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IS NOT THIS THE PAST that I have chosen? to loose the hands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and to let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke?—Isaiah 58:6.

The German government is prepared to redeem paper marks, but unless one has several trillion of them it will not pay to bother sending them in.

The department of agriculture has defined sauerkraut, but it may be that the analysis represents what it ought to be, not what it sometimes is.

A MATTER OF SAFETY.

The housewife usually regards the peddler who comes to her door as a nuisance. But half the time she encourages him by the upside-down process of "buying something to get rid of him." She finds it easier, in the individual instance, to buy a package of bad needles or a rubber apron which turns out to be a "second," than it is to listen to a stream of talk and force herself to argument as to why she shouldn't buy.

Yet if all the housewives of La Grande were to unite in refusal to buy of the itinerant salesman for a year, they would find themselves left, long before the year was out, in peace and quiet to attend to their home duties without interruption and to do their marketing according to their own good judgment.

In one prosperous small city often victimized by this type of person, the merchants got together and issued a statement which may well be heeded in other communities:

"Numerous complaints are being received from housewives who report that they have lost money through purchasing merchandise from unknown peddlers. Professional swindlers who go from city to city have victimized thousands of housewives. Merchandise is misrepresented, and, if delivered, is often inferior to samples shown. Advance payments are sometimes collected, the peddler vanishes and the merchandise is never received. Investigate before you buy or invest.

"Your responsible local merchants support all civic and public enterprises, pay taxes for the city's development and support, and give employment to thousands of people in the community. You can always see them personally for the adjustment of any mistakes. You are safe in buying from responsible, established stores and shops."

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THE OLD HOME TOWN • • • By Stanley



SPRING HAS COME

Winter has went, spring has come—oh, what the dickens do we care about grammar at this time of the year anyway? When the little twigs and hickories are slipping and hulling; when the street corners are becoming inhabited; and when Dad cusses at the work he has to do on the lawn and in the garden—then is the time to forget minor matters and bask in the sunshine of blustery spring—another one of those things that come but once a year.

Another one has broken loose. Jinnus says that a local merchant, in a springy manner, remarked to her that he supposed the girls wore their dresses at half mast as a mark of respect to departed modesty.

A disappointed lover always learns something. For example, it makes him realize he will probably be disappointed next time.

Oh! Mr. Alligator! "My, what a bright lad! What are you going to be when you grow up?" Willie Alligator: "A travelling bag."

A new printer on a western Oregon newspaper was fired the other day for writing "pace" instead of "pace" in the "Pace that kills."

Now that spring has arrived, perhaps the only way to keep chickens out of your garden is to eat canned vegetables.

The hot market is good, fruits actively being noted among men on windy days.

Also, on windy days, these thin stockings won't protect leg—pardon us, we mean limbs, from sharp looks.

If you have lost coal in the bathtub all winter long, it's about time to take the coal out now!

A successful amateur gardener is one who is not disappointed until after his needs have come up.

The experts around La Grande are predicting this will be the hottest summer since back in '24.

CROSSWORD ANSWERS
Place of supreme happiness—Any dark corner when you're alone
What a holiday—25¢ worth of merchandise at present
Spirits of the air—Mist be mentioned
Polite words used for male—"Don't."
Printed notice—They come around about the first of the month
Brevard title—Not referring to woman.

Sawmill Re-nunes Work.

PRESENCE OF—The Indian sawmill at Westlake, capacity of 25,000 dolls, will resume operations next Tuesday, April 7, after being down since last July. The mill has a large quantity of logs on hand.

Several more will be added to the list.

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Yesterday In Washington

(By the Associated Press)

Federal reserve banks governors began their spring conference.

The resignation of Edward E. Brodie, minister to Siam, was announced.

President Coolidge addressed the National Cotton Manufacturers' association.

President Haysler of the National League presented a gold pass to President Coolidge.

Commissioner Blair ordered internal revenue collectors to hold March returns confidential until further notice.

The post office department issued a fraud order against the national die bird soldiers' league and its chief officials.

The validity of the proposed consolidation of the Morris and Armore packing interests was argued before Secretary Jardine.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad asked interstate commerce commission authority for re-financing \$12,000,000 southwestern division bonds.

Els Install Officers.
KIAMATHI, PAUL H. D. K. Carrin was installed an exalted ruler of the Klamath Falls lodge of Elks at a meeting here. W. W. McNeely took office as esteemed leading knight. A vaudeville program and banquet followed the installation ceremonies.

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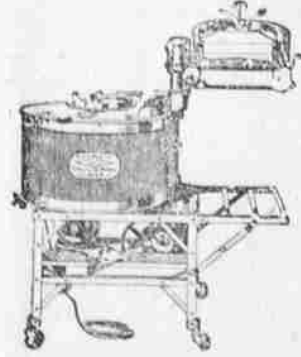
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FLU LEAVING LADD CANYON

LADD CANYON (Special) — W. O. Sherwood, who has been very ill with influenza for the past month, is now able to be up a little and is slowly improving.

Mrs. Lawrence Drumsmith, who has been threatened with pneumonia following the "flu," is now improving.

Several people in this vicinity have had the flu grippe but all are now able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Beale drove to Walla Walla, Wash., last week and spent the day with relatives. Mrs. Beale's mother, Mrs. Emma Paule, accompanied them home for an indefinite visit.

Dr. J. W. Ewin was here from Portland a few days last week visiting his son, Sherrod Ewin.

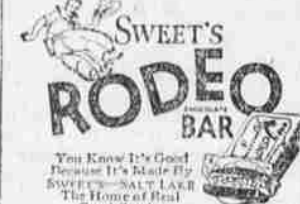
Farmers in this vicinity are busy with their spring work.

The nice thing about soup for dinner is if company comes just add a little more water.

HOOP-LA Hop to it!

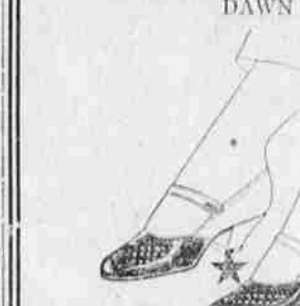
Tell your friends you are "Rodeo Bound"—then light out, a foot or a horseback, for the leading cigar store, drug store or candy store in town.

"Sweet's Rodeo Bar"—that's what you ask for. You'll agree it's the finest chocolate caramel bar a dime ever bought.

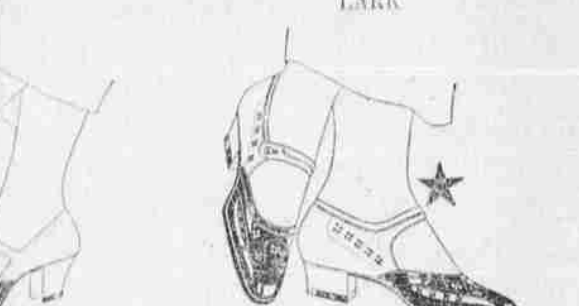


EVERY BITE'S A DELIGHT

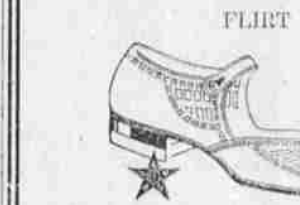
Smart Shoes --for-- Easter Wear



New block heel with basket weave vamp and round toe.
Black Patent Tan Calf \$6.75



Dainty one-strap, low heel number with pattern toe, in Black Patent Tan Kid \$5.75



Black Patent Leather and Tan Calf, an ankle-strap pattern with low heel. Sizes 2 to 4 \$4.75



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