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This represents the size of our Bargain Basement since we have added the new room. It represents something else, too, that may be of more interest to you. The utilizing of this space at a very slight additional cost enables us to give Bargains that we could not otherwise. We believe we can say without fear of successful contradiction that practically all the goods in this department are priced at 25 to 50 per cent less than usually used for the same goods.

If You Want Dishes, Kitchen Utensils, or any Other Bargains, See Us
Opera House Block - THE PEOPLE'S STORE - La Grande, Ore.

THOROUGHbred
PLYMOUTH ROCKS
 Pullet and Cockerel Matings
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 La Grande, Ore.

ROSE STAHL'S FAMOUS PLAY IN HANDS OF EQUALLY AS GOOD AS PATRICIA O'BRIEN.



Grace Aylesworth, who is appearing this season in the part of Patricia O'Brien, in "The Chorus Lady" is well and favorably known through her connection with many high class eastern successes that have visited this territory the past few years, and also as leading lady with Virginia Harned on her successful tour last season.

The part of Patricia O'Brien in "The Chorus Lady" was originally created by Rose Stahl and won an international reputation for this charming star. It is exceptionally well adapted to Miss Aylesworth's pleasing style and personality and is certain to prove a most excellent vehicle for dis-

responsible sureties to furnish bonds as required if the proposal is accepted. The proposal must be marked "Proposal for Construction of Main Canal Grande Ronde Valley Irrigation Project," and addressed "Grande Ronde Valley Irrigation Company, La Grande, Oregon." The name of the bidder should be written on the envelope including proposal.

The center line of the canal on the proposed route is now staked. The right to change location is reserved by the company (see article 23 of specifications.) Bidders are particularly cautioned to investigate local conditions which may affect the bid price. (See article II of specifications. For particulars address the secretary Grande Ronde Valley Irrigation Company, La Grande, Oregon.

Signed,
 J. D. McKENNON, President,
 By C. T. DARLEY, Engineer.
 3-1-12

NOTICE

To whom it may concern: We have advised against the purchasing of the certificate of Mr. Herbert Pattison on account of his refusing to pay the tax on the stock of goods purchased by the Union County Co-operative Association. We have had advice to the effect that the tax is not a lien on the stock, so we will issue a certificate to anyone purchasing same.

Geo. PEIFFER, Secretary.
 E. S. NORRIS, President.

NOTICE

Kirtley's livery will make a reduction of 50c on every trip in cases where cash is paid.

2-6-12 M. H. KIRTLEY

IRON TONIC FOR TREES.

Plant Nails Among the Roots and a Vigorous Growth Results.

A dozen large nails planted among the roots of a tree assure the tree of health, because the vegetable saps cause the oxidation of the iron and the sap carries ferruginous salts through all the living cells and circulation vessels.

Not many years ago one of the sights of a certain French cemetery was a tree, half green, half rust colored, luxuriantly leaved upon both sides and in flourishing condition. When the tree died and preparations were made for an examination of its roots it was almost impossible to exhume it. When all the ground around it was loosened and the roots were exposed it was found that the tree when a sapling had clasped its young roots around the base of an iron balustrade encircling a tomb. The roots of the tree had run in and out between the iron bars of the fence. Exactly half of the tree had come in contact with the iron, and that half put forth a growth luxuriantly leaved in rusty brown. The half that had not touched the iron developed a growth of normal coloring. The tree as a whole was a fine specimen of healthy vegetable growth, but the side impregnated by iron far exceeded the green side in its output of vigorous leafage.

Sulphate of iron is of little value when sprinkled on the leaves of a sick tree, but powdered iron has a marvelous effect when introduced into the tissues by means of holes bored in the trunk. The holes must be filled with the powder and then corked with wooden plugs and well painted over and around the plugs, so that none of the tonic can escape. To do its work the iron must be carried through the tree in the circulation of the sap.—Harper's.

The Crew of Columbus.

The list of the officers and sailors in the first voyage of Columbus was almost cosmopolitan in its character. Among them there was a Jew, Luis de Torres; an Irishman from Galway, Ireland, William Harris; an Englishman, Arthur Laws; Italians, Portuguese, Spaniards and several other nationalities, though, of course, the Spaniards were largely in the majority. It is maintained by some authorities, with considerable plausibility, too, that there was a Scotchman in the list and that after Columbus himself he was the first man to tread the soil of the new world.—Exchange.

Old Laws of Scotland.

On the statute book of Scotland is still an act passed in 1825 ordering that "no man play football," because it is "esteemed to be unprofitable sport for the common good of the realm and defense thereof." There is also a statute against alien immigration, passed in 1426, and authorizing "all his majesty's subjects" to "take, apprehend, imprison and execute to death the said Egyptians (gypsies), either men or women."

His Experience.

"They say Cashit, who has become the social magnate of the town, was once an elevator boy."
 "Ah, that accounts for it."
 "Accounts for what?"
 "His faculty for taking some people up and for taking others down."—Chicago News.

A Picture Hint.

Use two pieces of glass and two pictures when passepartouting. Fasten the hangers to the cardboard between the two pictures. When tired of one picture turn its face to the wall and enjoy the other.

OWN YOUR HOME

I have some exceptionally fine listings in city property of which the following is only a sample. I know I can please you. You know you intend to own your own home. Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today. Come in and let us talk it over.

Corner Oak and Jefferson, 5 room plastered house, floors double, city water in house, Sidewalk. Price \$1600. The terms are \$800 cash, balance monthly payments of \$8.

1208 W avenue, 2 lots, 5 room house with bath, wired, Price \$1500, cash \$500, monthly payments. Will exchange for country property.

Corner Adams and Walnut, new 7 room plastered house, wired, city water, Nicely decorated. Price \$2750, \$1050 cash. At \$4500 a large barn and 8 lots can be added to the above.

Six room house at 2003 N. Fir, close in. Can be secured for \$1900.

A close in 5 room house on Seventh street for \$2500. This is a desirable location.

Cor. 3rd and H. sts. Lots 110 by 150, 6 room house, a stone foundation, city water, small barn, cellar. Price \$1700. Terms \$300 cash and \$12 per month.

Five room house 1605 Wash avenue. Lot 95 by 120. Good barn, lawn, fruit trees, \$2600, \$250 cash, monthly payments of \$17.

Nice home on Adams avenue, basement, modern, nice lawn, shade trees. A very desirable home at \$3000. This property must be seen to be appreciated.

Six room house in Sunnyside addition with bath, barn, chicken house, fruit trees \$1350. \$650 cash.

Nice home on Second St. leading toward Palmer mill. This property is offered for \$2400. \$500 cash, balance on monthly payments.

Here is another nice home, corner Fourth and V avenue. Four lots, 5 room house, city water, splendid barn, fruit trees, everything in good condition, \$2250. \$1000 will handle this, terms on balance.

Two houses on Washington avenue, one \$1200, the other \$1400. Small payments down and small monthly payments on balance.

I have choice residences for sale in all parts of the city which I would be pleased to show. Many are now paying rent month after month, year after year with nothing to show for it. La Grande is growing, property is cheap to what it will be a few years hence.

Geo. H. Currey
 Real Estate

The Laundry You've Been Looking For

Prompt, reliable, up-to-date and sanitary in every respect

TRY US

CHERRY'S NEW LAUNDRY
 PHONE MAIN 78

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Bidders Must Submit Proposals for the Entire Work.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check amounting to 5 per cent of the total bid, payable to the order of the Grande Ronde Valley Irrigation company, as a guarantee that the bidder will, if successful, promptly execute a satisfactory contract and furnish bond for the faithful performance of the work as required by paragraph five of the specifications. Each proposal must also be accompanied by a guarantee of re-

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Use a mild soothing wash that instantly stops the itch.

We have sold many other remedies for skin trouble but none that we could personally guarantee as we do the D. D. D. Prescription. If I had Eczema I'd use

D. D. D. Prescription

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Our stock is western grown crop of 1911 and will do better in this climate than Southern or Eastern grown seeds.

We Sell in BULK.

Waters-Stanchfield Produce Co., Main 706

HAY, FEED, FLOUR, POULTRY SUPPLIES, WOOD
 1527 JEFFERSON AVENUE

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
 Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
 Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A most excellent company and production have been provided by the management and owners of "The Chorus Lady" for its tour this season, and the engagement here promises to be one of the most pleasing attractions to be seen at the Steward this winter. "The Chorus Lady" is booked for Friday night.

Mathematical Snakes.

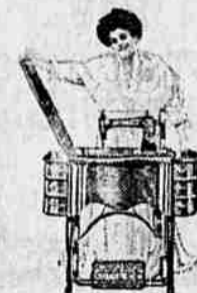
Gazing at a collection of serpents at the zoo, the rural visitor observed, "My gracious, those snakes must multiply rapidly!"

"With a twinkle in his eye the keeper replied, "Some kinds do, but these particular ones are adders."—Judge's Library.



What would you do without teeth? Would you rather keep the natural teeth or wear artificial work? The natural teeth can be saved for years of usefulness and it is the business of the dentist to do it for you.
J. E. STEVENSON, D. D. S.

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The Lightest Running Sewing Machine on earth—the only one to have 8 sets of Ball Bearings.

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If there were space here we would tell you of many other good points. Mr. Free—when perfecting the FREE Sewing Machine carefully avoided all the bad points of all other machines, and besides invented many new conveniences. Why, you wouldn't believe that such a perfect Sewing Machine could be made for such a ridiculously low price. That's why we don't advertise the price. You have to see to believe.

You can have this wonderful Sewing Machine in your own home to use every day for

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Does this interest you? Of course it does—make your plans now—It will save you money—save you time—save you aggravation if you **IF YOU COME AND SEE THE FREE TOMORROW**

"OUR SPECIAL" Drop Head Sewing Machine

Greatest value ever offered for the Money



High arm model with all the newest improvements, such as automatic bobbin winder, self threading shuttle and tension release. The woodwork is polished quarter sawed oak; five

drawer cabinet, complete set of steel attachments and accessories

\$18.00

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