

Follow Up Your Fight Against Flies As A Precaution Against Infantile Paralysis

As a precaution against a possible recurrence of last year's visitation of infantile paralysis a fight should be made against flies. It is generally recognized that the fly is the medium through which the disease is conveyed.

We carry a complete line of fly destroyers such as
POISON FLY PAPER, STICKY FLY PAPER, INSECT POWDERS, FLY SWATTERS, ETC., ETC.

Mothers are warned against permitting their children to eat out-doors in fly time or to partake of any food to which flies may have access.

La Grande Pharmacy

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

FIRST CIRCUS COMING.

Al G. Barnes' Wild Animal Circus Will Be in La Grande on Tuesday, June 26.

New circus program promised and the greatest educational pageant ever witnessed heads the meritorious program.

Yesterday it was finally decided and agreed that La Grande is to have its first circus of the season, on Tuesday, June 26.

The contract agent H. Davis is here and gone. The advertisers and press agents are on their way. Soon the Barnes advertising car No. 1, with its 40 bill-posters, will be seeking every available space upon which to hang the red, yellow and blue lithographs to delight the heart of the young lad. An extra brigade of experts with automobiles will help to cover the surroundings for miles and a week later advertising car No. 2 will arrive, to see that none miss the chance of knowing the Barnes Circus will come.

The circus, like the baseball game, is an American institution, and is dear to the heart of every American, be they boy, girl, man or woman, and as an American recreation receives the hearty response of every true American. The Barnes Circus is an original and genuine wild animal circus, two trains of double length cars are required to transport this mammoth educational institution. Over 1000 wild and domestic animals and 150 of the 500 people the Barnes Circus carries, makes up a program of 65 feature acts.

The food supplies for this enormous show is a matter worthy the consideration of any community, for the supplies are purchased in the towns in which they exhibit every 24 hours. The local advertising, bills, blacksmith supplies, auto supplies, miscellaneous supplies, hotel accommodations for the advance department of which there is all told about 125 persons, and railroad expenses, all run into a grand total. Then there are the crowds from the country, the crowds on the street, the crowds at the show, all go to make the circus worth while. It is the one big holiday event, and the circus pays the bills, rain or shine. Remember the big free street parade at 10:30 a. m. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m. Performances at 2 and 8 p. m.

The confidence, respect and admiration of the public have been won by the Al G. Barnes Circus, because they have been given just what they were promised, because the management adheres to strict honorable business principles and are ever mindful of the confidence, convenience and comforts of their patrons.

On the grounds a spacious white ticket wagon, with a corps of ticket sellers will wait on you. Vast arena of comfortable seats, every one so arranged as to give a perfect view of all the rings and arenas.

Four broad gateways leading into the animal and exhibit tents. Double width exits so as to permit free leave. Eight acres of water proof tents, cooled in hot weather by electric fans and lighted with electric generator from our own electric plants.

Grounds gayly and well lighted with electricity for the benefit of the night patrons and two great search lights to guide you to the main entrance and light your way to the side walks and streets.

Special space for parking autos and vehicles. Competent, capable and courteous reserved seat ticket sellers, uniformed ushers, caterers and attendants whose services are absolutely free. No contributions permitted.

Jungle nursery—Special space set aside for all baby animals and their mothers—A whole colony of baby animals.—Adv.

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

Friday Forenoon. Theory and Practice, Orthography, (Spelling), 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.—Adv. June 11-10t.

Thursday being La Grande's day at the Union Livestock show the city will close at 9:30 a. m. One delivery will be made, the regular 8:30. (Signed) Snodgrass grocery, Harris grocery, Mammoth grocery, Pattison Bros., White grocery, E. Polack, C. L. Thorne, Lee grocery, Joel grocery, R. V. Bassett.

Chinese Trial Tomorrow. (Continued from Page One)

made will be corrected. The grand jury found indictment against two of the Chinamen on a charge of assault with dangerous weapons, Chin Ping and Chin Barkey, claiming these two Chinamen shot Mrs. C. E. George. The jury also found indictment against other Chinamen accused of assault with connection of a certain disturbance happening a month before the other trouble in Chinatown. and Coolidge.gufmud..

Heard by Thousands---

—of people the continuous bombardment of the J. C. Penney Co. on excessive prices in La Grande and Union County since April 8, 1914. From that memorable morning in April to the present time it has been our constant aim to deliver to the customer in our store dependable merchandise at the very lowest price—If you are not a customer of this busy store—you should lose no time in becoming one—We sell for Cash—We never have special sales.

- Men's Work Shoes \$2.19, \$2.98, \$3.50, \$4.98
- Men's Work Sox 5c, 10c, 15c, 35c, 39c
- Men's Work Shirts 59c, 69c, 98c
- Men's Union Suits 49c, 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98
- Ladies' Gauze Vests 5c, 10c, 2 for 25c, 25c
- Ladies' Union Suits, all styles 39c, 49c
- Ladies' All Silk Bodice Unions 98c
- Suit Cases 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.90 to \$11.90
- Trunks \$8.90, \$9.90, \$10.50, \$11.50, \$12.50
- Window Shades 39c, 49c

THE STORE WHERE THE MASSES TRADE

J. C. Penney Co.
Incorporated
175 BUSY STORES
Formerly The United Store

FOLLOW THE CROWDS THERE'S A REASON

Personal And Society

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Mrs. Clyde Zimmerman was hostess to the F. A. F. club, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Chas. Beddingfield won first prize. Mrs. Bert Hughes second. A delicious two-course luncheon marked the close of a delightful afternoon.

Mrs. W. O. Bishop, of Boise, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. C. R. Hibberd.

NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—Furnished.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished house on O avenue. Phone Black 562.—Adv. 6-12-17f.

FOR SALE—A nice lot in a good residence part of the city, within six blocks of high school, 72 feet by 110 feet. Price \$300; \$25 down and \$5 a month.—F. N. Ford, 2019 Washington St.—Adv. 6-12-2tp.

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room cottage, close in; garden spot. Inquire Red 1451.—Adv. 6-12-17f.

FOR SALE—Auto. The best little Six in town. In perfect condition. Cheap for quick sale. Inquire Hilton's garage.—Adv. 6-12-17f1f

Announcements

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. H. Bohnenkamp and W. R. Jones has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Jones retiring from the business. W. H. Bohnenkamp Co. will pay all bills and collect all accounts of the firm.

W. H. BOHNENKAMP CO.
—Adv. 6-5-10t

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, June 27, 1917, at 9:00 a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 30, 1917, 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,

IRRESISTIBLE MARY PICKFORD in "A ROMANCE of the REDWOODS"



By Cecil B. De Mille and Jeanie Macpherson

Staged by CECIL B. DE MILLE

LAST TIME TODAY

ARCADE

The damage case of Stilwell and Prophet vs. Hill, McKennon and Coolidge over a claim of failure to deliver hay sold by defendant to plaintiff and destroyed by fire without fault of either, the verdict went to the plaintiffs, Prophet and Stilwell, the verdict being \$1705 and costs.

The damage case of Pomeroy vs. La Grande Investment Company and J. K. Wright over damages claimed through collision of defendants' automobile and the plaintiff Pomeroy while riding a bicycle has been on trial for several days.

The court will adjourn during the La Grande day at the Union Livestock show.

Railroads Must Have More Income

The "High Cost of Living" Has Hit Them Harder Than It Has the People.

Portland, Ore., June 12.—(Special)—The railroads of the country are asking that they be allowed an increase of 15 per cent in freight rates to enable them to meet increased cost of operation. The price of every commodity that the railroads use has advanced from 15 to over 200 per cent, but the cost of transportation remains the same.

The shippers of the country need adequate railroad facilities far more than they need low rates at the cost of bad and inefficient service, and it is but just and fair to the people whose savings are invested in our transportation systems that the return on their investments shall be protected.

Railroad rates are fixed by the Interstate and State Commissions, and the increases to which the carriers are entitled ought in fairness to be allowed. The carriers assert that if the increase is granted the money derived will not fully meet the increased costs and any deficit will have to be absorbed by them in part at the expense of the stockholders and by the curtailment of service and restriction of betterments, improvements and extension of lines.

If the equity of these claims is established by the carriers, then the Commissions should not hesitate in dealing with the situation broadly and liberally, without fear, with the assurance that a fair minded public will endorse their action.

The railroads are important factors in the development of the country. Their request that they be given the recognition due to a legitimate business undertaking which is menaced by increased cost of upkeep without commensurate return is sound.

In other words, the railroads ask the people to bear in mind the outstanding fact that adequate freight rates are necessary to adequate railway service.

F. L. Meyers Returns.

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president and E. G. Crawford, of the Lumbermen's National Bank, Portland, vice president. Mr. Cusick succeeds Mr. Meyers as president. Mr. Meyers was honored in being selected as vice president for Oregon of the American Bankers' association. Mr. J. L. Hartman, of Portland was re-elected secretary and Mr. F. C. Bramwell, of Grants Pass, is treasurer.

The people of Marshfield, North Bend and the banks of Coos county bend the occasion most enjoyable for those in attendance. This section of the state is growing rapidly since they obtained railroad facilities and the outlook there is bright.

UNION STOCK SHOW.

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Fifth Event—Class 12, Div. 51. Ladies driving pair of roadsters (trotter.)

Sixth Event—Class 14, Div. 53. Jumping contest. For horses 15-2 or over, ridden by gentlemen.

Seventh Event—Class 14 C, Div. 53. Best reined saddle horse. For horses 15-2 and over.

Eighth Event—Class 11 A, Div. 50. Lady driving single horse (pacer).

Ninth Event—Class 9 A, Div. 48. Gentleman's roadster (pacer).

Tenth Event—Class 30 C, Div. 151. Light boned stallions in harness.

Personal Mention

Stella Edvalson, of Union, was operated on yesterday at the Grande Ronde hospital for appendicitis. She is resting easily.

Superintendent and Mrs. Linden McCullough have welcomed a little stranger into their home, a baby girl who arrived Sunday evening. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mrs. Adolph Palmer, who has been quite ill, is reported better today. Her many friends will be glad to know she is improving.

Senator Pierce Speaks.

Weston, Or., June 12.—(Special)—State Senator Walter M. Pierce was the speaker of the day at the Annual Pioneers' Picnic here Saturday. Senator Pierce spoke on "The Causes of the Great War," showing that the war was partly due to the desire of the contending nations for colonial and commercial expansion and to the eternal battle between democracy and autocracy. Senator Pierce made a brilliant oration and was attentively listened to. In the afternoon he was again called upon and made an eloquent plea for the Red Cross.

Marines Study French.

Washington, June 12.—(Special)—"Ray-vay-yay mwah kong ler deenay ser-ah pray," is the proper way to tell a Frenchman to wake you up when dinner is ready, according to a little "French in one lesson" that has been distributed among the United States Marines who are going to France.

Every sea-soldier on the firing line will be supplied with a handy little pocket dictionary that contains about a thousand practical words and phrases, together with the phonetic pronunciation, according to Hannibal, Charlemagne, or whoever it was that originated the French language. It is just the size to fit handily into the breast-pocket of a uniform.

Doubtless the little poulu will lend a hand to his American comrade when he comes to a particularly knotty problem. Should the sea-soldier become peeved at the intricacies of the language, he may say, "Ock-oo-pay"—just like that. It means "busy."

BUTTER WRAPPERS for sale at The Observer Office.

Electrical Stock for Sale At Cost

	Regular	Sale
Franty Premier Vacuum Cleaners	\$ 35.00	\$27.50
Hotpoint Vacuum Cleaners	27.50	\$22.50
Thor Vacuum Cleaners	23.00	\$19.00
Thor Washing Machines	\$100.00	\$85.00
Hotpoint Irons	5.00	\$ 3.25
American Beauty Irons	5.50	\$ 3.75
Hotpoint, 3-lb Irons	4.00	\$ 3.00
Hotpoint Grills	6.50	\$ 4.50
Hotpoint Grills	6.00	\$ 4.00
Railroad Safety First Lanterns	5.50	\$ 4.00
Curling Irons	2.50	\$ 1.50
Water Heaters	4.00	\$ 2.75

All other articles, except lamps, at corresponding reductions.

I am forced to make these reductions as I have enlisted in the U. S. Army

These prices hold good for Wednesday Thursday and Friday only

Electric Supply Co.

Austin Brownell, Mgr. Main 726; 111 Depot St.