

A Cold Cream of Flowery Fragrance

Your skin cannot withstand the attacks of wintry weather unless it is protected by a good cold cream.

Our Cold Cream is made according to the requirements of the U. S. P. and is just what your doctor would prescribe in case you called on him.

The ingredients are beneficial to the skin and will promote a healthy glow to the complexion.

It is delightfully perfumed and its use is a pleasure.

PRICE 25c AND 50c

La Grande Pharmacy

ADOLPH NEWLIN, Manager
Quick Delivery La Grande, Oregon Phone Main 40

PERSONAL MENTION

Roy Rice of La Grande, spent Sunday at Helix.

O. J. Carlson of La Grande, is registered at Hotel Portland, Portland, Oregon.

George H. Currey, president of the P. M. & C. Co returned this morning after a short business trip to Vale.

G. S. McClellan, for the past nine months car inspector at Rieth has moved his family to La Grande where he will engage in farming.

Elmer A. Horstman, of the O.-W. roadmaster's office, leaves tonight for Pendleton where he will transact company business for a few days.

Rex Conant, an insurance man of

Portland, well known in La Grande, was married in Oakland Christmas day. His bride is Mrs. Aida May Dodge.

Miss Stella Blackmon returned yesterday from Baker where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Potter, who died last Thursday.

Mrs. R. Alexander, of Pendleton, left last night on an extended visit to Chicago and New York. At Baker she will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eppinger and Charles Eppinger, the four making the trip together.

Mrs. Dora B. Schilke, grand matron of the Eastern Star and vice-president of Northeastern Oregon for the Oregon Congress of Mothers, will leave for Portland to attend the reception tomorrow night for the state Teachers' Association and the reception Friday night by the Eastern Star

for George M. Hyland, the most worthy grand patron of the order, he having been elected to this high office at the Louisville convention.

C. W. Todd, a prominent horse-buyer is in the city and is registered at the Foley.

Miss Olive Childers who has been ill at her home is greatly improved today.

M. C. McCallum and Floyd Maxwell, manager of the Oregon Scout, came over from Union today to transact business.

Charles E. Cochran and family of Portland have been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Cochran of this city. C. E. Cochran left last night for Portland. He is a prominent attorney of the O.-W. R. & N.

Mrs. Cora T. Lyle, formerly of La Grande but now living in Pendleton, is spending the holidays with Mrs. W. B. Sargent. It will be remembered that Mrs. Lyle was prominent in musical circles while in La Grande and was an important member of the Tuesday Musical. She will be here only a few days but will be glad to meet as many of her friends as possible.

NEW TODAY

WILL SELL CHEAP—Harvard piano. Cash or terms. Call B. M. Sherwood, Zuber Hall. 12-27-4t

FOR RENT—Large front bedroom, nicely furnished, with board, suitable for two gentlemen. Phone Main 787 or inquire 905 Spring. 12-27-6tp

AT THE HOTELS

Sommer.

X. V. Huston, Pendleton; A. R. Head, Kansas City; E. I. Moss, Alice; W. R. Bearden, Marcola; John Humble and wife, P. Burresen and wife, Enterprise; Mrs. E. Slamp, Pendleton; E. B. Wood, A. Altman, H. A. Vincent, E. D. Howe, Portland; C. S. Bliss, Walla Walla; Mrs. H. High, Vale; W. N. Ryder, Baker; B. L. Lipman, Seattle, Miss Ethel Maramore, Savoy.

F. J. O'Malley, Joseph; D. D. Childers, Imbler; C. W. Reberger, Parma; Clarence Witty, Wayne Graham and wife, Fred Hollinger and wife, Ben Rush, Elgin; Chas. Hudson, Hugh H. Riley, W. A. Evans, Enterprise; N. A. Cramer, Imbler; Tom Mullenburg, L. R. Johnson, Doc. O'Connor, B. Smith, Wm. Dampston.

Foley.

A. W. Smith, Herbert Mires, W. D. Sargent, John Euchson, La Grande; J. R. Akers, D. W. Ritchie, Corvallis; C. W. Todd, Great Falls; J. H. Cady, Portland; F. K. Wilson, Union; M. Irvine, M. D., North Powder; Mrs. G. B. Gillett, Pendleton; H. L. Fisher, Joseph; Esther Taylor, Bert Taylor, Wallowa; Iver Werk, S. S. Hasper and wife.

STEAMER MARYLAND LOST.

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London. This is believed to be the ship in distress.

The American Ship Maryland is owned by the New York, Chicago & Norfolk railroad, and when she left port in Philadelphia on Saturday she carried a cargo of oil, iron pipe, fiber, paper and miscellaneous merchandise. She last reported her position as 75 miles east of the Five Fathom Bank lightship.

Because her wireless was weak no messages giving cause of distress could be interpreted at wireless stations here. The position reported, however, latitude 39, longitude 67, is in that region where allied shipping was recently raided by the German submarine U-53.

The Maryland was built in Wyandotte, Mich., for lake trade. She carried a crew of 20 while engaged in lake traffic.

Wireless Is Silenced

Boston, Dec. 27.—(U. P.)—Difficulty in locating the Maryland is expected unless she can inform the rescuers of her whereabouts by wireless, according to wireless station authorities here. Nothing is being received from her at the radio station here and it is thought probably her wireless apparatus is out of commission for some reason.

EXPRESS CO. SHARES EARNINGS

George C. Taylor, President of the American Express Company, announced today that all employees in the service of the company for one year or more who receive a salary of \$2000 per year or less, would be awarded a bonus of an extra month's salary in recognition of their excellent service to the company, and to the public, during the past year. This bonus will be payable in quarterly instalments on the 1st of January, April, July and October, and those employees who have not been in the company's service a full year will receive subsequent instalments as their twelve months' period is completed.

It is estimated that about 12,000 employees among them those in La Grande will share in this bonus, and the total amount involved will be about \$1,250,000.

You Can Form a Resolution This Week for 1917 to Save More Money and Keep it

BY TRADING AT THE UNITED STORE NEXT YEAR—

First Grades—Newest Weaves and Colors—always for less money than elsewhere—then why pay more—Your salary is doubled at this store in its buying capacity—then why wait until 1917, begin now—

Men's Canvas Gloves	5c, 10c	Colgate's Toilet Soaps	8c
Boys' Canvas Gloves	5c	Lava Soap	8c
Colgate's Shaving Soap	4c	Armour's Toilet Soaps	8c
President Suspenders	19c	Castile Soap	8c
Wool Sox, extra heavy	25c	Colgate's Tales	12c
35c Value Cashmere Sox	25c	Colgate's Cold Creamers	39c
Leather Vests—chamois sleeves	\$5.90	Listerines	19c
Winter Caps	25c, 49c, 98c	Cuticura Soap	19c
Men's Rubbers	69c	Face Powders	10c, 45c
Men's 4-Buckle	\$1.98	Cheeseborough's Vaseline	8c

YOU CAN ALWAYS DO BETTER AT THE UNITED STORE 125 BIG BUSY STORES J. C. PENNEY CO.



Will There be Real Music in Your Home at Christmas

We want you to hear the re-created voice of Margarete Matzenauer, the world's greatest mezzo-soprano. We also want you to hear Edison's Re-Creation of the piano and the violin.

No obligation to buy.

Newlin Book & Stationery Co.

SAME MILK TO REACH PATRONS

Cass and Grout Dairies' Patrons are to be Served as Usual by Medium of New Firm—The System Explained in Detail.

Confusion has arisen among milk patrons over the transfer of milk routes now served by the Cass and Grout dairies to the Pure Milk & Cream company which begins operation next Monday morning. This confusion is brought about through a misunderstanding of the actual arrangements.

What Transfer Means

Here in a nutshell are the outstanding features of the advent of the new company:

L Grande families who have been patronizing either the Grout or Cass creameries will continue to receive that milk. Neither of these men are going out of business. They are going to continue to produce milk, but, instead of themselves delivering it to the patrons, and collecting therefore, they will deliver their usual high grade of milk to the P. M. & C. plant in the Thornton building on Sixth St. in bulk where it will be clarified and scientifically bottled in sterilized bottles and delivered by the P. M. & C. company to the patrons who formerly took the milk from these dairies, or to any other patrons who my desire to take advantage of the improved condition in the milk service. The P. M. & C. company will collect accounts.

No Change Necessary

Commencing next Monday the same milk will go to the same patrons, but instead of directly from the respective dairies, will come from the plant of the P. M. & C. after the treatment noted above. There is no occasion to change milk sources and none of the patrons of the two dairies mentioned will be denied milk or dropped.

Usual Deliveries, Same Milk

Consequently next Monday the same milk will come in the same high class condition and in spite of rumors to the contrary, it is not necessary for any patron of the class mentioned above, to worry over his milk. It will come Monday as usual; but in rearranging the various routes, new hours of delivery may be established.

No Increase in Price

The quart purchaser will not be increased in price. Such patrons as take the quart or more of milk will be

required to pay more than they have been paying. Herein, too, idle rumor is wrong.

Therefore, the public is again reminded:

There is no occasion to bother about your milk the first of next month—it will continue to come from the same dairies you always got it, and with no action required on the patron's part. The milk will come clarified and scientifically bottled.

Retail Window at Plant

The same high class milk, treated with the same scientific process, which by the way doesn't remove cream or change the flavor of the milk, will be on sale at the retail window of the plant commencing Monday morning. Cream will also be on sale in retail lines and the prevailing prices will be charged. Those desiring to buy tickets at the usual price can do so—those who prefer to buy pint by pint without tickets may do so too.

During the present week workmen are installing the necessary machinery, painters are converting every inch of wall and ceiling space to a perfect white enamel, and by early next week the plant will be as clean and white and sanitary as a hospital ward.

Paid Adv.

CHRISTMAS TREE A SUCCESS

The Salvation Army Christmas tree entertainment held last night at the hall was a great success. Nearly two hundred children participated and all were highly pleased with the exercises. The program consisted of several numbers of the program which was presented two days ago.

The Ideal Depilatory and the Lotion Cream are just the things to use before the dance. The depilatory removes the hair without irritation to the most sensitive skin and the Lotion Cream softens and bleaches and supplies a beautiful base for powder. At Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 12-27-tf

TRAINS MAKE UP LOST TIME

The trains from the east are running a little more regular than they have for some time. Last night's stub 19 was on time though the regular 19 did not arrive until 3:00 this morning. The mail train came in at 6:30 and number 17 which is due at 8:55 at the last report was marked up at 12 noon. Trains from the west were on time.

Bring your picture work to the Modern Dark Room at The Silverthorn Family Drug Store. Expert printing and developing—and if you have a good negative let us enlarge it for you. Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 12-27-tf

MAJOR CLAYTON IS DEAD

Fall From Horse Results in Death of Army Officer

San Antonio, Dec. 27.—(United Press)—Major Clayton, of the sixteenth U. S. cavalry died at Fort Sam Houston resulting from injuries received from a fall from a horse. He was the son of General Fowell Clayton, a Confederate leader.

AMERICAN RECEIVES RELEASE

Ricardo Soles Taken From Matamoros to Victoria Is Now Free

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27.—(United Press)—Ricardo Soles, an American recently taken from Matamoros to Victoria has been released, so the Mexican foreign minister informed Consul Parker at Mexico City today.

JUNIOR Y. M. C. A. BOYS TO HIKE

First Winter Walk Tomorrow Morning At Nine O'Clock

The boys of the Y. M. C. A. Junior class will take their first winter hike tomorrow morning, the boys are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A. building at 9 o'clock, from which they will go to Rooster Peak. All boys are also requested to bring snow shoes or skis if they have them.

BASKETBALL GAME AT IMBLER

Intermediate Team of Y. M. C. A. Will Play First Game Tomorrow Night

The Intermediate Basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play their first game of the season at Imbler tomorrow evening, the boys are practicing for this game and will put up a good game against the crack Imbler team. The boys who will make the trip are: Park Taylor, Chas. Ash, Kenneth Kenney, Lloyd Chandler, Fred Kivette, Audmer Playle, Claude Haisten.

Chapped hands and faces and Silverthorn's Almond Cream in 25c bottles. The cream that softens and protects the skin. 12-27-tf

MEACHAM NOTES.

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On Wednesday those going to La Grande were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Casey on business, Jack Dockweiler to file on a claim a few miles out of Meacham and Mrs. Alex Thompson, to visit Mr. Thompson, who is in charge of an extra gang at La Grande.

Mrs. Roy Hawes and Miss Jenny Casey left on Thursday morning to spend the holidays at their Portland home.

Wm. S. Hart

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"THE CAPTIVE GOD"

A Remarkably Spectacular Story of the Aztecs

and

A Rollicking Keystone with Charles Murry and Louise Fazenda

Today and Tomorrow

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