

THE OBSERVER'S COMMUNITY PAGE

THE BUSINESS MEN OF LA GRANDE ARE VITALLY INTERESTED IN THE GROWTH OF THE COMMUNITY HAVE INVESTED THEIR CAPITAL HERE, ARE ALL EMPLOYERS OF LABOR, HELP TO SWELL THE PAYROLL AND CIRCULATE THE HOME DOLLAR. THEIR GOODS ARE EQUAL TO THOSE OF THE BIG CITY STORES. DEAL WITH THEM. KEEP YOUR MONEY AT HOME. BOOST FOR LA GRANDE, UNION AND WALLOWA COUNTIES—A GREATER, BETTER, MORE PROSPEROUS EASTERN OREGON

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House Wiring, Motors, Vacuum Cleaning, Electric Irons, Washers, Etc.
Most complete line of Electric Appliances in the County.
Contracting and Electrical Supplies. Estimates furnished.

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Blue Mountain Butter, Cream, Milk, Buttermilk, Ice Cream

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS
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Our Motto: Promptness and Courtesy.

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The best quality of bread, pies, cakes and cookies.
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THE HOME OF FANCY GROCERIES
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La Grande, Ore.
The Bank That Takes Care of Your Deposits.
We have Safety Deposit Boxes for rent. The only Safe Place to keep your Liberty Bonds.

LA GRANDE NATIONAL BANK

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Capital \$200,000, Surplus, \$40,000
President, F. J. Holmes
Phone Main 28
Cashier, F. L. Meyers

STANDARD LAUNDRY

1416 Jefferson
DRY CLEANING, DYEING
Phone Main 58

BUY LOCAL PRODUCTS

Both merchants and residents of La Grande should purchase their HOME INDUSTRY PRODUCTS and assist in circulating the Home Payroll Money locally.

La Grande has several industries that should be helped along by every resident. We have a large, modern Bakery, Cigar factory, Meatpackers, Children's Toy Factory, Ironworks, Lumber Yards and other industries. Merchants should keep in stock the products of our local industries, and residents should use and consume them. Foster your Home industries. Build up YOUR OWN community. Keep the Home dollar circulating in and around your Home Town. Call for your Home products first. Don't take "something just as good."

If merchants will buy and make a little effort to sell La Grande and Oregon products, they will find the consumer ready to come more than half way to meet them. It also means increased payrolls.

REMEMBER, THIS IS HOME PRODUCTS WEEK FOR OREGON.

Every new addition to a La Grande payroll means additional prosperity to the merchant. It often means also another house sold or rented. Another family added to the community. Buy La Grande and Oregon products.

Shop early. It is only three (3) weeks to Christmas.

The Portland merchants claim that the Portland ship-building strike affected their receipts very materially. Sales of all classes of goods fell off. The direct result of a smaller payroll. BOOST the La Grande payroll. Don't



BE CONSISTENT

If by buying everything possible of our local merchant the community as a whole is benefitted, then the community is doubly benefitted when it purchases the products of our local manufacturing concerns, and it's just as well to mention right here that any merchant who shouts "Shop at Home" and yet does not carry in stock the products manufactured here in our own community, is not sincere or consistent, for in no way can any community derive more staple and lasting benefits than by fostering and encouraging its manufacturing industries. Let us make a firm resolution to not only "BUY AT HOME," but to buy goods "MADE AT HOME."

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS ON HIS PROPERTY.

The J. D. Lynch Company are making some improvements on their property a block east of the R. R. Depot. The office has been enlarged and windows built in the rear, giving them a view of the wood yard and railroad spur. The office has also about double the former space. This firm handles a large fuel business, fire proof storage and makes a specialty of heavy drayage. J. D. Lynch was formerly a train dispatcher and came to La Grande from Utah six years ago, starting the Merchants Delivery Co. Later he and Mr. Stewart bought the McClure fuel business, Lynch running the wood and coal end and Mr. Stewart the merchants delivery. Two years ago Mr. Lynch purchased his partner's interest and since that time has devoted his entire attention to the fuel, drayage and storage business, in which he is ably assisted by his wife, who acts as cashier and office manager.

How to Prevent Croup.
In a child that is subject to attacks of croup, the first indication of the disease is hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off and all danger and anxiety avoided.—adv.

LA GRANDE NATIONAL BANK.

The Oldest Banking Institution in Union County. Established 30 Years Ago.

The La Grande National Bank was the first bank established in Union County, the late Henry Anson being its first president, and W. H. McDonald, now retired from active business life and living in Portland, was its first cashier. Its capital was \$60,000.

F. L. Meyers, cashier of the La Grande National, has been with the bank for the past 27 years and is the oldest employee, as none of the original clerks or officers are now connected with the institution. He has seen it grow from a small bank with \$60,000 capital to its present size, having a capital stock of \$200,000 and assets of \$1,492,679.34 according to its last report.

The bank is a United States depository and also a Postal Savings Depository. The officers are thoroughly acquainted with the two counties in which their depositors and customers live and are liberal in their treatment of their clients, but are also known as conservative bankers. It is their wide and thorough knowledge of local conditions that allows of such a combination. The last report shows loans and discounts of \$1,065,328.46 and all gilt-edge.

The great prosperity of the Grande Ronde Valley, in particular, is owing very much to the liberal treat-

ment of the ranchers and business men by the La Grande banks.

The present officers and directors of the La Grande National are: President, F. J. Holmes; vice-president, C. C. Penington; cashier, F. L. Meyers; assistant cashiers, Earl Zindel and H. E. Coolidge; directors, A. T. Hill, J. G. Snodgrass, J. P. Conley, A. Blokland and Dr. H. R. Brownman.

NEWLIN BOOK STORE.

The Newlin Book and Stationery Co. have been established in La Grande for the past 30 years; the original store being started as a department in the drug store of Miss Newlin's father, F. Newlin, who was the first druggist locating in La Grande.

The store is one of the largest in La Grande and carries a very complete assortment of office supplies and stationery as well as books. There are also well stocked departments of sheet music, Edison and Victrola records and machines, running in price up to \$250.00.

The novelty counters contain well selected assortments suitable for Christmas presents, ranging from flexible leather presentation books, ivory desk and toilet articles and many other pretty and inexpensive articles. Christmas goods are now being displayed and many beautiful designs in Christmas cards can be found on the counters.

It pays to advertise.

U. LOTTES

1116 Jefferson
A GENTLEMAN'S RESORT—Cigars, Tobacco, Lunches, Soft Drinks and Confectionery.
Phone Black 51

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Cigar Manufacturer
1409 Adams Avenue
La Flor de Hackman, La Napoleon, C. B. Little H., C. E. H. Cuban Smokers.
Phone Main 778

BLACKMON MILLINERY

Opposite Newlin's Book Store
The Only Exclusive Millinery in La Grande.
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WILSON PROS. TAILORS

New Foley Building
Cleaning, Pressing and Hat Blocking.
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Andrew Bros. THE TOGGERY
LADIES' AND GENTS' CUSTOM-MADE TAILORS
"The Best Is the Cheapest." High-Grade Gents' Furnishings, Repairing and French Dry Cleaning
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HILL'S DEP'T STORE

1209 Adams Avenue
The best of everything for Ladies and Gentlemen, Boys and Girls.—
The Store of Quality Goods.
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SIEGRIST & COMPANY

Jewelers
1110 Adams Avenue
The Largest Jewelry Store in Eastern Oregon.
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POULTRY AND STOCK SHOW OPENS TODAY

Bids from All Coast Cities Will Be Entered at Show

PORTLAND, Dec. 2.—Two thousand birds and animals from every large city on the coast made up the annual poultry and pet stock show, which opened here today under the auspices of the Oregon Poultry and Pet Stock association.

The affair is distinctly a war show. Food conservation as applied to the chicken coop will feature the discussions of the association's meetings. The price of poultry feed has gone skyward since the war started.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This is not only one of the best and most efficient medicines for coughs, colds and croup, but is also pleasant and safe to take, which is important when medicine must be given to children. Many mothers have given it their unqualified endorsement.—adv.

THE CONSERVATION FOR RANCHERS.

On another page will be seen the advertisement of the Holt Caterpillar Tractor. Tractors mean more acreage at less cost. This is true conservation. It means more acreage plowed and seeded in less time, more flour and bread for our boys at the front, who are fighting for the preservation of our country and the liberty of the world, also more food for the starving peoples of Europe.

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A. Newlin, Manager.
1302 Adams Avenue
WE ARE NO FARTHER THAN YOUR PHONE—Prescriptions, Druggist Sundries, Stationery, Confectionery.
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1114 Adams Avenue
Let us supply your books, office supplies and Stationery needs.
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Hardware, Ranch and Mill Supplies, Building Material, Stoves, House Furnishing, Etc.

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1301 Adams Avenue
Hardware and House Furnishing Goods, Wall Paper, Paints and Oils, Builders' and Plumbers' Supplies, Cutlery, Guns, Ammunition, Fishing Tackle.
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1317 Adams Avenue
The largest furniture and house furnishings store in Eastern Oregon. Everything for the Home or Office.
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THE DALLES SECOND HAND STORE & JUNK SHOP

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EXIDE BATTERY SERVICE STATION. OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING. MACHINE WORK.
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The B. C. Hamilton Garage, Jefferson and Fir Streets.
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Motor Cycles and Bicycles. RUBBY'S CYCLE SHOP.
Washington and Depot St.
Motorcycle and Bicycle Supplies and Repairing.
GASOLINE AND OILS. Phone Red 651

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Depot, Opposite Elks Club. Smith's Garage
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1117 Washington Street

Central Appreciates Your Kindness

There are three operators concerned in every telephone call—you, the party you are talking to and "central."

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The telephone operators are human, just as you are.

Being human, they appreciate kindness and courtesy, but resent unkindness and discourtesy just as any of us do.

Kindness begets kindness, courtesy creates courtesy and patience encourages patience.

If you wish to get the best out of your telephone, make it a point to be kind and courteous to the operators.

Home Independent Telephone Co.