

# CLASSIFIED ADS

The Market Place of Union and Wallowa Counties

## WANTED

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS - Exp. woman will care for children. Phone 380-U. 12-10-1 f.

WANTED - Would like to make arrangements with party going to Cove each afternoon about 4:00 to carry small bundle. Please call at Observer office. 12-16-1 f.

## FOR SALE

USED ELECTRIC WASHER - Good condition, \$15. Call Maytag Shop. 12-21-2 t.

FOR SALE - 9 wks. old pigs. Call 205 M. 12-21-2 t.

FOR SALE - Geese, Ph. Farm. 18. 12-21-3 tp.

FOR SALE - Dry tamarack wood, \$6.50 cord, 16 inch. Ph. 464-J. 12-21-3 tp.

FOR SALE - Young fat R. I. Hens. Alive or dressed, Ph. 196-R. 12-21-1 t.

FOR SALE - Horses or will buy. Routh McKennon, Farm. 25X or Oliver Kerr, Farm. 112. 12-19-4 f.

FOR SALE - Hay and beans. Arno Fowler, Alicel. 12-18-3 tp.

LIMITED SUPPLY of box wood while planer runs, \$4.00 per load. Also dry chain wood, \$4.50 per load. Frank Cleavinger, Main 151. 12-16-1 t.

FOR SALE - Wood, price reasonable. Main 934, 1205 O Ave. 12-15-1 t.

FOR SALE - 1928 Studebaker Commander sedan. In perfect condition, 1933 license, \$285. PERKINS MOTOR CO. 12-12-1 f.

DRY WOOD - Tam., pine, any length, \$7.00. Ph. Observer or write M. Loree, Cove. 12-8-1 mp.

FOR SALE - Chain wood from Union sawmill, \$4.00 and \$4.50. Local agent Ray McCarroll, Main 294 or Main 1027. 11-24-1 mp.

FOR SALE - Willard Batteries - \$6.95. A first choice battery at chain store prices. 75c on old battery. AUTOMOTIVE ELECTRIC CO. 1425 Adams Phone M 520 9-1-1 m.

## FOR RENT

CLEAN, Steam-heated rooms. Plenty of hot water, \$1.50-\$3.00 per week. Darland hotel, 10 Depot St. 12-21-6 tp.

## Professional Directory

### Hospitals

DR. LEE B. BOUVY  
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital  
3rd Floor Foley Bldg. - Ph. Main 16.

### Osteopathic Physicians

DRS. J. L. & MARGARET INGLE  
General Practice and Obstetrics  
Sommer Bldg.  
Office, Main 106 Res., Main 633

### Miscellaneous

ASTROLOGER  
MRS. FREDERICK BALMES  
203 N. Ave.  
Readings Daily.

## Observer Want Ad Rates

(Count five average words to the line.)  
Per line, 1st insertion - 10c  
Per line, each added consecutive insertion - 7c  
Minimum charge on one order - 25c

### RATES BY MONTH

2 lines, per month - \$2.50  
3 lines, per month - \$3.25  
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Copy for all Classified orders must be in this office by 10 A. M. DAY OF INSERTION. Copy orders on ad inserted until further notice must be received by the same hour or extra insertion will be charged.

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

PHONE MAIN 600  
"An Observer Want Ad Will Do It."

FOR RENT - 5-rm. furn house. Phone 463-W. 12-18-1 f.

4-RM. FURN. HOUSE - Ph. 462-J. 12-19-3 t.

FURN. HOUSES AND APTS. - With baths, clean, quiet, lowest rent. Adults, 1310 Greenwood. 12-11-1 m.

FURN. APARTMENT - 1809 Adams, Main 582. 12-1-1 f.

FOR RENT - Modern steamheated rooms, 1403 Washington. 12-2-1 m.

## MISCELLANEOUS

CECO WEATHERSTRIPS installed. F. B. Anderson, 3103 Cove Ave. 10-29-1 t.

EASTERN OREGON School of Music, violin, piano, voice. Credits. L. G. O. F. Temple, 447-J. 9-9-1 m.

MONEY TO LOAN - We are representatives for the Prudential Ins. Co., and can make farm or city loans at attractive rates of interest. Chas. H. Reynolds, insurance, loans and bonds. 9-1-1 m.

## WISDOM

WISDOM demands that you secure the services of expert morticians who know the science and ethics of their profession and who have demonstrated their capacity and ability.

We Understand  
SNODGRASS  
& ZIMMERMAN  
Main 62

## LA GRANDE MATTRESS and Upholstering and Rug Cleaning Works

Ph. 424-W. Chas. Edwards, Prop. 12-1-1 m.

## Chats With Parents

"NEVER A CROSS WORD" By Alice Jason Peale

We hear of homes where there is never a cross word, where there are no loud voices, no arguments, no outbursts of irritation.

What effect has such an atmosphere upon the children in it? That depends, and depends wholly upon what the fine smooth surface really signifies.

Does it mean that father and mother are really loyal, fond, and happy with each other?

Does it mean that beyond this they have also the self control which enables them to preserve friendliness and graciousness even at the inevitable trying moments?

Then the children are lucky indeed. For the fact that they never hear a cross word spoken is but an outward sign of the inner soundness of their family life.

But such homes, human nature being what it is, must be rare.

What is far more likely is that the perfectly polite home is a suppressed home where the adults are bitterly determined to outdo one another in preserving the surface, no matter what inner storms may be raging, what rankling grudges may lie beneath.

In such an atmosphere the child senses the true state of things and his own developing character faithfully reflects every distressing undercurrent.

There is probably nothing so numbing, so frustrating, to his affectionate impulses as living with those who practice this type of spiritual dishonesty. It makes him feel that nothing is worth while.

Far more wholesome it is for the growing child to live with adults who, while they feel responsibility for making life run as smoothly as possible, yet behave honestly, observing as best they can the spirit of love rather than its letter.

## Library of the Vatican

Make a trip to the Vatican library and it will reward you in many ways. Your eyes may be glad to look at Danie's "Divine Commedia," dedicated to Boccaccio, or the Fourth century Codex Vaticanus, which has uncial writing as its perfection. There is here also an Augustan Virgil of the Second century, and a large collection of autograph letters from Petrarch, Tasso, Raphael, Anne Boleyn and even Martin Luther. Here are frescoes, bronzes from the catacombs and about 500,000 books to fill many an odd hour. -Exchange.

## Earth and Moon

The length of the earth's axis is about 7,900 miles, while the diameter of the moon is 2,160 miles. The earth's surface is about 13 1/2 times as great as the moon's; its volume or bulk is nearly 50 times larger; and, owing to its greater density, the mass or actual amount of matter contained in the earth is about 81 times greater than that of the moon.

\$5.50 and your old battery buys a new 15 plate battery, installed.

## Burgess Battery & Electric Service

Opposite La Grande Grocery

## OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

## PERRY PERSONALS

By Miss Wilda O'Neil (Observer Correspondent)

PERRY, Ore. (Special) - Luke Greenough, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Mike Greenough, of La Grande, has returned to his home in Perry.

Mrs. T. E. Pierson and granddaughter, Miss Estelle Lytle, from La Grande, were dinner guests at the C. D. Kelly home recently.

Donald Ratliffe, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ratliffe, left for Yakima, Wash., Saturday where he will spend Greenough, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Mike Greenough, of La Grande, has returned to his home in Perry.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



ASHLAND, NEBRASKA, HAS BEEN IN THREE DIFFERENT COUNTRIES. ... GREEN, CALIFORNIA, AND SAUNDERS.

MAYFLIES SPEND FROM ONE TO THREE YEARS AS WATER CRAWLERS, ONLY TO DIE AFTER THE FIRST NIGHT AS A WINGED ADULT.

THE SNOWY OWL IS BLACK, WHEN YOUNG... WHILE OWLS THAT ARE SPECKLED AND BARRED AT MAJORITY USUALLY BEGIN LIFE IN SNOW-WHITE COATS.

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF. 1931 BY NEA SERVICE, INC. 12-1

## EGYPT DISAPPEARS

ASH PRESTON was crooked. No doubt of this!

Perhaps the father was, too, and some of the brothers. But Mrs. Preston was ignorant of it; so were Alice, and the younger brothers. They bore this burden alone. That was the secret of her sad eyes and lips. That was the power Ash Preston had over her - love for him and fear. It did no longer seem unnatural. That was why no cowboys ever got a fair chance to win Thiry Preston's friendship.

Harry Goldwell and Bob and Larry Lytle left Tuesday morning for Spring Mountain, where they will round up

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Rock knew the West. He had been come a part of it. The Prestons were new, comparatively, to this wild range. He knew Western men, their uncanny power to suspect and search out and find among them the cattleman who transgressed the unwritten laws. All cattle-raisers stole from one another. But there was a distinction with a difference. Gage Preston was getting rich - a little bit awfully for a rancher on an

## LOWER COVE PERSONALS

By Mrs. Nell Kight (Observer Correspondent)

LOWER COVE, Ore. (Special) - Lower Cove is enjoying warmer weather but still has snow and ice. Stock is doing well and hay is holding out well.

T. B. Johnson attended a directors' meeting of the Farmers Co-operative Creamery company at Payette, Idaho, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson entertained at a card party on their home here last week.

There will be a Christmas program given by Frosty and Lower Cove schools at the Lower Cove school house on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Simon Van entertained at a birthday party last week in honor of her son, Johnny's third anniversary. Those present were Mrs. Hazel Lindsay and daughter, Cleo, Mrs.

Opal Gasset and son, Harris, and Mrs. Everett Williams and son, Rocky, and the honor guest and hostess. The first Christmas dinner of the season was given by Mr. Fannie Grange at the hall on Friday, Dec. 18. About 40 members and visitors enjoyed the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Kight and daughter, Marie, Mrs. A. L. Becker and Mrs. C. A. Becker were Christmas shopping in La Grande Thursday.

The school board of Frosty district No. 16 held a board meeting at the home of Mrs. Kight on Thursday evening.

Ernest Gray and family are now settled in their new home on the L. J. Chadwick farm.

J. M. Gasset is in La Grande taking treatments. During his absence Mrs. Mary Chambers is staying at the Howard Gasset home.

Betty Kight is confined to her home the last few days on account of illness.

## First Requisite

A man must get a thing before he can forget it. - Holmes

## Had Clear Field

It's our notion - take it or leave it - that Shakespeare made a great success of literature because there were no copyright laws to cramp his genius for adaptability. - Toledo Blade.

## SUNSET PASS by Zane Grey

SYNOPSIS: Truehan, Rock takes a job at Sunset Pass, under Gage Preston, to be near Preston's daughter, Thiry - and finds himself mixed up in a mystery. Thiry is terrified; her brother, Ash is hostile and Gage Preston proves to be suspiciously prosperous. Thiry begs Rock to leave, but he refuses.

No new thing for Rock was it to appear a light-hearted, careless cowboy when underneath this guise he was hard and cautious, keen as a blade. The Prestons, excepting Ash, would be easy to deceive.

Briskly he strode toward the double cabin, conscious of heart-beating anticipation, and when he stumped upon the porch Alice Preston came out of the kitchen, carrying plates and cup, which she set upon the table.

Mrs. Preston looked out of the kitchen and greeted Rock with pleasant smile and words.

"Are the boys up, too?" he asked as he fell upon the ham and eggs and hot biscuits.

"Land's sake! They're up an' gone long ago," she replied. "They were sure funny. Tom said: 'Let him sleep, Ma. The longer the better.'"

"An' Al said: 'Don't wake the new boss, Ma. He won't never get no sleep when Ash is here, so let him get some now.'"

"An' Harry said: 'Ain't Thiry up yet, either? Reckon settin' up in the moonlight is bad for some folks.'"

"It sure is, Mrs. Preston!"

Rock stifled the yell that leaped to his lips.

ordinary scale. How? Rock answered the query in many ways, but only one way seemed tenable. Preston sold cattle on the hoof, the same as other ranchers. None but rustlers ever sold cattle that did not belong to them. And certainly Preston could not be a rustler. It was inconceivable that Ash Preston could be a rustler, either, at least without his father knowing. But Rock scouted the rustler idea.

The Prestons had become butchers of cattle on a considerable scale. Did any one, outside them, know just how many steers they butchered? What a pertinent question here! Rock was certain that he would find out that no outsiders knew how many head of stock they killed. And here was the gist of the matter.

Some of the Prestons, with Ash at the head, and the father either in with them or unable to prevent it, were killing cattle not their own, burning or hiding the skins, and selling the beef at near and distant points.

"Good Lord!" muttered Rock, under his breath. "I've hit it plum center. - The damn fools, thinkin' they can hide that long! ... Gage Preston ought to have more sense. He struck me queer, though. But it's that rattlemake son who's got this outfit buffaloed. No wonder poor Thiry has sad eyes. ... Well, by Heaven, I'll stay at Sunset Pass!"

A bell awakened Rock from late slumbers. The sun was up, and as he peeped out over his blanket covering he saw the grass shine gold under the cedars. He had overslept, which was not a remarkable fact, considering how long it had taken him to get to sleep. In the sober light of day the task before him seemed tremendous. He had to

laughed Rock. "I'm sorry, though, if I'm to blame."

"Oh, Thiry was up hours ago," Alice informed them. "Saw Pa and the boys ride away. I know she had a run-in with Ash, because she had been crying."

"That's too bad," said Rock, bending over his plate and eating fast. He had seen the mother's face change very slightly, almost imperceptibly. Ash Preston was a thorn in the flesh of this wholesome family.

Rock made short work of his breakfast, and glad somehow that he had not encountered Thiry, he hurried down toward the corral.

At the barnyard Rock found Al Preston leading in some horses; and one of his brothers was jacking up a hind wheel of the green wagon.

"Morning, boys. Hope you're not sick," drawled Al.

"Boys, I was plumb dead. I'll sure let you punish me for bein' lazy."

The other boy nodded at Rock. "Are you Tom or Harry?" asked Rock, suddenly reminded of the twins.

"I'm Harry."

"All right, Harry. I'll know you tomorrow or bust. Where's Tom?"

"He left us to graze the wagon and went off after a horse for you."

"For my white horse, Egypt?" asked Rock.

"No - I'm - sorry to say," returned Harry, haltingly, as if he had had news.

"Did Egypt jump the pasture fence?"

"No. Ash saddled him and rode off on him."

Rock sat down suddenly, stifling the yell that leaped to his lips.

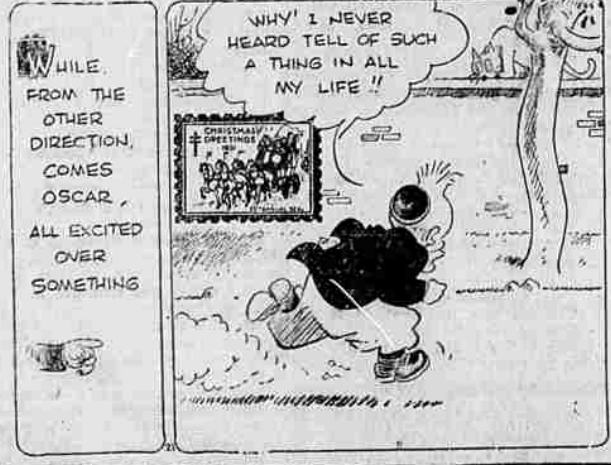
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Rock finds a piece of quinine, on Monday - a clue to the Preston mystery.

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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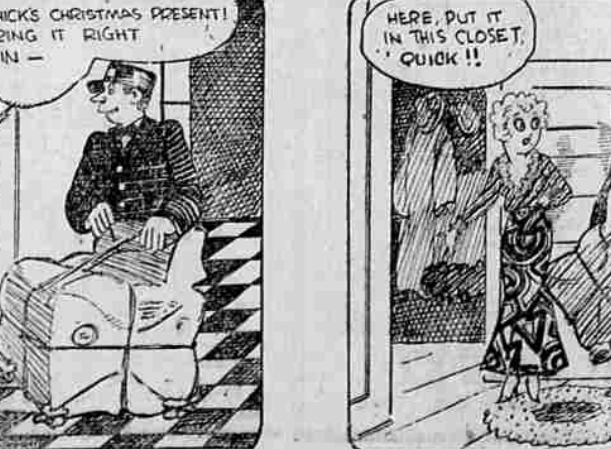
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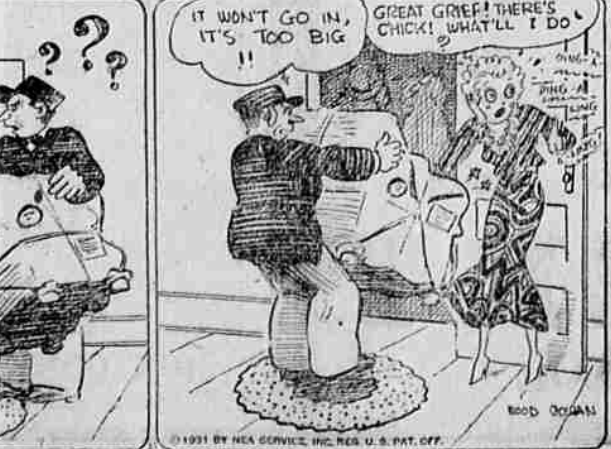
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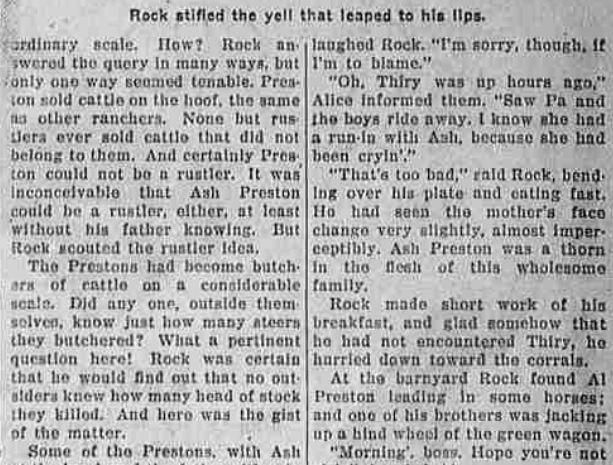
## A MISFIT PRESENT!



## By Cowar



## By Blosser



## By Cowar

