but don't you know, "it might be too late".

Think of it; Mr. Roosevelt absolutely refused to discuss the Pinchot affair. Roosevelt, without doubt, is the most astute politician and one of the most profound statesmen this country has ever produced. If things do not go about the way the masses of the people think they should, there will be such a demand for Roosevelt to once more occupy the executive chair that it is without precedent. Possibly no one knows this better than Mr. Roosevelt himself.

A leading fuel dealer stated yesterday that if La Grande was not discriminated against in the way of wood rates, that wood today would be selling for 50 cents a cord less. This dealer stated that the rate from Meacham to either Pendleton or Walla Walla was only 50 cents per cord, while the rate from Meacham to La Grande was \$1.00. This is not right and if this is a fact, here is an opportunity for our Commercial Club to get busy.

We are getting the tail end of the storm that has been raging in the east for the past week or more. This being the tail we can easily understand why traffic in the cities is suspended and people die from exposure. We think this is awful, but this is simply a suggestion.

If all the bankers who are in the penitentiary in the United States at the present time for the mismanagement of the trust imposed upon them, could be transferred into one penal institution they could soon organize into a "smart set".

They say the fact that the grand jury is in session has a demoralizing effect upon the city, or is it the new city ordinance? The officers say that something has struck the city.

Good Program at the Star
The program for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Star is one of those that will be sure to please every lover of moving pictures. "The Open Gate," which is to be the leading feature to be shown is a drama by the American Biograph Company who stand alone in the

manufacturing of these kind of films, and along with this one are two others which will make one of the best programs ever rendered at this popular play house. Matinee every afternoon. Mr. W. H. George will sing "O'Brien has no Place to go."

Department of the Interior at La Grande, Oregon.
November 21, 1909. Notice is hereby given that John W. Maitland of Vancouver, Wash., who on Oct. 6, 1905 made timber and stone sworn statement No. 01859 for NE 1-4 NW 1-4 and NW 1-4 NE 1-4 Sec 16, and S 1-2 SE 1-4 Sec. 9, Township 5 South Range 36 East Willamette meridian has filed notice of his intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver of the United States Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, on the 10th day of February, 1910.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Isolate tract
Public Land Sale
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land office at La Grande, Oregon, November 18th 1909
Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provis-

ions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stat., 517), we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 13th day of January, 1910 at this office the following described land: The SW 1-4 SE 1-4 Sec. 1, NE 1-4 SE 1-4 Sec. 2, T. 48 N. R. 27 E. W. M. Serial Nos. 06427 and 06428.

Any persons claiming adversely to the above described land are advised to file their claims or objections on or before the time designated for the time of the sale.

F. C. BRAMWELL,
Register

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All household goods and personal effects, belonging to any member of the family or guest, against loss by burglary, theft or larceny, including thefts by servants or other employees.
ALSO COVERS DAMAGE
To property, plumbing and other fixtures. Allows six months vacancy without notice. No co-insurance. No inventory of the property is necessary.
RATES FOR A YEAR
Private Residences and Apartment Houses.
\$1,000, \$12.50; \$2,000, \$22.50; \$3,000, \$30.00; \$4,000, \$35.00; \$5,000, \$40.00
Each Additional \$1,000—\$5.00
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Each \$1,000..... \$15.00
Vacant houses (plumbing fixtures and damage to houses each \$1,000..... 310.00

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Every thing reduced at
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THE HOUSE OF GOOD CLOTHES

Daily Observer, 65c per Month

Economizes eggs, flour and butter; makes the biscuit, cake and pastry more appetizing, nutritious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
Safeguards your food against Alum and Lime Phosphate

THE ONLY Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

There is a Wonderful Difference

between the light afforded by an ordinary carbon incandescent and the brilliancy of our new Tungsten lamp. The latter has a metal filament (the tiny wire inside of the bulb) which radiates two and one-half times as much light with same amount of electric current.

A 40-Watt Tungsten Affords Twice the Light of the 50-Watt carbon lamp now in general use and cost one-fifth less to burn. We recommend its use to our customers as it more than cuts their light bill in two, making electric light so inexpensive that no home, however humble, and no store, however small, can afford to be without one.

Ask us to show you the new General Electric Tungsten lamp

Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company