

# The People's Store

"The Store of the Christmas spirit"—this store—is all aquiver with the excitement preceding the great HOME DAY—CHRISTMAS.

The prattle of little children—the laughter of the older folks and tinkle of toys—the glitter of holiday novelties, the good natured crowds all combine to transform this store in the REALM OF SANTA CLAUS.

Everywhere that there is a counter or shelf or table or nook or corner Christmas merchandise is displayed, for your convenience in choosing.

As the greatest joy of Christmas it is the pleasure of giving; the PLEASURE OF BUYING naturally is a part of it.

WE, in the store, have done our very best to add to the pleasure of your Christmas purchasing, and from day to day will earnestly strive to cause your shopping trips for this Christmas to be a delightful remembrance. During the final days preceding the 25th we will ask for your co-operation in that you will be patient with us.

The jolly crowds are taxing our capacity to the utmost, but we assure you whether we shall be privileged to say so in person or not that your presence in the Holiday Shopping crowd will be thoroughly appreciated by us and we will be only too glad when possible to give you our time and show you that courtesy so typical of this store during ordinary times.

All purchases with which you honor us, will be delivered upon the date you wish. We thank you for past patronage and hope to be found worthy of your future friendship REMEMBER, SANTA CLAUS HOLDS A RECEPTION EVERY AFTERNOON FOR THE LITTLE ONES IN OUR TOY DEPARTMENT.

We Wish you A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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Opera House Block

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### Best for Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis.

Why need anyone suffer from any throat or nose troubles when soothing, healing HYOMEI is guaranteed to banish all misery or money back.

"The undersigned herewith recommends HYOMEI to all who are afflicted with asthma, catarrh, or bronchitis. HYOMEI was used by my wife for bronchitis and asthma and I used it for bronchitis and sore throat.

"It has given relief and permanent results and I write these few lines for the benefit of all who are afflicted with the ailments named above." Theodore Boehlan, traffic manager of the Concordia publishing house, corner of Jefferson avenue and Miami street, Concordia, Kas., Jan. 2nd, 1911. The Newlin Drug company and druggists everywhere sell Hyomei. A complete outfit including inhaler costs \$1.00. Ex-

tra bottles if needed 50 cents. Just breathe it.

### Good Things for Christmas.

- Cranberries, fresh in today.
- Hot house lettuce perfectly fresh.
- Celery. Best on the market.
- Bananas, good large and ripe.
- Oranges, from California today.
- Sweet.
- Olives, both green and ripe.
- Sweet Potatoes, smooth and good.
- Candy and Nuts, best and cheapest.
- Dill, Sweet and Sour pickles.
- Olive Oil, purest and best.
- Coffee that tastes just right.

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## STEWART OPERA HOUSE SATURDAY, DEC. 30, 1911

"There's never a Law of God or Man runs north of FiftyThree.--Kipling

## THE BARRIER

First Transcontinental Tour of REX BEACH'S Great Story of the Last Frontier

Direct from Its Long Run at the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York City. A Complete Scenic Production. A Company of Picked Players.

Prices: \$1.00, 75c and 50c.

### FRATERNAL ORDERS OF LA GRANDE.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. holds regular meetings first and third Saturdays at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons. N. MOLITOR, W. M. A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

B. P. O. E.—La Grande Lodge No. 433 meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner of Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. H. J. RITTER, Ex. Rul H. E. COOLIDGE, Rec. Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Lodge No. 169 W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Saturdays at K. P. hall. All visiting members welcome. D. FITZGERALD, C. C. J. H. KEENEY, Clerk.

M. W. A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703 meets every Monday in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend. W. A. DUNN, WILL LANDRUM, Clerk.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night in Castle hall, (old Elk's hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights. A. C. HAYNES, C. C. R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 56 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend. MISS HELEN McLAUGHLIN, N. G. MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, Sec.

O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members cordially invited. CARRIE B. HUNTER, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

## GRADE PUPILS PLEASE WELL

EXCELLENT PROGRAM RENDERED LAST NIGHT.

About Eighty Dollars Added to Phonograph Fund by the Venture.

Beginning with a recitation by Ruth Johnson a program was presented by the grade children Friday evening that has not been beaten in the state. There were about 500 present who turned in a total of \$88.90 which will be used to buy cabinet phonographs.

Following is the program as rendered:

Declamation—Ruth Johnson. Drill—Mrs. Neill and Miss Beaver rooms.

Shell Song—Eight girls from Miss Thompson's grade.

Star drill—Miss Bork's pupils.

Song—Seven girls from Miss Connor's room.

Brownie dance—Miss McHugh's boys.

Recitation—George Bush.

Christmas Candles—Miss Bunnell's girls.

Servants (Dialogue)—Miss Thompson's girls.

Santa Claus (recitation)—From Miss Beaver's room.

Mother Goose and Children—From Miss Pixton's class.

Recitation—Mary Watson.

Christmas Lullaby—Miss Cooke's class.

Grandmother's Cake—Lester Master-ton.

Song—By eight of Miss Snider's girls.

Twinkling Stars—Miss McHugh's girls.

Recitation—Louise Benham.

Indian Drill Song—North Side school.

Song of the Season—Caine and Wil-son.

Tattletale (Dialogue)—Miss Con- nor's girls.

Flag Drill—Miss Bullard's girls.

Recitation—Claude Holbrook.

Darkey Boys' Drill—Mrs. Thomp- son's boys.

Recitation—Caroline Palmer.

Dialogue—Three of Mr. Snider's girls.

Negro Lullaby—Mrs. Thompson's girls.

Clown Drill—Misses Billings and Woodruff's boys.

Japanese Drill and Song—Miss Fish- er's girls.

High School Notes.

Dr. J. D. Gillman addressed the student body at assembly Tuesday morn- ing on the subject "Foundation." He explained fully how all great enter- prises are started on bed rock.

Friday after school the contestants tried out for places on the debating teams. The work to complete the teams, however, is not quite complete though the teams and schedules will probably be prepared by the commencement of the new term.

The shorthand class will have a speed contest on January 12th. Sever- al have been working well to the front and there promises to be a warm con- test for the first place.

There will be a double header basket ball game here on January 12 when Union will send over their boys' and girls' teams.

About forty teachers have been wrest- ling with the exams. in room 3 Wed- nesday, Thursday, Friday and Satur- day of this week.

Among the numerous articles added to the physics laboratory this week are a D'Arsombal galvanometer and a Voltmeter.

The parts have been selected for the gold medal declamation contest which will be held towards the last of Janu- ary.

Beginning with a quarter day on Friday the pupils were dismissed for the Christmas-New Year holidays which will last till January 2.

The receipts of the High School- Alumni basketball game added a little over \$9.00 to the athletic fund.

Prof. N. J. Mansager will go to Port- land to attend the State Teachers' in- stitute during the holidays.

Prof. E. A. McEchron is spending his vacation in Vancouver.

### Treasurer's Call for City Warrants.

There are also funds in the treas- ury to pay all warrants issued against water fund of La Grande city up to and including No. 10,015, endorsed Dec. 21, 1910. Interest on all warrants on Water fund from No. .... to No. 10,015 inclusive ceases from date of this call. La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 21, 1911. ROY W. LOGAN, City Treasurer.

### State of Ohio, city of Toledo, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of To- ledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ev- ery case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1911.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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### MANY MINERS DROWN.

Retaining Wall Breaks and Mines Are Trapped by Flood Waters.

London, Dec. 23.—Scores of miners are believed drowned in the Cross Tet- tley mine reservoir broke through the retaining wall flooding the workings in which 200 men were employed at the time. Hundreds of rescuers are work- ing in hopes of saving some of them.

### LUMBER OUTPUT CURTAILED.

Big Reduction in Lumber Output the Next Thirty Days Foreseen.

Seattle, Dec. 23.—That the carrying out of the curtailment idea among Ore- gon and Washington sawmills during the next three months will average 64 days, representing a total loss in pro- duction of 534,250,000 feet of lumber, is shown in the report submitted to the lumber manufacturers association at a meeting here.



When you get to thinking about your teeth and the conditions of the mouth often enough to keep them in the proper condition I may stop reminding you of it. Until then I am going to remind you that the earlier you look after these conditions the less trouble you will have. It will give you more com- fort to keep the teeth right in the first place than to have them treated and filled after conditions have be- come such that you MUST have some- thing done. At the risk of incurring your displeasure I am going to sug- gest that you get the advice of a com- petent dentist NOW.

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