

# OFFICE CAT

## HOW IT HAPPENED

Bill Jones no longer owns a factory. He specialized in fancy stocks. Not livestock—his was not.

It would be interesting to know how much of the pious feeling people have on Sunday is a result of the Saturday night lull.

The whisky now on the market is more or less accurately defined as a "combination of water, denatured alcohol, the rind and a few labels," by biology tells the world.

They tell me that fellow has money to burn.  
"He must have got hold of some German marks."

About the only time a man has the last word is when he says, "Here is the money, then."

## SOME DIFFERENCE

Chauffeur—Say, Bud, how far is it to Louisville?  
"Ray," says the driver, "the way you are going now it is just 24,936 miles, but if you turn around it is only four miles."

A literary person never reads the columns in a newspaper in public. He waits until he gets home and alone.

Did you ever see anything funnier than a little man trying to impress others with his dignity? Ye gods and little devils.

We Would Surely Like to Vote For You Next Time.  
Mr. Hudson

We don't know what office Mr. Hudson ran for or what he sells, but this two column display in the Wells-Ville, Mo. Optic News wins in the game—loser collect.

Your vote was appreciated, although I was defeated by a small majority.  
I still have a few bargains to offer you.

J. C. HUDSON

There is no bargain counter in the brain market.

A La Grande man says business is better, but it isn't as good as it was last year.

The chief interest in life with some people is that at the bank.

## YOU BET!

"Let the hawthorn bow,  
And the poplar bend,  
And the growler grow,  
And the scumbler go to it;  
Behind the night,  
There is plenty of light,  
And things are right,  
And I know it."

Amos Tash's idea of a kind, considerate person, is one who could play a saxophone but doesn't wish to.

## A PROPOSAL

She—I wish I had your talent.  
He—Well, that goes with me.

## Cough Attacks Throat.

"Have been afflicted with bronchial trouble for years," writes Mrs. Hedmille, Richardson Park, Ind. "Cold weather always brought on a bad cough that affected my throat. Could not speak above a whisper. Used several remedies but nothing gave me the quick relief I got from Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped my cough. For coughs, colds, croup, throat, chest and bronchial trouble use Foley's Honey and Tar. The largest selling cough medicine in the world. Insist upon Foley's."—Adv.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



THE FAMILY MOVING THROUGH TOWN, YESTERDAY, CROPPED THEIR CHINA WASH BOWL AND PITCHER ON MAIN STREET.

Since the imperative demand that all business be cleaned up.

Count your corns. If you haven't more than six, Newlin Drug Company.

EASTER WEEK SALE on all hats at French & Greene. Mrs. H. Metcalf.

THE DEPOT POOL HALL. Now open under new management. Candy, cigars, tobacco and carnis. Your patronage solicited.

If your hair or scalp is troubling you, why not buy a bottle of our germicide and dandruff eradicant. It will give you quick relief, it stops dandruff within 10 days, stops falling of the hair. 75c and \$1.50 a bottle at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

Modern dance, Wednesday night at Zuber, April 4th. Music by Olson's orchestra.

Room 6 Sommer Bldg. Open from 9 to 6. Evenings and Sundays on Appointment. Phone 575-W.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our sincere thanks and deep appreciation of the many kindnesses shown to us during the bereavement of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Sarah Burnett, to those who so freely loaned their cars, and to those constant friends who were with us to the last; also for the many beautiful floral tributes.

Always fine values in stationery. All the new shapes in envelopes and paper, beautiful tints and plain white. Pound packages of paper at 50c, 60c and 75c. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

Reliable nursery stock. Get yours for spring. Also reliable help furnished on short notice, male or female. Call Main 744. 217 Depot street, or 283-J, 1617 Fourth street. Kilby & Crouse.

NOTICE. Trust us for trusses. Quality and fit guaranteed. Newlin Drug Company.

NOTICE OF COLLECTION. All parties indebted to the firm of Stiles & Ellidge are requested to pay such indebtedness at once either at the office of the company or to Mr. Ellidge. The firm has made a change and Mr. Ellidge is retiring.

RED PEPPERS END RHEUMATIC PAINS. When you are suffering with rheumatism as you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Frees the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and the old rheumatism torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Use it for lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, colds in chest. Almost instant relief awaits you. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Willow Glenn NURSERY. All kinds of shade and ornamental trees, fruit trees, shrubbery, lawn seed and small plants. Buy at home and save money. Proprietor.

Alfred Milne. 808 Kaler, Ave. Phone 577-W.

FRANK R. SUYDAM General Repair Shop. Furniture Repaired and Refinished. Household Repairing of All Kinds. 106 Fir St. Phone 513-J.

EASTER WEEK SALE on all hats at French & Greene. Mrs. H. Metcalf.

HART'S PHOTO STUDIO. High grade portraits, kodak pictures professionally finished. Real portraits made from your best kodak negatives. Ask about it. Copying and enlarging properly done. Second floor Palmer-Roesch Bldg., opposite West's store.

Colds Are Contagious. Coughs and colds are contagious and require prompt treatment, as they spread or develop into Flu and Grippe. Take no chance when you can get Foley's Honey and Tar for a few cents and quickly check coughs and colds.

Easter Monday Ball at Rex Hall April 2nd, given by Shriners' Club.

CHAIN WOOD—Order now. Grande Ronde Lumber Co.

NOTICE. We still have some machinery on hand, and as we are closing out our stock, we can save you some money. Anyone interested, call and see us.

Let HEACOCK of Enterprise, Oregon, install your Radiophone, and it will work right.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final account as executrix of the last will and testament of John S. Clark, deceased, and that the County Court of Union County, Oregon, has fixed Monday, the 7th day of May, 1923, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m., in the County Court room in the Court House in the City of La Grande, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said final account and for the settlement of said estate.

Have you seen Fager about painting your car. Phone 337-J. Shop at 1902 Greenwood St.

Autograph albums, a nice assortment for young girls and school children. See them at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.

PARIS BEAUTY PARLOR. Hemstitching and pleat edge by Mrs. E. C. Tuckey, 1808 Second street. 242-J.

Call a physician. Then begin "emergency" treatment with VICKS VAPORUB. Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly.



## Step Out for Easter in Stylish Foot Wear

We are now showing a complete line of the new styles in spring and summer footwear. Shoes for all occasions at popular prices, from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

## The Bootery Inc.

"A Paradise for Tired Feet" 206 Depot Street Phone Main 118 GROVER SMITH, Mgr.

## Now is Your Chance

Would you, if some one should offer you any piece of Rogers 1847 Silver for one-half the regular price take advantage of it. That is exactly what we offer if you make your want known and present only 25 wrappers off MEDO-MAID tall cans evaporated milk.

The wrappers cost you nothing. You are buying the wrappers when you buy MEDO-MAID milk. You are buying a good milk—nothing equal to it, in fine quality.

## We Want You to Use it

Your grocer will be glad to supply you with it. It is the only Oregon milk sold here.

## UNION CREAMERY CO.

Phone Main 122 La Grande, Ore.

## PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache, no sneezing, sniffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head, soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.

## Bargains

HIGHWAY ACRES ON ADAMS AVE. AND PAVED HIGHWAY ONE BLOCK OUTSIDE OF THE CITY LIMITS. \$225 AND \$498 PER ACRE. GOOD TERMS.

A DANDY four-room house and large lot, near the High School and paved street. Electric lights, city water, and free irrigation. \$1550. \$100 cash, \$25 per month.

A NEW six-room, strictly modern bungalow on 8th street. \$4200. \$1500 cash, \$25 per month.

20 FINE LOTS in block one Commodore's Addition. \$225 each. \$25 cash, \$10 per month.

A FINE 1921 FORD touring car. \$250. A Ford runabout \$120.

## Pyramid Land Co.



## Next Sunday Is Easter

Now comes the natural new year—according to Nature's own calendar, daily proving more and more that last year's leaves are not expected to be dangling from this year's trees.

To this day of NEW THINGS this store contributes, bringing from the four corners of everywhere ten thousand and one things of NEWNESS, too. New ideas in comfort and utility—the newest expressions of today's taste and culture, refinement and fancy.

Every department is astir with this spirit of newness Easter brings, and you cannot help but be thrilled as you choose for yourself from the new things all about you the particular new things that are to belong to you, and nobody else.

## HILLS DEPT STORE

## NOTICE

Country Club Members Annual Meeting—Election of Seven Directors Club House, Monday, April 2, 8 P. M.

N. W. FREES, Secretary.

## FURNISH YOUR HOME WITH GOOD FURNITURE

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT

WE SELL THE

# Way Sagless Spring



## W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.

La Grande's Pioneer Home Furnishers.



Thanking God for having eyes with which to see and then abusing them eight hours a day doesn't sound consistent.

The way some people treat their eyes would lead one to think that new ones could be bought anywhere, any time, at about twenty-five cents a pair.

People actually daily-daily with one of the most precious assets with which they are endowed. For such new. How much could you earn tomorrow if you should suddenly become blind? But you don't have to become wholly blind to reduce the value of your vision. In this highly organized and specialized world of today you've got to put things over a little better than the other fellow to keep the world coming your way. Poor vision will slow you up and let the other fellow pass.

If you have been wearing the job with headaches and getting a generally rotten feeling during the day, consider these conditions advance notice from a couple of fragments of paper that they are becoming impatient at their condition of employment and are going on a strike!

Wisdom would suggest consultation. They'll explain loyal employees if you send them halfway. A visit here—a careful examination—a pair of properly fitted glasses—will put them in a cheerful mood once more.

Very sincerely,

## DR. W. M. PEARE

Optometrist, With J. H. Peare & Son