

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS.**

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for furniture and supplies for the new school building at Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon, until one o'clock P. M. Saturday, October 31, 1908. Furniture to consist of Supplies, Desks, Seats, etc., a list of which can be seen during business hours at my office.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept a portion of a bid and to reject the remainder.

A certified check for not less than 5 per cent of the amount bid must accompany each bid to be forfeited to the school district in case bid shall be accepted and bidder fails to enter into contract with ten days after notice of such acceptance.

Dated this 16th day of October, 1908.

JOHN F. HALL, Clerk of School, District No. 9, Coos County, Ore.

FIVE O'CLOCK DINNER 50c.

**SUNDAY DINNER**

—AT THE—

**Garfield Grill**

(Formerly Smith's Cafe.)

**—MENU—**

**Soup**

Chicken Consomme  
Cream of Oyster

**Fish**

Boiled Salmon with Hollandaise Sauce.

**Boiled**

Led of Mutton with Mandalay Sauce  
Brisket of Beef Spanish

**Entrees**

Banana Fritters and Brandy Sauce  
Stewed Chicken Southern Style  
Chicken Giblet Saute on Toast  
Fried Half-Spring on Toast

**Roasts**

Stuffed Leg of Pork with Sage Dressing.

Roast Young Chicken with French Dressing.

German Pot Roast

**Vegetables**

Au-Gratin Potatoes String Beans  
Stewed Corn Stewed Tomatoes  
Green Peas String Beans  
French Peas Asparagus on Toast

**Extras**

Green Onions, 10c Crab Salad, 10c  
Bananas and Cream, 10c  
Sliced Cucumbers, 10c  
Sliced Tomatoes

**Dessert**

Ice Cream and Cake  
Fruits and Nuts Cafe Noir

**Put on a Good Front**



and you cannot help but do so if you send your Dress and other Shirts to us to be laundered. We go to infinite pains to please our patrons by giving them most excellent work—especially in the getting up of fine linen. We have an up to date equipment and make it a practice to turn out only the best work, yet our prices attract attention because of their extreme moderation.

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**JOBBER'S PRICES**

Here are some of our very low prices, but represent only a small portion of our immense stock.

<b>COTTON BLANKETS.</b> 10-4 Cotton blankets for three-quarter bed. White, Tan and Grey. Very exceptional values at 10-4 Cotton blanket. Somewhat heavier than the above, Grey and Tan. Pair . . . . . 11-4 Cotton blankets for full size bed. Fine heavy fleeced blanket. White, Tan and Grey. Pr. . . . .	<b>WOOL BLANKETS.</b> Fine Lamb's Wool Crib Blankets. White only. Made entirely of selected lamb's wool. Very soft and non-irritant. Pair . . . . . Full size, 12-4 all wool blankets. Finest grade. Come in plain white, with blue or pink border, and in plaids of pink and white, black and white and blue and white. Pair only . . . . .	<b>COTTON FILLED COMFORTS</b> Full size silklike covered, cotton filled comforts. Carefully made. Light and dark patterns. Each only . . . . . Fine satin covered, snow-flake cotton filled comforts. Pretty light and dark patterns. Carefully sewed or knotted . . . . .
<b>65c</b> <b>85c</b> <b>\$1.15</b>	<b>\$5.00</b> <b>\$7.50</b>	<b>\$1.45</b> <b>\$2.75</b>

**Men's Winter Underwear**

Although we show below some very special values in men's heavy fleeced and woolen underwear, we would have you bear in mind, that we have on hand constantly a big and varied line of lighter weight garments, in wool or cotton as well.

Men's cotton sanitary fleeced lined underwear. Sizes 32 to 44. Medium heavy weight. Made large and roomy. Value at other stores 50c 65c. Garment . . . . .

Men's medium heavy wool underwear in tan. Extra good garment for little money. Sizes 32 to 46. Strongly made. Will not shrink. Really worth \$2.50 or \$2.65 suit. Our price, suit . . . . .

Men's medium weight, fine ribbed, grey underwear. Very good garments for dress or business wear. Sizes 32 to 44. A very special value . . . . .

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Best grade calico, yard only . . . . .	5c
Amoskeag apron checks, yard only . . . . .	6 1/4c
Heavy outing flannel, all colors, only . . . . .	10c
Canton flannel, best grade, yard only . . . . .	15c
10-4 extra wide sheeting, yard only . . . . .	26c
Best grade of Galatea cloth, yard . . . . .	20c
Finest dress ginghams, new patterns, yard . . . . .	12 1/2c
Fancy flannelette, newest patterns, yard . . . . .	15c
Stevens' towelling, unbleached, yard . . . . .	10c
Black and Turkish towels, 18x38 in. Each . . . . .	12 1/2c
Standard grade oilcloth, plain and fancy . . . . .	20c

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**Children's Coats Reasonably Priced**

Prices on our Children's Coats, in ages from 6 to 16 years, begin at 1.50 for a pretty kersey cloth coat, up to \$15 for a fine broadcloth or novelty worsted.

**OUR VALUES BETTER.**

—There is no store that can possibly undersell us in children's coats, if quality is taken into consideration. We do not carry shoddy or undesirable garments, and even our very lowest priced coat will convince you of its excellency. We buy direct from a very large New York manufacturer of children's coats. He not only has the reputation of making the best garments, but he is also known in the wholesale markets as being in position to give the lowest prices. Before you purchase you will save money by looking over our line. Prices range from \$15 down to.

**\$1.50**

**Best Values In Men's Hats**

In buying a hat, especially in this climate, quality is the first thing to consider. No matter how much or how little you pay, if the hat does not have the right stuff in it, you are simply throwing away good money.

**MADE BY BEST FIRMS.**

The best manufacturers in the country turn out our Men's Hats. The result is that the hats we sell give better service and retain their original shape as well, that today we are selling almost fifty per cent of the hats worn in Coos county. No matter whether you pay us \$2 or \$5, you are assured of getting a maximum amount of service from either. If you are not buying your hats from us, you had better give us a trial, to convince you we can save you money. Prices are \$5, \$2.50, \$3, \$2.50 and . . . . .

**\$2.00**

**PARTY OF PERFORMANCE.**

Republican Organization Fosters All Policies Tending to Make the Country Great and Prosperous.

The Republican is a party of action. It rests upon what it has done, and not upon what it possibly may do in the future. It has fostered everything that has tended to make the country great and prosperous. It has moved with the people. It has kept abreast of the times. It has ever stood ready to modify an old policy or to adopt a new one when the business interests of the country have needed the modification or the change. It has protected American industries. It has protected American labor by stringent immigration laws. It protected the credit and business stability of the country by prompt declaring in favor of a gold standard, and writing it in the statutes. When the time came it promptly seized upon the time and the opportunity to begin the speedy construction of the great isthmian canal. It has never hesitated to assume a responsibility. When the cruelties in Cuba threatened the interests of America the Republican party resolved to put an end to those cruelties. When trusts sprang up it enacted a law to curb and control those trusts. When commerce was at the mercy of the railroads, it provided for a commission to regulate them. When shippers were oppressed by transportation companies it promptly enacted a rate law. It has met every emergency in war or peace, met it in a wise, prudent and statesmanlike manner. It is progressive when progressiveness means upbuilding. It is conservative when conservatism means the maintenance of peace, order and prosperity. It has been prompt without undue haste. Peace and prosperity at home—honor and respect abroad has been, is now, and always will be its motto.—Republican National Platform.

**PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION.**

Actual Operation of Postal Savings Banks in Philippines.

Two Years' Experiment Indicates the Plan Is Successful.

The postal savings bank system in operation under the American flag is that in the Philippines, where, after two years of experiment, the institution has been declared a great success. In the report of the Philippine commission, just published, the postal savings bank is discussed briefly, in part as follows:

"The postal savings bank was first opened in Manila on Oct. 1, 1906. The law provides for three classes, with limitations as to the amounts that can be received at any one time in each class. Following the opening of the Manila office, other postal savings bank offices were opened in various cities, of different classes, until at the close of the year 235 had been opened, of which 9 were first, 80 were second and 140 were third class.

**Philippines Adopting System.**

"At first the Filipinos did not to any great extent avail themselves of the opportunity of depositing a portion of their receipts in the postal savings bank, and a great bulk of the depositors were Americans and of other nationalities. As the advantages of this system have been disseminated through means of schools, government bureaus, private agencies and others, the proportion of Filipinos is continually increasing, and gives very good promise that the Filipinos will learn to trust their money to the care of the government, and welcome the opportunity.

"The accounts opened up to the close of the fiscal year numbered 2,676, of which 347 were closed, leaving 2,329 still open. The deposits reached the total sum of 786,361.03 pesos—an average of 108.21 pesos. Withdrawals reached the total amount of 280,490.21 pesos, leaving a net deposit of 505,870.82 pesos at the end of the fiscal year—or the first nine months of the operation of the postal savings bank—but by no means the first nine months of operation of the average number of offices, the smaller ones having been opened from time to time during the year, so that many had not been opened more than a month or two at the time these figures were taken.

**Encouraging Small Accounts.**

"The device of issuing postal savings bank stamps has met with some response. The stamps are simply a method by which small amounts can be deposited without the expense of issuing a book, figuring interest, and opening an account.

"On the whole, the reception accorded the postal savings bank has been gratifying, and gives good promise. The investment of the funds is in the hands of a postal savings bank investment board, which carries a certain amount of the funds on deposit, and has limited power of investment. The law provides that 25 per cent of the money held on deposit may be loaned on first-class real estate, under limitations carefully drawn to protect the depositors, and 10 per cent on agricultural lands under still more rigid limitations."

Republican success would mean that there would be no disturbance of business, no unsettling of values and no standstill congress. The country is not ready for four years of stagnation and futile agitation.

Mr. Bryan says he is always ready to lift his voice in defense of the farmer, as if the thrifty, happy American farmer needed any defense.

**AS ROOSEVELT SEES BRYAN.**

"You say that you have advocated more radical measures against private monopolies than either I or my party associates have been willing to undertake. You have, indeed, advocated measures that sound more radical, but they have the prime defect that in practice they would not work. I should not in this letter to you discuss your attitude on this question if you did not yourself bring it up, but as you have brought it up, I answer you that in my judgment the measures you advocate would be wholly ineffective in curing a single evil, and so far as they had any effect at all, would merely throw the entire business of the country into hopeless and utter confusion. I put Mr. Taft's deeds against your words. I ask that you be judged both by the words you wish remembered by the words that seem to have and your party now have forgotten. . . . entirely natural for law-defying corporations to see you placed in a position of agency rather than Mr. Taft's. . . . plans to put a stop to the abuses of these corporations are wholly chimerical.—Theodore Roosevelt."

If it is true that Roosevelt is going to take to the stump Bryan will have to take to the woods.—Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Bryan no longer refers to Mr. Roosevelt as his imitator, counterpart and understudy.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"The smell of moth balls is in the air," says a lady journalist in an autumnal ode. Due to the resurrection of Bryan calamity speeches which have been in storage for the past four years.

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