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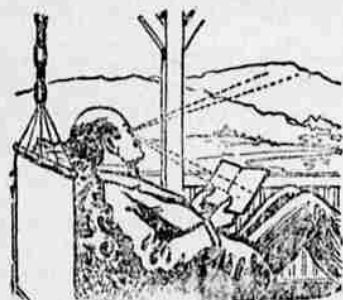
If you are building this year specify electric lights. It is safe to say that 90 per cent of the houses built in La Grande this year will install them. No home is modern without them. They are as important as sanitary plumbing.

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The following contribution is from the pen of Mrs. Stella Ingle and was delivered on Tuesday evening at the formal opening of the public library. The excellence of it is so marked that especially persons who were not at the formal opening exercises will appreciate its publication.

IN THE REALM OF BOOKS.

I stand upon the border of the realm of books
And gaze in vain, with straining eyes to see
The distant boundaries of this vast domain.
Here a place for history is reserved,
And there the poet's corner placed,
And yonder the great field of romance stretches far
And close beside are stories of the mighty ones of all the ages past.
Thus on and on, and in form of books,
Is treasured up the every thought of mortal mind.
My footsteps now toward history's portals turn,
And there I enter in.
For one short hour I gaze upon the panorama of the past—
Those actors on Life's stage, who come and go.
I hear the clang of arms, the shouts of triumph, and the wails of woe.
I see the rise of nations and their sad decay.
Then wearying, to the Poet's corner turn.
Here I sit beside deep placid pools,
And watch the play of lights and shadows on their wondrous depths.
I listen to the call of wood bird to his mate
And pluck the fragrant thought flowers blooming every where,
Then turn back to the world refreshed.
Now in pensive mood I come, and straightway
To the field of romance haste with eager feet.

I scan full many pages o'er to learn
That Human Love can shake the thrones of kings,
Can flood with sunlight darkened dungeon cells
And almost kiss to life the cold dead lips
Of those who sleep their last long sleep.
I pause to read the lives of great ones now.
Those who suffered much, and much endured for conscience sake,
Or for a cause that burned hot in their hearts and led them on and on.
Now comes a day when all the world is dark,
When heav clouds refuse one glimpse of silver lining bright,
When Life's way stretching Oh, so far
Seems thickly strewn with hidden thorns
That pierce and wound my bleeding feet.
Then turn I to the realm of books for Peace.
Can history ease the pain?
Ah no, nor poet's song.
What care I now for stories of Earth's great.
They sleep in dust and ashes neath the sod
And still the world moves on with laughter and with joy.
Romance wide her portals throws
But shuddering I turn away.
For ever as the mists of morning fade
So fade our loved ones from our sight
While yet we cling to them, and call, and call.
But now a star lit field I see,
At whose portals stands fair Truth,
She beckons and I enter there.
One book alone adorns the place.
Its pages all illumed with the promises of God.
They fall upon my heart like drops of dew upon a parched and thirsty earth
The recompense for pain, the restoration of those hopes
That lie in shattered fragments at my feet,
And over all the brooding Love Divine that never sleeps.
At last I see that this is but the vestibule of Life
And there the open door that leads to broader fields of action and of thought.
Then with my soul refreshed I turn from the wondrous realm of books
And with my rested hand I take up the lightened burdens of my daily tasks.

Clean Up Notice.

United effort is in progress by the fruit growers of Union county to clean up the apple and pear orchards infected with blight, before the blossoming period. I would like to urge immediate action on the part of property owners, and the parties in charge of property, where apple and pear trees are grown, to make a careful inspection of their trees, and cut out and burn all dead wood or branches. The fruit inspector will be pretty busy and will probably visit most of the places infected. Due to the fact that blossoming period is not far off, notice

Exchange Department Now Open!

We take this means of notifying the Ladies of La Grande that our Exchange department is now open. If you have any old furniture you wish to exchange for new then visit our store, where you will find the most complete and up to date stock in Eastern Oregon. Owing to the fact that we can accommodate more of our country friends, we will from this date hold our special Sales on Saturday instead of Friday. Remember that we will have our sale each and every week and every Saturday something useful at unheard of prices in our bargain basement.

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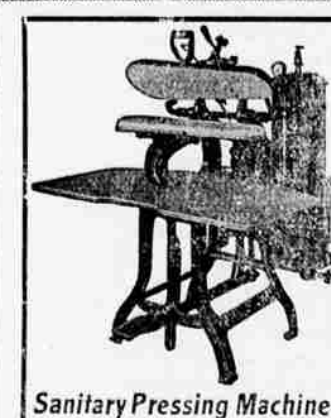
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