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BAKER FARMER SHOT DOWN

Langley Killed by Unidentified Man in Brush. BAKER, O., Dec. 19.—Ita Langley, well-known cattleman of the Crook, near Rye Valley, was shot and killed this morning by an unidentified person who was hidden in the brush near the road.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the United States National Bank of La Grande, Oregon, is called to meet in their directors' room on Tuesday, January 14, 1919, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting any other business that might come before said meeting.

until their successors are elected and quality, and such other business will be considered as may properly offer. F. L. MEYERS, Cashier. Daily from Dec. 13 to Jan. 14.

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financial preparedness means having money banked—a reserve fund that can be readily drawn upon to meet either emergency or opportunity.

A Savings Account in this Institution is an insurance fund for the future.

United States National Bank La Grande, Ore.

Real Economy. Bread making becomes a pleasure—fallen bread or cake is unknown with Crescent Baking Powder.

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Professional Directory. ATTORNEYS. COCHRAN & EBERHARD—Geo. T. Cochran and Colton R. Eberhard, Attorneys, La Grande National Bank Building.

HEATERS. RIGHT NOW is the time for you to buy your heater. We have a complete line of new and used coal and wood heaters, for you to pick from.

Furniture Exchange. FURNITURE EXCHANGE. 121 W. Adams Street, La Grande, Oregon.

Mrs. J. W. Williams Gains 25 Pounds

Says the Way Tanlac Helped Her is Nothing Short of Wonderful. According to the testimony of multiplied thousands who have tried it, there is nothing so well-adapted to the needs of a run-down system as Tanlac, and in every case where a fair test of its powers is made another enthusiastic witness is the invariable result.



is superior to any other front lace corset, for without the Vental features no corset can possibly be just as good. It contains the master touch of scientific construction.

La Camille. A complete line always on hand, priced at \$2.50 up. Mrs. Robt. Pattison Corsetiere Phone Red 3221 Res. 1702 Oak Street.

YANKS DO THE "IMPOSSIBLE"

For First Time in History Stone Houses Have Been Successfully Moved in France. Declaring that is the first time that a stone house has been moved in France, Sergeants Abe Griesner and Mike Murphy of Company C have recently finished a job of moving a 350-ton structure and have set it down on its new site.

New Surgical Battle Formation

The French Aid Society for Wounded Soldiers (Societe Francaise de Secours aux Blesses Militaires) has devised a new type of surgical ambulance which meets the needs arising during active military operations. This ambulance can be advanced and moved back quickly, being essentially different from those in use for some months. Furthermore, it enables the surgeons to render speedy, immediate and complete service to patients with extensive wounds of the thorax, abdomen or head.

Long Record of Work

Miss Jessie E. Cone of Granville, Mass., has worked for more than 22 years tacking hoops on drums in the Granville drum shops, averaging 2,000 hoops a day. She has used the same hammer all the time and has worn out three handles in the work.

British Air Uniform

British air ministry announces in London that a light blue uniform has been approved for officers, and a brown of the royal air force. Some months must elapse before the new uniform can be generally provided, but khaki uniform will shortly be available, and will gradually be replaced by blue uniform.

When Meat Was Cheap

The proprietor of "Sweets," an old New York Riverside restaurant that has gone into bankruptcy, says: "When I came here, after the Civil war, to help out my father, we used to cook and serve the finest steaks in the world for 6 cents—and make money on them, too."

Gas Masks for Horses

The war department recently announced that more than 5,000 gas masks for horses were being turned out daily by the gas defense service and that they are being shipped at once to France for the use of the animals employed by the American expeditionary forces.

An Eastman Kodak would be a very fine Christmas present and you can find them at any price in fit your pocketbook at

Silverthorn's. SILVERTHORN'S. FAMILY DRUG STORE. LA GRANDE, OREGON.

ACQUIRING A PERFECT FIGURE



Most women who have perfect figures did not have them originally. They have acquired them. A woman gradually takes the shape of her corset so the corset produced by the most artistic designer is the right one to wear to secure a perfect figure.

MODART CORSETS. Front Laced. are most symmetrically and artistically designed. They are comfortable, stylish and gradually mold the figure into those beautiful lines that every woman admires and desires. PAULINE LEDERLE

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Fraternal Directory. GOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Camp No. 169 meets every first and third Monday at Eagles Hall. All visiting neighbors welcome. Dues payable at the office of the clerk, New Foley Bldg., 9 a. m., to 5 p. m. J. J. MURCHISON, C. G. R. J. KITCHEN, Clerk

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA—La Grande Camp No. 7793 meets on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month in the K. of P. Hall. Visiting neighbors welcome. L. J. MURHALL, V. C. W. F. ASHMAN, Clerk

E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially welcomed. SADIE E. GIVEN, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.

K. of L. of Security—Mt. Emily Council No. 245, meets the second and fourth Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Eagles hall. Visiting members are welcome. ABE HARRIS, Fin'l. Sec. J. K. FITZGERALD, Pres.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. holds regular meetings first and third Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons. ROBERT S. EAKIN, W. M. A. C. WILLIAMS, Sec.

F. O. EAGLES, AERIE NO. 259—Meet every Friday night, at Eagles Hall. Visiting members welcome. J. P. STACEY, W. P. LEE BELLINGER, Secretary

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 59 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members are invited to attend. ROSA GLASS, W. G. LUCIA HALEY, Rec. Sec.

L. O. O. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 850, Loyal Order of Moose holds regular meetings every Wednesday night at 8 p. m. in Eagle hall next to Elks' Bldg. on Washington Ave. Visitors always welcome. Dues payable at Young's Sweets. W. C. HANSEN, Die. HARRY SWART, Sec.

B. P. O. E. ELKS, La Grande Lodge No. 433, Lodge meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Home and club privileges cheerfully extended to all Brother Elks. R. J. GREEN, Exalted Ruler. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Tria Camp meets every second Friday afternoon and every fourth Friday evening, every month in E. P. Hall. All visiting members cordially welcome. HENRIETTA GHARST, Oracle MARY L. WEST, Recorder. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night at Castle Hall (K. of P. Hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights. J. L. ROBERTSON, C. C. DELILE GREEN, K. of R. & S.