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Perfered Stock Tea	60clb.
Shillings Best Tea	50cpkg.
Liptons Celon	75clb.
White house coffee	45c "
M. J. B. "	40c "
Dependable "	35c "
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is attained by the man who selects a place which is approved by his wife as adaptable for his entire family. To live amidst such conditions approximates the keenest joy imaginable. "Where are such conditions to be found in the rapidly growing Northwest? I'll tell you. Go to C. J. BLACK. He has a large amount of property listed to include, grain farms, hay farms, timber lands, with or without improvements. Prices right. Let me show you.

**J. BLACK, The Real Estate Man**

## We Want Your Wants IN Our Want Ad Column

Your want is placed before a thousand or more want-seekers every day—Can you afford to spend one cent per word of your want ad where results are the keynotes?

- FOR SALE.**  
FOR SALE—Five room house, lot 74 x 110, on Cedar St between Main and Washington. A bargain if taken at once. R. W. Leighton. Phone Red 1351. 1-23-24.
- FOR SALE OR TRADE—160 acre farm all or half of the land. Phone Black 181 or address Post office box 545. 1-11-2-11
- FOR RENT.**  
FOR RENT—Mrs. Stultz's ten room furnished house with bath. Corner Sixth and Spring Streets. Phone 2981. 2-1-8.
- FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room suitable for two gentlemen. Inquire of Mrs. Wade, Slater Building. 2-6t. 10 Depot St.
- FOR RENT—Two story house on Fourth St. Known for years as the Mrs. Alle Ladd property. For particulars enquire of A. C. Huntington, 1716 Fourth. st. Phone Red 952. 1t.**
- FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room on Fourth street, close in. Inquire at the Observer office.**
- WANTED.**  
WANTED—To buy 10,000,000 feet of lumber. Will take mill cut delivered at La Grande or other Eastern Oregon points. W. K. Kivette, Box 20.
- WANTED—Help, woman or girl at once. Apply at The Oregon, No. 2-2-8

## NO BEAN SHORTAGE

TREATS OF CORNER OF BEANS  
HEARD IN EAST.

Supply excellent and quality good—substitute for meat.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.—There is no reason for any rise in the price of beans, according to Detroit jobbers as the 1909 crop in Michigan

was excellent both in quality and quantity. Food experts assert that beans are the best substitute for meat, and there has been some talk of a corner in the bean market, owing to the great demand due to the anti-meat movement.

Michigan is the greatest bean state in the Union. There were 6,000,000 bushels produced last year and the average price paid the farmer by the jobber is \$2 a bushel, making a total of \$12,000,000.

**For Sale**  
Fire and burglar proof safe, nearly new, at a bargain at  
McKennon, Phy & Roberts.

## SAGEBRUSH ROAD BASE

GIVEN THOROUGH TRIAL AND  
FOUND HIGHLY SUITED.

Firm, noiseless, dustless and lasting  
are its features.

Kennewick, Wash, Feb. 10.—Sage brush, in recent years suggested as having commercial value for a number of purposes, is today being put to an entirely new use, that of road building, and so far has proved a great success. Last year the Northern Pacific Irrigation Company experimented by placing sage brush in the road. It was found it was readily crushed into a pulp and formed a perfect mat and gives promise of long wear. So satisfactory was the trial this spring that many miles of sage brush roads are being laid on the highlands in this vicinity.

## NAMPA SEEKS MORE DETAILS

SENDS THE SECRETARY TO LA  
GRANDE TO LEARN HOW.

Newly organized association in Nampa in flourishing shape.

T. N. Kerr, about to shoulder the duties of secretary and clerk to the newly organized Nampa Retail Merchants Protective Association, is in La Grande today conferring with secretary Fred B. Currey and other prominent members of the local institution. Nampa recently organized under the direction of F. B. Currey, 40 charter members comprising the order. Now, Mr. Kerr, the newly chosen secretary, affirms there are 75 and more coming.

Mr. Kerr is a genuine booster, and an Oregonian until a year ago when he moved from Portland to Nampa, and a man who will give his rapt attention to the welfare of the town he represents. Details of the working plan here will be patterned after and emulated in Nampa.

FOR SALE—2 thoroughbred Short horn bulls, two and three years old. G. G. Taal, La Grande, Ore.

## YANKEE HURT IN MANANGUA

ENCOUNTER ENDS IN INJURY TO  
AN AMERICAN.

Already distinguished for bravery in  
Nicaraguan wars.

Bluefields, Feb. 10.—Dispatches received here today state that Gabriel Bishop, an American, who was in command of the provisional government artillery corps, was wounded in an engagement near Lake Managua.

His condition is reported to be serious. Bishop's home is in New Iberia, La. He distinguished himself by bravery in the battles of Rencero and other engagements of the Nicaraguan revolution.

## I.O.O.F. HALL IS SELECTED

BANQUET MONDAY NIGHT WILL  
BE HELD THERE

Toasts being arranged for by committee of local men.

After a considerable period of uncertainty as to where the annual ban-

## "Nothing too Good for Wooltex"

The charm of these garments lies not alone in their beauty of line and in their originality of design. It lies, as well, in their exclusiveness and in the quality of material used in their making. The extra value you get in Wooltex cost you no extra money. If you wear Wooltex you can be sure of having the best that dress can devise.

**\$50,000.00 a year for Style**

Wooltex Manufactures spend annually, this amount simply for style \$50,000.00 to add grace and charm to the garments you wear.

## Choose your Spring Suit Early

We have just received and are showing a complete line of New Spring Wooltex suits. The only way to get Wooltex is garments is to be prompt as wooltex dealers are finding it almost impossible to supply the increasing demand for Wooltex.

## Lucille Dresses for Ladies

Unexcelled in quality, style and tailoring. Were showing several new designs in Taffeta, silks, Pongee and linens.

# N. K. WEST

THE QUALITY STORE

quiet to be given by the Commercial Club next Monday night was to be held, and when Governor Frank W. Benson is to be here, it has finally been determined to convert the newly furnished Odd Fellows hall into a banquet room. This decided upon, a committee of two, John Collier and W. J. Church, are preparing a toast list, while various other committees have other important matters nearing perfection.

**Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.**  
In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon: In the matter of W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson, as partners, under the firm name of Grande Ronde Hardware Company and the Imbler Hardware Company, and individually, Bankrupts:

To the creditors of W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson, of Imbler, in the County of Union and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of February, 1910, the said W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson were duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held in the office of the Referee in Bankruptcy in La Grande, Oregon, on the 16th day of February, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claim, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JNO. S. HODGIN,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
February 5th, 1910. 1-5-7.

### Notice.

La Grande, Oregon, January 13, 1910.—Inasmuch as at the present time the cost of living is much greater in proportion than the prevailing prices of labor, we the undersigned carpenters hereby resolve and agree that after the 1st day of April, 1910, the uniform wage for carpenters shall be \$4.00 per day of nine hours, instead of \$3.50 as it is at present; and we hereby further agree that we will not do any work at less wages than the above rate.  
Signed—J. N. Kohl, W. A. Ludiker, Joseph Horstman, M. M. Marquis, Thos. H. Moore, F. B. Houston, T. S. Spiker, C. L. Spiker, J. Spiker. C.

D. Goodnough, D. E. Cook, J. J. Clavey, C. G. Greene, F. W. Pattison, G. O. Chapman, J. L. Slater, W. P. Noble, I. D. Sheets, W. C. Kelly, Helmsner & Robinson, E. W. Kammerer, I. F. Steinbeck, Louis Wright.  
1-25-2-25.

### Notice to Creditors

ceased.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Union county, Oregon, sitting in probate, administratrix of the estate of Calvin R. Thornton, deceased; and all persons Estate of Calvin R. Thornton, De- having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly certified, to the undersigned at her residence in La Grande, Oregon, or at the law office of Jno. S. Hodgkin, in said city, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

First Publication, January 25, 1910.  
PARA L. THORNTON,  
Administratrix.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Good wages. Apply at 1802 Penn., between 9 and 12 a. m.

### School District Bond Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of School District No. 1, of Union County, Oregon, to be held at the high school building in said district, on the 26th day of February, A. D., 1910, there will be submitted to the legal voters of said district the question of contracting a bonded debt of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of building a school building and for repair of school buildings and for the purchase of land for school purposes, the vote to be by ballot upon which shall be the words "Bonds-Yes" and the words "Bonds-No".

Polls to be open at 1 o'clock p. m., and remain open until 4 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Board of Directors of School District No. 1, of Union County, Oregon.  
Dated this 5th day of February A. D., 1910.

HENRY HENSON,  
Chairman of the School District Board of School District No. 1, of Union County, State of Oregon:  
ARTHUR C. WILLIAMS,  
Clerk of School District No. 1, of Union County, State of Oregon.

If a man wishes to be treated with  
courtesy he should show courtesy to  
others.

## DIVINITY FUDGE

Receipe

- 3 cups Granulated sugar
- 1 cup water
- 1 cup of Corn Syrup

Put in kettle and boil  
until it threads then pour  
1-2 into whites of 2 eggs  
that have been beaten stiff.  
Cook the other 1-2 until  
it hardens in water. Beat  
together until it begins to  
set then add 1 cup chopped  
walnuts and pour on but-  
tered platter until cool  
enough to cut into blocks.

## CORN SYRUP

We Have it

## CITY---

## GROCERY & BAKERY