

Christmas Shopping Made Easy



In selecting gifts it is always agreeable to have helpful suggestions.

Visit our men's furnishing department in picking out your X-mas presents for the men folks. We have a wonderful assortment of shirts, ties, socks, and many other suggestions that would make a pleasing as well as a useful gift. Our help would be pleased to help in any way possible in making the right selection.

Don't forget our Fashion Park and Kirschbaum line of suits and overcoats. They are tailored to fit—at

Hill's Department Store

RELIGIOUS EXERCISE
Two shipwrecked sailors were on a desert island. They were utterly miserable, pinched with hunger and cold. The one more wretched than the other said to his companion, something religious; let's have a col-
"Can you pray, Bill?"
"No."
"Can you sing a hymn?"
"No."
"Well," said the first, "Let's have a lecture."
RAGS Wanted at The Observer.

UNION MEETING

ALL CHURCHES

TOMORROW

(SUNDAY EVENING; 7:30 P. M.)

AT
METHODIST CHURCH

Rt. Rev. Wm. Remington

EPISCOPAL BISHOP OF EASTERN OREGON

Speaker

Held in Connection With "Older Boys' Conference"
LA GRANDE CITIZENS AND VISITORS INVITED

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Let Me Teach You to THINK!

Learn to Think and Thereby Trust Yourself.

Ralph Whipple Anderson

A man who is a practical business man, equipped with college experience, will organize a class in Thinking, based on the teachings of Ralph Waldo Emerson, in Room 117, Foley Hotel, Monday evening, December 11th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

It is the best self-help a man or woman ever found. It trains one to think and think deeply in a practical manner.

Be present and learn of this great power which is possessed by everyone.

The first high school dance of the year was held last evening in the high school gym, with the school board and faculty acting as patrons for the evening. The affair was a pronounced success, and a large number of students were present to enjoy the evening.

Following a short program the students adjourned to the gym where the remainder of the evening was devoted to dancing. The gym was decorated in the high school colors in the form of blue and white streamers, and a large white L formed the center decoration. The dancing continued until 11:30, the music furnished by Olsen's orchestra.

The members of the Parkdale club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon Wednesday of this week when they met with Mrs. E. J. Beaudette on Third street.

The home was artistically adorned in will grass, leaves and mistletoe suggestive of Christmas.

Following a short business session a program was given, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Bertha Berger; Current Events by Mrs. Babbie A. talk on "100 per cent Husband and Father" by Mrs. J. B. Stoddard and Mrs. Henry Young; and a group of Miss Bertha Young's pupils. Harvey Carter, Clyde Lammey, Floyd Colledge, and Mrs. Gates, assisted by Miss Young, presented Hope March by Tallin arranged for strings.

At the close of the program a social hour followed, during which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison A. Zarbrick entertained the Evening Bridge Club at their home on Main avenue Thursday night.

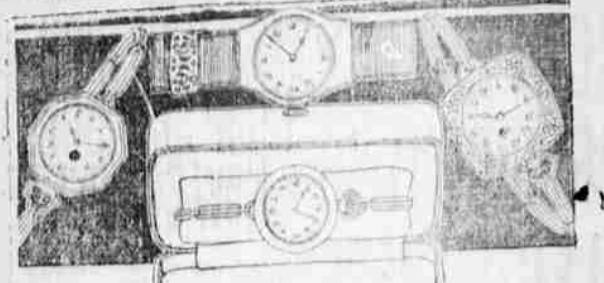
Six tables of bridge were arranged the club prizes falling to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Freese and the guest prize to H. E. Dixon.

Decorations consisting of cut flowers, holly, and other embellishments pertaining to Christmas adorned the rooms.

Following the evening play a delicious two-course luncheon was served.

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AN ANNOUNCEMENT
This year the Richardson Art and Gift Shop has the most complete line of Art and Gift Merchandise ever shown in Eastern Oregon. All of the very latest things in pictures, art mirrors, lamp shades of every plane silk for all sizes and styles of lamps, book-ends, candle sticks of all kinds, seventeen different lines of pottery both domestic and imported in flower bowls, vases, fruit dishes, and jardiniere, baskets of all sizes and shapes, hand painted china and glassware, heavy cut glass, new Bohemian and luster glassware, brass and copper goods, a wonderful assortment of little gifts for every member of the family and friends, besides all this we enlarge, color, tint and frame every kind of picture. 12-9-22



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Christmas is on the way and we advise your having your selection put away for you while our stock is complete.

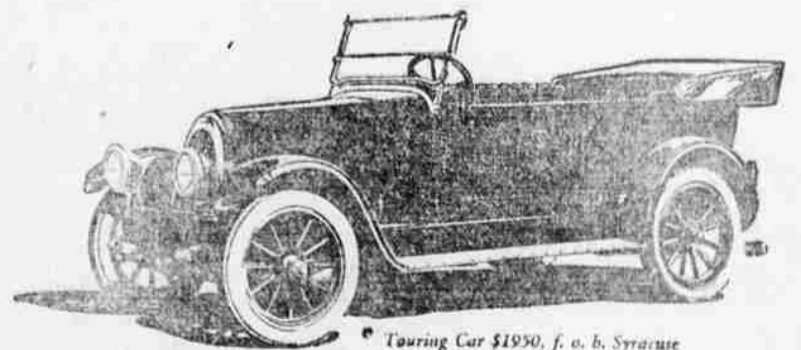
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