

GREELEY LIKES OREGON HORSE

SEVERAL CARLOADS HAVE LEFT THIS VALLEY.

Another Carload Shipped Out Today for Colorado Points.

While the war market for horses seems to have come to a standstill, it is pleasing to know that the Grande Ronde horse is now being sought for other purposes. Over in Colorado where sugar beets are grown on heavy soil it takes good, substantial horse flesh to pull the plows. After looking the country over for horses that are able to stand the punishment Greeley, Colorado horse buyers have centered on this section of the state for their supply. Several carloads have already been shipped from here to that country and more will follow. This morning a carload was loaded with Kansas City as destination, but according to the shipper, it

is expected that the entire load will be sold in Greeley, Colorado. The average price paid for this carload was \$150 a head.

CONCERT DATES SHIFTED

PROF. McCLELLAN CAN COME ON MARCH 19 ONLY

Lyne-McClellan Recital at Salt Lake to Be City's Musical History Apex

After closing up contracts at Salt Lake for an appearance by Miss Felice Lyne at the Mormon metropolis, and at La Grande shortly afterward, Mrs. F. E. Moore of Portland returned to La Grande last evening. She brings the word that in order to keep Prof. McClellan, the noted Salt Lake pipe organist on the program, it will be necessary to hold the Lyne concert here on the 19th of March instead of the 18th. Prof. McClellan is to dedicate a \$20,000 organ at Ogden that week, and as Miss Lyne is anxious to have Prof. McClellan as her accompanist, and that La Grande people are very desirous of again hearing the organ wizard as well as Miss Lyne, the new dates have been decided upon.

"Salt Lake is jubilant at the assurance of the concert there, and of course this is the greatest duo of musicians La Grande has had or will have in a good many years," declared Mrs. Moore on her return. "The L. D. S. tabernacle seats about 2000 and that every seat will be taken, is indeed likely and we will make ample provisions for seat reservations, so that not only La Grande people can insure themselves a seat, but that mail orders can be cared for from other points in this valley and in Pendleton, Baker and Wallawa county."

TODAY THE LAST DAY

Last Chance to See Rip Van Winkle at Sherry's.

Erroneous was the statement in yesterday's issue that Rip Van Winkle closed at the Sherry's yesterday. Today is the last day to see the old favorite drama in all of its striking detail. The pictures are excellent and the story of Old Rip is portrayed in a very impressive manner. It will pay everyone to see this old classic drama in film.

How Mr. Davis Got Rid of a Bad Cough.

"Some time ago I had a very bad cough," writes Lewis T. Davis, Blackwater, Del. "My brother McCabe Davis gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After taking this I bought half a dozen bottles of it but only used one of them on the cough left me and I have not been troubled since." Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

High Grade Job Printing costs no more than the other kind.—Observer.

J. C. PENNEY IN OREGON TODAY

HEAD OF BIG SYNDICATE VISITS IN LA GRANDE

Looks Upon Business as Recouping—Compliments Local Business.

In the far-seeing eyes of J. C. Penney, president of the J. C. Penney Co. syndicate of stores doing business in 13 states, and of which the United Store in this city is a unit, business is looking up. Mr. Penney arrived last evening from Baker and is spending the day in La Grande inspecting reports and conditions in the United Store over which C. E. Short is manager. He is accompanied on this trip through Eastern Oregon by A. D. Frost of Pendleton who has supervision of the Eastern Oregon Penney stores, and the two will go on to Pendleton this evening.

"I left New York, our headquarters, the day after Christmas, and at that time business was unquestionably looking up in the east. The farther I come west the more impressed I am that the west is likewise coming back to normal conditions. I speak now from facts and figures compiled by our local managers. For instance in La Grande, I find our store doing a splendid business and the business is growing, as such is the story elsewhere. It certainly gives me pleasure to assure you that the country is coming back to its normal business level."

"This is my first visit to La Grande, and I am much impressed with the reports of business done here, as shown by statistics before me. 'Our syndicate is a peculiarly constructed institution,' said the president of the concern, who by the way is a young man. 'The headquarters are at New York, the clerical force is located there, the directors largely live there, and from the country's metropolis our business is directed, but your store in La Grande, the Baker store, or the Pendleton store, and the men who manage them are as much a part and parcel of the whole chain as am I. We do business in 13 states and it is not in the profit we make on each article that we derive our income, but through the volume of business done.'"

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.

Logan Anderson, a Cove businessman, was in the city today on business matters.

Traveling Passenger Agent Jim Miller was a passenger on No. 6 this noon, en-route to Huntington.

Prof. H. Wallace Lee, who talked to the High school pupils yesterday, left this morning for Pendleton. The professor is from the Albany college, which is a Presbyterian school.

J. H. Claridge, an insurance man of Kelso, Washington, is making one of his regular trips through this part of the state. He is a guest at the Foley hotel today.

A. G. Wigglesworth, one of the Boys and Girls Aid at Portland, is in the city with J. G. Kilpack, meeting all officials and prominent citizens of this part of the country.

W. L. Lightner, who took Harry Near's place in the Eastern Oregon country as a hardware salesman, is at the Foley. Harry is now working for the Pacific Hardware Co. of Portland on the east side.

J. C. Penney, of New York, is registered at the Foley hotel. He is the head of the J. C. Penney Co., which operates eighty-three stores in the west, and of which the United Store of La Grande is a part of the syndicate.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Chatten, former residents of this valley who are now located on an Idaho ranch, are here to visit Mr. Chatten's father who is seriously ill. They are guests at the Robert Smith home where the senior Chatten is confined to his bed. While here the Chatten family is talking on old-time friends, including the George H. Carrey family.

OREGON MEN AFFIRMED

Albany and Baker Postoffice Appointments Meet with Favor.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The senate has confirmed the following postmaster appointments in Oregon: Albany, C. H. Stewart; Baker, John G. Foster.

The confirmation included Robert Blumenschein to be postmaster at Elgin.

MRS. SNODGRASS HOME.

La Grande Lady Returns from a Long Eastern Trip.

Mrs. L. L. Snodgrass returned this morning from an extended trip throughout the eastern cities where she went to inspect the arts of the milliner and the modest. She reports a very interesting trip but frankly admits that she was glad when her train began climbing the mountains of Eastern Oregon.

Speaking of the New Spring Styles,—Have You Seen Those at The United Store?

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Ladies' Muslin Slips	69c 98c \$1.49	Boys' Suits	\$2.98 \$3.98 \$4.98
Ladies' Corset Covers	19c 25c 49c	Boys' Hats	49c 59c 98c
Ladies' Combination Suits	69c 98c	Boys' Waists	25c
Ladies' Silk Waists	\$1.98	Boys' Shirts, extra quality	49c
Ladies' Lawn Waists	49c	Men's Hats	98c \$1.49 \$1.98
Ladies' Gingham Waists	49c	Men's Dress Shirts	49c 98c \$1.49
Ladies' Street Skirts	\$2.98 \$3.98	Men's Work Shirts	25c 45c
Crown Corsets	69c 98c \$1.49	Men's Wool Sox	25c
Girls' Dresses	49c 98c \$1.49	Men's Cotton Sox	5c 10c 15c 25c
Girls' Black Bloomers	25c 49c	Men's Night Shirts	49c 98c
Children's Coats, Spring models	\$2.98	Men's Chippewa Shoes	\$3.98 \$5.98 \$6.35

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GRILL REMODELED

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The Declus Brothers, who own and operate the Silver Grill on Depot street, have commenced extensive renovation and changes to their establishment. The kitchen has been shut off with the up to date counter system whereby the guests have a clear view of the kitchen thus seeing for themselves, if they care to, how the food is prepared and under what conditions. Waiters give and take their orders across these counters. The place is to be repainted and repapered overall, the plan being to make it neat, attractive and up to date in every respect.

The men state that despite the fact that many have been laid off and that transient people are fewer than a few months back they are doing a good business and hope to have their grill in first-class shape in a few days.

CLIMATIC DATA.

Climatic data, based on readings for 24 hours ending last night at 6 o'clock:
Maximum, 48; minimum, 42.
Lowest temperature last night 33.

Eagles Attention.

There will be important business transacted at the Eagle's lodge tonight. A full attendance is desired.
Lee Bellinger, Secretary.

Are You Going To Build?

Two great questions to the prospective home-builders are "How much is your home going to cost," and "what will be the cost for repairs in the future." There are two ways to build, the cheap and inexperienced way, and the good and substantial way which means good workmanship and good material.

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