

La Grande Evening Observer

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THE OFFICE CAT



of a long list of robbers... captured after evading the officers for several days...

Sible Thought. For Today

THE GREATEST VICTORY:— It that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his own spirit than he that taketh a city.

THE BEST INDICATION YET HEARD

After listening to the speeches made by men who know what they are talking about at the Livestock association meeting in Enterprise, there is no longer a doubt but that the cattle business is going to get better.

Mr. Bixby sees a cattle famine in two years in the United States and he speaks from figures and averages covering the past. He sees better marketing conditions, and these will be brought by his efforts along with other large producers.

COMMENCEMENT

The glad time of the year when the girl graduate dressed in white with the commencement time perfume is at hand; when boys clad in conventional black sit modestly on the stage and hear the oft told stories of men who make good.

UNION'S ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE

The dates for the Union Live Stock show show up soon and it is then that our neighboring city will open wide the homes, the hotel and the entire community to the outsiders whom they invite to come and take part in a show which with a small start has grown to be one of the very big things of its kind in the nation.

Law.

Is this becoming a nation of law-breakers? Is public opinion swinging round to the point where being found out is the one great crime? When one considers the booze situation and the reckless driving situation, it looks sometimes as if this were so.

DASH AND DAMN.

"Shoot and be cursed," a Boston man is said to have replied to a gun man's request to "throw up your hands."

REMEMBER ADMIRAL FARRAGUT?

"Damn the torpedoes," When we get too nice to read about a good, healthy team we ought to be laid away, tenderly wrapped in pink wool.

SAFE.

Boston Transcript: While an English politician was talking on taxation he was interrupted by a man shouting: "Are you going to tax my food? Are you going to tax my food?"

WHEN ONE CLAIM ADJUSTER FAINTS.

Judge: Out in Wyoming a train ran over the cow of a Swedish farmer named Ole Olson. The claim adjuster went out to the house of Ole to adjust the claim likely to be made by Ole for the loss of the cow.

Some people never say anything for a rainy day except the umbrella they borrowed the last time it rained.

There's a new feeling of freedom in the land.

"There's a new feeling of freedom in the land," That comes of getting out of our form-fitting heavy outer.

Even the mildest of husbands is a little peeved when he finds feminine garments on his own private book in the closet.

A man seldom realizes he has taken a better half until too late.

Some deals are put through promptly; some by congress.

Teacher—What is the Order of the Bath?

Johany—Well, Harry comes first, then me, then Willie, and then the bath.

Youngson—That kid of mine always reminds me of politics.

Wigwag—Politics? How do you mean?

Youngson—He's so hard to keep clean.

Just Thirty Years Ago in the Grande Ronde Valley

May 27, 1922 The case of the State vs. Abner Hall, indicted for the crime of murder of Patrick Sheehan in the La Grande Saloon was concluded Tuesday.

Appearance indicates that the Pacific Interstate base ball league will fall through despite the organization and adoption of a schedule at Baker last week.

The main excursion and picnic under the auspices of the La Grande band will take place tomorrow.

At about the same time that La Grande's water system will be in operation the new electric light plant will also be ready to shed a glittering lustre on the streets and in the homes of La Grande.

Charles A. Fitch will soon begin the publication of a paper in La Grande. It will be known as the "Union County Farmer," and will be an advocate of alliance principles.

Some of the Pennsylvania machine politicians seem to be taking to the tail timber; and Mr. Pinchot has kindly provided them with plenty of it.

The Bookworm

Boys' Books. There are over 500 muscles in a boy's body but not a one to keep him still. Now that the long school vacation is at hand the past week has been observed in many places throughout the United States as Boys' Week.

and excitement of whale fishing.

"High Benton," by Heyliger. How a boy wanted to quit school, but stuck it out and made good.

"Three Musketeers," by Dumas. "All for one—one for all" was the slogan of those darling soldiers.

"Young Trailers," by Altsheuler. Story of Henry Ware and pioneer days in Kentucky.

Use these lists when you buy books or borrow them at the library:

"Adventures of Tom Sawyer," by Twain. "The Life of Mark Twain," by Payne, tells of many of the haunts of Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn.

"Abraham Lincoln," by Itzweck. He beats his way north and we follow him through logging and mining camps and prison until he finally reaches his home.

"Harmful Lee," by Bennett. Harmful escapes from pirates and has stirring adventures among the Dutch of New Amsterdam.

"Black Arrow" by Stevenson. A story of an outlaw band in England by the author of "Treasure Island."

"Boy's Home Book of Science and Construction," by Morgan. An up-to-date book with plans and descriptions of many modern inventions.

"Boy's Life of Abraham Lincoln," by Nisley. He had few books but knew them well. They were his friends.

"Boy's Life of Theodore Roosevelt," by Hagedorn. Told by one who knew him well.

"Camping and Woodcraft" by Kipling. Secrets of woodcraft by one who knows; one of the best books on the subject.

"Captives of the Cachelot," by Bullen. A fascinating account of the dangers

When All Roads From School Lead Home... Miss Student Renews Her Acquaintance with "West's" Fashions and "West's" Values... SWEATERS Of Pure Silk or Wool... OUTING APPAREL... Pretty New Silk Hose... Have Hand Embroidered Clox Black, Grey, White... Sale of Coats and Suits Now Going On Big Reductions!

SHOP TEAM IS LOSER TO PERRY (Special to The Observer) PERRY, May 27.—The baseball game played at the fair grounds at La Grande resulted in a victory for the local team who were playing the La Grande shop team.

There is no life so humble but that it can find some noble work to do! A half-breed strain divided him from his fellowmen. Within himself he was torn by the primitive coming of one race and the civilization and intelligence of the other.

AN INCOME OF \$100.00 A WEEK amounts to no more than \$10.00 a week in the end if it is all spent as you go. Sound business judgment dictates that a portion of your earnings be set aside as a reserve against possible future misfortune or sickness and as a means of gaining financial independence.

Rosemary Theby and Rex Ballard in "ACROSS the DIVIDE" Also Showing Comedy SUNDAY ONLY ARCADE MONDAY 4 Acts Vaudeville 5 Reel Feature