

# Only two More Days to Buy Shoes at Sale Price

One Lot of Ladies' \$4.00 Shoes at .. .. \$2.75  
 One Lot of Children's Shoes Val. up to \$2.75 at \$1.00  
 One Lot of Boys' Shoes up to \$2.75 at .. .. \$1.65

Special Sale on Ladies Woolen Hose, Regular  
 25c Value for Two Days Per Pair .. .. 15c  
 Ladies' Fleece Lined Regular 25c Val. at .. 15c  
 Ladies' .. .. 35c .. .. 25c  
*These are O.V.X Brand The Best Hose Made.*

## L. J. FRENCH SHOE CO.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Guaranteed water bottles. Hill's Drug store. 1-14, 2t.

Ulrich Lottes is busy today unloading a car of Lemp's beer, the beer that made St. Louis good natured. Milwaukee has nothing on this brand to judge by the quantity that is consumed here in La Grande and in the valley.

All kind of fancy and plain sewing done promptly. Mrs. L. Castle, Phone black 1591. Prices very reasonable. Ad.—1-6tf.

### RITTER.

The photographer in your town. 1-1-tf.

The Evening Observer on sale at Newlin's Book Store.

When a vaudeville team is given an encore in the city of La Grande it is a sign that they have something that is good. Last night two young men, named Beale and Gerard at Sherry's turned the trick and the house fairly shook with applause. Everybody likes to hear a good Swede and Gerard is almost perfection. We are not spreading on when we say that it is one of the best bills seen in the city in a long while. The audience wanted them a third time, but too much of a good thing is too much, even for an actor, much as he likes applause. They will be here until Saturday. Their act is clean.

You don't see black smoke pouring out of the chimney when a Torrid Zone Furnace is installed. Why? because it is a smoke and soot consumer. When you see black smoke pouring out of your neighbor's chimney come to the conclusion that his bank roll is going skyward with no interest.

### LA GRANDE CORNICIE WORKS.

How to save money—smoke EL TINO CIGARS, a bit smoke for a nickle. 12-12-tf.

The Evening Observer on sale at Newlin's Book Store.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will hold a cooked food sale Saturday, Jan. 17, at Snodgrass grocery. 1-12, 4t.

The Evening Observer on sale at Newlin's Book Store.

Get your hot water bottles at Hill's Drug store. 1-14, 2t.

We are now ready to do all kinds of hair work. We carry a complete line of hair goods in all the latest styles. Highest price paid for combings. Room 15 West-Jacobson Bldg. 1-15, 2t-pd.

Sidney Lyle, the well known piano tuner, is in town. Orders left at his office will receive prompt attention. 1-14-tf.

With each tooth brush we are giving a sanitary glass holder. Newlin Drug Co.

Mrs. Etta Wines has returned from her vacation at Palmer Junction and is prepared to go out sewing by the day. Phone Black 3522. 1708 N. Spruce st. 12-13-tf.

When a vaudeville team gets several encores in La Grande it's a sign that the team is good. That's what we say of Beale and Gerard; they got it last night and you will split your sides, just like everybody else. Seeing and hearing is believing. Same price as usual.

### MONEY TO LOAN.

On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment company, Foley

We have the best line of stock and poultry supplies in this region. Now is the time to use these goods with profit. Newlin Drug Co. 1-12-tf.

If you want a real good laugh, see the inimitable Swede at Sherry's theatre. He is perfection. That slow, droll way is killing.

EL TINO CIGARS, 25 Havana Cigars in a tin humidor, best smoke in the world for 5c. 12-12-tf.

The Grand Union Tea Co., 402 N. Fir St., Harris Bldg., Phone Red 1881. 1-12-tf.

We are advertising Beale and Gerard at Sherry's to let you know that we have an act that is really good. Both of them got several encores last night.—That's the best advertising.

MRS. LOUISE RUSH wishes to announce to the public that she has opened a modern and perfectly sanitary beauty parlors in the balcony of N. K. West's store. She will do all kinds of hair work, and handle all kinds of hair goods. Beauty culture a specialty. Sole agent for the famous Marinilla toilet preparations. Expert treatment and honest prices.

We guarantee that you will like the Swede at Sherry's. No fake about it. Beale and Gerard are good. We love a good show ourselves, and we say they are very good.

### PERSONALS.

John Rogers is confined to his home with an injured foot.

Mrs. Jessie Crum arrived in the city from Elgin to take treatment from Dr. Allen, the chiropractor.

T. L. McHatton and H. B. Pattison, of Summerville are in the city on business.

B. Bainbridge, of Ladd Canyon, is in the city making purchases and meeting local friends.

Superintendent Buckley was among the passengers on the branch line this morning.

C. M. Riddle, of May Park, left today for Pendleton where he will transact business indefinitely.

Attorney John Hodgkin, of this city, left this morning for Enterprise where he will plead a case in court.

F. J. Taylor of the Eastern Oregon Produce company, left this noon for North Powder in the interest of the company.

Miss Lillian Volp of the Home telephone company, left this morning for Pendleton to be the guest of Miss Ida Goeck for an indefinite time.

E. C. Herzinger is home from Portland where he attended the state meeting of the Oregon Life insurance agents.

Professor Armstrong made his regular Wednesday trip to Imbler this morning, where he has a number of pupils in music.

Attorney L. H. Denham, who has been in the city some days on legal business, returned to his home city this morning.

Mrs. J. Lawrence and Bonnie Kessler left this morning for Portland where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Lawrence will join his wife in the near future.

B. Trimble, of Palouse, Washington, passed through the city this morning on his way to Wallowa, at which place he will transact business for an indefinite time.

E. W. Wagner, of Summerville, was in the city on business. He returned this morning. He is one of the leading citizens of Summerville and is a frequent visitor to the county seat.

Mrs. George Auld, who has been in the city visiting with her daughters Mrs. Daly and Mrs. Quinn, returned to her home in Pleasant Valley. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jean.

Clifford Martson, of Palmer Junction, was in the city to do some shopping for the company and visit with his wife who is in the local hospital awaiting an operation for a serious complication. Dr. Richardson of this city has been engaged to do the work.

Mrs. J. E. Foley and Mrs. Gangloff did not leave last night, as announced but left this morning on No. 17. Mr. Foley did not accompany them on their trip to Seattle but will join them on their return trip from that place

and will accompany them to San Francisco and San Diego where they will spend part of the winter.

A. M. Cation, manager of the Walla Walla Lumber company, stopped off in La Grande this morning on his return trip from the eastern states and Canada where he spent several weeks. He will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Close, of this city, for a number of days.

J. L. Lambert, one of the most enterprising farmers of Wallowa, passed through La Grande this morning on his way to Enterprise where he lives. He has just returned from Seattle where he visited some old tiliacums, chief among whom is C. F. Mann. They both came to this country in 1888 and have prospered.

The following are registered at the Sommer: J. A. Baird, Seattle; H. T. Whitehouse, Spokane; D. Choate, Portland; R. B. Davis, Walla Walla; I. K. Nimmerd, Spokane; J. W. Williams, C. R. Simpson, Portland; Fred L. Tuttle; Jno. Schneider, Salt Lake; M. S. Levy, Union; T. B. Johnson, Cove; Wm. Baird, Baker; E. R. Henderson, A. D. Frost, Pendleton; E. J. Frohman, Portland; W. C. Cusick, North Powder; Chas. Taylor, St. Joe; H. W. Bond; J. A. Horan, Portland.

### WOMAN AND HOME.

The level of public entertainment is sinking, and the over-emphasis of sex in the magazines, fiction, plays and even the opera is lamentable. But the solution is in our own hands, and I for one have stopped going to theaters where such plays are produced, and I have discontinued my subscription to two magazines that have taken up the prevailing deplorable fashion of emphasizing the sex question in fiction. Keep these things out and you will go a long way toward changing "heaven is our home" to "our home is heaven." There is woman, for one, to make it so. For self sacrifice, devotion, loyalty, gentleness and subordination of self woman always was and always will be leagues ahead of us men. I recollect that when I was in China a mandarin said to me that the greatest thing that Christ had accomplished was the elevation of woman to her proper sphere.—Andrew Carnegie.

### BORDER BALLAD.

March, march, Ettrick and Teviotdale!  
 Why the de'il diana ye march forward in order?  
 March, march, Eskdale and Liddesdale!  
 All the Blue Bonnets are over the border!  
 Many a banner spread  
 Flutters above your head,  
 Many a crest that is famous in story!  
 Mount and make ready, then,  
 Sons of the mountain glen!  
 Fight for the queen and our old Scottish glory!

Come from the hills where your hirsels are grazing;  
 Come from the glen of the buck and the roe;  
 Come to the crag where the beacon is blazing;  
 Come with the buckler, the lance and the bow.  
 Trumpets are sounding;  
 War steeds are bounding.  
 Stand to your arms and march in good order.  
 England shall many a day  
 Tell of the bloody fray  
 When the Blue Bonnets came over the border.  
 —Sir Walter Scott.

### THE ARMY.

No sane man today can possibly think a nation situated as the United States is with respect to the world could do without an army. All stable government rests upon the possibility of using force to secure obedience to its decrees. Judicial tribunals are successful in operation not because the unsuccessful victor is satisfied with the decision, is pleased with the reasoning of the court adverse to his contention or is overcome by the magnetism of the judge in rendering his judgment. They succeed because of the knowledge of the defeated sutor that the whole force of the state is back of every judgment and that to resist would be worse than useless. And so it must be with nations until another day has dawned and many of the attributes of men which now guide their conduct have been changed for other and different ones. It is absolutely essential for any nation today to maintain sufficient force to secure the carrying out of its decrees.—Secretary of War L. M. Garrison.

### HESTER.

When maidens such as Hester die  
 Their place ye may not well supply,  
 Though ye among a thousand try  
 With vain endeavor.  
 A month or more hath she been dead,  
 Yet cannot I by force be led  
 To think upon the wormy bed  
 And her together.  
 A springy motion in her gait,  
 A rising step did indicate  
 Of pride and joy no common rate  
 That flushed her spirit.  
 I know not by what name be-side  
 I shall it call. If 'twas not pride  
 It was a joy to that allied  
 She did inherit.  
 Her parents held the Quaker rule,  
 Which doth the human feeling cool,  
 But she was train'd in nature's school.  
 Nature had blest her.  
 A waking eye, a prying mind,  
 A heart that stirs is hard to find.  
 A hawk's keen sight ye cannot blind;  
 Ye could not Hester.

My sprightly neighbor, gone before  
 To that unknown and silent shore,  
 Shall we not meet, as heretofore,  
 Some summer morning,  
 When from thy cheerful eyes a ray  
 Hath struck a bliss upon the day,  
 A bliss that would not go away,  
 A sweet forewarning?  
 —Charles Lamb.

### His Simple Little Car.

Johnson bought a motorcar.  
 His pride in it was great.  
 He ran across some broken glass—  
 Bill, sixteen ninety-eight.  
 He took a friend out for a ride.  
 They both enjoyed it fine  
 Until a cylinder went bust—  
 Bill, thirty forty-nine.  
 He started on a country tour  
 And had a lot of fun  
 Until he ran into a ditch—  
 Bill, sixty thirty-one.  
 He took his wife downtown to shop,  
 As proud as proud could be,  
 And then he bumped a trolley pole—  
 Bill, ninety eighty-three.  
 And when he found himself flat broke  
 In tearful rage he cried,  
 "I'll rob the children's savings bank  
 And have just one more ride!"  
 —Sacramento Sentinel.

### White Fish No Longer Salable.

It is no longer legal to sell White fish in the state of Oregon. The 1915 legislature in adopting the new game code put Williamson's White fish in the list with other game fish and at the same time forbade their sale unless reared in private hatcheries.

Eastern Oregon meat and fish markets have found a ready sale for these fish in the past, having secured them from the lakes in Northern Idaho. According to the ruling of the game department, however, it is not legal to sell these fish in Oregon, even if the Idaho laws do permit of it and acting on this ruling, the district game warden has been notifying local dealers they will be expected to refuse all future shipments.

## Few Escape Coughs

During the winter months, it's the neglected cough that does the damage. A cough is pretty sure to go from bad to worse unless checked, and checked properly at that. A silenced cough is not always a cured cough.

### OUR BLUE MOUNTAIN COUGH SYRUP

silences a cough as it should be. It is prepared without narcotics. A safe and effective cough cure for children of any age, or adults. Guaranteed.

Price 25 and 50 Cents

## Red Cross Drug Store.

## Cooked Spagetti Ready to Serve In 20 cent Cans.

This is the Italian style Spagetti prepared in clean Modern Kitchens, with a rich sauce of Red-Ripe Tomatoes, Spiced and Seasoned.  
 Makes a very appetizing dish

Phone, Main 89.

## Pattison Bros. Grocery

Hot Tamales The Club Wholesale and Retail

## Eastern Oregon Produce Co.

2001 POUNDS TO A TON  
 Famous Lion Rock Springs Coal  
 NUT FOR THE RANGE  
 LUMP FOR THE HEATER  
 Cor. Greenwood and Jefferson.  
 Phone Main 700.