

**Dogs Impounded.**  
The following dogs are impounded by the city and owners should call at once and pay charges on same:  
One coal black dog.  
One yellow bird dog with 1910 tag on.  
One black curly water spaniel.  
One small female water spaniel.  
And all kinds of dogs.  
They will be held six days after which they will be disposed of.  
G. W. FARRIS,  
D Ap 15-6t Foundmaster.

**Does 50 Per Cent Profit Interest You?**

We have a ten acre orchard a mile from town that made better than fifty per cent of the purchase price over and above all expenses last year. This property is getting better every year, and besides making a nice home, is certainly a good investment. Come in and let's talk it over.

While we have property for sale in all parts of the valley, we just call your attention to a few of our exceptional bargains. 160 acres, 8 miles from town, county road on two sides, good buildings, railroad siding at corner of place, land suitable for fruit, grain or alfalfa. Price \$35.00 per acre.

80 acres of the best sand-ridge and near the foot of Mt. Emily, on county road that will be macadamized this year. This tract is all in cultivation, a portion in alfalfa. It is almost adjoining some of the largest and best orchards in Grande Ronde valley.

This land is suitable for most and purpose and will make you money from the day you buy it. Price of the 80 acres, only \$38,500.00.

40 acres three miles west of Summerville, about one third cleared and in timothy, all the very best of soil, no rock, some fine timber, a new house that cost \$3000.00 and other new improvements. There is a fine stream of water crossing this place and the soil is some of the best in the valley. The owner lives in the east and is very anxious to sell. I will only take a small amount of cash to handle it, with one and two years on deferred payments. Come in and see about the price on this; it will surprise you.

Have a fine ten acre orchard tract in Fruitdale that belongs to an estate. This property must be sold, price and terms exceeding good. A nice revenue producing home.

**A Number of Fine Young Orchard Tracts in the Imbler District.**

Can take city property on first payment and give terms on balance.

City property, all descriptions and prices.

6 room house and four large lots on Washington avenue, \$2,000.00—terms.

5 room house and two 50-foot lots, shade trees, shrubbery, nice lawn, room for garden or two more houses, a fine home on Washington avenue \$1,990.00—terms.

New five room modern cottage on Adams avenue, \$2,500.00.

Four room house and ground 120 by 120 feet, small barn, trees and other improvements at corner of Fourth street and E avenue, Old Town, only \$850.00. Payment down \$350.00, \$10.00 per month on balance.

Five room modern house and large lot, close in on Sixth st., cement sidewalk, shade trees and shrubbery only \$2,300.00—terms.

Five room house, newly painted and papered, city water, sewer connections, lot 50 by 120, just across street from A. B. C. laundry, only \$1,300.00—small payment down balance monthly.

House and 2 lots four blocks from round house only \$525.00.

Four room house, cellar, good woodshed, and two nice lots, only three blocks from round house, \$1,100.00—easy terms.

One and one-half acres near Stoddard planing mill \$700.00.

One acre tract with house on Cove avenue \$800.00.

Some nice vacant lots in western part of the city from \$100.00 up.

Lots in Carr's sub-division will make you money. Only \$10 down and \$10 per month; no interest, no taxes until after final payment. The main sewer runs through this property; it is on macadam street and all nice big lots. These lots will double in value inside of two years. Come in and let us tell you about the money to be made in buying this property.

We have property everywhere—some good exchanges—some excellent business propositions, and would like to have you come in and see our list.

**Security Land & Trust Company**

**Mr. BUSINESS MAN**

Do you realize the importance of an

**Electric Sign**

in drawing trade to your store or place of business?

We make a very low flat rate on sign lighting, and are prepared to quote attractive prices on any kind of a sign that you may desire.

Our representative is always ready to call and talk the matter over with you.

**Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company**  
Phone Main 34

When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and through from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by all dealers.



**WE DYE ANYTHING**

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.

**FEED FOR MAN AND BEAST**

**GRANDE RONDE CASH CO.**

Phone Main 6

**CANDIDATES GETTING ACTIVE IN THE OBSERVER CONTEST**

One of the Elgin Young Ladies Has Been Successful in Two Newspaper Contests and She Hopes to Win in This One—Miss Huff Again Leads Contest.

**CONTEST DISTRICT NO. 1**

This district comprises the city of La Grande. The four ladies residing in La Grande who at the end of the contest have received the most votes will be the guests of the Observer at the Portland Rose Festival.

HUFF, RUBY, Seventh and L streets.....	17,574
MARTIN, ERMA, 1201 Fourth street.....	7,000
STEPHENSON, MILDRED, Care Star Theatre.....	2,510
NUTTER, MRS. B. B., 1708 1-2 Sixth St.....	1,157
COTNER, EVA, 2068 Oak street.....	1,122
WILLIAMS, MRS. Fred W., Box 804.....	1,001
GARRICK, NELL, Care Isis theatre.....	1,001
PRICE, NELL, Care Telephone Office.....	1,001
DAVIS, ADA, 1313 X avenue.....	1,001
SNOW, ALICE, 1410 Z avenue.....	1,001
COMBS, FRANKIE, 1201 D avenue.....	1,001

**CONTEST DISTRICT NO. 2**

This district comprises all of Union county except La Grande. The four ladies of this district who, at the end of the contest, have received the most votes will be the guests of the Observer at the Portland Rose Festival.

WILSON, EVA, Union.....	17,711
VAN HOUSEN, HAZEL, Allice.....	16,002
ROBERTSON, ZELLA, R. F. D. No. 2, La Grande.....	9,252
KELLY, BESS, Cove.....	8,502
HANSON, AGNES, Perry.....	7,000
CARBINE, JENNIE, R. F. D. No. 1, La Grande.....	7,000
CHATTIN, VIOLET, Summerville.....	3,501
KEEFER, STELLA, Imbler.....	1,151
RUSSELL, BETHEL, Elgin.....	1,097
ARNOLD, MABEL, Elgin.....	1,001
SMITH, BESSIE, Elgin.....	1,001
VAN DE VANTER, MRS., Medical Springs Stage Line, Union.....	1,001
WOODELL, ETTA, R. F. D., No. 1, Summerville.....	1,001
HART RUTH, Hilgard.....	1,001
HERFORD, BELL, Telocaset.....	1,001

**CONTEST DISTRICT NO. 3**

This district comprises all of Wallowa county and Pine and Eagle valleys. The three ladies of this district who, at the end of the contest, have received the most votes will be the guests of the Observer at the Portland Rose Festival.

BROCK, NETTIE, Flora.....	3,001
EVANS, MINNIE L., Wallowa.....	1,001

**PRIZES REGARDLESS OF DISTRICTS.**

The three candidate who, at the end of the contest have more votes than any of their rivals, may, at the expense of the Observer, extend their trips on to San Francisco.

The four candidates who range next in standing, regardless of districts, will be entertained at the Hotel Gearhart, Gearhart Park, By-the-Sea.

All winning candidates will be given side trips to all points of interest in and about Portland; and will be taken to the leading places of amusement and recreation.

Instead of taking a trip, any winning candidate may have music lessons to the value of \$50 or a scholarship in Whitman college; in the Baker City business college or choice of several other colleges. In lieu of the San Francisco trips scholarships valued at \$100 will be arranged for, in case exchange is desired.

By a narrow margin Miss Ruby Huff again leads all competitors in the Observer contest. After an illness she is out again gathering votes and subscriptions. Miss Huff finds that when she works, her friends work also and that when she is not out among them to entuse them with her motives then they may forget about her contest ambitions.

"To him that hath shall be given" is very applicable in a newspaper contest. People are disposed to help those who try to help themselves. Miss Chattin of Summerville received a compliment of votes yesterday from an old friend of her brother, who sent the Weekly Observer to a relative in England.

Mr. D. B. Ruckman of Allice, R. F. D., called at the Observer office yesterday to give a lift to Miss Hazel Van Housen, the daughter of Allice's veteran letter carrier. Mr. Ruckman paid up a year on the Weekly Observer and also subscribed for the Evening Observer, giving Miss Van Housen a total of 7,500 votes, which goes a good way towards sending her name up the score line.

Miss Arnold of Elgin. Miss Mabel Arnold of Elgin is not a novice in newspaper contest effort. She has figured in two newspaper contests and won prizes in both of them. Recently Miss Arnold won second prize in the contest of the Elgin Recorder. Last year she won a trip to Long Beach in a contest given by a Portland newspaper. From past experience she knows what big reward comes from comparatively little effort in a newspaper contest, so she entered the Observer contest to win one of the Portland Rose Festival and ocean beach trips.

Miss Arnold is to graduate from the Elgin high school this year, so she is a very busy girl. When she is taking necessary walking exercises morning and evening she will gather subscriptions to the Observer, so as to win a vacation trip. She hopes that members of the Christian church, of which she is a member, will help her with votes and that her father's many

friends will remember her. Mr. Arnold was the driver of the Wallowa stage in the good old days of the sociable stage coach which had its terminus at Elgin.

Elgin is one of the largest and most prosperous towns in Union county and Miss Arnold has a fine field to work in for contest votes. Of course she has two lively competitors but in Elgin there is room for three candidates. To the victors will belong the spoils.

The Sworn Statements of All Regular Life Insurance Companies Doing Business in Oregon (43 in All) Are Now on File With State Insurance Commissioner S.A. Kozer They Show That:

**During the Year 1910**

**Oregon Life**

issued more policies in Oregon than any other Life Insurance Company.

**Oregon Life**

collected more money for first year's premiums than any other Life Insurance Company.

**Oregon Life**

made greater net gains from business written in Oregon than any other Life Insurance Company.

Gains of outside companies are principally from removals to Oregon of policy-holders from other states.

**Oregon Life**

led all other companies in 1909, as well as in 1910, and is in 1911 surpassing all of its previous wonderful triumphs.

Discriminating Buyers Give Preference to **Oregon Life**

**the Best in Life Insurance**

If our agents do not reach you, write, phone or call Home Office, Corbett Bldg., 5th and Morrison, Portland.

A. L. Mills, President.

L. Samuel, General Manager, La Grande, Oregon

JAMES E. MCGOWAN, Resident Agent

Gearhart will have much to claim their attention while there is readily seen from reading the list of features for the season of 1911. Gearhart's attractions for the season are as follows:

- Magnificent new Gearhart hotel, modern in every respect and the most complete seaside resort in North America. Steam heated, electric lighted, with hot and cold water in all rooms. Excellent table, porch dining room Pool and billiards.
- Hot salt water plunge.
- Wide, hard sand beach 19 miles long No rocks, holes or driftwood.
- Wide board walks.
- Livery stable and saddle horses.
- Automobile garage. Autos for hire.
- Big natural forest park.
- Shady trails to many points.
- Auditorium in the woods.
- Street electrically lighted.
- Specially arranged train schedule. Saturday and Monday special.
- Stores, Telephones and telegraph.
- Big dairy ranch in connection.
- Many Amusement enterprises, mov-

Do not allow your kidney trouble to progress beyond the reach of medicine, but start taking Foley Kidney Pills at once. Refuse substitutes. Hill's drug store. Ap. 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22, 25, 27, 29.

**Savoy Hotel**

EUROPEAN PLAN

The rooms are good and Steam heated only one block from depot

D. C. Brichoux, Prop.



You Must Try on a Gossard Corset to Realize Why It Excels.

The Gossard Corset shown here is model O and is for the woman of full proportions. It makes a solid figure appear slender and graceful. The bust fits close, without raising the bust when seated, \$8.50. Other models \$3.50 and \$5.00.

**Mrs. Robert Pattison**  
Phone, black 148L

**Measurement of Subscriptions.**  
For convenience in estimating the relative standing of contestants, subscriptions to the Observer are measured out into votes, according to the length of time paid for. Old subscribers as well as new, by paying arrears or by paying in advance or by paying both in advance and arrears, may help the candidates. A blank for the convenience of those who wish to vote on account of a payment on subscription in favor of a candidate is printed herewith; also a schedule of voting power of subscriptions.

Whether in advance or in arrears payments on the La Grande Evening Observer for more than one year give a premium of 3,000 extra votes for each year so paid; on the Weekly Observer a premium of 1,000 extra votes for each year so paid. The premium is the same whether the subscriber is new or old. The 3,000 votes for each extra year paid on the Evening Observer and the 1,000 votes for each extra year paid on the Weekly Observer are in addition to the ones earned by the regular schedule as printed below.

Voting Power of Subscriptions for the Evening Observer.			
TIME	By Carrier in La Grande	By Mail in United States	VOTES ALLOWED
One year.....	7.00.....	4.00.....	6000
Six months.....	3.50.....	2.00.....	2500
Three Months.....	1.75.....	1.00.....	900
One Month.....	.65.....	.65.....	150
One Week.....	.15.....	.15.....	10

Voting Power of Subscriptions for the Weekly Observer.			
TIME	By Carrier in La Grande	By Mail in United States	VOTES ALLOWED
One Year.....	1.50.....	1.50.....	1500
Six Months.....	.75.....	.75.....	400

**ATTRACTIONS AT GEARHART**  
Guests Afforded Every Convenience and Luxury Obtainable at Seashore

Gearhart park and hotel, where the special prize winners in the Evening Observer's contest will be guest of the management for two days, offers many features and attractions not to be found at any summer resort in the Pacific northwest. That the contest party visiting

ing picture show.  
Picnic grounds numerous.  
Beach strolling ideal.

Foley Kidney Pills contain in concentrated form ingredients of established therapeutic value for the prompt alleviation of all kidney and bladder ailments. Foley Kidney Pills are antiseptic, tonic and restorative.