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**STEWARD'S OPERA HOUSE
Friday, October 25, 1912**

WILLIAM A. BRADY, LTD.,
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THE GREATEST PLAY OF THE DAY,

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AND PAID FOR**

By Geo. Broadhurst.

Direct from a year's run at William A. Brady's play house, New York City.

"It Has the 'Punch.' Big, Throbbing, Real—San Francisco Chronicle.

Sent sale Wednesday morning at Van Buren's cigar store. Price 50c-\$1.00-\$1.50.

**THE IMBLER-ALICEL
FRUIT DISTRICT**

Where the Grande Ronde Apples Grow—A Series of Articles Describing One of Eastern Oregon's Greatest Resources.

ARTICLE NO. 3.

The Transformation which has struck the Sandridge country changing hundreds of acres of wheat land into orchards cannot be appreciated unless one sees it. Where the self-binder formerly operated in the fall during the wheat harvest now the apple pickers and packers combine their efforts in harvesting a crop of fruit that means hundreds of dollars to one dollar produced by wheat.

And that transformation is only started. One might truthfully say that fruit growing on the Sandridge has only fairly begun.

The Wilson orchard, which has been mentioned before, is only one of several successful efforts in changing from wheat to fruit.

Another extraordinary orchard project is that of the La Grande Investment company near Alicel wherein C. C. Pennington's wheat ranch was purchased by William B. Sargent and J. K. Wright, who form the ownership of the La Grande Investment company, and by them planted to fruit. For years this was one of the best wheat ranches in the Grande Ronde. It made C. C. Pennington wealthy from wheat production. He sold it at an exceptionally high price for wheat land. But what is it worth today?

Really, it is hard to estimate its value. When that large tract gets into full bearing the owners can set

their price on it and the value will be there. Some of the tract has been cut up into small-acreage which has been purchased by investors under contract that the La Grande Investment company will care for the orchards for a certain period. In many instances the investor did not see the land when he bought it, but many if not all have been on the land since and it takes but one visit to assure the owner of smaller acreage that he has an investment which time will make very profitable.

This is true of several other tracts that have been cut up and put on the market. There is not a single instance of dissatisfaction in the Imbler-Alicel district.

Now there is but one reason for this—an ideal fruit country producing ideal fruit.

This being true, let us get at the main reasons for this success.

Sub-irrigation is vital to fruit, and the Sandridge has it.

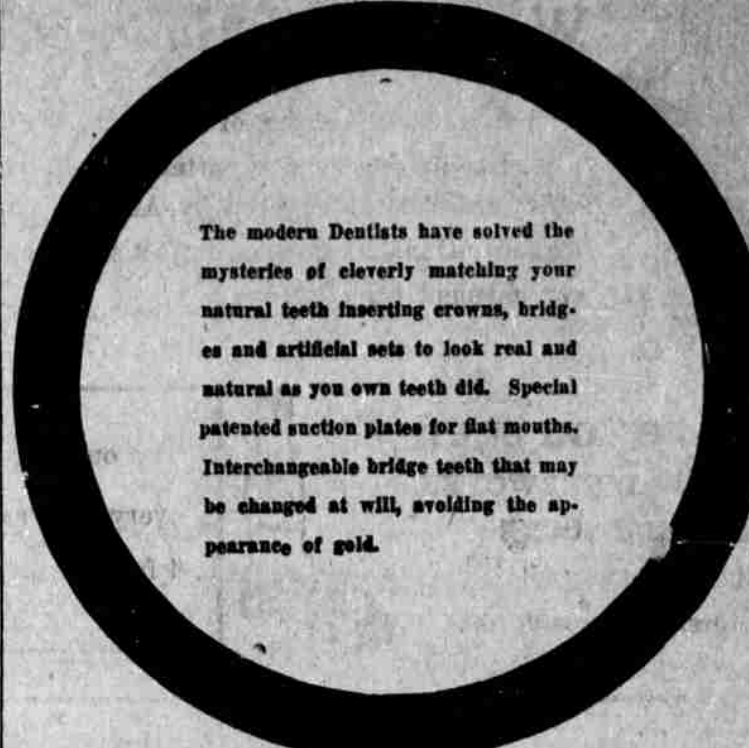
Elevation is necessary to raise the apple that will keep—the Sandridge has that.

Climatic conditions that include some rigorous weather are essential for the life of the apple tree and to keep it healthy. This the Sandridge has.

Plenty of sun to color the apple is

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**CROWNING, BRIDGING
And
PLATE MAKING**



The modern Dentists have solved the mysteries of cleverly matching your natural teeth inserting crowns, bridges and artificial sets to look real and natural as you own teeth did. Special patented suction plates for flat mouths. Interchangeable bridge teeth that may be changed at will, avoiding the appearance of gold.

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Depot & Adams Ave.
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Evenings—7 to 8.

Black Again in Politics.

Everett, Wash., Oct. 23.—Judge W. W. Black, who won the Democratic nomination for governor, but was disqualified by the supreme court, today announced he would become a candi-

date for a vacant position on the supreme bench. Judge Main will oppose Black for the position.

Throat doctors are in demand in this closing month of the campaign.

**Reasons why you should vote for
Geo. L. Cleaver
For Congressman from this District**

He believes that true Democracy means that the individual is the government and that the moralization of the individual is the most important reform possible.

He believes that little progress can be expected morally, mentally, physically or politically when the government backs up the consumption of 25 gallons of intoxicating liquor by each individual annually.

He believes also that the beverage liquor traffic is the biggest moral, financial and political question before the American citizen today and that it can be settled only by administration. He has been a Republican Prohibitionist all his life, but he is opposed to the protection tariff and believes that every other honest man is.

He circulated the Roosevelt primary petitions in Eastern Oregon because of his great faith in the honesty and ability of Mr. Roosevelt and in hope that the Prohibition clause would get into the Republican platform this year.

Don't vote for Mr. Cleaver because he is a Methodist; or because he is a farmer, or because he is a banker, but vote for him because he will hit the beverage liquor traffic and the protective tariff in the neck at each and every opportunity.

This advertisement compiled and paid for by the Prohibition central committee of Union county.

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Steel Malleable Ranges

are the World's leaders in houses of our land
Over 100 of these fine ranges sold in this city during the past fifteen months is the strongest argument of its superiority it is possible to make. It is the ONLY RANGE MADE carrying a 25 year wearing guarantee. No Range makes cooking such a pleasure as does a Peninsular.



SOME REASONS WHY

FIRST—It requires no blacking, has a polished top, just keep it wiped off with a cloth.

SECOND—It will heat and bake as quick as gas. With a little kindling and a few chunks of coal you will have a red hot stove before you can get dressed in the morning.

THIRD—It is absolutely airtight, controlled by a duplex draft, causing it to consume all gas as it generates, thereby saving one-third the fuel.

YOUR OLD RANGE OR STOVE TAKEN IN PART PAYMENT.

You will notice that it has a large, square oven, and an extra wide but shallow fire box. The range rests on a cast iron base making it extra strong and durable. One of the greatest features is the height of the working space, it being 33 1-2 inches from the floor. This enables you to prepare your meals in a comfortable way, and obviates the necessity of bending over a low base range. Study the cut carefully and you will find more desirable and needed features than in any other range at a like price.

Prices Are Right - \$35.00 to \$85.00

Let me make your home comfortable and cooking a delight.

IT IS GETTING COLD

BETTER PUT UP THAT HEATER THIS WEEK. ALL KINDS IN STOCK. COAL HEATERS, COMBINATION COAL AND WOOD, and WOOD HEATERS

Prices Are Right - \$1.50 to \$30.00



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