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THE PEOPLES' STORE

Packages wrapped for mailing. Stamps Sold. Big assortment of fancy cups and saucers for Xmas Gifts extra good values.

Specially Priced 25c

For Xmas Silk Hosiery Always Acceptable.

Ladies' pure thread silk hose, two pair in a box. Special 98c box

Many Xmas Suggestions On Display Throughout the Store.

Our 15th Friday Surprise Sale

Worth while remembrances that women will be glad to receive.—Regular 35c Handkerchiefs with pretty embroidered corner, three in a box

Friday Special 74c box

Underpriced Overcoats for Men.

All men's Overcoats \$10.00 to \$12.50, reduced for Friday's sale \$7.95 each. These are newest styles in Grays, Browns and dark colors, if you need an overcoat don't overlook these bargains.

50c to 75c Pretty Scarf Silks Special 39c.

Fine quality scarf silks suitable for Xmas Gifts, these come in Lavender, Blue Pink, Brown and White

Special for Friday only 39c yd.

Xmas Sale of Table Damasks.

Napkins, drawn work, scarfs and squares, tea clothes, an unusually large showing of fine linens at Special Prices for the Holiday Trade.

The Largest Toy Store in La Grande is Here

One Entire Room Basement Section.

Toys at Xmas Special Prices.

Beautiful large jointed dolls, the kind that go to sleep,Priced 25c to \$3.50 each

Railroad Trains with Extra Cars, Specially priced 60c to \$3.25 each.

Pretty Pianos for children that will play, Specially Priced 65c each.

Toy Drums all sizesSpecial 15c to \$1.50 each

Children's Knife, Fork and Spoon Set, made of White Metal, Special 25c set

Pretty Children's Play Dishes, in sets, 25c to \$3.50

Pop GunsSpecially Priced 25c each

Many other Xmas goods too numerous to mention in our underpriced Basement Store.

Other Specials in Basement.

Large display of chinaware for Christmas at special prices.

Jap Rose Soap, Special 3 bars for25c

Palm Olive Soap, Special 3 for25c

Toilet Paper, Special 6 rolls for25c

Pretty Jardiniers, Priced15c to \$1.45 each

TELEGRAM.

Toyland, December 10, 1913

To the People's Store

La Grande, Oregon.

I will be at your store next week and would like to meet all the good little girls and boys and their papas and mamas. Be sure and let them all know and have them make out their lists of what they want for Christmas. Will let you know later just what time I will be there.

Yours Truly,
SANTA CLAUS

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

LA GRANDE, OREGON

Retail Department--Phone Main 8

For Lumber, Lath
Shingles, Sash and Doors
Ruberooid Roofing

GEORGE PALMER LUMBER CO

Drink SAM-O Natural Mineral Water

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You'll Know the Joy of Living

MAKE A NOTE

of the fact that an abstract is an absolute necessity when you purchase real estate.

No matter how well posted you might be—you don't have a full history of the parcel, as you do when we make an abstract of it. Accuracy guaranteed.

THE ABSTRACT & TITLE CO.
Boley Hotel Building

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

In the matter of the monthly report of the county treasurer. Approved.

In the matter of the monthly statement of county clerk of scalp bounty warrants issued. Approved.

In the matter of monthly allowances to various indigent persons. Allowances made as follows: D. W. Souder, \$15.00; Maggie Slagner, \$10.00; Mrs. John Hildebrand, \$12.50; Clara Serles, \$10.00; Mrs. O. Moffitt, \$10.00; J. F. Williams, \$12.50; Millie Lechlen, \$10.00; Alfred Banks, \$10.00; Mrs. Ole Oleson, \$7.50; Mary Weaver, \$10.00; Mrs. J. O. Sage, \$10.00; Mrs. Robt. Wilkinson, \$10.00; Mrs. Wallace, \$15.00; Wm. Clark, \$5.00.

In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by John Wells et al. Continued for the term.

In the matter of re-establishing road districts. Continued for the term.

In the matter of the petition for appointment of W. W. Langford supervisor of road district No. 2. Continued for the term.

In the matter of the petition for appointment of Frank Ross supervisor road district No. 2. Continued for the term.

In the matter of the petition for appointment of E. A. Murphy as road supervisor. Continued for the term.

In the matter of the application of J. F. Haycock for refund of taxes. Continued for the term.

In the matter of the application of W. B. Sargent for cancellation of tax lien. Application granted.

In the matter of the cancellation of General Fund Warrant A6214. County Clerk ordered to cancel same.

In the matter of special school levies. Levies made as follows: School district No. 35, 1 1-2 mills; school district No. 52, 1 mill; school district No. 39, 5 mills.

In re discontinuance of widows' pensions. Pensions of Mrs. Clara

Penick and Abbie L. Holbrook discontinued.

In re application of Fred Mayotte for aid. Allowed.

In re adjournment county court. Court adjourned until December 8, 1913, at 10 A. M.

Proceeding for December 8, 1913.

In the matter of the Tax Levy for 1913. Levy as follows:

	Mills
Indigent soldier fund	.028
Road fund	1.5
Call Warrants	.752
School fund	2.14
Library fund	.028
High School fund	.452
General fund	3.2
State fund	4.3

Total13.4

BILLS AUDITED AND ALLOWED BY COUNTY COURT, DECEMBER TERM, 1913.

Name	What For	Amount
R. C. Alexander, work in assessor's office		\$ 66.00
U. G. Couch, expense in re State tax commission		30.95
Ruth Jackson, work in school superintendent's office		15.00
A. E. Ivanhoe, express, etc.		4.60
Hattie McMurray, work in clerk's office		18.00
F. A. Batchelor, services as janitor		60.00
P. A. Charlton, services as stock inspector		25.00
Boys' and Girls Aid soc., Allowances for Nov.		10.00
H. L. Underwood, services as county physician		16.92
August Hug, Deputy Sheriff's Nov. election		123.35
Arthur Curti, Surveyor's fees		11.60
Cherry's New Laundry, laundry for jail		1.00
Henry and Carr, Mdse as per bill		83.80
Jesse Crum, registering voters		15.70
Frank Cleavinger, drayage on election booths		3.50
Pattison Bros, groceries for indigents		5.00
C. H. Law, M. D., professional services indigent		22.50
La Grande Observer, printing as per bill		99.90

(To Be Continued.)

Coffee.

Start the day right. The breakfast coffee may make or mar the breakfast and the day.

Take no chances. Take Schilling's Best.

Preserved in its aroma—always fresh and fragrant; and moneyback. In aroma-tight cans; cleanly granulated.

Avoid the Bronchial Coughs of Early Fall.

The changeable weather of early fall brings on bronchitis and a hard cough that is wearing on the system and seems to tear open the bronchial tubes and mucus lining of the throat. Use Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. For it will soothe and heal the inflamed mucus lining, relieve the cough quickly, and help to expel the cold. It contains no opiates. Get the genuine in the yellow package and refuse substitutes. A. T. Hill.

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Bring it to us, we'll fix it while you wait. With our modern plant we are turning out a class of work that's different. Turn shoes a specialty.

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The weather hardly suggests it but do you realize that

Christmas

IS BUT TWO WEEKS DISTANT

If Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Clocks, Cut Glass, Hand-painted China, and Silverware will not help your ideas for gifts you are in bad shape.

Come in and talk it over. We feel if you try this store you will always be a customer, for we will do our best to satisfy.

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Watchmaker, Jeweler, Engraver and Optician

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DECEMBER 8 to 13, 1913

This will be a notable event in the educational history of Oregon. Farmers' Co-operation will be the leading topic of a stimulating series of lectures. The week will be crowded with discussions, and demonstrations in everything that makes for the welfare of the farmer and home-maker.

Winter Short Course

JANUARY 5 to 30, 1914

The College has spared no effort to make this the most complete short course in its history. A very wide range of courses will be offered in General Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Poultry, Farmers' Business Courses by Correspondence Without Tuition.

Keeping, Mechanic Arts, Domestic Science and Art, Commerce, Forestry, and Music. Numerous lectures and discussions on FARMERS' CO-OPERATION, at home and abroad, will be a leading feature. Make this a pleasant and profitable winter outing. No tuition. Accommodations reasonable. Reduced rates on all railroads. For further information address

H. M. TENNANT, Registrar,
CORVALLIS, OREGON.

REWARD—LOST STOCK.

Five Dollars (\$5.00) per head for the following described property, returned to my ranch, at Starkey Prairie near Starkey postoffice, Oregon: 16 cows branded J, 6, or F, A, on left side, or O on left neck or A, 2, on left hip. 4 horses, one bay mare, 8 years old, weight about 1300; one bay mare white face, knot on navel hogbacked; two yearlings colts, F. A. on left shoulder. W. H. GRANDSTAFF, Foreman.

Hilgard, Oregon.
W. O. JOHNSON, Owner.

527 Chamber of Commerce Bldg, Portland, Ore. 12-9-d12t, wzt.

A Fair Proposition.

The manufacturers of Meritol Rheumatis mPowders have so much confidence in this preparation that they authorize us to sell them to you on a positive guarantee to give you relief in all cases of Rheumatism or refund your money. This is certainly a fair proposition. Let us show them to you. Newlin Drug Co., exclusive agency.



The front-lacing principle (originated by The H. W. Gossard Co.) has accomplished much for the comfort and convenience of woman's dress. Of even greater importance than front lacing, however, has been the genius displayed in the actual designing and making of Gossard Corsets.

So outstanding and thorough has been this work that, great as the front lacing principle is, the Gossard method of design and manufacture transcends it, and the two combined occupy a position so commanding that they are now regarded as an international vogue. Regardless of the cost—every Gossard Corset conforms to but one standard in style, workmanship and wearing service. A complete line of the new fall models and sizes always on hand. Prices \$3.50 to \$8.50.

MRS. ROBT. PATTISON, Corsetiere.
Res. 1702, Cor. Spring and Oak.
Phone Red 3221

Annual Meeting of Stockholders of La Grande National Bank.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the La Grande National Bank, will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, between the hours of 2 o'clock and 4 o'clock, P. M. of said day. At this meeting a board of seven directors will be elected for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected and qualify, and such other business will receive consideration, as may properly offer at said meeting. F. L. MEYERS, La Grande, Oregon,
Dec. 8, 1913.
2-8, 30t.

If any building erected in La Grande this year by an out-of-town contractor, got the hump on it that the Bohnenkamp building has, don't patronize home folks.

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