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If for any reason, you contemplate making a change in your druggist for this year, see how well we can serve you.

We endeavor to give our patrons the kind of service and the kind of goods they desire. We seek, too, to conserve their interests in every way.

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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.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Donohue. 12-20-17

Front quarter of beef 7 cents and we pay highest prices for hide and sheep pelts. Peoples' Meat Market, 1119 1-2 Adams Ave.—Adv. 12-5-17.

Delicious waffles, syrup, butter and best coffee, 15 cents. Miller's Lunch Counter. 12-21-17

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. 12-5-17

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. 10-16-17.

Money to Loan.

On improved real property in Union county, no delays, current rates. La Grande Investment Co.—Adv. 12-5-17.

We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 3351.—Adv. 12-4-17.

Wood Sawing.

Wood sawing promptly done, city or country.

J. J. Murchison. Phone Red 3672.—Adv. 12-4-17.

Room and board for two. 1008 Third street, near high school.—Adv. 12-8-17.

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. 12-7-17.

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Our Want Ads bring results.

NINETEEN DEGREES BELOW ZERO AROUND MEACHAM

Christmas Day Celebrated With Real Spirit; Many Residents Have Holiday Dinner With Relatives.

Meacham, Jan. 4.—(Special)—On Friday the usual every day snow fall of lately had ceased and the thermometer registered 19 below at daylight and 14 below at 9 a. m.

Mr. J. D. Casey went to La Grande on Thursday to attend to business.

Christmas Day was celebrated with quite a pretty snow fall on all the trees, making a real Christmas spirit feeling to all. Many people left town to enjoy their meal with relatives or friends.

Mrs. James Baker was taken to Pendleton Hospital on Friday, being quite ill. Her daughter, Mrs. F. Hansen of Kamela, accompanied her.

John Casey returned from Portland on Friday after spending the holiday there.

Mr. W. B. Ross returned from Telo-cuset on Saturday after an absence of a week where he has been attending to his horses that are pastured over there.

John Dockweiler went to La Grande on Saturday to attend to business.

Mrs. Alex Thompson and son, Arthur, returned from Echo on Saturday after enjoying the holidays with relatives.

SELLS WHISKEY TO CHIEF

OF POLICE OF PENDLETON
Pendleton, Jan. 4.—(Special)—Because he did not take the precaution of acquainting himself with the face of Chief of Police Gurdane, Jack Archer Tuesday morning found it necessary to plead guilty to a charge of bootlegging and accept a sentence of \$100 fine and 30 days in jail. In his zeal to make the big profits from the illicit selling of liquor, Archer actually sold a half gallon of whiskey to the police chief.

Archer has had his station at a boarding house at 205 West Webb street and has been carrying on his traffic through agents most of the time, according to the police. Learning that Archer had been inquiring as to what kind of a looking man Chief Gurdane is, the chief decided to seek evidence himself. He secured another man to take him to Archer's room and introduce him as a merchant.

Negotiations were opened at once. Archer asked six dollars a quart for his liquor.

"Seems to me that's a pretty stiff price," said the chief.

"It's a pretty stiff chance I'm taking, too," said the bootlegger.

The officer agreed that it was and closed the deal by paying \$12 for a half gallon jug. His relations with his victim grew so friendly that the latter loaned him a grip to carry his booty away and told him if he wanted any more booze to call on Saturday.

When the officer had his grip in the grip and was ready to go, he took Archer by the arm and gently advised him to come along also.

"Who in the blankety blank are you anyway?" said the astonished captive.

"I'm a government man," said the chief and escorted Archer to the police station where he turned him over to Officer Scheer. It was not until Tuesday morning that Archer learned that he had sold his whiskey to the chief of police. Then he wilted and pleaded guilty.

The officers declare Archer had been receiving shipments in several different towns of the county.

Church of Christ Home Coming.

The Church of Christ on Penn. avenue will celebrate their annual home coming next Lord's day. Special services at 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. A basket dinner at 1:30 p. m. in the church parlor. All members are kindly requested to bring their dinner and spend a pleasant and profitable day.

Announcements

Closing Out Sale.

W. A. Hudelson of North Powder has bought the B. B. Nutter stock and he will close it out at greatly reduced prices—two days only, January 5th and 6th.

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Notice to the Lady Maccabees.

Important business matter to be brought up before the lodge, January 4, 1917. All are urged to be present.

KATHERINE E. HAMILTON,
Commander.

Firemen's Ball.

Jan. 17 has been selected as the date for the Annual Ball given by the Volunteer Firemen.

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Royal Neighbors Attention.

There will be a few minutes special meeting at the K. P. hall at 7:30 to-night. All members are requested to be there on time.

You Can Save Money Today if You Take Advantage of the Clearance Prices During This

Pre-Inventor Sale of Broken Lines of Men's Wear

MEN'S FINE WOOL DRAWERS

\$1.25 to \$1.50 values
Mostly Small Sizes
Choice 69c

Men's \$1.00 to \$1.50 Dress Shirts. Choice 48c

Men's 75c Dress Shirts. Choice 39c

Boys' Wright's Health Underwear. Suit 75c

ONE LOT
BOYS' SUITS
ONE-HALF
PRICE

Men's Extra Heavy Sweaters \$1.48

Broken line Young Men's Suits, values up to \$18.00. Choice \$7.98

All Duck Coats Reduced One-Fourth

Boys' \$1.25 to \$1.50 Wool Shirts. Choice 98c

Lot No. 1 Men's Overcoats, values up to \$10.00. Choice \$6.98

Boys' Dress Shirts 23c

Young Men's and Boys' Overcoats, values to \$9.00. Choice \$4.98

Boys' \$1.25 Felt Hats. Choice 79c

Broken Line Sweaters. Choice 98c

Lot No. 2 Men's Overcoats, values up to \$15.00. Choice \$9.90

Boys' Heavy
Fleece
Underwear
48c Suit

THE GOLDEN RULE CO.
Quality the same—Prices less

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Prices
On All
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In Memoriam

Hyman D. Davis

La Grande Lodge Passes Resolutions in Memory of Hyman D. Davis, Late Supreme Dictator of Loyal Order of Moose.

HYMAN D. DAVIS

(Supreme Dictator, Loyal Order of Moose, Born October 11, 1863, Died November 11, 1916, Aged 53 Years.)

La Grande, Jan. 4.—Frequently many great spirits are sent to this mortal world on missions of loving kindness and ministration. Such a spirit was embodied in Hyman D. Davis.

It might be said by some that he has left us. This would not be true. We feel that he is with us still in spirit. Indeed, he is with us in the work he began for the world's freedom by the principles of the Loyal Order of Moose.

In our future endeavors, in the completion of his plans for humanity, we have his example of unselfish manhood, to aid and inspire us to certain success.

The Loyal Order of Moose had 700,000 members when Hyman D. Davis departed from earth, to enter rest and man's eternal home. The Loyal Order of Moose will soon have more than 1,000,000 loyal brothers in the United States alone.

Hyman Davis knew that this nation will lead the way in the day to come, when over the whole world there will be the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. In fact, his life work proved, by its help to men, women and children that he knew that "All who joy would win, Must share it."

Happiness was born a twin.

For our dear, departed, loyal brother, who has finished his earthly labors, rounded out his manhood and his work, there's a fragrant memory of unselfish deeds and an inspiration to uphold and spread over every part of earth the principles of the Loyal Order of Moose.

There is no justice that is not interwoven with mercy. We shall do our parts as Loyal Moose to bring to earth paradise regained. For each man, woman and child, the needs of body, mind and soul will be supplied.

Mr. Davis was supreme dictator in United States for our nearly 1,000,000 patriots and world citizens; he was past president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, 500,000 strong; he was a true, brave and clean member of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons; he held many offices in the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, the Knights of Pythias, the Maccabees, the Sons of Veterans.

Beloved by all men, women and children who knew him, he was a power for good in the work being done by the men and women of fraternal orders and all other good men and women.

In the United States alone, in round figures, there are about twenty million members of fraternal and benevolent orders, in our whole population of 110,000,000. So a great work is being

done in America for herself and the world in the spirit of the golden rule of Jesus Christ, "Do unto others as ye would they should do unto you."

The roses of love glad the garden of life,

Though nurtured midst flowers dropping pestilent dew;

Till Time crops their leaves with merciless knife

Or prunes them forever in love's last adieu.

And "God is love," and "love is stronger than death." So, as Hyman D. Davis did, let us scatter roses of love and sunshine along life's journey, not waiting until our dear companions, en route, pass on,—then just speak kindly of them. How true it is that heat and sympathy are life and coldness and selfishness are death.

Whereas—we all know that the only man who never makes a mistake is the man who never does anything, and

Whereas, we also well know that love is not getting but giving, and that "greater love hath no man than this; that a man lay down his life for his friends," and

Whereas, we can have no real, full blessing or grace, either for soul, mind or body until we see that God has given happiness to someone else, through us, and

Whereas, our late supreme dictator and loyal brother was an example of manhood, a helper and defender of his fellow mortals, men, women and blessed children,

Now, therefore be it resolved by La Grande Lodge No. 850, Loyal Order of Moose, that in the death of Supreme Dictator Hyman D. Davis the world has been deprived of the earthly service of a true man, always merciful, always achieving success in promoting friendship, neighborly love and upright character, being a perfect worker in the American leadership, so that the whole world at last shall be an Eden,—hate and war being replaced by love and peace, and happy homes, brave men, true women and joyful children.

Resolved, that we know that Hyman D. Davis was a fearless, kind and tender Christian man, an American patriot, who loved all mankind, from pole to pole.

Resolved, that we extend our deepest sympathy to his devoted wife, Mrs. Lydia A. Davis, his brother, Rev. A. H. Davis, his sister, Mrs. V. B. McConaughy and his niece, Harriet Irvin, to whom he was a father, and to all his relatives and close personal friends, over all our broad land.

Resolved, that we shall in the spirit of upright love and the indispensable human touch bravely carry forward the work of the Loyal Order of Moose, to reach over all the earth, helping one another always.

Resolved, that a copy of these expressions and these resolutions be sent to our Acting Supreme Dictator John W. Ford, of Philadelphia Lodge No. 54, Loyal Order of Moose, and to the wife of our late brother and supreme dictator, Hyman D. Davis, and a copy furnished to The La Grande Evening Observer for publication.

J. H. STEVENS.

K. EVANS.

H. W. SWART.

GEO. YOUNG,
Dictator.



THE CHIMES

Lord, through this hour
Be Thou our guide,
So, by Thy power,
No foot shall slide.

Everyone who has lived within sound of the Bells of Westminster is familiar with the verse given above. The origin of the carillon has never been positively established. Some writers accredited it to a Mr. Crouch, who was a pupil of Dr. Randall, Regius Professor of Music. This, however, is disputed by other writers who accredited it to Dr. Randall's conception of the idea taken from a movement in the fifth bar of the opening of Haendel's Symphony, "I know that my Redeemer liveth." The Chimes were first fitted to the Clock of University church, St. Mary's the Great, in Cambridge, but were not copied until they were reproduced on a very large scale in the Victoria Clock Tower of the Houses of Parliament.

As a home institution serving the people of this locality—enjoying your good will and business favors, we have in the past endeavored to show our appreciation by presenting our patrons with calendars and novelties and otherwise recognizing your co-operation in making this a serviceable and successful banking house.

Years of prosperous banking have been made possible only by your sup-

port. We wanted to show our appreciation in a substantial way and have therefore purchased of the manufacturers, the McClintock-Loomis Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, including the exclusive rights for this city, a large handsome clock combined with a set of soft and most beautiful chimes.

At the quarter, half and three-quarter hour, these Chimes will ring out in various musical combinations; at quarter past the hour, four strokes—Westminster, at half past the hour, eight strokes—Reveille; at three-quarters past the hour, twelve strokes—Cathedral peal; and on the hour, sixteen strokes—Westminster, followed by the striking of the full hour, in a clear vibrant tone.

May we hope that the Chimes will mean something to all of our people—that they will have a message for the youngster on his way to school; a thought for the business man who hustles through his day; a solace for the old.

Every day of the week the chimes will be sounding their message—the note of warning spoken in time; the chime of rejoicing; the lament in time of sorrow. This chime will be all things to all men for it is going to be long not to us alone, but to men and women and children of our community.

LA GRANDE NATIONAL BANK,
La Grande, Oregon.