

**CLASSIFIED ADS.**

EVERYBODY READS THE NEWS "WANT" ADS.



**FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE**

For sale—Steam sprayer in good working condition. Price \$125. Call at Rickett's orchard next to Pine Grove store or phone Odell 185 and call for S. T. Rickett. 17tc

I have a young Jersey bull that I am standing at my place three quarters of a mile west of the ball park. Am away from 9 until 11:30. M. J. Foley. 17-24p

For sale—Fresh young Jersey cows; also cabbage, tomato and strawberry plants. A bargain in some fruit trees, standard varieties. Phone 218J. J. T. Nealeigh. 17-20c

For sale—One old horse, capable of hard work, \$25; also one A-1 gelding, weight 1250. Phone 2102X. Cutler Bros. 17tc

For Sale—Cow, part Jersey, from first-class stock. Good rich milk. F. E. Matt, West Side macadam road, Jerico Lane. 16-17p

For Sale—Young pigs, six weeks old. Opposite Waunguin hotel on State road. D. C. Garra-brant. 16-19p.

For Sale or Exchange—My equity of \$4500 in a beautiful home in Highland Park, the college section of Los Angeles. Beautiful scenery and surroundings. 8-room strictly modern residence, cement basement, furnace, fine lawn, vines and flowers. \$2000 mortgage at 7 per cent. Want young apple or pear orchard or unimproved land up to \$3000 in the Hood River valley. Will deal with owners only. Jno. W. Henderson, 720 West, Ave. 54, Los Angeles, Calif. 16-17p

For Sale—Strawberry plants at The City Tree Yard, just west of Mt. Hood Hotel. Reserve your plants early. Phone 228-K. R. T. Newhall. 16-17c

For Sale—13 shares of stock in the Farmers Irrigating Company at a discount. Will sell any fraction of shares. Address Box 601. 16-17c

For Sale—Seed potatoes. Crock-er & de Reding. Phone 133. 14-17c

For Rent—Furnished housekeeping rooms, in two and three room suites. Lights, bath and phone. Everthing modern. Rents range from \$10 to \$20. Large lawn and plenty of shade trees. Also four-room cottage with pantry and two closets. City water or, if preferred, well with pump. Nice young garden all up goes to renter. Price per month \$10. Apply to Mrs. H. J. Frederick or phone 69-L. 17-20c

For Sale—Pure blood Brown Leghorn eggs for setting; also a few hens and cockerels of the best strains. Phone J. L. Carter, East Side. 17-18c

For Sale—A young team, four and five years old, mare and gelding, weight about 2500 lbs., absolutely quiet and sound. Inquire Henderson & McKay, Route 2, Phone 168-Odell. 16-18p

For Rent—Two large bright rooms, separately or together, furnished or unfurnished, hot and cold water, two blocks from postoffice, corner Front and State sts. Mrs. Murray Kay, Phone 32-B. 13tc

For Sale—Indian Runner duck eggs. White egg strain. \$1.00 per setting of 12. J. F. Elliott, Wyeth, Oregon. 12-23p

For Sale—Studebaker 3-inch wagon, good as new. Plow, cultivator and other small tools. Phone 320-X. 14-17p

For Sale—Choice building lot, 50 x 101, Cass add. Price \$500, terms. Ira L. Judd, Hotel Oregon. 15-18c

For Sale—10 acres, east side, 6 1/2 miles out; part in bearing. Phone at noon hour or after six. 2063-L. 14-17p

For Sale—15 acres, 3-year-old orchard, 2 1/2 miles southwest of city. Inquire owner, J. W. Anderson. 15-18p

For Sale—230 acres of land, from \$50.00 per acre up. Will sell 20-acre tract with part in trees. C. J. Calkins, Phone 50-K. ttc

For Exchange—80 acres of fine red shot soil at Underwood, 2 miles from station, on Columbia River bluff, 2 acres in one year trees, 16 acres slashed and burned, small house, tools, etc. Will trade for unencumbered Hood River property or interest-bearing paper. Reed & Henderson, Inc.

**EMPLOYMENT COLUMN**

Experienced Eastern farmer would like position on ranch. Address 1213 13th street. 17-18p

Wanted—Position as housekeeper on ranch where 11-year-old son can make himself useful. Mrs. Reigel, phone 114-M. 17-18p

Wanted—A man to take charge of a 10-acre ranch with heavy horse or team. One mile from Hood River P. O. Phone or call. Mrs. J. S. Booth, River road. 16-17c

Situation wanted—A Japanese boy wants job before 9 a. m. or after 8 p. m. Geo. Miya, care News. 14-17p

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A. I. Mason has just registered his farm, having christened it "Liberty Home."

We still have left a few more of the birds-eye view maps of Hood River Valley. Hood River News Co.\*

All kinds of fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs and roses at the City Tree Yard, just west of Mount Hood hotel.\*

An uneasy feeling in the stomach or bowels yields quickly to Herbine. It tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Charles N. Clarke.\*

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Stranahan, who have been spending the winter in Portland, have returned to their home here. Mrs. Stranahan's sister, Mrs. A. M. Stalnaker, accompanied her for a visit.

The first home talent play to be given in a year will be presented by the Philatheas and Baracas Friday, May 3, at the Opera House. The title is "Jimmy's Aunt," and it is a three-act comedy abounding in strong characters. The between-the-acts features will be put on by Arthur Clarke and Mrs. Henney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carpenter of Clatsop, O., and their daughter, Mrs. B. N. Ruby, of Charleston, West Va., arrived Friday to spend several weeks as guests of the former's son, C. C. Carpenter. They have been making an extended tour through the South and California while en route West.

**Hair Goods**  
Combs made up to order. Swistles and puffs of genuine human cut hair, in any shade desired. Bragg Mercantile Co. will be pleased to show them and give prices. Mrs. Eva Woodburn, Phone 194-M.\*

**Notice for the Improvement of Street**  
Notice is hereby given pursuant to Ordinance No. 275, passed by the Common Council of the City of Hood River, on the 15th day of April, 1912, approved by the Mayor on the 16th day of April, 1912, providing for the improvement of State Street from the West line of Front Street west to the West line of Ninth Street; Oak Street from the West line of First Street west to the West line of Fifth Street and Cascade Avenue from the West line of First Street to the West line of Fifth Street, and Second Street, Third Street and Fourth Street from the North line of State Street to the South line of Cascade Avenue by treating the surface for a width of 24 feet with crude oil at the rate of one-half a gallon to the square yard of surface of roadway. The surface so treated shall then be rolled with steam roller until a firm, even surface is procured; that bids will be received by the undersigned City Recorder at his office, 211 Oak Street in said City up to 12 o'clock noon on the 5th day of May, 1912, for the above named improvements. The work of rolling and rolling shall be let in one contract and shall be required to be completed within 30 days from awarding the same.

Said bids will be opened by the Street Committee as soon as practicable after the time fixed for receiving bids, and the several bids, together with the summary thereof, will be reported to the Common Council at its next regular meeting thereafter, to-wit, on the 7th day of May, 1912, at the County Court House in said city, at which time said bids will be considered.

Notice is further given that any interested party may file his objection to the letting of said contract within the time specified for receiving bids, and that the same will be transmitted to the City Council along with said bids for their consideration at said meeting. The person, firm or corporation to whom the contract is let will be required to enter into an agreement to the effect that said contractor shall look alone for payment for material and work to such particular portion of the fund to be assessed upon the property liable to pay for such improvement and paid into the city treasury for that purpose, as shall be assessed to the property in front of which, and to the charge of which a particular part of the improvement to be done by the successful bidder is to be made and collected and paid into the city treasury, and each contractor shall in no event require the City of Hood River or any of its officers or agents to pay the same, except out of such particular fund of said funds so assessed or collected into the city treasury, and for such portion of said improvement, not seek to enforce payment of the same or any part thereof against the City of Hood River or any of its officers by any legal process or otherwise, except out of such particular fund.

A bond for the faithful performance of the contract to an amount equal to 25 per cent of the estimated contract price will be required of the successful bidder, the Council reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated and first published April 24, 1912.  
H. L. HOWE,  
City Recorder.

Neat and natty job printing quick-executed at the News office.

**THE KITCHEN DRESSER.**  
It Was Originally a Bench on Which Meat Was Dressed.  
Dr. Johnson tells us that the kitchen dresser was a bench in the kitchen on which meat was dressed or prepared for table and gives the following lines in support of his view:  
'Tis burnt, and so is all the meat.  
What dogs are these? Where is the racial cook?  
How durt you, villains, bring it from the dresser  
And serve thus to me that love it not?  
—Shakespeare.  
A maple dresser in her hall she had,  
On which full many a slender meal she made.  
—Dryden.  
Wright in his "Domestic Manners of the Middle Ages" says: "One of the great objects of ostentation in a rich man's house was his plate, which at dinner time he brought forth and spread on the table in sight of his guests. Afterward to exhibit the plate to more advantage the table was made with shelves or steps, on which the different articles could be arranged in rows, one above another. It was called in French, or Anglo-Norman, a dresser, because on it the different articles were dressed or arranged."  
It is this to which the modern poet refers:  
The pewter plates on the dresser  
Caught and reflected the flame as shields  
Of armies the sunshine.

**PRESENCE OF MIND.**  
The Way Two Englishmen Captured Four Hundred Prisoners.  
Toward the close of the peninsular war 400 prisoners were captured by John Colborne, afterward Field Marshal Lord Seaton. Colborne, who was wounded at Talavera, had been disabled for some time, but in 1813 he was in active service again, and when Wellington's army crossed the frontier into France he performed what was indeed the most amazing feat of his career.  
When riding, with no comrade but the famous Sir Henry Smith, separated from his column, he saw 400 French soldiers passing along a ravine below him. "The only way was to put a good face on the matter," he wrote. "So I went up to them, desiring them to surrender. The officer, thinking, of course, the column was behind me, surrendered his sword, saying theatrically, 'Je vous rends cette epee, qui a bien fait son devoir.' (I surrender this sword, which has done its duty well.) The 400 followed his example."  
Sir Henry Smith used to declare that he had never seen such cool presence of mind as Colborne displayed on this occasion.—London Spectator.

**Sanger's White Elephant.**  
"I was exhibiting the only white elephant, ever seen in the western world," relates Lord George Sanger in his book, "Seventy Years a Showman," "when I was honored by a visit from King Edward, then Prince of Wales. After the performance I conducted the prince through the stables and showed him all there was to see. When we came to the 'white elephant' stall his royal highness suddenly turned to me and said, 'Sanger, is this really one of the sacred white elephants?'"  
"To this I replied: 'Well, your royal highness, a showman is entitled to practice a little deception on the crowd, but I should never think of deceiving my future king. It is certainly a 'white elephant'—in fact, a very white elephant, but only because we give him a coat of special whitewash twice a day!'"

**The Bacteriologist.**  
A Richmond negro chanced to meet on the street a friend who complained of much "mis'ry." Indeed, the afflicted one was in despair, so "tuckered out" was he.  
"Wot seems to be de matter?" asked the first negro.  
"Jim," said the other with a moan and a gesture indicating the portion of his anatomy that was giving him so much trouble, "I's got so a awful pains in mah back heah!"  
Jim assumed an air of great solemnity and wisdom. "In dat case," said he, "dere's only one thing fo' yo' to do. Jes' yo' put yo'af in de hands o' dat Doctah Blank. I hears dat he's de finest bacteriologist in de whole souf."—New York Press.

**Buddhism.**  
Buddhism started with Gautama Buddha about 600 years before the Christian era, and it numbers among its adherents more than a third of the human race. Buddhism is confined mainly to Asia—Manchuria, Mongolia, Korea, Tibet, China, Japan and the large islands off the Asiatic coast. Though born in India, Buddhism is not strong in that country today, being driven out by the old Hinduism of which it is the offshoot.

**Distraction Needed.**  
"You don't seem to be making much progress in golf."  
"No," replied Mr. Cumrox. "It worries. Do you know I sometimes wish that I was back in business so as to have something to take my mind off the game."—Washington Star.

**Rich, but Not Beautiful.**  
Bacon—She wasn't around when they were giving out good looks, was she? Egbert—No; she was at the other place where they were giving out money.—Volkens Statesman.

**Foot Notes.**  
"There is nothing in this book but footnotes."  
"Strange! What is the title?"  
"Every Man His Own Chiropodist."

Heaven takes care that no man secures happiness by crime.—Aldert.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

For sale—Good all-around work or driving horse, 7 years old. Also buggy and harness if desired. Will sell cheap. Phone 302X 17 18p

For Sale—Eleven and a quarter acres, six miles from town on the East Side. Six acres in orchard, part of it in bearing. New house. Phone 207-M. 17-20c

Those having Monterey cypress hedges on their premises would do well to postpone trimming them until after the 1st of April. A number of these hedges with which the writer is acquainted have been virtually killed out by doing the job in the winter.

**Low Fares East**

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