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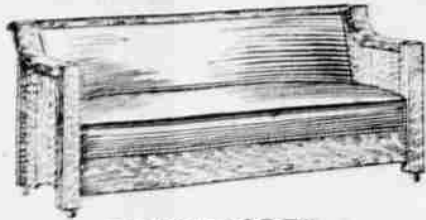
DINING TABLES

All this season's designs and finishes. Prices: \$10.00, \$14.00, \$19.50, \$22.50, \$30.00, \$37.50, up to \$75.00



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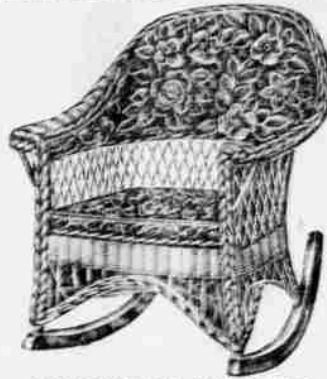
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The very latest in design and finish. Prices: \$14.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$35.00, \$45.00, \$65.00, \$85.00

## CARR FURNITURE COMPANY

### Want Ads.

WHEN IT COMES TO untiring sellers, finders and traders, an Observer Want Ad can't be beat. It works overtime on straight-time pay. Rates, one cent per word per issue—no ad less than 25 cents.

#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without board. Steam heat. 1607 Sixth St.—Adv. 12-6-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. 1202 N. avenue, corner

Sixth street. No children. Phone Black 771.—Adv. 11-30-t.

FURNISHED HOUSE to rent. Call Black 722 after 6 p. m.—Adv. 12-1-tf.

FOR RENT—A front bed sitting room; moderate charges; 2 blocks from center of town, 1512 Adams. Phone Black 3901.—Adv. 12-5-tf.

FOR RENT—Front bedroom with fire. Call at 1302 Eighth or telephone Red 561.—Adv. 12-2-tf.

FOR RENT—Modern cottage for rent, 1310 Pennsylvania avenue. Inquire of Dr. Richardson.

FOR RENT—Six room house, bath, toilet, barn, chicken house, four lots. Three blocks from high school. Inquire W. A. Worstell. 12-2-tf.

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FOR RENT—A five-room furnished house on corner of 6 and O Sts. 12-9-3t.

FOR RENT—Outside bedroom, steam heated. Lewis Building.

#### FOR SALE—Old Papers.

OLD PAPERS—For sale at The Observer office, 25 cents a bundle.

#### FOR SALE—Real Estate

HOUSE FOR SALE—Five rooms, everything modern, lot 87x220, 20 fruit trees, also nice shade trees, lawn. Will sell cheap and your own terms. Phone Red 1542. 12-92tp.

FOR SALE—One 4 and one 5 room house; will sell on terms or trade outside property or livestock. Address XX, care Observer.—Adv. D.—12-7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13pd. W. 12-23 pd.

FOR SALE—New 6-room bungalow, M Street near high school. Phone Main 716. 9-23-1mo.

FOR SALE—Relinquishment 303 acres in Wallawa county. House and good furniture, \$350. Twelve miles from town; must be sold at once. Call 1104 M avenue or phone Black 831.—Adv. 12-4-tf.

#### FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Chain wood. Phone Black 1642.—Adv. 11-28-tf.

#### CHIMNEY SWEEPING.

Chimney cleaning, stove and furnace repairing. M. Sweet, 1102 Cedar street, phone Red 882.—Adv. 11-10-tf.

#### FOR SALE—Printing.

FOR RENT SIGNS—For sale at The Observer office.

FARM SALE BILLS—Get prices on farm sale bills at The Observer office.

#### STRAYED.

LOST—A Heifer Calf, one and one-half years old, light Jersey, branded Lazy S on left shoulder. Phone Farmers 20X. 12-5tf.

#### LEGAL NOTICES

Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Union county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at La Grande High School as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 23, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon. U. S. History, Writing, Penmanship, Music, Drawing.

Wednesday Afternoon. Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon. Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography,

Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

#### Thursday Afternoon.

Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

#### Friday Forenoon.

Theory and Practice, Orthography, Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry, Physical Culture.

#### Friday Afternoon.

School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government.

#### Saturday Forenoon.

Geometry, Botany.

#### Saturday Afternoon.

General History, Bookkeeping. Very truly yours, J. A. CHURCHILL, Superintendent of Public Instruction. —Dec. 7 to 18.

#### Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

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 9th, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected to serve for the ensuing year and such other business will be considered as may properly offer.

F. L. MEYERS, Cashier.

—Adv. 12-8 to Jan. 8.

#### Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the United States National Bank of La Grande, that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said bank, will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 9, 1917, between the hours of 10 a. m.

### TO THE PUBLIC

All bills due me must be paid at once.

Contracts not now due must be paid as they come due.

Owing to delay in closing up my affairs here, the books will remain at the office until the big sale is over. At that time notice will be given through The Observer as to where payments may be continued.

#### FOR RENT STORE ROOMS

My entire store rooms and basements are for rent as one or separate rooms.

#### F. D. HAISTEN

By H. B. Haisten, Atty. in Fact

and 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and transacting any other business that may come before the meeting.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 5th day of December, 1916.

T. J. SCROGGIN,

Cashier.

—Adv. 12-6 to 1-8.

### SWEET SPUDS COSTING MORE

Storage Supplies Drawn on as Fresh Season Is Over—Sugar Drop Expected This Week Sometime.

Henceforth sweet potatoes will be

### MARKET NEWS

Sugar—Cane or fruit. \$8.50 sack, cash; \$8.90 30 days' time.

Fruit

Cranberries, 20c quart. Bananas—35c and 40c dozen. Oranges—35c and 60c. Lemons—40c.

Vegetables, Miscellaneous

Brussel Sprouts—20c

Celery (California)—15, 2 for 25.

Sweet Potatoes—6c per lb.

Potatoes—2 1-4 and 2 1-2 cents.

Cauliflower—15c, 20c, 25c

New Cabbage—4c

Green Onions—5c per bunch, 3 for 10c.

Honey—20c.

Parsley—5c a bunch.

Dry Onions—5c.

Beans—White, 15.

Beans—Colored, 12 1-2c.

Green Peppers—15c.

Butter and Eggs

Butter—Fancy creamery 50c lb. roll and 95c 2-lb roll.

Ranch Butter—40c lb. 80c 2-lb roll.

Eggs—50c.

Chickens and Fowl

Hens—22c retail, dressed.

Ducks—Dressed, 16c.

Turkeys—28c and 30c.

Geese—Dressed, 16c.

Hens—Dressed, 16c.

Spring Chicken—18c.

Bluestem Flour—\$2.15.

Royal Patent—\$2.10.

Jersey Cream—\$2.10.

Best of the Best (patent)—\$2.10.

Invincible—\$2.15.

Snowdrift—\$2.45.

Upper Crust—\$2.45.

None-to-Equal—\$2.10.

Occident—\$2.90.

Gold Medal—\$2.95.

Sea Foam—\$2.05.

Snow Drop—\$2.15.

Flour in 10-lb. Sacks

Graham, Germs, white and rye flour—55c.

Yellow corn meal—45c.

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