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Practically every article made of rubber is carried in our stock.

Hot Water Bottles, Fountain Syringes, Combination Water Bag and Syringe, Bulb Syringes, Rubber Gloves, Ice Bags, Face Bags, Etc.

These goods are of the finest quality and are guaranteed by the manufacturers. We back up this guarantee by offering to replace free of charge any defective rubber article sold at our store.

La Grande Pharmacy

ADOLPH NEWLIN, Manager
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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Collection of News Paragraphs and Advertisements.

G. A. Rush was a Baker visitor yesterday.

Our hot water bottles are of real worth. Fully guaranteed. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 2-1-tf

Mrs. J. W. Bush of Cove, arrived in La Grande this morning to make her home here. Mr. Bush will probably arrive sometime this week.

Cameras and picture supplies of all kinds at the Silverthorn Family Drug Store. 2-22-tf

The suit of Meyers & Leiter and the People's Amusement company vs. S. A. and M. B. Gardiner will be dismissed, the matter being settled out of court.

For chronic constipation and bowel disorders take a treatment of American Oil (heavy). Wonderful results will follow. Levy-Vogel Drug Co. 2-1-tf

Mrs. George H. Currey returned from Portland this morning. She was accompanied by her father, Mr. Huntington.

Buy Oregon Nursery company's fruit and ornamental trees and all kinds of shrubbery and flower plants of George Ball, agent, 1212 Washington avenue, La Grande. 2-15-lmo

Flora Finch, well remembered star with the late John Bunney, at the Arcade Saturday only in "Prudence, the Pirate." 2-28-3t

Cloth insert hot water bottles and fountain syringes—one, two and three quarts. Prices from \$1.25 to \$3. Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 2-22-tf

Bessie Love

In

"Nina, the Flower Girl"

A fairy story of modern times, filled to the brim with smiles and chokes and thrills. The dearest character Bessie Love ever portrayed.

Wednesday and Thursday

ARCADE

J. C. Shea, traveling agent of the O-W., is in La Grande and is registered at the Polay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Short, who have been visiting in the east, returned home this morning.

Gladys Mulette as Prudence, the pirate, has a lot of fun and some stirring adventures. See her Saturday only at the Arcade. 2-28-3t

When you have picture work to be done, take it to the Modern Dark Room at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Printing, developing, copying and enlarging a specialty. 2-22-tf

"Prudence, the Pirate," a delightful photoplay of romantic adventure and love at the Arcade Saturday only. 2-28-3t

Enforcement of the Ordinance relating to dogs will start on March 1st. License tags may now be procured at City Recorder's office. 2-27-2t

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hollenbeck, who have been in La Grande on their honeymoon, returned to Boise this morning.

F. B. Bloom, northwest representative of the Federal Rubber company, is in La Grande and is registered at the Sommer.

"One thing is apparent," said Fred J. Holmes of the Sawyer-Holmes company, "La Grande people do not provide for the winter by storing fuel. As a consequence a stringency such as this one is felt immediately. The Sawyer-Holmes company has been short of coal, but this will be the last winter the company will be caught this way. Plans are already under way to have a reserve stock of 1000 tons of coal and 1000 cords of wood for next winter. The company will also be ready to take every bit of coal that comes along during the winter."

Have your chimneys swept and repaired by an expert. Phone Black 1341. 2-28-2tpd

CITIZENS PAY THEIR TRIBUTES

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ship that must have existed between himself and his sons with whom I am acquainted. Their daily lives and splendid characters attest to the fact that there was a place for them in the family councils, as partners in the home life, the right kind of companionship with the father, the privilege and responsibility of private ownership. My work has been given somewhat to the study of boys and I heartily commend the relationship that must have existed between Mr. Stoddard and his sons. A great many growing lives would be saved from moral taint and become a blessing instead of a curse if the father discharged his whole duty to his children as is expected of him. Mr. Stoddard's example is one that should be expressed in every home in La Grande."

An Honorable Man.

J. D. McKennon—"Mr. Stoddard was one of the best men and the most honorable citizens of the city."

AT THE HOTELS

Sommer.

W. E. Block, A. E. Rockwell, Ed. Cummings, L. C. Friedman, Bert Moersch, J. E. Simpson, Lee R. Denman, E. Bell, Fred Miller, Portland; John W. Sur, E. M. Brisford, O. M. Mortenson, Spokane; A. D. Hersch, St. Louis; S. A. Anderson, St. Louis; W. A. Galloway, Elgin; W. C. Dawson, Walla Walla; Edward A. Laing, P. A. Knowlton, Ed. L. Moon, Seattle; J. R. Browning, W. I. Fritz, Salt Lake; R. Boag, F. B. Bloom, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Damerell, Kamela; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peterson, Walla Walla; F. H. Hughes, Walla Walla; Offie B. Hansen, Joseph; Richards and wife

Savoy.

Harlen Long, John Mayfield, Elgin; A. Shaw, Guy Hobson, Grace Vermillion, Summerville; S. G. Ruckman and wife, Mrs. K. Clark, Alice; M. C. Cropper, Palmer Junction; C. Gezel, W. T. East, Portland; Mrs. W. J. Kain, Enterprise; R. W. Wilson, Lyl Stringham, Imbler; L. D. Akins, Joseph; J. W. Johns, Baker; Clarence Richards, Cove; Charlie Morris, Imbler; G. Yantis, Kamela; Dan Dinsmore, Jesse E. Stiles, R. Love, Fred Peet; M. N. Hayes, Baker; Lulu Euse, Adams; Steve Glazik, Portland; M. M. McGarvey, Morrow.

Foley.

F. L. Finklea, James J. Wilson, J. C. Shea, W. S. Spinning, Charles E. Oliver, Belle Josling, J. A. Cooper, E. M. Hutton, Portland; L. A. Rand, Spokane; Fred Cobb and wife, E. R. Forstrom, Seattle; Max Gussoroff, Salt Lake; C. C. Burt, Corvallis; J. N. McClarey, H. H. Fruer, R. C. Poore, Chicago; L. S. Dunlap, Imbler; A. L. Burnett, C. French, Starkey; P. J. Eschbach, North Yakima; S. C. Dodge, St. Louis; Nora Pearson, Hilgard; S. E. Coles, Haines.

GEORGE STODDARD DEAD

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one of the founders of the Oregon Life Insurance company. He carried \$10,000 insurance in this company. Had Many Business Interests.

He was a director of the Baker Loan & Trust company. He was inti-

"To the End of Satisfaction and Profit to Both Buyer and Seller"

Spells success for the institution that strives for the perfection of this Business Science which is nothing else but "Service." You profit by trading here. What you save on a year's trading here won't buy you a house and lot, but it sure will fill the Baby's bank in a hurry and help yours as well. Start today—it will be a mutual benefit.

Ladies' Spring Coats	\$5.90, \$6.90, \$9.90, \$12.50, \$14.75, \$16.50
Ladies' Spring Suits	\$9.90, \$12.50, \$14.75, \$16.50, \$18.50
Ladies' Hosiery, black and colors	25c, 49c
Ladies' Hosiery, solid black, all new	10c, 2 for 25c, 15c, 25c
New 27-in. Swiss Flouncings	49c, 69c, 98c
New Embroidery Edging, Beading, Insertion, yard	5c, 6 1-4c, 8 1-3c, 12 1-2c
New Shipment of All Silk Crepe de Chene Waists	\$1.98
New Shipment of All Silk Crepe de Chene Waists	\$2.98
New Shipment of All Silk Fancy Silk Striped Waists	\$3.98
New Shipment of All Silk Kimonos	\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.90
New Shipment of All Crepe Kimonos	98c, \$1.49, \$1.69, \$1.98

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mately associated with C. W. Nibley, of Salt Lake City, presiding bishop of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, in the Nibley-Minnaugh company of Wallowa, the San Vicente Lumber company of Santa Cruz, California, and other enterprises. He has been associated with David Eccles, the Utah sugar magnate, and was general manager of the Eccles' sugar which was here some years ago. At one time he was president of the Western Pine Manufacturers' association for two years.

Mr. Stoddard was connected with two colonization schemes in this territory: one near Cove in the years 1900-1-2 when he and C. W. Nibley attempted to establish a colony of Mormon families on the townsite known as "Nibley," to raise sugar beets; and second, the colonization of 34 families on a tract of land near Union last spring. The first scheme failed because the soil and wind would not permit the growth of sugar beets; the second scheme so far appears to have splendid chances of success.

At the present time it is estimated that fully 1000 men are on the payrolls of the various business enterprises in which Mr. Stoddard was interested.

Mill at Perry Shuts Down.

As a mark of respect the Grande Ronde Lumber company's mill at Perry is shut down today.

Among the people who will be in La Grande for the funeral is C. W. Nibley of Salt Lake City, Utah. Mr. Stoddard's business partner. It is expected that quite a few will come from Logan and Salt Lake City, Utah, Santa Cruz, California, and from points in Idaho and Oregon.

His Career.

George E. Stoddard was born in Wellsville, Cass county, Utah, the son of John Stoddard and Emma Eckersburg, July 12, 1865. He was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints by William A. Seimann, January 21, 1902. He was confirmed by Joseph E. Cowley. He was ordained bishop of La Grande ward by Mathias F. Cowley, March 2, 1902. On December 15, 1907, he was chosen as first counselor to President F. S. Bramwell in this stake and held this position until he was named stake president in September, 1914.

Mr. Stoddard's first business venture was in Logan Canyon, Utah. From there he went to Aspen, Wyoming, where he had a sawmill. From Aspen he moved to Wolf Creek, near North Powder, and from Wolf Creek in 1896 to McKewen, Sumpter valley, near Baker. From Baker he moved to La Grande in 1903. In 1902 with C. W. Nibley he had taken over the Grande Ronde Lumber company at Perry. Next he became interested in the Nibley-Minnaugh company at Wallowa and in 1907 with Mr. Nibley took charge of the San Vicente property.

Mr. Stoddard liked to tell of the financing of his mill at Wolf Creek. He purchased the machinery for the mill with borrowed money and paid 18 per cent interest. In the first year he cleared \$12,000 though the capital he used was less than \$2000. As a young man he worked 16 hours a day, filling his own saws, sawing for ten hours and then working on his machinery for several hours. He asked no man to do anything he himself would not do and often, when he could find no one willing to do a certain job, did the work himself. "Those two impostors," success and failure, he met with equal grace.

He arrived at the scene of the fire which destroyed his Sumpter valley mill after the flames had pretty well eaten up the property. He merely said, "It did a good job, didn't it boys?" and in half an hour came out of the bunk house with plans for a new mill. His loss at this fire was in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

Miss Ellen Izatt of Logan, Utah, became the wife of George Stoddard

in June 1888. In 1890 the young couple were in Oregon and have resided here since that time. Mrs. Stoddard and the following children, Earl, Elmer, David, Lester, John, Jeannette, Howard, Waldo and Robert, survive him. Another child, Emma, is dead.

KIDDLE SPEAKS ON GOOD ROADS BILL

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road miss them altogether.

"And there is no use disguising the fact that the tourist trade is a good paying proposition, and one that will increase rapidly each year by automobile travel and, therefore PREPAREDNESS should be the watchword.

"Under the provision of the \$6,000,000.00 Bonding Bill, no money can be secured except for paving the road after the road bed has been prepared by the county, except in Columbia, Clatsop, Hood River, and Jackson counties.

"Union county pays about 2 1-10 per cent of taxes in the state and our share of auto license fund is about 24 per cent of total state fund. We would, therefore, pay into the state about \$130,000.00 of the \$6,000,000.00 bond issue.

"As I understand it, the cost of paving, after the road bed is prepared, is about \$8,000.00 per mile. Union county would, therefore, have to put in only about sixteen miles of paved roads in order to have returned the amount paid out under the provision of this act.

"I figure the total amount of money which would have to be raised to liquidate the provisions of House Bill No. 550 would be:

For the bonds	\$6,000,000.00
Int. on same	\$3,360,000.00
Making a total of	\$9,360,000.00

"While the provision of House Bill No. 21 would require:

For the bonds	\$1,800,000.00
Int. on same	\$1,440,000.00
Making a total of	\$3,240,000.00

necessary to liquidate House Bill No. 21.

"This would make a grand total of \$13,600,000.00 necessary to take care of both bills during the twenty-five years of their existence. Figuring our auto tax, as provided under the provisions of House Bill 509 at \$300,000.00 per year and the 1-4 mill tax at \$200,000.00 per year, would give us \$500,000.00 per year. Which in twenty-five years would amount to \$12,500,000.00.

"This would leave us \$1,100,000.00 short of the necessary amount, but the increase in assessable property and increase in auto licenses, during the time that these bonds would run, would a great deal more than make up the difference.

"I believe that these figures regarding the auto license fee very conservative from the fact that in 1915 there were only 23,000 autos licensed. "In 1916, 33,000. "In 1917, they estimate 40,000; and there will undoubtedly be a great increase in the next few years.

"House Bill 21 carried an emergency clause and is now a law. It will be of great assistance in making post and forest roads, as under its provisions most any kind of a permanent road improvement can be carried out and the county is not bound to any particular kind of a road bed. And under the provision of House Bill 550, 60 per cent of the funds made available by provisions of House Bill 21 shall be spent east of the Cascade Mountains.

"House Bill 550 is referred to vote of the people next June and, I think, it is entitled to and trust it will receive the hearty support of all Eastern Oregon.

In this manner we will assist in the formation of a PREPAREDNESS, which I do not think we will ever have cause to regret.

"As a matter of preparedness in case of war, good roads would be an important factor, as we read that in the case of the struggle on French soil nearly all supplies are transported by auto and it is the mobile army that carries the day.

"And in this age of car shortage, freight congestion, strikes, and lock-outs, war rumors and invasion by land and sea, nothing can be of greater value for PREPAREDNESS, either from business or defense standpoint, than GOOD ROADS."

Money To Loan

"Money to loan farm land, Lowest rates of interest, Prompt service, Loans our own money and do not sell our mortgages or notes."

Let me figure with you before you place a loan, \$8000, private money at 6 per cent.

I will make your loan so you will know what rate you are paying, and not make you think you are getting 5 or 6 per cent money when 10 to 15 per cent.

Henry T. Hill

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