

# IN THE SPRING

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**NOTICE OF SALE.**  
In the matter of James E. Bass, bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that undersigned trustee in bankruptcy, in pursuance of an order made on the 25th

day of Oct., 1911, by John S. Hodgins, referee in bankruptcy, will sell at public auction at 10 o'clock a. m. in Imbler, Union county, Oregon, on the 27th day of January, 1912, to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property, to-wit: That parcel and tract of land, the boundary line of which begins at a point 32 feet north of the southeast corner of block 7, Townsite of Imbler, as recorded in the office of the county recorder in Union county, Oregon and runs thence north 70 feet; thence west 100 feet; thence south 70 feet; thence east 100 feet to the place of beginning, all in Union county, Oregon, and subject to a mortgage of

Robert Newlin, on which there is due about \$320.00; together with the personal and mixed property contained in the buildings on said premises, such as counters, shelving and other fixtures.

GEO. L. CLEAVER.  
Trustee in above entitled bankruptcy. First publication dated January 5, 1912.  
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In Henry Bernstein's new play for Ethel Barrymore the heroine is an English woman of rank and title, who becomes mixed up innocently with some stolen military documents.

**UNION COUNTY ABSTRACTS**  
J. R. OLIVER, Proprietor  
The Reliable Abstract firm of Union County.  
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### DEATH REMOVES MOTHER OF FIVE

#### BLOOD POISONING FATAL TO A COVE LADY.

Mrs. Benoy Passes Away After Much Suffering.  
Cove, Feb. 1.—(Special)—Olive M. Snedeker was born Oct. 6th, 1874, at Glen Castle, Broome county, New York, and departed this life Jan. 24th, 1912, at 10:15 in the morning, after only a few days of illness. For several hours her suffering was intense—from blood poisoning—until death relieved her.

When five years old she moved with her parents to Polk county, Minnesota. In 1898 she was married to John I. Benoy at Mentor, Minn. In 1907 Mr. and Mrs. Benoy moved to Alberta, Canada, where there resided until 1909, when they removed to Cove, Oregon, where they have since resided. Mrs. Benoy leaves a husband and five children, the oldest of which is but 12 years. Also her aged father and mother, one sister and one brother, besides many dear friends to mourn her sad death.

At the age of 16 she was baptized and united with the First Baptist church in Crokston, Minnesota, and never transferred her membership from her home church.

Mrs. Benoy was a consistent Christian, an affectionate wife and mother, always patient and careful for the dear little girls God had committed to her care.

To know her was to esteem her for her noble womanly qualities. Dear Mother! How sad to bid you good-bye.

We'll miss you so, dear mother. As through the cold world we go. Oh, Mother dear, how lonely for us it will be.

Mother, may your angel-spirit guard your little girls while in the world they stay.

But some day, mother, we will see you again in that beautiful home on high.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church in Cove, Ore., conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. Coslet. A very impressive song service was rendered by the choir.

The remains were laid to rest in the Cove cemetery.

**Application for Grazing Permits.**  
Notice is hereby given that all applications for permits to graze cattle, horses and sheep within the Wenaha National forest during the season of 1912, must be filed in my office at Walla Walla, Washington, on or before February 15, 1912. Full information in regard to the fees to be charged and blank forms to be used in making applications will be furnished upon request.

J. M. SCHMITZ, Supervisor.  
Jan. 18 20 25 27 Feb. 1 3.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Cecil De Mille's play, "The Stampede," in which Lillian Buckingham has starred the past two seasons, is to begin a tour of the principal cities of Canada at Toronto this month.

### A BIBLE VERSE.

#### It Surprised the Boy Who Boasted of His Wonderful Memory.

A boy who had won a prize for learning Scripture verses and was greatly elated thereby was asked by a minister if it took him a long time to commit them.

"Oh, no," said the boy boastfully; "I can learn any verse in the Bible in five minutes."

"Can you, indeed? And will you learn one for me?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then in five minutes from now I would like very much to hear you repeat this verse," said the minister, handing him the book and pointing out the ninth verse of the eighth chapter of Esther:

"Then were the king's scribes called at that time in the third month—that is, the month Sivan—on the three and twentieth day thereof, and it was written, according to all that Mordecai commanded unto the Jews, and to the lieutenants and the deputies and rulers of the provinces, which are from India unto Ethiopia, a hundred, twenty and seven provinces, unto every province according to the writing thereof, and unto every people after their language, and to the Jews according to their writing and according to their language."

The boy entered on his task with confidence, but at the end of an hour could not repeat it without a mistake and had to tearfully acknowledge himself defeated.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### Tricky Lions.

Some of the most dangerous tricks of animals are those of simulating kindness. Charles Montague in "Tales of a Nomad" says that hyenas often follow lions and finish a carcass the moment the lions have left it. Sometimes, however, the hyenas are too eager and steal bits of meat while the lions are still at their meal.

"I have been told that the lion rids himself of the nuisance in the following way: He throws a piece of meat aside. When the lion is looking the other way the hyena dodges in and rushes off with the meat. Presently the lion throws another piece of meat, this time a little nearer. The hyena takes that also. At last the lion throws a piece very near indeed. The hyena, having become reckless, makes a dash at this also, but the lion wheels round and lays him low with a pat of his paw and a growl of annoyance."

### Showed Him the Point.

A large crowd which collected on Broadway attracted the attention of two commercial travelers just back in New York. Joining it, they discovered that a safe was being raised to the fifteenth floor of a building and that the crowd was careful to stand outside the roped fence. "That's a good advertisement for my business," remarked one of the drummers, who is interested in the sale of airships. His companion admitted he didn't see the point. "Well, look at the sign. 'Danger below!' Then look up in the air. 'Danger below, safe above. Moral, take an airship.'"—New York Tribune.

### Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the county court for the services of a county physician for one year. This includes professional services, examination of insane, care of inmates of poor farm and of all persons who receive aid from county. Bids must be filed with county clerk on or before first Wednesday in February. Court reserves right to reject any or all bids.

ED. WRIGHT, County Clerk.  
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### 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. Ruf  
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. OF A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703 meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in K. of P. hall, over Lilly's hardware store. All visiting neighbors are welcome.  
W. A. DUNN, V. C.  
W. F. 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. & F.

LEBOKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 50 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.

## Something New

We have 70 acres adjoining city limits; just a small amount of money will handle it. Good buildings, good land, several springs. The price is \$4500.00, and a bargain. :: :: :: :: ::

Also have 80 acres just a mile from the business part of the city. Modern house—cost \$2,000—6 acres orchard—good barn and outbuildings. This is a splendid buy at \$7,000.00.

160 acres of fine Sandridge land; about 30 acres in alfalfa; balance all good. Price \$100.00 per acre, small payment, easy terms.

80 acres Sandridge land, all in alfalfa, good improvements. Reasonable payment down and we can give terms so that place will pay out balance.

## We Have Plenty of Good Trades

Modern residence, fine lot and shade trees, best part of town, for only \$1700.00  
Have 120 acres four miles from town, good roads, 50 acres tilable, balance is good pasture and some good timber—fine stream running through it, only \$2500.  
Terms if desired, or will trade for city property of equal value.

Have Montana and Washington property to trade for property here. Will trade three fine lots in Wellington Addition to Portland.

19 acres four miles from Summerville and three miles from Elgin. 6 acres in 2 and 3 year old orchard, apples, pears, peaches and cherries. House, barn, chicken house and cellar. Price is only \$1500.00. Will take city property.

Seven room house, barn and outbuildings, all new; four nice lots, close in on north side of track, fruit trees, city water. Will trade for horses, cattle or lumber. Can make a good deal on this property.

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