

# PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT OF UNION COUNTY BABES TO BE FEATURE OF BABY SHOW

Physical development of babes is to be a conspicuous question at the annual baby show to be held this year in conjunction with the Union county fair. Mrs. A. L. Richardson, charge d'affaires of the big event has introduced as one of three departments of the big baby show, a contest in which nature and parents will play a dominant part. Luck is luck and beauty in children depends somewhat on the tidiness of the dress but the physical development has long since come to be known as the consequence of the parents more than of nature itself and in harmony with this theory the physical phases of Union county's children is to be measured and compared at the baby show.

### Score Card System Used.

A score of questions will be consid-

ered in the determination of the child's development. Babes from two to four years will be eligible and the size of the head, the abdomen, the chest, the height, the weight, the disposition of the child, its sleeping quarters, its food, these and many others are part of the quizzes that go with the score card requirements. It is indeed a new venture and should prove decidedly interesting, and the parent will obtain at the hand of professional judges an accurate notion of their children's physical development that would stand them in hand. It will be a very instructive phase aside from its competitive features. A suitable prize will be given to the winner, the winner of course being decided up on its merits.

### Other Prizes Too.

There will be two other departments and in these the usual interest will of course be displayed. Mrs. Richardson has announced a department of luck in which a valuable and handsome prize will be offered for the baby drawing the lucky number gets the prize. These babes must be two years or under.

### Sweepstakes Provided For.

The third department is a sweepstakes event. In this babes entered for any of the two departments above will be in line for the prize. It is the prettiest baby, judged by doctors, that will get this plum. All in all the lineup for a very successful and unique baby show is in sight.

## BOOKS OF TRAVELS BY BEST AUTHORS AT THE LIBRARY

Wonders of the World as Seen by Globe Trotters Told in Many Books.  
—List Given in Full.

A few of the books of travel and adventure in this and other countries which may be found at the public library are listed below:

- Allen. Across Asia on a bicycle.
- Barrows. Isles and Shrines of Greece.
- Bingham. Across South America.
- Borup. A Tenderfoot with Perry Brooks. First Across the continent: story of the Lewis and Clark expedition.
- Brownell. The heart of Japan.
- Collier. The West in the East from an American point of view.
- Curtis. Around the Black Sea.
- De Windt. Through the Gold fields of Alaska to Bering Straights.
- Du Challu. In American forest and jungle.
- Duncan. Dr. Grenfell's parish.

- Fee. A woman's impressions of the Philippines.
- Forbes. Land of the white heights and shadows across Africa.
- Franck. Four months across the world.
- Franck. A vagabond around the world.
- Hornaday. Two years in the West.
- Kennan. Tent life in the West.
- Parkman. Oregon.
- Slocum. Sailing around the world.
- Smith. Gondola life on the Danube.
- Van Dyke. Out of the land.
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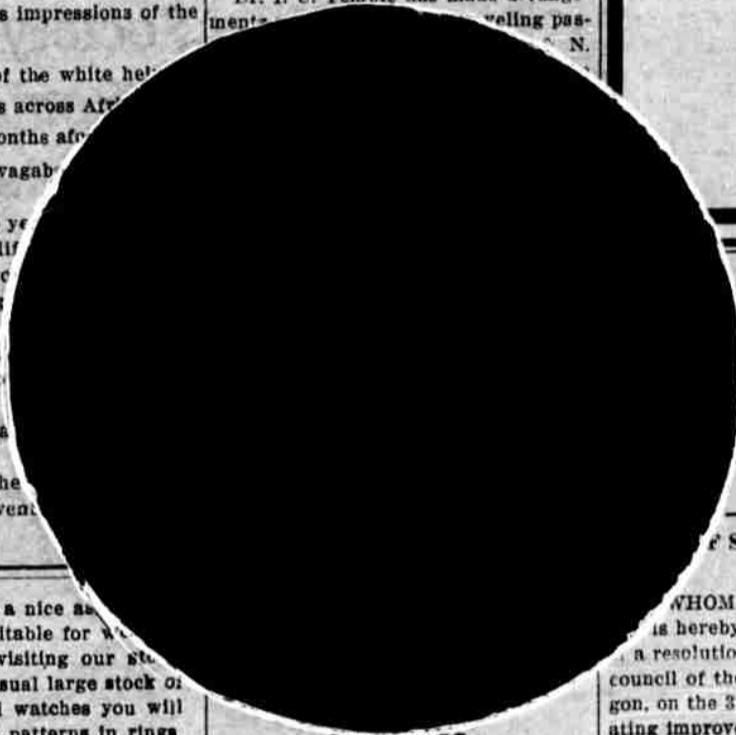
### PILOT ROCKERS COMING.

Umatilla County Will Send Delegation to La Grande for Sept. 12.

A party of Bull Moosers will leave Pilot Rock in time to join the Pendleton contingent who will occupy a special coach, attached to the Roosevelt train out of Pendleton, on the morning of the 12th of September, says the Pilot Rock Record.

Dr. I. U. Temple has made arrangements for traveling passengers.

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Andrew Wilson Committee.  
8-28-4t

### STREET IMPROVEMENT

WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the common council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, on the 31st day of July, 1912, creating improvement district No. 65 and designating O avenue as such district, and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said common council on the 31st day of July, 1912, whereby said council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of O avenue in said improvement district as hereinafter described by laying thereon gravel bitulithic pavement, the council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefited by such improvement, order that said above described improvement be made, that the boundaries of said district to be so improved are as follows:

All that portion of O avenue from the east side of Seventh street to the south side of Washington avenue.  
(A) And the property affected or benefited by said improvement is as follows:

The south half of block 63 and the north half of block 63, Chaplin's addition, the north half of blocks 11 and 166 and all of block 10, Coggan's addition, all in the city of La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefited by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of \$6,035.49. That the council will, on the 4th day of September, 1912, meet at the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock, p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

La Grande, Oregon, August 21, 1912.  
CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE, OREGON.  
By C. M. HUMPHREYS,  
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