

# RUBBER

The value of Rubber lies in its quality. Some people know what rubber quality is; others do not. We know and we will gladly tell you the absolute quality of any piece of rubber that you select from our stock.

**HOT WATER BOTTLES, FOUNTAIN SYRINGES, GLOVES, BRUSHES, SPONGES, COMBS, NIPPLES, TUBES, CUSHIONS, BULBS.**

We sell Kant Leak rubber goods for home, sick room, bath room or nursery. All best qualities. It is very advisable that you buy all rubber goods here.

## RED CROSS DRUG STORE

# SHERRY THEATRE

The House of Quality

### BEAUTY IN OVERALLS

Romps through a large part of the five reels which compose WILLIAM FOX' New Photoplay "THE RAGGED PRINCESS"

A winsome story of a waif's adventures

The beauty is JUNE CAPRICE

And she finds the overalls in a barn after she has run away from the great black orphanage she had called her home.

## Coming Events

January 2 to 6—Farmers' and Home Makers' week, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis.

Jan. 4, 5, 6—Oregon Irrigation Congress, Portland.

April 24-25—Cattle and Horse Raisers' Annual Convention at La Grande.

Coming to Sherry's Sunday and Monday, Bushman and Bayne in "Roméo and Juliet."

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Front quarter of beef 7 cents and we pay highest prices for hide and sheep pelts. Peoples' Meat Market, 1419 1-2 Adams Ave.—Adv. 12-5-tf.

Wood Sawing. Wood sawing promptly done, city or country. J. J. Murchison. Phone Red 3672.—Adv. tf

Coming to Sherry's Sunday and Monday, Bushman and Bayne in "Roméo and Juliet."

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

Room and board for two, 1008 Third street, near high school.—Adv. 12-8-tf.

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Donohue. 12-20-tf

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

Coming to Sherry's Sunday and Monday, Bushman and Bayne in "Roméo and Juliet."

Misses Jones and Rabone. We carry a full line in Ladies Suits, Coats and Skirts in the S. & H. garment.

We make Suits, Coats, Skirts and Dresses. A perfect fit guaranteed. Remodeling done. West's New Bldg.

### Sewing Machines.

Singer Sewing Machines Agency now in Foley Hotel Bldg. Sewing machines sold, rented and repaired. Phone Red 451. 12-5 1-15-pd

Suits! Suits! Suits! 1-2 price.—Jones-Rabone.—Adv. 12-7-tf.

Coming to Sherry's Sunday and Monday, Bushman and Bayne in "Roméo and Juliet."

Dr. Ralston, physician, surgeon and osteopath is now located in rooms 12 and 13 over Silverthorn's Drug store. Main 21; Night phone Main 81.—Adv. 10-16-tf.

E. Rosenbaum, 1402 Sixth street. Phone Black 1472. Expert masseur. Vibratory and massage treatments, Swedish movements and medical gymnastics. My motto, "Permanent health through perfect circulation of blood and nerve forces."—Adv. 12-7-1m

**Money to Loan.**  
On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment Co.—Adv. 12-5-tf.

We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 3351.—Adv. 12-4-tf.

See Mrs. Dunn's China at Harris' Art Store. 12-12-tf

Coming to Sherry's Sunday and Monday, Bushman and Bayne in "Roméo and Juliet."

Delicious waffles, syrup, butter and best coffee, 15 cents. Miller's Lunch Counter. 12-21-tf

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Drs. Darland, over Putman's.—Adv.

### Railroad Notes.

Railroad business was fine during the holidays. The Union Pacific which was tied up between Laramie and Rawlin for a day is now open again.

## Announcements

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

**Modern Woodmen to Meet.**  
A special meeting of La Grande Camp No. 7703, Modern Woodmen of America, will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 in the office of H. E. Dixon for purpose of initiating candidates. H. E. DIXON, Consul. 12-29-1t

**Pythian Sisters Social.**  
Rowena Temple No. 9, Pythian Sisters, extend a cordial invitation to all Knights and their families to a social evening, Saturday, Dec. 30, at 8:30 Knights of Pythias hall. Come and have a good time.

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that there are impounded in the city pound the following stock: One bay horse with stripe in face, wire cut on left shoulder. Branded a square on right thigh. Shoes on hind feet. This animal will be sold after 10 days from the first publication hereof unless identified and expenses paid. J. C. Ardery, Chief of Police, 12-26 tf

### REX LAMPMAN'S ONCE-OVER.

Rex Lampman's second Once-Over Book—80 sketches never before printed in book form—is just out—with a new portrait of the author—not a caricature—so you can see how he really looks—and an appreciative and beautiful introduction by Dr. C. H. Chapman—writer and speaker—and the price is 75 cents—and you can mail the money—in any form—to Rex—248 Portland Hotel—Portland—Oregon—or buy the book at Meier & Frank's—or Gill's—or Si Rich's news stand—Portland.—Adv. 12-22-tf

## TO REPLACE THE FAMILY DOCTOR

Medical Association Plans a Diagnostic Hospital.

FIRST IN THE COUNTRY

Institution to Be Erected in New York City For Those of Moderate Means. Fees For Services Can Be Paid on the Installment Plan—Will Have Staff of Eminent Physicians.

There is soon to be established in New York city the first diagnostic hospital in this country, which will perform in the highly specialized medicine of today the function of the old family physician of fifty years ago. It will look over a patient suffering from an unidentified ailment, find out what is the matter with him and direct him to a specialist if he can afford it. If not, he will be sent back to the general practitioner under whose care he has been, with a complete diagnosis of his disease, a plan for treating it suggested by competent specialists and references to recent literature on the subject.

The New York Diagnostic society is planning the new institution. There are about 300 physicians and surgeons among the associate members and almost as many lay members. About \$100,000 has already been raised by the building fund committee, and only \$80,000 is still required to complete the sum needed for buildings and grounds, which will be in a central part of Manhattan.

It is hoped that the institution will be self supporting, and Dr. M. Joseph Mandelbaum, president of the society, has worked out a plan of installment payments which he thinks will bring about this result. "I know this will appear startling," he said recently, "to those who are not in the habit of looking at these matters from the standpoint of dollars and cents. But this is a practical plan and therefore must be considered from the most easily applied financial basis. This method of payment will be especially for those who are wage earners, whereby if their application for diagnostic services is approved by their employers or others equally responsible a method of small periodic payments will secure for them the very best diagnostic skill."

The need for such an institution was first pointed out by Dr. Charles H. Mayo in an address before the Catholic Hospital association at Milwaukee. Dr. Mayo expressed the opinion that the one great present day need in the direction of hospital advancement was a hospital devoted exclusively to diagnosis.

## RIGID ECONOMY URGED UPON ALL THE NATIONS

World Faces Grave Shortage of Foodstuffs, Says International Institute of Agriculture.

Rigid economy throughout the world in the consumption of food, in view of the deficient crops and the extraordinary requirements of the European armies, is urged in a report by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome. The institute says all nations are confronted with a grave situation. It is estimated that at least 2,200,000,000 bushels of wheat will be consumed in the year ending July 31, 1917, and that at the end of this period the world's surplus supplies of wheat will have decreased to 46,000,000 bushels. The report says it is only on account of the fact that last year's harvests were abundant, leaving a balance of 350,000,000 bushels, that there is available sufficient wheat for the year ending next July.

The world's surplus of five cereals—wheat, rye, barley, oats and corn—is placed at 533,000,000 bushels. This includes the unexportable Russian stocks and also the stocks of Roumania and Bulgaria. The surplus of oats is placed at 163,000,000 bushels. A general scarcity of fodder is expected. The total Russian stocks of wheat now stored which, if military conditions permitted, would be available for export at the next harvest are estimated at 200,000,000 bushels.

**New Style Life Belt.**  
A new style of life preserver, recently patented and described in the Popular Mechanics Magazine, is designed to keep the wearer in an upright position in the water under all circumstances. It consists of an ordinary cork life belt, to which is attached a combination breast piece and chin rest. These, like the belt, are made of cork in section, covered and hinged together by canvas. The chin piece is so attached to the upper part of the breast piece that it serves as a headrest and at the same time allows the wearer to bend forward or backward.

**A Real Economist.**  
A Pittsfield (Mass.) business man for years has conserved his paper and twine supply. Envelopes are ripped open and made into charge slips or slips for the making of notes. He saves about \$40 a year in this way.

## T<sup>h</sup> GOLDEN RULE C<sup>o</sup>.

Quality the same—Prices less

# Watch This Page Tomorrow

For Full Details of Golden Rule Compay's

# Pre-Inventory Sale

and

# January White Sale

## MARKET NEWS

Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$8.15 sack, cash; \$8.55 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 45c 1-lb. roll; 90c 2-lb. roll.  
Ranch Butter—40c lb. 80c 2-lb roll.  
Eggs—50c.  
**Chickens and Fowl**  
Ducks—Dressed, 16c.  
Turkeys—28c.  
Geese—Dressed, 16c.  
Hens—Dressed, 16c.  
Spring Chicken—18c.  
**Flour and Feed.**  
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.  
**Cattle.**  
(La Grande Prices.)  
Prime light steers.....\$6.00@6.25  
Prime heavy steers..... 6.30@6.50  
Good light steers..... 5.25@5.50  
Common cows ..... 2.00@3.00  
Bulls ..... 3.00@3.25  
Prime light veal calves... 6.00@8.00  
**Sheep.**  
Select spring lambs..... 8.50@8.60  
Best yearlings ..... 7.00@7.50  
**Hogs.**  
Prime light weights..... 8.50@8.55  
Rough and heavy ..... 7.00@7.60  
Medium weights ..... 7.75@8.50  
Good light weights..... 8.00@8.15

**AT THE HOTELS**

**Sommer.**  
H. R. Lazrby, J. H. Weist, Miss M. Schultz, E. F. Rice, W. H. Phillips, C. Laufman, Portland; F. P. Roades, American Express company; V. U. Nu son, Cascade, Idaho; Mrs. J. E. Woodell, Union; Olive Havens, Utah-Idaho Sugar Company; R. G. Chenaunt, La Grande; H. M. Willard, Jacksonville; H. Williams, Vincent; C. E. Funk and son, A. Hackbarth, Enterprise; W. G. Trill and family, Wallowa; W. H. Spence, Lostone.

**Savoy.**  
H. A. Inwall, Portland; M. Pearson, E. Pearson, Frank McAllister, North Powder; E. T. Caton, Walla Walla; G. C. Wakefield, Boise; G. W. Orr, Cottage Grove; E. O. Otto, Cove; James Austin, Wallowa; W. S. Dougherty, Elgin; J. H. Marvell, Enterprise; Albert Baker, Gibbon; M. Johnsen, Henry Gunther, Doc O'Coners, Jack Wright, L. N. Steese, D. B. Clapp, E. Larkin.

**Foley.**  
Roy Frederick, K. Mizoguchi, J. C. Shea and wife, Portland; Don Conklin, E. Y. Bailey, Ontario; W. O. Oldridge, Pocatello; A. L. McEwen, Athena; S. G. Ruckman and wife, Alice; R. A. McKinney, Spokane, Mrs. J. G. Hoberg, Mrs. A. Delong, Haines; Mrs. J. A. Gilbaugle, Astoria; E. A. Hack, Huntington; Bert Taylor and wife, Wallowa; J. A. Horan, Joseph; C. E. Calvert, Albion, Wash.; A. E. Welch, Enterprise; C. E. Hallopetter, San Francisco; Miss Greer, W. A. Morgan and wife.

## Golden West Coffee is "Just Right"

**ALLIES MAKE BIG DRIVE IN WEST**  
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bombardment between Hill 304 and Deadman's Hill, failed owing to a screen of infantry and machine gun fire, was reported in the official bulletin. Few Germans penetrated the French trenches.

## Germans Claim Victory.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—An official statement says the French first, second and third line trenches were penetrated at Deadman's Hill and two hundred and twenty-two prisoners taken. The Germans held new positions against counter attacks. Wurttembergers and Baden troops captured several prisoners in the forest of Choppy and Malancourt. Fourteen hundred Russians and Roumanians, eighteen machine-guns and three cannon were captured on the Transylvanian front. Germans are breaking down the resistance of the Roumanians and Russians and penetrated Dumitreati, twelve miles northwest of Rimmieu and Sarat. Rachel Dobruja was captured.

## Germans Deport Belgians.

London, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—Germany is going so far in Belgian deportations as to arrest and transfer Belgians engaged in relief work. Hitherto they were protected by cards of American Relief Commission. Charge is made to the United Press by the Belgian Minister of Justice that the Germans are carrying off men employed, and children fifteen to seventeen years of age.

## To Attend War Council.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—Premier Borden has accepted Lloyd George's invitation to a war council soon.

## Notes Forwarded.

London, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen insists that the Scandinavian government has forwarded notes to the belligerents.

## Roumanians Retire.

Petrograd, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—Retirement of the Roumanian forces on account of superior enemy forces north and south of the river Kasino, west of Govasha was attended by fierce battles.

**Boys of Seventeen Called.**  
Paris, Dec. 29.—(United Press)—A bill for the mobilization of all citizens of seventeen was introduced in the Senate.

## Acres of Diamonds, Topic of Lecture

Aubrey Roberts in Lecture at M. E. Church, South, Says Money is Power.

Aubrey Roberts in his address last night at the M. E. church, South, said: "Money is power and we ought to be reasonably ambitious to have it. We ought because we can do more with it than we can without it. Money printed your Bible; money builds your churches; money pays your teachers, and you would not have many of them either if you did not pay them well. I am always willing that my school should raise my salary, because the school that pays the largest salary always raises it the easiest. You never knew an exception to that in your life. The man who gets the largest salary can do the most good with the power that is furnished him. Of course he can if his spirit be right to use it for what it is given him, but the moment a young man or young woman gets more money than he or she has grown to by practical experience that moment they have gotten a curse. "The statistics of Massachusetts showed that not one rich man's son out of seventeen ever dies rich. I pity the rich men's sons unless they have the good sense of the elder Vanderbilt which sometimes happens. He went to his father and said, 'Did you earn all your money?' 'I did my son. I began work on a ferryboat for 25 cents a day.' 'Then,' said his son, 'I will have none of your money,' and he, too, tried to get employment on a ferryboat that Saturday night. He could not get employment there, but he did get a place for three dollars a week. Of course, if a rich man's son will do that, he will get the discipline of a poor boy that is worth more than a university education to any man. "A. T. Stewart, a poor boy of New York had \$1.50 to begin life. He lost 87 1-2 cents the first venture. That boy said, 'I will not gamble again in business.' He found out then, what the people needed and invested his 62 1-2 cents to supply a known demand. Study it wherever you will, that one thing is the secret of success. "John Jacob Astor came across the sea in debt for his fare; but that poor boy with nothing in his pockets made the fortunes of the Astor family. He had a mortgage on a millinery store and they could not sell bonnets enough to pay the interest on his money. He foreclosed that mortgage, took possession of the store and went into partnership with them. Then he found out what the women liked for hats before he wasted any material in making them. That has been the foundation of the greatest store in New York in that line."

## Hupmobile on Tour.

Mr. Wilson, agent for the Hupmobile, received a telegram today that the Hupmobile which is making the capital tour, had arrived at Tellohassee, Florida, on Christmas day and had immediately left for the north, and the party expects to reach New York on January 5 in time for the New York automobile show.

## Basketball New Year's Day.

The Y. M. C. A. intermediates are to meet the Baker Y. M. C. A. intermediates New Year's afternoon here. The Y. M. C. A. Junior A will also play the Y. M. C. A. Junior B team.