

For President--  
**Theodore Roosevelt**  
For Vice President--  
**Hiram Johnson**

**LISTEN TO THIS**

The New York Herald, which apparently long ago made a vow never to print the name of Theodore Roosevelt in its columns, and which always refers to him as "The Third Termer" has been making elaborate preparations to print a poll it took of the different states. It announced often, in a loud voice, that this poll would appear on Sunday, October 6th. From day to day the Herald would announce that Taft was gaining; that there was a great movement to Taft; that the Progressive cause was waning; that the Democratic cause was gaining, etc., so that we looked for this poll on Sunday morning, October 6th, with fear and trembling; and, lo and behold! we find that it concedes almost the entire Western country to Roosevelt; that it absolutely concedes Illinois by an overwhelming vote; that it gives us such states as Connecticut; that it makes Roosevelt well up to Wilson in New York; that it would have given him the City of New York if it had not put in an overwhelming vote in favor of Taft, taken among the brokers of the New York Stock Exchange. Then it proceeds to total up the different States and brings Taft in a bad second or third in all but one State.

That is the way Taft is gaining.  
It is to laugh!

This advertising is prepared and paid for by the Progressive Central committee of Union County, Oregon.

**National Prohibition Platform**

We favor:

1. Suffrage for women on the same terms as for men.
2. A uniform marriage and divorce law. The extermination of polygamy and the complete suppression of the traffic in girls.
3. Absolute protection of the rights of labor without impairment of the rights of capital.
4. The settlement of all international disputes by arbitration.
5. The abolition of child labor in mines, work shops and factories, with the rigid enforcement of the laws now flagrantly violated.
6. The election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.
7. A presidential term of six years and one term only.
8. Court review of postoffice and other departmental decisions and orders; the extension of the postal savings bank system and of rural delivery, and the establishment of an efficient parcels post.
9. The initiative, referendum and recall.
10. As the tariff is a commercial question it should be fixed on the scientific basis of accurate knowledge secured by means of a permanent, omni-partisan tariff commission, with ample powers.
11. Equitable graduated income and inheritance taxes.
12. Conservation of our forest and mineral reserves, and the reclamation of waste lands. All mineral and timber lands, and water powers, now owned by the government, should be held perpetually and leased for revenue purposes.
13. Clearly defined laws for the regulation and control of corporations transacting an interstate business.
14. Efficiency and economy in governmental administration.
15. The protection in one day in seven as a day of rest.

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LA GRANDE WITH GOOD DRAMA

ROLES PERTINENT TO THE "LION AND THE MOUSE" PLOT:  
Mrs. Rossmore  
Miss Nellie Hopper  
Judge Rossmore  
Ex-Judge Scott  
Shirley Rossmore  
Miss Gertrude Ritchie  
Jefferson Ryder  
Hon. Fitzroy Bagley  
Sen. Roberts  
Kate Roberts  
Mrs. John Ryder  
Miss Lotta Emmons  
John Burkett Ryder  
O. T. Burke

Barring a ragged start and a trifle weak end, the central and "heart" portion of "The Lion and the Mouse" was portrayed at the Steward last night in masterly style, and the opera season ushered in with a good number seen by a well filled house. The story is one of oppression under the iron heel of capital and politics; but two central figures predominate through the plot and these two parts were well handled in the main—we might say exceptionally well. Miss Ritchie was at her best in the second and third acts and the difficult dual role was carried on in a manner that makes one grip his seat arm and wait in breathless anticipation of her next word and next move. The other character of prominence was of course the crusty John Burkett Ryder, the man of might in the world of money and that the part is in good hands was soon evident. The story and

plot effervesce with logic and up to story, well written and well handled the minute politics; it is a powerful for the splendid acting of the climax act offset the rather tame introduction and likewise weak personification of the successful end of a titanic struggle carried on by "Miss Rossmore." But the audience was pleased and satisfied and got a good start for the exceptional string of high class dramas coming in the immediate future.

Grand Story Coming.

"Bought and Paid For" Received in Portland with Great Laudation.

Among the fine things on the boards for theatrical folks in La Grande in the immediate future, is "Bought and Paid For". Anybody that follows the theatrical game at all, needs no further illumination on this story—a magnificent up-to-date story and the Steward patrons will be well repaid when they see this grand story.

"UNCLE JOSH" COMING.

New England Story to be Portrayed Next Week.

No better entertainment could possibly be offered than that provided by "Uncle Josh Perkins", the famous New England rural comedy drama which will be seen at the Steward on Tuesday evening. Seats go on sale tomorrow morning. The play tells a simple story in which mirth predominates but without obscuring the tender heart interest. Realistic pictures of farm life bring back pleasant memories to thousands whose youth was spent apart from the rush and turmoil of cities. "Uncle Josh Perkins"



D. B. Kennedy, who plays "Uncle Josh", coming to La Grande soon.

continues its mission of entertaining the great mass of theater-goers to whom its humanity appeals most potently. The play has been redressed by the management with handsome new scenery and a high grade company of dramatic and musical artists interpret its pathos and its fun. Many novel specialties will be introduced, and the famous "Rube Band" will play all the very latest popular melodies.

**PARENTS**

What are you doing for Your Children's TEETH?

Are you letting them go entirely uncared for? Are you letting the little ones suffer with their first teeth—thinking it will only be a short time until they will have a new set?  
Do you realize the child needs a sound set of teeth as much as you do?  
Bring or send the children to me for an examination and I will send you a chart of what is needed in their mouth.

DR. H. S. BROWNTON  
DENTIST

Stevenson's Dental Office  
Across from Foley Hotel.

**NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.**

Notice is hereby given that the county board of equalization for Union county, Oregon, will attend at the court house, La Grande, on Monday, October 21, 1912, and publicly examine the assessment roll, correct all errors in valuation, descriptions or qualities of land, lots or other property, as assessed by the county assessor, and it shall be the duty of all persons interested to appear at the time and place given.

All persons having grievances regarding the 1912 assessment may appear before such board and present their affidavits containing grounds for complaint. All such affidavits must be presented during the first week of the meeting of the board.

D. M. CLARK,  
Assessor for Union county.

10-3-12 to 10-19-12.

**MONEY TO LOAN**

on farm lands in Union, Wallowa and Baker counties.

**HILL & HIBBERD**

Rail Electrical Men to Meet, Chicago Ill. Oct. 18.—Electrical engineers employed by all of the leading

**What Does Baby Say?**



Yours for an Answer--

Did you ever try to suggest a Caption for a Newspaper Column, or a Subject for a Newspaper Story? Sometimes there is as much cleverness shown in the selection of the title for a picture as there is in grouping the figures. It is the Title that awakens the human interest in the picture.

There is a wonderfully beautiful picture in our show window this week, but it lacks the proper title—will you give us one?

To the person offering us the best answer, we will award the beautiful Globe-Wernicke Bookcase shown in our window.

You need not be a customer of the store or make a purchase here to get a ballot as this contest is open to all.

Simply call at the store and we will supply you with a ballot on which your answer is to be written.

The contest closes Oct. 30 and all answers must be in the ballot box at our store not later than that date.

The prize winner will be announced November 5th.

**Henry & Carr**  
Complete House Furnishers

ing railroads of the United States and of Railway Electrical Engineers, with a reception at the Auditorium Canada are expected to attend the fifth which will assemble in this city next Hotel Monday evening. The business annual convention of the Association week. The gathering will be opened sessions will last four days.