

The United States National Bank

Stands among the foremost in the state in proportionate increases since its organization

YOUR ATTENTION

is called to the following comparative statement:

Commenced business January 11, 1909.	
Total resources April 4, 1909	\$249,527.23
Total resources April 4, 1910	386,064.59
Total resources April 4, 1911	393,220.22
Total resources April 4, 1912	526,454.82
Total resources April 4, 1913	560,074.34

N. K. WEST, President
T. J. SCROGGIN, Cashier

WM. MILLER, Vice President
H. E. COOLIDGE, Asst. Cashier.

Board of Directors.

N. K. West, Wm. Miller, T. J. Scroggin, H. E. Coolidge, A. T. Hill, C. T. Bacon, J. F. Conley, J. L. Caviness, Judge J. C. Henry.

Mother's Day

SUNDAY MAY 11

Is set aside officially throughout the United States to honor the best mother who ever lived—your own.

Remembrances should be made with floral tributes in the home and no one will be seen without a flower on Mothers' Day.

WHITE FLOWERS FOR MOTHER'S MEMORY.

BRIGHT FLOWERS FOR MOTHERS LIVING.

This most beautiful idea and sentiment originated with Miss Annie Jarvis, of Philadelphia. The happy thought occurred to her that all mothers, whether living or dead, should be especially honored some one day each year, and the second Sunday in May was set aside as "Mother's Day." Remember, Any Flower Is Appropriate.

La Grande Seed and Floral Company

OPPOSITE SOMMER HOUSE



LUMBER WILL NEVER BE CHEAPER.

than now. As you know, the lumber fit for milling is getting scarcer every year. Then why not begin building now and take advantage of the present market? Later on you will regret it. We have full supplies for high-grade lumber for both exterior and interior construction.

WENAH LUMBER COMPANY

Go to The Valley Forge for first class Horseshoeing and General Blacksmithing. All work guaranteed strictly first class.

Cramer & Blurtin

1428 Jefferson Ave.

ROOMS AND GOOD BOARD \$5.50 PER WEEK and up

HOTEL GLASS

W. W. GLASS, Proprietor

1404 Madison St. La Grande

Youths Steal Beer Keg.
Huntington, Ore., May 7.—Saturday, several young men, a majority of whom were minors, were arrested for stealing a keg of beer, drinking it and creating a disturbance. The beer belonged to a shipment for Justice of the Peace Woods. All were fined \$5 and costs in the local court. Justice Woods refused to prosecute for stealing the beer and the charge preferred was of disorderly conduct. Almost without exception they were employees of the railroad freight office and yards. Assistant Superintendent Buckley of La Grande came Saturday to investigate.

Militants Foster Cruelties.
Paris, May 7.—"If they should put my mother to death; if they should put any suffragette to death; if they should put us to the torture; whatever they may do, the cause will go right on and votes for women become more than ever imperative." Miss Christabel Pankhurst, daughter of Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, the English suffragette leader, made this statement in her apartment, 9 Rue Roy, where she has made her home since her escape from England at the time her mother and sister, Sylvia, were put in prison. Miss Pankhurst is not an exile from England because she fears the British jail, but following a conference with her sister and mother, it was deemed more advantageous to the cause for at least one member of the family to be safe from molestation from the police.

"The imprisonment of my mother and her collapse after being tortured with forceful feeding," said Miss Pankhurst, "but adds to the glory of our fight. All the harm they do us but serves to strengthen the cause. And therein lies the real reason for our 'hunger strikes.' When a suffragette is arrested she refuses to eat, in this manner protesting against the right which the law gives men and refuses to women. Since we are forbidden the right to vote, we do not recognize the law and object to knowing only its effect. The scandal would be enormous were one of us to die in prison. Sympathy would be on our side; our cause would benefit through protestations which would surely follow. The government knows this and releases us when we grow weak from hunger.

"There are those who talk of banishing us to St. Helena as Napoleon was banished. This is a compliment. Napoleon was sent to St. Helena because he was feared. It would be the same with us. But St. Helena would not hold us; we are too many, and we are growing in numbers daily. Now they are urging the 'lynch law' for us. They are provoking crowds of toughs to attack us. Let them! We will win in spite of violence—and perhaps because of it. It is a pitiful spectacle, this process of exciting the rabble against us, and if some of us should be killed, the outrage would help, not hinder. And our onward rush would not for an instant be checked. Of course, we are charged with acting in un-lady-like ways. Our only answer to this is that Joan of Arc was a girl. Therefore let no one be dumfounded when we follow the advice given us by Sir Henry Campbell annermann. When a delegation of which I was a member, asked Sir Henry what we ought to do to obtain votes for women, he said: "Go and pester the people."

"Yes, we are going to get the vote. We are certain of that. And in the meantime our activity is benefitting the cause outside of England. When the Norwegian statesmen discussed the question of woman suffrage, they declared:

"See what is going on in England; let us spare ourselves that, and give the women of Norway what is right for them to have just as much as it is right for the men to have it. And the women of Norway got the vote. But more important still, than getting the vote has been the manner in which they have gloriously acquitted themselves by the way they have influenced good legislation. The Norwegian statesmen at first were amazed at the wisdom and discrimination the women showed in their exercise of the franchise. Now the women of Norway are a part and parcel of the government of that country and their advice is sought on many of the most important problems and issues which confront the nation and the municipalities. The Norwegian statesmen and government officials frankly admit that their giving the vote to the women has proved a great factor in obtaining good legislation which

Do You Know
That La Grand Made Blue Stem Flour is the Best on Earth
Or Anywhere Else
That's going Some. Think it over
over and Make Us Prove It

Fifth Annual Show

Union Live Stock Show Ass'n

June 5, 6 and 7 at Union, Ore.

A bigger and better show than ever.
Cash prizes for track events.

Free Feed, Free Entrance, Free Shelter for All Exhibits

Send For Premium List

G. W. BENSON, Pres.
GEO. A. SCIBIRD, Sec.

might never have been put through otherwise.

"We have been bitterly criticised for our actions in England. We expected to be criticised—even by our American sisters who are fighting along different lines in the United States for the ballot. But after all, it is our only way. We have been grossly tricked and deceived time after time by those government officials who are opposed to woman suffrage. We have been treated like children and ridiculed as unworthy of the ballot until we came to realize that this fight is one that must be won by the most heroic of methods. Conditions in England are vastly different from conditions in America and therefore we have to adopt a vastly different campaign in order to get what so many American women have secured through less 'noisy' methods. And why all this strenuous opposition to giving us the vote? I think a fair-minded judge would say, after considering all the evidence—not a mere part of it, but all of it—that so far not one sound argument has been offered why we should not be allowed to help in the making of the laws that rule us and that make us pay taxes on our property. Sometimes it actually amuses me to see the futile efforts of the opponents of woman suffrage to stave off what is a certainty. Votes for women in England is as certain as death. It is certain to come in every civilized nation. It may be very slow in coming, but it is surely coming, so why fight against the inevitable in this foolish fashion?"

"We began our campaign by merely preaching. We have continued it by acts of violence—window smashing, etc. and we haven't given out of ideas yet. By degrees we are enlarging our sphere of action. We shall do bigger and bigger things. And perhaps they will say:

"Let's have done with all this. Give them what they want."

Health a Factor in Success.
The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are reg-

ular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are for sale by all dealers.



None Better Than Old Geyser Brook Whiskey

ity guaranteed.
It's mellowed and aged in wood; pure. Also distributor of Budweiser and Hop Gold Bottle Beer.

U. LOTTES
Wholesale Liquor Dealer,

OXY-ACETELYNE WELDING

We are welders of Cast Iron, Iron, Steel, Brass, Aluminum, and other metals, by the dry acetelyne welding process. Don't SCRAP your broken castings.

Save the Pieces---We Weld Them

An up to date repair shop, equipped with new machines.

McKimm & Company

Baker, Oregon.

Phone 24.

GENERAL REPAIRING.

OUR WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

WANTED—Room with sleeping porch. Address A, care Observer, 5-23t

WANTED—Partner in greenhouse business. More business than I can successfully handle alone. For particulars apply at greenhouse. A. B. Cherry. 4-11-tf

WANTED—Students at Northwestern School of Chiropractic, No. 4, Depot St., Phone Red 1751. Ask for Annual Announcement. 4-30-tf

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Room 9, Lewis Bldg. 5-33tf

FOR SALE—Team, good horse, weight about 2,000, 1208 First St. 4-16-tf

FOR SALE—Twelve bags of Early Ohio potatoes. Table size, carefully sorted, keut for seed. Forty cents, bags returned. Farmers. 27x1,

FOR SALE—4 room hose and 60 foot lot, a bargain, and terms. Edw. W. Kemmerer, 2004 Adams Ave.

FOR SALE—Early Ohio seed potatoes La Grande Investment Co. 4-14-tf

FOR SALE—Early Rose seed potatoes. Also do garden plowing. Phone Red 621. A. G. Herman. 4-8-1mo.

FOR RENT—Two modern front rooms, one private entrance, 1410 Monroe. 5-5-tf

See Wheelwright about your concrete work. Call Observer. 4-5-tf

GARBAGE HAULED—Phone Black 721. Prompt service. 4-16-tf

PASTURE ROOM—For horses and cattle. See the poundmaster or call Red 1012. 4-21-tf