

# If You want a Farm Look over these Offerings

I have a large listing of farms of all sizes and kinds. All around farms, Grain farms, Stock farms, Dairy farms, Fruit farms. I can only call your attention to a few in this advertisement but if you are in the market I would be pleased to show you my listing and personally conduct you over the property.

**SAND RIDGE FARM.**  
160 acres. Near Alicel. To those who know this vicinity, the character of the soil, etc., this is all that is necessary. The price is right.

**MOUNTAIN FARM.**  
160 acres, six miles south of city. Nice large flowing spring: Six acres cleared. Hundreds of cords of wood. Price \$1,000.

**HALF SECTION.**  
Eight miles east of La Grande. Splendid improvements. This is a large body of good farming land. If you are interested in a big proposition call.

**SMALL FARM**  
24 acres three miles east of city. Highly improved. An ideal close in home. \$2500 cash will handle this Time on balance.

**HERE IS A GOOD ONE.**  
160 acres on the river east of Island City, near Valaria school house, 145 acres under cultivation. Fine river bottom land, but does not overflow. Some immense crops have been grown on this place. \$75.00 per acre.

**CHOICE EIGHTY ACRES.**  
I have two choice 80 acre farms near Iowa school house. These farms are very desirable. Those wishing homes that are out of the ordinary should call for particulars.

**FARM NEAR SUMMERVILLE.**  
160 acres of first class land, 110 acres in cultivation, all of it under irrigation, 35 acres in timothy, small family orchard. Good improvements. A mighty fine home. Land lies with a gentle slope just enough for proper drainage. \$65.00 per acre.

**TWO STOCK RANGES.**  
I have two stock ranches in Starkey. This section has for years been recognized as one of the stock centers of the county. Plenty of water, fine grass, permits to range stock on the Government Forest Reserve. If interested call for details, they will appeal to the conservative buyer.

**J. M. SELDERS FARM.**  
280 acres adjoining Cove. One of the old pioneer homes of the county. Well improved. An abundance of water. Commercial orchard. Alfalfa land, pasture land. An all around general farm. Terms most reasonable. If you want something good investigate this.

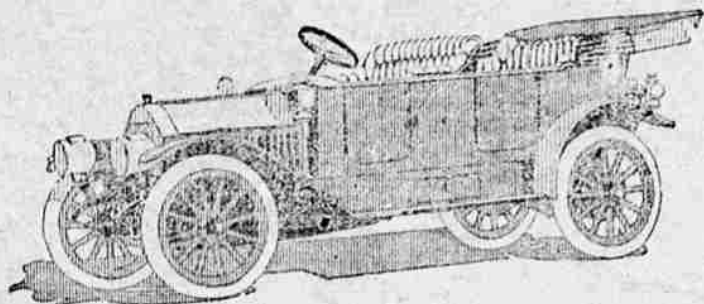
Geo. H. Currey

Real Estate

**36h MAXWELL**  
**36p** WINNER OF 1912 GLIDDEN TOUR \$1575.  
Equipped with Top Wind Shield and Speedometer

This great horsepower of the new Maxwell Special is unmatched by any other car within \$500 of its price.

This 36-horsepower plant is big enough to produce all the speed and power you will ever need—and then leave some for emergencies.



**Big Powerful, Stylish**  
**36 hp. Maxwell**

The new Maxwell Special—in addition to liberal power—has high-class style of expensive cars. It is truly of the aristocracy, with its new ventilated floor, flush-side vestibled steel body, with inside control, the Columbia Honeycomb type radiator, new designed bonnet and rich finish. Look up its record.

The extraordinary price is realized through the large manufacturing and purchasing economies of the United States Motor Co. Compare with other cars near this price—see it. If you cannot conveniently come to us, we will bring the car to you—at your home or office. Write today for catalog.

**MAXWELL MASCOTTE**  
5-passenger, is equipped with top, wind shield and speedometer, \$1250  
**MAXWELL MESSENGER**  
Equipped with top, head lights and generator, \$735  
**PRICES LA GRANDE DELIVERY**

**LEIGHTON'S GARAGE**

*Maxwell*

**NOTED RUPTURE EXPERT COMES**

Seeley, Who Fitted the Czar of Russia, Will Be at the Geiser Grand Hotel, Baker City.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Geiser Grand hotel and will remain in Baker City Tuesday only, April 16th. At the Pendleton hotel, Pendleton, Wednesday and Thursday only, April 17th and 18th. Mr. Seeley

says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss is now used and approved by the United States government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case." This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery or harmful injections. Mr. Seeley has documentary references from the United States government Washington, D. C., for your inspection. All charity cases without charge or if any interested call, he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Anyone ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this unusual opportunity.

4-12-21  
Kelley is on the way. 4-12-21.  
Synopsis of the annual statement of the U. S. BRANCH, SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, of London, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, on the 31st day of December, 1911, made to the Insurance Commissioner of Oregon, pursuant to law:  
**Income**  
Premiums received during the year in cash. \$2,847,700.37  
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year ..... 172,488.53  
Income from other sources

es received during the year .....	121,666.15
Total income .....	\$3,141,945.41
<b>Disbursements.</b>	
Losses paid during the year .....	\$1,454,179.96
Commissions and salaries paid during the year ..	821,574.93
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year ..	116,109.45
Amount of all other expenditures .....	623,323.42
Total expenditures ..	\$3,014,987.76
<b>Assets.</b>	
Value of real estate owned .....	\$277,500.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned .....	3,417,449.57
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc. ....	25,000.00
Cash in banks and on hand .....	275,000.00
Premiums in course of collection and in transmission .....	474,096.10
Interest and rents due and accrued, uncollected re-insurance on paid losses and contingent commissions .....	46,663.60
Total assets .....	\$4,519,220.73
Less special deposits in any state .....	20,000.00
Total assets admitted in Oregon .....	\$4,499,220.73
<b>Liabilities.</b>	
Gross claims for losses unpaid .....	\$264,920.59
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks .....	2,774,926.08
Due for commission and brokerage (contingent) ..	21,044.25
All other liabilities .....	114,149.85
Surplus less special deposits .....	1,324,179.96
Total liabilities .....	\$4,499,220.73
Total insurance in force December 31, 1911 .....	\$53,752,532.00
<b>Business in Oregon for the Year.</b>	
Total risks written during the year .....	\$3,188,354.00
Gross premiums received during the year .....	68,538.77
Premiums returned during the year .....	14,911.22
Losses paid during the year .....	36,149.03
Losses incurred during the year .....	33,271.16
Total amount of risks outstanding in Oregon on Dec. 31, 1911 .....	5,737,233.00
U. S. BRANCH, SUN INSURANCE OFFICE.	
By J. J. Guile, U. S. Br. Manager, Statutory resident general agent and attorney for service; E. R. Thompson.	
Pauline La Verne, wife of the Rev. John William Jones, of Omaha, Neb., is a member of the American Theatre stock company in that city.	
<b>Treasurer's Call for City Warrants</b>	
Notice is hereby given that there are now funds in the treasury to pay all warrants issued again water fund of La Grande city up to and including No. 10613 endorsed June 7, 1911. Interest on all warrants on water fund from No. 10427 to No. 10613 inclusive ceases from date of this call.	
La Grande, Oregon, April 9, 1912.	
RAY W. LOGAN, City Treasurer.	

**ROME'S COLISEUM**

Majestic Even In Its Ruins Is the Historic Old Edifice.

**ITS BLOOD SATURATED ARENA**

On the Occasion of Its Inauguration Five Thousand Wild Animals and Ten Thousand Captives Were Slain in an Orgy That Lasted a Hundred Days.

Second only to the Acropolis at Athens in interest to the antiquarian and historian in his study of ruins of Europe is the Coliseum at Rome. This historic edifice was erected during the reigns of Vespasian and Titus and in honor of the latter. It is said that 90,000 Jews were engaged in its erection for ten years.

It was a feudal fortress for a long time and finally a quarry from which were built churches and palaces until by its consecration as holy ground on account of the number of martyrs supposed to have been immolated there, further ravages were stopped.

The Roman Coliseum became the spot where prince and people met together to witness those sanguinary exhibitions the degrading effect of which on the Roman character can hardly be overestimated. The circumference of the building is 1,641 feet, the height of the outer wall is 157, the length of the arena 278 feet and its width 177. It covers an area of six acres.

It is only by ascending to the upper terrace that the enormous size of the Coliseum is fully seen, and by moonlight the effect of size and massiveness is much increased. The ruins south of the Coliseum are supposed to have been the Vivarium, in which were kept the wild beasts for the combats.

As a general description of the building the following passage of Gibbon is said to be perfect. "The outside of the edifice was incrustated with marble and decorated with statues. The slopes of the vast concave which formed the inside were filled and surrounded with sixty or eighty rows of seats, of marble likewise, covered with cushions and capable of receiving with ease about 80,000 spectators. Sixty-four vomitories (for by that name the doors were very aptly distinguished) poured forth the immense multitude, and the entrances, passages and staircases were contrived with such exquisite skill that each person, whether of the senatorial, the equestrian or the plebeian order, arrived at his destined place without trouble or confusion. Nothing was omitted which in any respect could be subservient to the convenience and pleasure of the spectators. They were protected from the sun and rain by an ample canopy, occasionally drawn over their heads. The air was continually refreshed by the playing of fountains and profusely impregnated by the grateful scent of aromatics.

**ANSWERS THE CALL.**

La Grande People Have Found That This Is True.

A cold, a strain, a sudden wrench, A little cause may hurt the kidneys. Spells of backache often follow. Or some irregularity of the urine, A splendid remedy for such attacks, A medicine that has cured thousands

Is Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands of people rely upon it. Here is one case:

Mrs. Joseph Eustace, 2703 Fourth St., Baker City, Oregon, says: "We have used Doan's Kidney Pills in our family off and on for the past several years and have found them unequalled for the cure of kidney complaint. Doan's Kidney Pills did me more good than all the doctors' medicine and other remedies that had previously been tried, bringing prompt and lasting relief from backache and other distressing symptoms of kidney complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

I am prepared to furnish vegetable and flower plants, also, being agent for Center Street Greenhouse of Baker, can supply cut flowers and floral designs on 24 hours' notice. Call 504 Third street or Phone Main 711.

peared a level plain might be suddenly converted into a wide lake, covered with armed vessels and replenished with the monsters of the deep. "In the decoration of these scenes the Roman emperors displayed their wealth and liberality, and we read on various occasions that the whole furniture of the amphitheater consisted either of silver or of gold or of amber."

"The poet who describes the game of Carinus in the character of a shepherd attracted to the capitol by the fame of their magnificence affirms that the net designed as a defense against the wild beasts were of gold wire, that the pot fleeces were gilded and that the 'ball' or circle which divided the several ranks of spectators from each other was studded with a precious mosaic of beautiful stones."

**Maryana.**  
Mary had a little lamb,  
A little pink, a little jam,  
A little toast,  
A little roast,  
A little stew with dumplings white  
A little shad—  
For Mary had  
A little appetite.  
—Boston Herald

**He Qualified.**  
She—I'm afraid I cannot marry you. I want a man who possesses a noble ambition, one whose heart is set on attaining some high and worthy object.  
He—Well, don't I want you?  
She—Oh, George, darling, I am yours!  
—Boston Transcript

**"Vain Words."**  
In weaving large words into fabric of time I've heretofore been intransigent. Yet I've had the longing—oh, many's the time!—To thread in the word impudently.  
—New York Mail