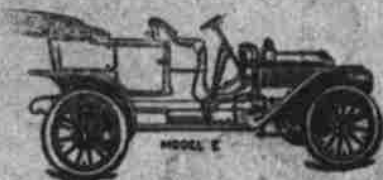


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This big 5 passenger, 30 horse power touring car can be run 5000 miles at an average cost of \$3.64 per week

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This car has sliding gear transmission giving three speeds ahead and reverse; 34 inch wheels and 4 inch tires, having 110 wheel base.

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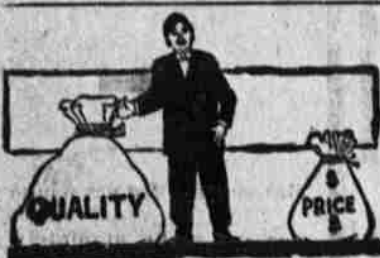
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### Buying a Lawsuit

Did you know that placing your reliance upon a warranty deed is simply adding for a lawsuit?

In California this fact is so well understood that a warranty deed is looked upon with suspicion.

It is for this reason: If the title is good it passes with the deed, and that it all there is to no need of a warranty. If bad,

the adding of a warranty does not make it good.

A warranty is only a sort of bet—a wager that you will have no trouble; but if you do, and finally lose out, I'll pay your money back.

A better plan is to require an abstract. Consult

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## SOLOON LEADERS IN REFORM WAVE

BAKER CITY AT LAST REACHES REFORM STAGE

Saloon keepers themselves inculcate spirit of reform

The results of a meeting of Baker City Retail Liquor Dealers' Association held on Monday, Feb. 14, were made public today when the liquor dealers announced, beginning with tonight all saloons in this city will close at 1 o'clock, and on Saturday night at the hour of midnight all bars will suspend until the following Monday morning at 5 o'clock.

It has been known for several weeks that a number of dealers approved of such a plan, but the announcement of its accomplishment came as a surprise today when the official notice of the same was given by the retail association.

The move was wholly voluntary on the part of the dealers.

Baker City will not be an all-night town from now on. When the mines are running in full blast and thousands of transient people were in the city, the habit became prevalent to keep open all night, just as the same habit prevails in every lively mining town. Several years ago Sunday closing was little thought of but of late the saloons have kept the front doors closed on Sunday, yet transacted business with patrons who entered the saloons by rear or side doors.

But the announcement today puts an end to all of that and hereafter the regulations will be very similar to those of most of the cities of the Northwest.—Baker Herald.

### AFTER ANOTHER PRIZE

Le Grande Jordan will also sell the Journal to help contest.

Le Grande Jordan won the January state championship prize for the Saturday Evening Post and is now rustling for the \$100 pony outfit. He will also handle the Ladies Home Journal, which counts strong in the contest. If you wish one delivered call him over the phone Red 631, or buy at Selder's store. The March Journal will be in the first of the week.

### Nagel on Corporation Control.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Secretary of Commerce and Labor Charles Nagel has arrived here to be the guest of the Industrial Club of this city and will deliver an address this evening on "Federal Control of Corporations." It is expected that the speech will give some hint of the administration's future attitude regarding corporations and business interests are hoping that it will be of a reassuring nature.

### "Rip" Tonight

The ever welcome American drama Rip Van Winkle will be presented at the Steward tonight. The story of the play is familiar to every American. Old and young alike have wept and laughed with the jolly Rip with his rollicking ways, his happy smile, and merry song. Never before has the legend of the Catskills been given so complete a production as this one. The play is entertaining, instructive and teaches a mortal lesson that should be learned by everyone. Joseph Detrick as Rip has won for himself an enviable reputation by his excellent characterization of Washington Irving's greatest creation. Mr. Detrick has played the part of Rip Van Winkle more than 500 times, and never fails to delight his audiences by his faultless acting, peculiar charm and naturalness. The supporting company is one of excellence and the scenic equipment complete.

### Section Foreman Changes.

Theodore Dickson who was formerly section foreman at Cayuse, but who has been on the Washington division for several months, has returned to the main line of the O. R. & N. and is now stationed at Meacham. C. E. Bradburn who has been section foreman for the O. R. & N. for a number of years, first at Horseshoe Curve and then at Thorne Hollow, has resigned his position with the railroad and will leave at once for Idaho, where he will farm a large tract of land.—Pendleton E. O.

## The Spring Sewing

Every thoughtful housewife realizes the importance of getting started early on Spring sewing. There must be the planning for what is needed, the selection of goods and patterns

## New Piece Goods

We have already received several large shipments of these goods and are now fully prepared to fill your every want in that line. All the new things in silks, suiting, waisting, white goods, gingham, percales and prints

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THREE CARLOADS ARRIVE FOR LOCAL CONSUMERS

With wood hard to get, winter weather returning, shipment is timely

With a sudden break in Spring weather changing to Winter of the real variety comes three carloads of coal and no fuel famine will run hand in hand with the sudden return of Winter weather. The Fowler firm today received a shipment of three cars and will have sufficient on hand to meet all demands. The price is unchanged.

This coincidence in fortunate for increased demands will naturally overerrun supplies locally but for the arrival of this lot.

Deep snow in the mountains is standing the way of an easy delivery of wood.

### Last Chance

This is the last chance to see this change at the Star and it is one that is well worth seeing. "Lines of White on a Sullen Sea" is a story of the infidelity of man, the writer thinks, however, the story was written by a woman with a one-sided opinion, but the acting is good and one that can become interesting from the opening scene until the very last of the picture is off of the screen. There is something about the "Tale of the Backwoods" which always makes you think of some of the stories you were reading when a child of the many hardships of our frontiersmen and those that paved the way for the settlement of our glorious West.

We have a fine new line of Hot Water Bottles. They are the reliable kind, are guaranteed for more than a year and cost you no more than the doubtful sort. Newlin Drug Company.

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### Notice

The person getting the wrong overcoat at the banquet last evening will please return the same to this office and receive his own coat.

## DRESS MAKING PARLOR

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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 farther 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. Cleaver, C. G. Greene, F. W. Pattison, G. O. Chapman, J. L. Slater, W. P. Noble, I. D. Sheets, W. C. Kelly, Halmer & Robinson, E. W. Kammerer, J. F. Steinbeck, Louis Wright.

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