

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN EASTERN OREGON

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IMBLER BANK TO BUILD HOME

Imbler's record growth during the past 15 months has been par excellent. During that period seven or eight new residence, many improvements, and a large storage house have been built. To head off the building for 1913, the Imbler bank announces its intention to build for itself a new modern home. It is expected that several other buildings will be constructed this summer.

Although a poor market for a good crop greatly disappointed the growers last season, they have manifested their faith in their community by

planting more potatoes, and planning to grow more apples this year than ever before. The market conditions have been studied carefully and the growers predict no trouble for the growing crops.

Business conditions have been about as good as usual, and the merchants are planning on doing a record business this summer and fall.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale of hereinafter described mortgaged real property, issued out of and under the Seal of the Circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Union, bearing date of the 12th day of May, A. D. 1913, upon the decree duly rendered, entered of record, and docketed in said court on the 2nd day of May, 1913, in that suit therein, wherein N. K. West is plain-

ALICEL AND IT'S TERRITORY GOOD

Sunshine for the past few days has given back to the Sandridge farmer his usual cheery smile. Most of the crops are now in and all that are growing like hay in an Alaskan summer.

Mr. McKinnis, who owns the Alicel general merchandise store, reports that business this year has been fully up to standard and that all of the farmers are planning on excellent returns from this summer's yield.

Alicel and Imbler people have not been working so hard as to forget the national game either. Once or twice a week Mayor Conley of Alicel declares a half holiday and all turn out for a real old time ball game. Not a one to nothing shut out but a 17 to 21 good time. Last Saturday Imbler captured the game, but on Sunday the Alicel boys were in better trim and won from Imbler.

tiff, and Henry Shafer, Allie Shafer, and the City of La Grande, are defendants, said decree being in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants, for the sum of \$559.72 and the further sum of \$50.00 attorney fees, interest from the date of said decree at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and the further sums of \$386.45 and also the sum of \$35.00 attorney fees and plaintiff's costs and disbursements of suit taxed at \$26.20 with interest thereon from date of this decree at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. I WILL ON FRIDAY, THE 20th day of May, 1913, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the City of La Grande, Union county, state of Oregon, sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said plaintiff's decree and accruing costs of sale, all the right, title and interest of said defendants, Henry L. Shafer and Allie Shafer, his wife, had therein or thereto on the 18th day of April, 1910, or any or either of defendants in said suit thereafter obtained in or to the following described property, to-wit: Lots One; Two; Three; Four; Five; Six; Seven and Eight in Block Twenty-nine (29) of Chaplin's Addition to the town of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon this 21st day of May, 1913.

AUGUST HUG,
Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.
daily—5-22-29—6-5-12-19.

IMBLER SCHOOL ENDS FRIDAY

SUCCESSFUL TERM NEARING ITS END.

Automobile "Kicks" Driver Breaking Arm—Imbler Items.

Imbler, May 21.—(Special)—Imbler school closes Friday May 23, which will send many lads away rejoicing. It has been a very successful term.

A traveling man met with an accident last Tuesday in front of the Imbler hotel. He started to crank an auto and it kicked back and broke his arm. The arm was set by Dr. Barrett of Imbler.

C. Holms had the misfortune of losing a fine cow last Sunday morning.

The high school baseball team got

it wiped to them by the Alicel team with a score of 9 to 2. The ball boys said that most of the rooters of Imbler turned traitor against them which was one of the causes of them getting defeated. Farmers of Imbler are expecting heavy crops this year.

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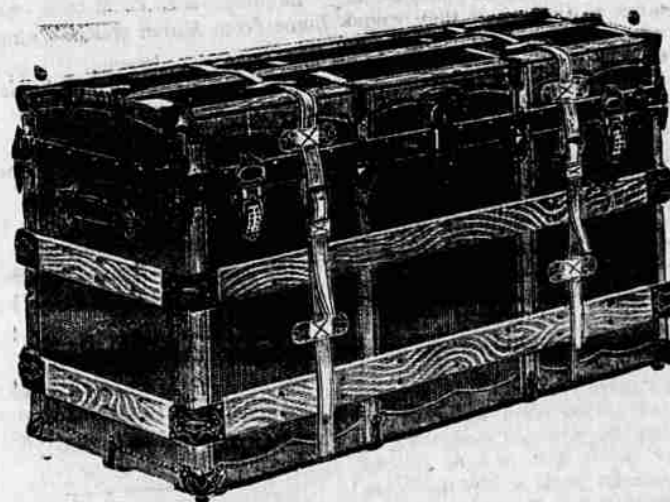
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- One Power Wire Stitcher
- One Chandler & Price Paper Cutter
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