

**GOSSARD**

**...Corsets...**

The Seven Principal Selling Points

They lace in front. They support every vital organ.

They are as comfortable sitting down as standing.

They are easily adjusted—all in plain sight.

They give the princess back, following the most beautiful line in nature, the spinal curve.

They are filled with ELECTROBONE, unbreakable, and nonrustable.

They supply the correct fashionable figure for every woman's form. For sale by

**Mrs. Robert Pattison**  
Phone Black 1481 or Black 81

**COLONIST  
FARES**

From the Middle and Eastern portions of the United States and Canada to OREGON, WASHINGTON, AND THE NORTHWEST

will prevail DAILY

**MARCH 10th to APRIL 10th**  
over the

**Oregon-Washington  
Railroad & Navigation Co.**

and connections, the  
Oregon Short Line, Union Pacific and  
Chicago — Northwestern

From

Chicago at .....	\$33.00
St. Louis at .....	\$32.00
Omaha at .....	\$25.00
Kansas City at .....	\$25.00
St. Paul at .....	\$25.00

and from other cities correspondingly low.

**You can PREPAY Fares**

The Colonists fare are westbound only, but if you have relatives or friends or employees in the east whom you desire to bring to this state you can deposit the value of the fare with your local railroad agent, and an order for a ticket will be telegraphed to any address desired.

**Let the WORLD Know**

Of our vast resources and splendid opportunities for

**HOME BUILDING**

Call on the undersigned for good instructive matter to send East or give him the address of those to whom you would like to have such matter sent.

**WM McMURRAY**  
General Passenger Agent  
Portland, Oregon.



**WE DYE EVERYTHING**

**LET US DYE FOR YOU.**

In fact the only way we live is by dyeing. Don't dye yourself.

It's better than dyeing yourself.

**WE DYE EVERY DAY  
AND DYE FOR ALL**

Our charge for dyeing for you won't be high. A sample job is sufficient. For best dyeing and cleaning have us do it.

**ELITE CLEANING & DYE WORKS,**  
Phone Main 64.

**WHEAT MEN ARE  
CONFIDENT**

**INCREASED ACREAGE INDICATES  
BUMPER CROP**

**Late Winter Conditions Could not  
More Favorable Say Growers**

Securely hid away by a mantle of snow, unmolested by varying cold and warmth, the winter wheat crop in this valley is credited with being in better condition at this time of the year than has been the growers' lot in many years. While it is not generally known, there has been a big increase in the acreage this winter. Fred Gaskill, one of the close-to-town ranchers who is posted in the wheat business, affirms that the acreage is much larger. He also shows elation at the prospects of a big crop. The natural protection and subsequent nature of irrigation that will follow early in the spring when the heavy blanket of snow is removed, will all go to make a bumper crop next year.

On account of the lateness of the fall the work was well handled and none of the farmers were forced to quit seeding by hurried advance of winter.

**TWO GAMES ON  
SATURDAY**

**GIRLS AND BOYS WILL CLASH  
WITH UNION BOYS AND GIRLS**

**Games With Boys Will be Rubber to  
Decide Superiority.**

Saturday night has been agreed upon as the time for the return game between the Union boys and girls and the La Grande boys and girls' basketball teams. Friday night was originally slated as the hour but on account of other attractions the date has been fixed for Saturday. At that time the boys will play off the rubber as both teams have won one game apiece. The La Grande girls have met Union but once though, and won the game that time. Union has whipped up since suffering defeat at the hands of the La Grande girls at Union and defeated the Baker team decisively.

**A Student of the Drama.**

It was at a performance of "Macbeth," and the three weird sisters had just made their first appearance and chanted their uncanny incantations when a handsomely dressed, intelligent looking woman in the third row turned to her escort and inquired, "What's the idea in having those witches?"—New York Press.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Union, bearing date the 4th day of February, 1911, and to me directed and delivered upon a judgment duly rendered in said court on the 31st day of May, 1910, in an action wherein O. W. Smith doing business under the firm name and style of Union Coal and Feed Co. was plaintiff and Jesse L. Smith, was defendant, said judgment being in favor of plaintiff as against said defendant, for the sum of \$144.33 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from May 31, 1910, and the further sum of \$10.80 for costs and disbursements, I will on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1911 at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house in the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs, and disbursements and accruing costs, all the right, title and interest that said defendant had in and to Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, in Block 22 of the town of Imbler, Union County, Oregon.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1911 at La Grande, Oregon.

F. P. CHILDERS,  
Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.  
Sat. Feb. 18-25 Mch 4-11-18

**IN A ROMAN CAB.**

A Party of Disgusted Americans and an Overgrateful Driver.

In Mr. Howells' "Roman Holidays and Others" is this delightful story of an adventure in a Roman cab:

In returning from the Pincio the only cab we had been able to get was the last left of the very worst cabs in Rome, and we had bidden the driver wait for us at the church steps, not without some hope that he would play us false. But there he was, true to his word, with such disciplined fidelity as that of the Roman sentinels who used to die at their posts, and we mounted to ours with the muted prayer that we at least might reach home alive.

This did not seem probable when the driver whipped up his horse. It appeared to have aged and sickened while we were in the church, although we had thought it looked as bad as could be before, and it lurched alarmingly from side to side, recovering itself with a plunge of its heavy head away from the side in which its body was sinking.

The driver swayed on his box, having fallen equally decrepit, in spite of the restoratives he seemed to have applied for his years and infirmities. His clothes had put on some such effect of extreme decay as those of Rip Van Winkle in the third act; there was danger that he would fall on top of his falling horse and that their raiment would mingle in one scandalous ruin.

Via Sistina had never been so full of people before; never before had it been so long to that point where we were to turn out of it into the friendly obscurity of the little cross street which would bring us to our hotel. We could not consent to arrive in that form; we made the driver stop, and we got out and began overpaying him to release us.

But the more generously we overpaid him the more nobly he insisted upon serving us to our door.

At last, by such a lavish expenditure as ought richly to provide for the few remaining years of himself and his horse, we prevailed with him to let us go and reached our hotel glad, almost proud, to arrive on foot.

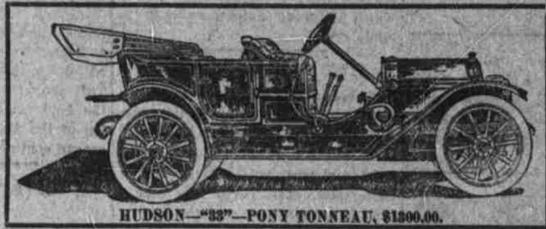
**Deserved to Get It.**

"I want to ask you for a bit of advice," said the insinuating man.

"What is it?"

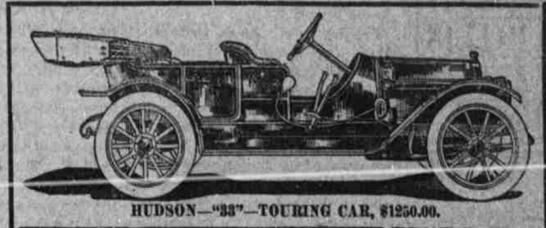
"I want you to put yourself in my place and see how you would get on if you wanted to borrow \$10 from me."—Exchange.

**Immediate Deliveries  
ON ALL MODELS**



HUDSON—"33"—PONY TONNEAU, \$1250.00.

**Call or Phone for Demonstration**



HUDSON—"33"—TOURING CAR, \$1250.00.

Phone Main 785 Phone Independ't 171



HUDSON \$1000.00 ROADSTER.

**DITTEBRANDT AUTO CO.  
LA GRANDE, OREGON**

**Our Home-Makers' Week**

This year we have decided on a new policy—one that will be welcomed by every homemaker in this city. We will announce a week to be devoted to home furnishings and home supplies. In preparation for that week we shall draw upon our entire stock for appealing and attractive values as well as include special new purchases for these occasions. No housekeeper can afford to miss one of these Homemaker weeks. They will be so replete with labor saving, comfort inducing and home beautifying items of Furniture that you will not want to be without many of them. It will be much to your interest to very carefully read this advertisement. Note particularly the descriptions and high value and the very reasonable prices. Then make this store a personal visit where you can verify every statement we have made here.



**Our first Homemakers week begins February 28th and will end Saturday, March 4th.**

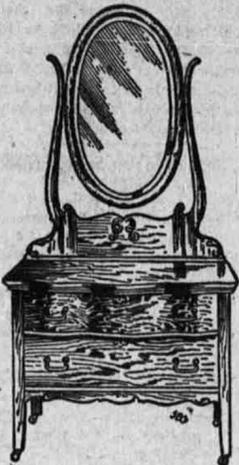
**Linoleum**  
is easily man's best gift to woman  
in the labor-saving line. Easily  
cleaned, always sanitary, wears for  
years. My price this week only  
**60c Per Square Yard**

**F. D. HAISTEN  
THE HOME-FURNISHER**

Is easily man's best gift to woman in the labor saving line. Easily cleaned, always sanitary. Wears for years. My price this week. Only 6c per square yard. \$4.00 solid 1-4 Oak polished, genuine leather seat like cut. Special at ..... \$3.00 and \$3.75 Some chairs 1-4 and Flaked Oak, saddle seat, special at ..... \$2.75 Also in wax finish ..... \$2.75 Good Kitchen Chairs, each 75, 85, 95c



\$2.25 Oak Rockers, special ... \$1.65 Better grades at \$1.90, \$2.15, \$2.45 and \$2.95. Quartered Oak and Leather Upholstered spring seat at \$7.00 to \$12.00



Princess Dresser, like cut comes in 3 patterns of best French Mirrors. Beautiful finish. quartered Oak. Drawers work perfectly. \$18.00 value, special ..... \$13.50 Same in solid 1-4 Oak and 3 full drawers. \$19.00 value, special at ..... \$14.50 In solid Golden Oak, full base, but smaller mirror. \$16.50 value for ..... \$13.00



Quartered oak stand, like cut, \$3.25 value, special, \$2.25. You cannot afford possibly to miss this sale of tables. \$14.00 Library stand ..... \$10.50 \$11.50 Library Stand ..... \$8.25 \$10.50 Library Stand ..... \$7.75 \$8.50 Library Stand ..... \$7.00