# The Observer Want Ad Page

**The Market Place of Union and Wallowa Counties**

## NEW TODAY

FOR SALE—Sleigh, cheap. 1303 10th St. Phone 225-J. 12-16-2tp

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room furnished house, 1514 Monroe. 12-16-6tp

FOR SALE—Good cornet, cheap. B flat. Con. Phone 452-R. 12-16-3t

FOR SALE—Dry cord wood, delivered direct from car. Call 446-J. W. J. Kelly. 12-16-5tp

FOR SALE—Young boar, large type Poland-China; also two blood sows. Farmers 82. W. D. Hatch. 12-16-1t

STRAYED — Iron grey horse, roached mane; shod all around. Notify A. C. Gillham, Elgin. Phone 67. 12-16-3tp

FOR RENT — Modern 8-room house, completely furnished, and garage. Well located. Ph. Main 32 12-16-2t

**FOR SALE AND TRADE**

FOR SALE — Turkeys and geese. Farmers 207. 12-15-6tp

FOR SALE—Large tricycle. Good shape. Reasonable. Ph. 297-W. 12-12-6t

FOR SALE—Xmas presents. Just received Alaska seal skin moccasins. Chris Miller, 1510 Adams. 11-17-1mo.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Stoves, new or used, for $1 up. Furniture Exchange. 12-16-1t

FOR SALE—Rummage. Basement of M. E. church, Saturday, Dec. 17, 9:30 a. m. Bargains. 12-14-3t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Right now is the time for you to trade in the odds and ends of dishes for a new set. Furniture Exchange. 12-10-tf

FOR SALE—Modern home, corner Walnut and Main. Two bedrooms, sewing room, bath and enclosed sleeping porch upstairs; three rooms down; full basement and pipe furnace; wired for electric stove. Call 220-W. R. L. Poarch. 12-15-2tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE — A new mohair davenport. This davenport was shipped to La Grande by mistake and the manufacturer has instructed us to sell same at cost plus freight and handling charges. A bargain. Furniture Exchange. 12-10-tf

**MISCELLANEOUS**

BOARD AND ROOM—$35 mo. Hotel Virginia, Depot St. 12-10-6t

CHEAP MONEY — Monthly payments, plain or straight loans. See J. R. Oliver. 12-6-1m

EDMON MORRIS — Piano and Voice. 1006 Sixth St. Phone Main 599. School credits. Assistant teachers. 11-21-1m

FOR A JAZZ or old-time dance orchestra, call Stuart. Phone 405-A. 11-29-1mp

LA GRANDE MATTRESS & Upholstering & Weaving Works. Phone 424-W. Chas. Edwards, Prop. 12-1-1m

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CASH IN ADVANCE is required on all Classified orders to earn these rates. Higher rates charged on all credit insertions.

Copy for all Classified orders must be in this office by 10 A. M. DAY OF INSERTION. Stop orders on ad inserted until further notice must be received by the same hour or extra insertion will be charged.

Telephone orders solicited. Cash rates may be earned on phone orders by payment on or before date of last insertion.

PHONE MAIN 87
"An Observer Want Ad Will Do It"

OUR CALENDARS will not be mailed this year. Call for them. La Grande Investment Co., Equitable Savings Bank. 12-14-4t

FOR HIRE—New Buick and Hupsedans. La Grande Drive Ureself Co., Packard Agency, Main 650. 12-3-1m

DUPONT DUCO auto painting, sprayed on by experts. We can put a factory finish on your car, including artistic striping with perfect color harmony. Ask about special winter prices. Eager Paint Shop. Phone 468-R. At foot of viaduct. 11-14-1mo.

**WANTED**

WANTED—To take care of small children, by the day or hour, at 102 Cedar. 12-14-6tp

WANTED — Respectable woman wants to do housework for board and clothes. Phone 307-J. 12-15-2tp

**LOST**

LOST—A pair of horn-rimmed glasses. Reward. Inquire Observer. 12-14-3tp

LOST — Airedale-Shepherd dog, brown head, brown legs, black and white body; wears collar; named Patches. Call Mrs. Knapcke, Main 24. 12-15-3tp

**FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—Furnished Apts. Waverly Apartments. 11-23-1mp

FOR RENT—Modern steam-heated rooms. 1511 Adams. 350-M. 12-7-1mp

FOR RENT — Modern furnished apt. Edenholm Apts. 458-R. 12-6-tf

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house with garage. Close in. Call 286-M or 1304 N Ave. 9-21tf

FOR RENT — Modern furnished apt. corner 6th and N. Call 147-M 11-8-tf

FOR RENT—Six room house $25 mo. Call 343-J. 11-18-tf.

FOR RENT—5-room house. Call 432-R. 12-15-2tp

FOR RENT — 3-room furnished house, 1810 Greenwood St. 12-14-1f

## Grange Seeking Merchant Marine Despite Coolidge

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite President Coolidge's belief, outlined in his message to congress, that the merchant marine should be disposed of as quickly as possible, the national grange will insist that it be retained and its condition improved.

Fred Brenckman, Washington representative of the grange, expects to urge farm leaders in both the house and senate to countenance a resolution adopted at the national grange convention in Cleveland, that the government develop "a vigorous American merchant marine, with adequate appropriations therefor by congress."

The president prefaced his recommendation of dissolution with the statement that neither importers nor exporters showed any special preference for American ships in foreign commerce.

Brenckman insists that "but for the availability of American ships at transportation rates favorable to American farm products, agriculture would be exposed to conditions like those in 1914, when for lack of shipping facilities it cost cotton growers three-quarters of a million dollars more to grow their crop then they received for it."

Farm surpluses in this country, he asserts, were forced to depend on ships of competitor nations to reach world markets and were subjected to exorbitant rates. Freight charges on a bale of cotton from Galveston to Liverpool jumped from $2.50 to $50, and the rate on wheat from New York to Liverpool leaped from two cents to 50 cents a bushel, he declares.

Importance of a merchant marine, Brenchman says, is seen in the fact that the total ocean freight bill of this country is $600,000,000 annually, and 59 per cent of American exports are farm products.

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Geo. H. Currey
Realtor

## OFFICE CAT

*By Junius*

"No," said the lady of the house sharply, "I don't want a thing."

"Tell that to your old man," retorted the surly peddler; "it will make a bigger hit with him than it does with me."

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**SANTA CLAUS**

In innocence I thought I was the one
Who filled the stockings by the ember's glow,
Because, when all the Christmas tales are done,
And moonlight lay upon the silent snow,
When little fingers on the coverlet,
Were still, the stockings I had taken,
With toys and candies each had filled and met.
No person there, heard none awaken,
"My gift," I fancied as to bed I crept.
Oh, thinking so I make a foolish blunder,
For in the morn, twas found that while I slept,
Someone had filled each tiny sock with wonder!

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Woman: "No, I don't want any egg-beaters. Why do you ask?"

Hardware Clerk: "Your next door neighbor said you didn't have one."

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No man can produce great things who is not thoroughly sincere in dealing with himself.

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**The house had been rapidly built and occupied.**

**"Do you find the place comfortable and substantially built?" asked the landlord when he called.**

**"Well," said the tenant, "I always go outside to sneeze."**

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FAIRY TALE: The defendant was pretty as a picture, so the jury voted to hang her.

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"I never would have thought it," said Hagson Tatters. "I don't see how in torment a kid could get that dirty in seven years."

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Foreman: Wot's up, Bill, hurt yerself?

Bill: No, gotta nail in me boot.

Foreman: Wy doncher take it out, then?

Bill: Wot! In me dinner hour.

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# AT THE THEATERS

## "Shanghaied" At Star Is Sea Drama

With unwavering realism one of the iron-clad policies in the filming of "Shanghaied," the FBO maritime picture to play at the Star theater Saturday only, Ralph Ince, the star and director, made all the scenes of life on San Francisco's Barbary Coast from actual occurrences he witnessed while loafing in the water-front "joints" to pick up atmosphere.

Many sequences are filmed in "Crawley's Dance Hall," a cabaret for sailors in the Golden Gate city, and for these, a replica of one of the most famous of such establishments was reconstructed detail for detail on the lot at FBO. The types picked to play in these scenes were chosen to resemble as nearly as possible the men who are indelibly stamped upon Ince's memory as the inmates of this resort.

For the model of the Chinese dive used in the picture, Ince took an obscure joint of such nature which he had happened to stumble upon in his wanderings about San Francisco several years ago. He explains the remarkably accurate reproduction of these settings to the fact that he has carefully trained his mind to remember details so well that very little escapes his eye. For a number of years he has made it a habit to visit and study any out of the way sections of the world which might be used as the setting for motion pictures.

"Shanghaied" is based upon the life of a dancing girl in one of the Barbary Coast's lowest dens. Patsy Ruth Miller plays the girl, while other members of the cast include such well known players as Gertrude Astor, Tom Santschi, and Alan Brooks.

## "The Brute" Now Playing at The Colonial

"The Brute" now at the Colonial theater, today and Saturday ranks among the few realy authentic pictures of the Old West. Primarily it is the story of the love of a cowboy for a girl of the dance halls. But with the intriguing lives of these two young people, other lives, good, bad, weak, strong, but always picturesque and convincing are entangled.

Monte Blue has never equalled the "Easy-Going Randall" of "The Brute." The millions remember him in many other rough and ready he-man parts—"Across the Pacific," "Hogan's Alley," "Wolf's Clothing," "Bitter Apples," "Red Hot Tires" are examples. But his "Easy-Going" is a masterpiece. The slow-to-anger dead - shot, fighting lasso-swinging lover seems to have enamored him.

His feminine lead, is the lovely Leila Hyams, practically a new comer to the screen, though not to the stage, for one can go far in two and twenty years. As Janice, the dance hall girl, she is especially captivating.

And Clyde Cook! For all-laughing out-loud comedy see him as Oklahoma Red! Then there is the veteran Paul Nicholson as the Bad Man of the Razzle Dazzle Saloon. And Indians, and prospectors and the riff-raff of the oil-rush thousands, and through it all the bright thread of a great love—the idyl of the Brute and the dance hall girl.

"The Brute" rings true. It is a picture that will live, for it has caught the spirit of its day and the common humanity of its people.

A Missouri farmer has a cat that "loves to listen to the radio." His girl friend's voice?

## "Underworld," A Frank Expose, At The Arcade

"Underworld," a picture as frank as an expose by a fearless metropolitan newspaper, flashed its dramatic course on the screen at the Arcade theater yesterday.

This is one production that is smashingly real in its treatment and that is also as absorbing as a drama of modern life.

It is impressive because it makes one think, in addition to being splendid entertainment. The unfolding of the lives of underworld characters in an environment of crime, their methods of preying on organized society, their ferocious struggles with men paid to uphold the law, and the intimate side of their natures in following out impulses and emotions in love and hate, provide the basis of the story written by Ben Hecht for Paramount.

The climax is extraordinarily thrilling, showing how a city street may take on the aspect of a battlefield, with police reserves rushing up to a house where a desperate gangster is trapped and has decided to die fighting. Searchlights, machine guns, grenades, automatic revolvers, shields and all the equipment of soldiery come into play when the house is stormed.

The gangland characters are splendidly portrayed by George Bancroft, gangster leader; Evelyn Brent, a girl whose moral consciousness is not awakened until she falls in love; Clive Brook, a man of good breeding who falls into a life of crime; Larry Semon, a crook with a sense of comedy and Fred Kohler, leader of a gang opposing Bancroft.

Josef Von Sternberg, who directed the underworld drama under Hector Turnbull's supervision, has turned out a remarkably fine piece of work.

The picture should cause much comment through its faithful depiction in a story sense of an astounding condition that exists in American cities today.

"Underworld" will be presented at the Arcade theater again today and Saturday.

## *Farmer Approaching, Unusual Prosperity*

By R. W. Dunlap
Assistant Secretary of Agriculture

The best informed men in the agricultural field are convinced that the next ten to fifteen years will see farming advance into a period of remarkable prosperity. There is plenty of evidence to bear out that view.

I believe that because of the low prices at which land can be obtained, now is the most opportune time we have experienced in 20 years for the procurement of a farm. The young man who wants to follow agriculture should not overlook this wonderful opportunity. Agriculture in this country is, always has been and I believe always will be a sound, solvent business.

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# Professional Directory

This directory is especially handy for the newcomer or for the out-of-town reader who may want the name and address of some professional man. It has been carefully prepared and will prove to be a ready aid to any reader in obtaining prompt professional service.

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