



### Christmas Morning

Do not take a chance on disappointing your husband, brother or dearest friend. Give him a world renowned Huckel Belt and Buckle. Make him a gift which he will recognize as an established correct American style.

Westenhaver & Gilbert

## DECLARES SWIM WILL BE MADE

PARIS, (AP)—The "Villa of the Cross-Channel Swimmers" is the sign that has been hung out above the door of a ten-room wooden building on the extreme point of Cap Gris-Nez, France's most advanced point of land into the English channel.

No numerous have been the attempts at cross-channel swimming in recent years, and so limited are the accommodations of the two small hotels overlooking the straits at Gris-Nez, whither most of the swimmers take the water, that Wm. T. Burgess, who swam the channel in 1911, has purchased a villa at the Cape with the intention of placing it at the disposal of future candidates for channel honors.

Mrs. Harrison, of Buenos Aires, has rented four rooms in the villa where she and her daughter Lillian, who made an unsuccessful attempt to swim the channel last summer, will take up their residence next July and await a favorable opportunity to try it again.

Miss Harrison is at present in London, attending a physical culture school and training in view of her 1925 campaign. Burgess, who has accompanied most of the successful and unsuccessful channel swimmers of late years, is of the opinion that Miss

## Wounded in Chinese War



These Chinese national soldiers, wounded on the Shanghai front, are at a railway station awaiting transfer to a base hospital. They were fighting under the command of Marshal Wu Pei Fu against the Manchurian invasion of the Fengtien troops.

Harrison can do it. She was going strong this year when she met with an unfortunate accident and, with one more year's training, he is confident that the Anglo-Argentine girl will be the first woman to negotiate the treacherous straits.

**Turkey Shoot Planned.**  
MILL CITY, Ore.—The Mill City Gun club will hold another turkey shoot on its grounds. A large assortment of birds will be on hand for the shooters to compete for, including turkeys, geese, chickens and ducks.

**FIND IT HERE**  
Copy for this column must be in by 2:00 a. m.

The Ladies Taxi, Prompt service. Chased Cars. Phone 245-J. 12-8-24.

Try Blue Ribbon Bread, the soft loaf, 24 ounces for 15 cents. It's certainly fine. Ask your grocer. Made by La Grande Bakery. 12-12-24.

**Stop! Look!**  
Call Main 244, H-D Quick Delivery, Lockwood-Cityery. 12-11-24.

**Christmas Boxes of Stationery.**  
We have just what you want in stationery at prices to please you. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-10-24.

What will you give father? Get him some asbestos gloves to be used in opening Christmas bills.

Try Blue Ribbon Bread, the soft loaf, 25 ounces for 15 cents. It's certainly fine. Ask your grocer. Made by La Grande Bakery. 12-12-24.

Patroler is charged with slapping a girl in Chicago, but maybe he wanted to see if the paint was dry.

**Revised Holly Wreaths for Christmas.**

We are now taking orders for wreaths and decorations. Let us have your order early as there is never enough to go around. Cherry Florists. 12-4-24.

**How is Your Wood Pile?**  
Dry full pine pole wood delivered for \$1.50 cash, per cord. Call Main 49. 10-17-24.

**Stop! Look!**  
Call Main 244, H-D Quick Delivery, Lockwood-Cityery. 12-11-24.

Portland cow cats soup. Guess perhaps she gives clean milk.

Best, well and repair all makes sewing machines. Ask about free drumming course. White Sewing Machine Co. New Foley Bldg. Phone 582 W. 12-12-24.

**Stockholders Annual Meeting.**  
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the La Grande National Bank will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 12th, 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m. At this meeting a Board of

Directors will be elected to serve for the year 1925 and such other business will be transacted as may properly offer.

**H. E. COOLIDGE,** Cashier  
12-11-24

**Hemstitching—Se**  
All work guaranteed. Mrs. E. C. Tucker, 1808 Second St. 7-23-24

**Hemstitching, pleating, button holes, etc.** Norton's Kiddy Shop. 10-14-24

**Pretty Christmas Packing boxes** in large and small at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-10-24.

**Astrologer.**  
Mrs. F. A. Baima, Jefferson Ave., corner Willow. Phone 248-J. 11-4-imp

Our values in all kinds of high class perfumery in bulk and pretty packages are always reasonable. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-10-24

**Silverthorn-Wright's Christmas List**  
A partial list of pretty articles for Christmas that may interest you

Fountain Pens, Gold and Silver. Eversharp pencils, Gold and Silver. Ivory mirrors in all colors and patterns. Ivory hair and cloth brushes. Ivory manicure articles. Ivory trays and powder boxes. Ivory hair receivers. Ivory clock of many kinds. Ivory toilet sets in colors and white. Toilet cases of all kinds. Perfumeries in pretty cases. Perfumeries in toilet boxes. Perfumeries in bottles, large and small.

Ivory clock, alarm clocks all kinds. Beautiful candlesticks with catch to match. Fresh ends; incense burners. Manicure roll-ups. Beautiful boxes of Johnsons and Lawneys Candles. Ingersoll Watches. Shopping bags and under arm bags. Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-10-24

**Annual Stockholders Meeting.**  
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the United States National Bank of La Grande, Oregon, will be held in their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 13th, 1925, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might come before the meeting.  
T. J. SCROGGINS, Cashier. 12-11-24

**TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.**  
Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Union County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at the Court House, as follows: Commencing Wednesday, December 17, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 20, 1924, at 1:00 o'clock p. m.  
**Wednesday Forenoon.** U. S. History, Writing (Penmanship), Music, Drawing.  
**Wednesday Afternoon.** Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.  
**Thursday Forenoon.** Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.  
**Thursday Afternoon.** Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.  
**Friday Forenoon.** Theory and Practice, Orthography (Spelling), Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry.  
**Friday Afternoon.** School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government.  
**Saturday Forenoon.** Geometry and Botany, General History and Bookkeeping.  
Very truly yours,  
J. A. Churchill,  
Supt. of Public Instruction  
Dec. 6-9-24

**Notice.**  
The Fashion Beauty Shoppe is now located over the L. & L. Drug company. Will be pleased to meet all old as well as new patrons.  
CAROLINE DEAL, Prop. 12-12-24

**Notice.**  
There will be a called meeting of W. H. A. of the Macabees, Monday

afternoon at 2:30, to meet the Supreme Officer, Mrs. Emma B. Wilkinson and Dr. Reynolds. The meeting will be called at my home, 2613 First street. All members are urged to be present.  
By Commander,  
12-12-24

**Look!**  
Mamma Dolls Tlc. Soft Dolls

**World's Largest Chain Department Store Organization**  
**J.C. Penney Co.** A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION - Incorporated  
571 DEPARTMENT STORES  
108 Depot St., La Grande, Ore.  
Reliable Quality Goods Always At Low Prices

# Coats and Dresses

## Priced to Give Big Savings!

**Lowest Prices Here! Consistent With Prevailing Market Conditions**

### Coats - Dresses

GROUP NO. 1  
**\$10.90**

The backwardness of the season—shattered market conditions—the readiness of our Eastern buyers to secure important market concessions for our 571 stores, makes this showing possible.

**COATS**—Here indeed is an opportunity for the thrifty shopper to complete her Winter Wardrobe at a saving.

Coats of Polaire and similar popular coatings, some plain, others fur trimmed, make up this distinguished showing.

**DRESSES** are here in a varied and attractive showing in the season's favored and authoritative styles at a price below comparison.

Of fine quality, Crepe de Chines, Cantons, Satin Cantons, with novelty and lace trimmings.

A Showing Not to Be Missed.

GROUP NO. 2

**Stylish Dresses**  
**\$16.50**

There are just twenty dresses in this showing, styles that embody all that is new in the season's latest effects.

Materials include Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepes, Satin-faced Crepes and others too numerous to mention.

Your Inspection Is Invited.

GROUP NO. 3

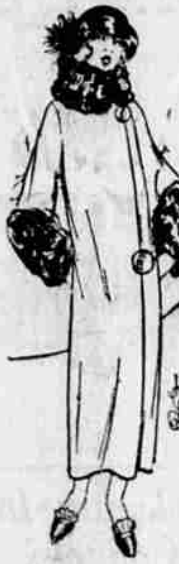
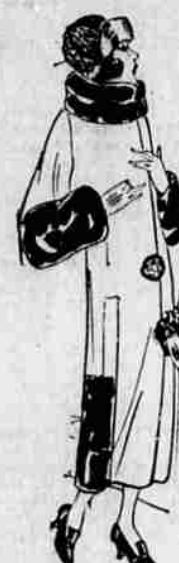
**Fur Trimmed Coats**  
**\$17.50**

There are just eighteen coats in this remarkable grouping. All are sure to go in a short space of time—do not miss this opportunity.

Velvetones, Bolivias, Plaid Back Velvetones and other similar rich pile fabrics. Some fur trimmed, others plain; furs used being Coney, Gpossum, Beaverette, Muskrat and Manchurian Wolf.

Coats for any occasion are featured in this ensemble, all at the above low price.

SHOP OUR WINDOWS—SEE OUR READY-TO-WEAR



## Travel by Motor Stage

Safely Swiftly Comfortably  
LA GRANDE-JOSEPH STAGE LINE  
Baars & Coldiron, Props.

**On Wednesday, Dec 17**

In the Basement of the Methodist Church  
By The Methodist Ladies

### Bazaar

Fancy and Useful Articles—Marked to Sell

Delicious home-cooked food—Cafeteria  
Lunch and Dinner.

## Beautiful New Cards

The beautiful sentiment connected with the exchange of Christmas Greeting Cards is being more and more appreciated.

We specialize on the finest and most appropriate cards. You'll like them—and the prices are moderate.

We urge that you make selections now while lines are complete.

**Newlin Book & Stationery Co.**  
Largest Office Stationer in Eastern Oregon.

## SHERRY'S

TODAY ONLY

Peter B. Kyne's Famous Red Book Story

### One Eighth Apache

With  
ROY STEWART and KATHLEEN KIRKHAM

Comedy—"OH! TEACHER"

WE ARE a baby CONCERN, only a FEW months old BUT WE have a large HOUSE and would LIKE to fill it WITH storage.

IF YOU have a car OR SOME furniture OR ANY old thing THAT YOU want to PUT AWAY for a MONTH or a day, CALL MAIN 792.

**La Grande Warehouse & Storage Co.**  
Jefferson and Hancock Sts.  
Phone Main 792  
ERICKSON & DURLAND

## Dear Madam:

We are looking for you to drop in this Fortieth Xmas of ours. Don't overlook us, and bring a friend to see our display and the prices. Everything is marked with cards in plain sight. Come and look—no difference whether you buy or not.

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tremendous value. It is essential for building and repairing the body to yield energy. A stimulative and blood building medicinal preparation. Buy a bottle today—use as indicated and notice the improvement in your general physical condition. No home should be without this fine old tonic. Sold by Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store.—ADV.

# Christmas Announcement Soon

SEE OUR CANDY DISPLAY

Tons of the very finest Fresh Xmas Candies. You never expected such low prices on these fine Candies

WHERE THE THRIFTY THROG

## HOOVERIZED GROCERY

Phone Main 49  
2 Deliveries