

Bathing Caps

The latest styles and colors are now here, made of fine gum rubber.

HILL'S DRUG STORE

CLIMATIC DATA.
Climatic data, based on readings for 24 hours ending last night at 6 o'clock:
Maximum, 58; Minimum 59
Temperature at 12:30 today, 58

**MODART CORSETS**

Front Laced
\$3.50 and up
Pauline Lederle
Hosiery, 2c to 12c
Cape, 2c to 12c
Next door to Western
Main street, 101

TAX MONEY ROLLING IN**PROPERTY OWNERS HURRY TO ESCAPE PENALTY**

Sheriff's Big Force Receives Tax Money from Property Owners

It's a good thing for the sheriff's office that there is little to attract the attention of the force away from the receipt of tax money today. Tomorrow evening is the last day of grace to pay half the taxes in and property owners are fairly swarming in. Close to \$50,000 had been collected during the forenoon today, many holding off until the last moment before letting go of their cash. After tomorrow penalty will be added to those who have not paid half of their taxes by April 1st.

Needy Have Free Use of Lands.
Baker, March 30.—Mayor Palmer has received a notice from the O. W. R. & N. company to the effect that there is considerable land along its right of way between Haines and Encina, including a railroad property west of Campbell street in this city and a portion of the local industrial spur that is available for cultivation. Coupled with the notice is an offer by the railroad to lease the land free of charge to any employee of the company, ex-employee laid off in the reduction of help or any other worthy person who desires to take advantage. The railroad further agrees to furnish seed to any worthy party who would like to make use of the land and who has not sufficient means to get started. The authorities will take the matter up and will arrange to locate the right parties on the land.

SCHOOL FIGHT APPEALED.

Expected that Speedy Hearing Will be Given Old Dispute.

Notice has been served that A. M. Wagner of Enterprise who sued Wallowa county in regard to the county high school embroglio there, that he will appeal to the supreme court from the decision rendered against him by Judge Anderson last week at Baker. It is said its course through the courts will be expedited because of the importance attached to the case. Judge Anderson ruled against Wagner on the grounds that conditions in the first Wagner case had been waived by a subsequent agreement. Wagner and his associates had been substantially reformed.

At The United Store You Can Always Save Money**FOR MEN OR LADIES**

Men's Capes' **98¢ \$1.49**
Men's grey or black Mocho... **98¢ \$1.49**
Ladies' Cape or kid gloves—
Tan, white or black **98¢ \$1.49 \$1.98**



For the most particular man—
all shades—all styles

50c values **25¢**
75c and \$1.00 values **45¢**



For the most fastidious girl
or lady—all newest designs.

25c values **19¢**
35c values **25¢**



For man or boy—Newest
Easter designs.

Men's **46¢ 98¢ \$1.49**
Boys' **25¢ 49¢ 98¢**

Men's Suits for Easter and Spring wear
Ladies' " " " " " " " "
Ladies' Silk Dresses " " " "

\$9.90-12.50-14.75

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OREGON STILL SENDS GUESTS**EASTERN OREGON POINTS WELL REPRESENTED**

Vice President Marshall Center of Much Enthusiasm

By WALTER MEACHAM
(Manager Oregon Exhibits.)
Panama Exposition Grounds, San Francisco, March 27.—(Special)—The past week has been full of special events in honor of Vice President Marshall. Wednesday the exposition was dedicated by him and the U. S. soldiers and sailors stationed here formed a brilliant military pageant, which was witnessed by thousands. The vice president is a good mixer, has a ready wit and is a forcible speaker.

Eastern Oregon people are much in evidence in the Oregon building and the following have registered with us the past week: Chas. J. Irwin, Wallowa; Wm. Nichols and wife, Milton; D. M. Paul, La Grande; C. E. Vest, Enterprise; Katherine Duncan, Haines; Mrs. Lee Moorehouse, P. A. McPherson; Pendleton; Esther Russell, Payette; L. L. Holcomb, Sparta; Mrs. L. Moomaw, Baker; Mrs. C. H. Anderson, Miss Ethena Anderson, Oregon; Anderson, Ontario; Hugh McClellan, Baker and R. W. Derby and wife, Sumpter.

The room in the Oregon building attracts many people for with its open fireplace and homelike atmosphere it feels at home and is not afraid to sit down for fear that some attendant will look at you in an inquiring way that makes you feel that you are passing.

MRS. HORNBECK DEAD
Long Duration Ends in Tragedy Yesterday Afternoon.
Mrs. Hornbeck, who has been ill for six or seven years, died yesterday afternoon at her home in the Bohnenkamp chapel. Her relatives reside in this city.

LOST—Between 1511 Adams and People's Store, \$10 bill. Return to Observer. Reward.

Keep Your Bowels Open.
As everyone knows, the bowels are the sewerage system of the body, and it is of the greatest importance that they move once each day. If your bowels become constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets just after supper and they will correct the disorder. Obtainable everywhere.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.

Mrs. Chas Stacey has returned from a six months' visit in the east. She was the guest of friends and relatives in Chicago, Grand Rapids and other Michigan points.

O. P. Hoff, state labor commissioner, passed through the city today noon on his way to Ontario. He may visit in La Grande on his return westward.

John Austin Wilson, who sells all Studebaker goods except automobiles, is at the Sommer today. He predicts a bright return of business soon and says machinery orders are many.

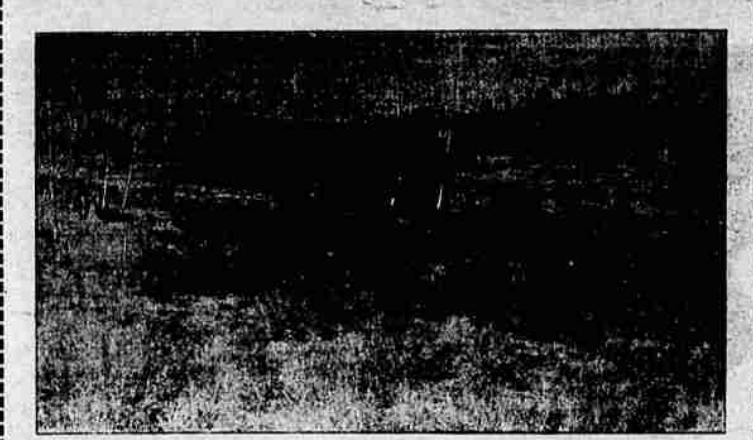
George Huntington Currey left today for Palmer Junction in response to a telegram saying a Wallowa

county delegation was coming there to inspect the Palmer logged off lands.

Mrs. J. F. Ravenscroft left last evening for Chicago to spend a few weeks with friends. Mr. Ravenscroft who is spending a few months in Wallowa for the Nibley-Mimnaugh people, came out to see Mrs. Ravenscroft off, and returned to his headquarters this morning.

Baseball Dance.
Help the baseball team with its finances, and enjoy yourself while doing so, by going to the baseball dance at Zuber hall, Wednesday, next. Admission 75 cents.

Use Black Silk Stove Polish
"A Shine in Every Lap"
Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.

Palmer Lands

Why go to Canada, or to Central Oregon, or anywhere else, when you can buy better land for less money and stay in Union County. Compare the following facts about Palmer Logged-off Lands with any other new lands. Let us explain more about these lands.

PRICE—Only \$15.00 per acre.
TERMS—One-tenth down and one-tenth each year, interest 6 per cent.
LOCATION—In Union County, 10 miles from Elgin, 30 miles from La Grande, 1 to 4 miles from Palmer Junction where there is a general merchandise store, postoffice, railway station on the O. W. R. & N. with daily mail, passenger and freight service.
ALTITUDE—2600 feet. (Lower than La Grande.)
CLIMATE—Mild, no wind, 30 inches rainfall, no late frosts.
SOIL—A mixture of volcanic and pine ash varying from 2 to 5 feet deep, with a clay sub soil that holds the moisture and keeps the soil damp all summer.
CLEARING—Palmer lands were cut over several years ago; and the white pine stumps, having no tap root and being filled with pitch are easily burned or pulled.
WATER—These lands are well watered from springs and living creeks, while good well water is found within a few feet of the surface. This is a dry farming country with plenty of rainfall.
CROPS AND STOCK—A natural hay, grain, stock and dairy country. Cattle, sheep, hogs, horses and poultry have been raised with fine success. Vegetables, potatoes, berries and fruit are also grown with excellent results.
WOOD—There is plenty of timber for building houses and barns on nearly every place and to furnish wood for many years. Some places have enough wood to pay for the land.
SCHOOLS—There is a good school in the center of these lands which is to be increased to a nine months school.
SETTLERS—About 2500 acres of these lands have already been sold and at least 20 families are now or will be living on their places this spring.

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