

TRADE EXCURSION FINDS LA GRANDE FORTUNATE CITY

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(Journal Staff Correspondent)

La Grande, Or., Oct. 22.—Union county calls itself the banner county of the Blue mountain region, and residents of La Grande speak of their city as "Lucky La Grande." Like a four-leaf clover, La Grande has a fourfold reason for her prosperity. Timber, livestock, farm products and pay rolls are the four reasons why La Grande is a "good town," in the vernacular of the traveling salesman.

Union county has over 2,000,000,000 feet of merchantable timber, the mills having an annual output of 70,000,000 feet.

RAIL SHOP CENTER
La Grande is a division point on the Union Pacific and has the largest railroad shops and roundhouse between Portland and Salt Lake City, with a monthly payroll of \$150,000. The monthly payroll of the sawmills at La Grande is \$233,000. These industries, with other minor payrolls, make La Grande the largest payroll city in the state outside of Portland.

Not only is La Grande financially sound, but she has the true Eastern Oregon spirit of hospitality. The business men were met at the train by automobiles for a drive about the city to see at first hand the courthouse, library, her five school buildings, postoffice, the Elks building, Y. M. C. A., city park and her nine miles of paved streets.

The business men visited the high school, where they sang songs and where A. J. Bale made a most excellent talk on the privilege and duties of citizenship. O. W. Mielke spoke on teamwork and cooperation.

Coming from Elgin we had an opportunity to see something of the fertility as well as of the scenic beauty of Union county's 2087 square miles of surface. One of the features very noticeable in the Grand Ronde basin is the large number of silos in use as well as the new silos being erected, which is indisputable evidence of the importance of the dairy and stock growing industries of this section.

There would be less pessimism as to the future of Oregon if more of Portland business men visited Portland's trading territory. To see the optimism of the citizens of Eastern Oregon and the vast resources on which this optimism is based is to become a convert to a greater Oregon.

PROGRAM UNIQUE
The Ad club presented each guest at the banquet with a program, printed on the reverse side of which is a photograph of La Grande taken from an airplane.

The toastmaster was Walter M. Pierce. Bruce Dennis made the address of welcome. The response was made by Paul DeHaas. H. E. Collidge responded to a toast on Union county. R. S. Howard spoke on Portland and Robert E. Smith spoke on "Oregon—What Will Her Future Be?" Impromptu talks were made by others. Sherwood

Williams and Walter Jenkins divided honors along the musical line. After the banquet a dance was given at Rex hall to the visitors by the ladies of La Grande.

Survey to Bring Out Sentiment Over Proposed Hospital

A survey of the district surrounding the Portland Sanitarium at Belmont and East Sixteenth streets, made to determine sentiment of residents on the rebuilding of that institution, will be filed with the city auditor late today.

The survey was ordered by Commissioner Barbur after conflicting petitions had been signed by residents asking for and condemning the proposed erection of a new hospital on the present occupied site.

A petition with 116 names has been filed asking that the hospital be erected. Another petition seeks to have a permit withheld on the ground that it would make the section a "hospital district." A survey was made by city employees.

**Printers Vote to
Give More Money to
Home in Colorado**

About 350 members of the Multnomah Typographical union participated Wednesday in a general election on four proposed changes in the constitution of the International Typographical union.

The local vote was largely in favor of an increase in per capita tax to maintain the printers' home in Colorado, but was opposed to salary increase of international officers and of committee and special detail men. A minor amendment to harmonize the by-laws was also adopted so far as the local vote went.

Soles for repairing worn shoes have been invented that are coated with a waterproof adhesive solution that enables them to be attached by any person without sewing or nailing.

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If you've no Log Cabin Syrup left—see your grocer today.

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LOG CABIN
SYRUP**
Three Sizes—The Big Size For Greatest Economy

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THIEF RUNS AWAY FROM PATROLMAN; HOLDUP REPORTED

Patrolman Mobley of the traffic department ran an exciting chase after a holdup man late Thursday night only to see him vanish in thick brush. Mobley said that his excessive rotundness made it impossible for him to follow the man into the brush.

Mobley said he was on his way home from a picture show when at Milwaukie street and Bybee avenue he saw a man run, and K. A. Koel, 161 North Twenty-first street, cried at him to stop the hold-up man. Koel was on duty at the Standard Oil filling station on the corner. Mobley took up the chase but the man escaped. Koel said he was robbed of between \$15 and \$20.

Walter R. Ducoing and Ed Blevins of Seattle reported that they were held up near the south end of Grand avenue early in the evening. They reported that the thief made away with approximately \$500. According to their story they had just alighted from a taxicab and it had driven away when they were approached by a stranger who said he was a federal agent and insisted on searching their suitcase.

Blevins, who was carrying the bag, dropped it and fled and Ducoing reported that the man then drew a revolver and demanded his money.

Two other men reported attempted hold-ups. They were H. B. Merryweather, 233 Thirteenth street and Harry Olson, 251 Twenty-third street. The description of the bandit in each instance was the same with the exception of the revolver which he was carrying.

Diogenes Lived at Too Early Period; Honest Man Found

Carver, Or., "arrived" today because its population includes the "world's most honest man."

Samuel Mueller put his town on the map with his letter to William Adams, city treasurer: "To His Honor, the City Treasurer: 'Dear Gentleman: Last Sunday I found on the street of Portland, on corner Third and Alder, 14 trading stamps.

As I can not find the owner thereof I return to Your Honor the value of them, \$1.40, and keep the stamps. It is unclaimed property and belongs to the city."

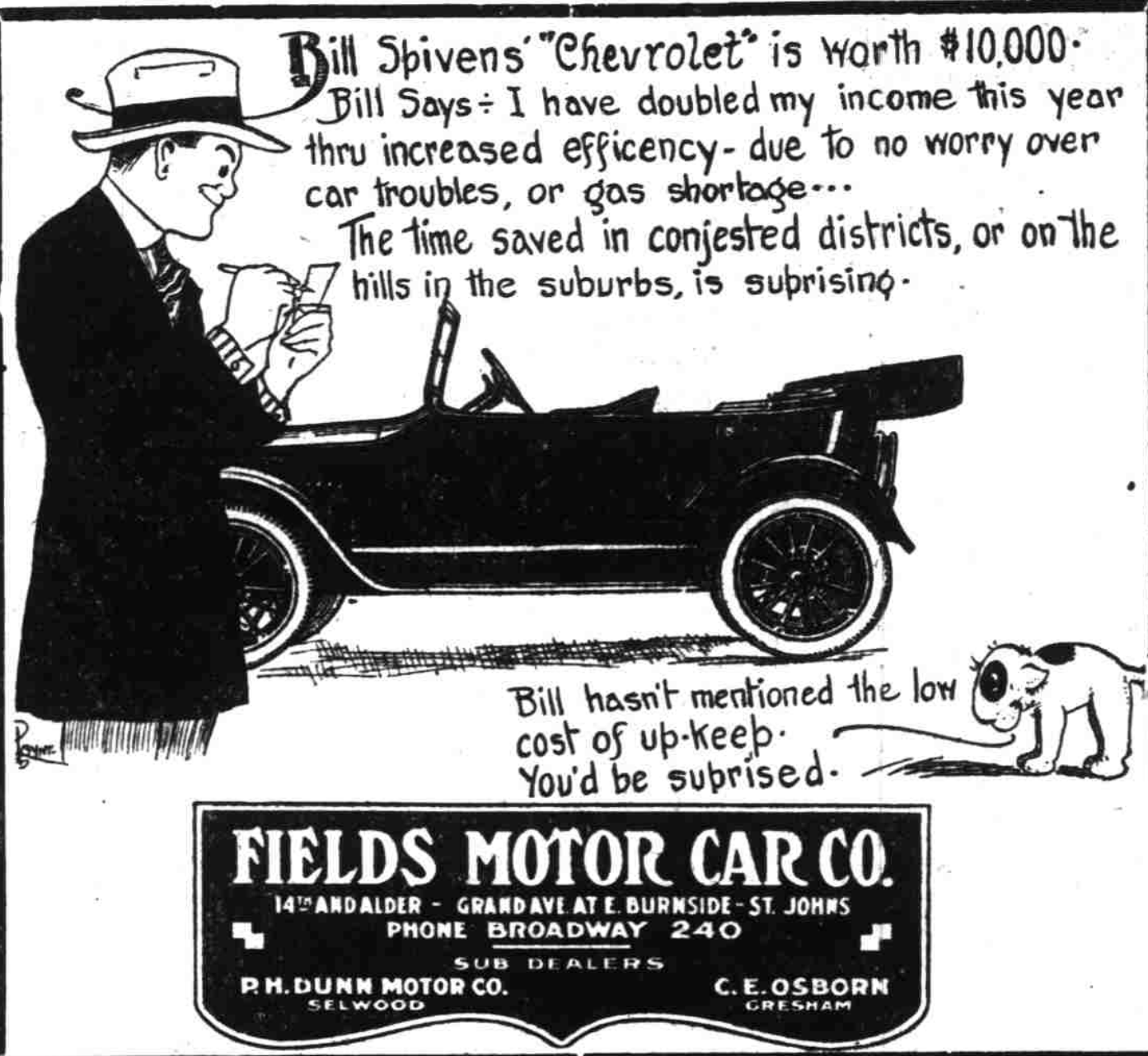
Harry Cole, 9-Year-Old, Is Being Sought

The police have been asked to assist in search for Harry Cole, 9, who was reported Thursday missing from

the home of his grandmother at 3704 East Morrison street. The boy left home for the west side Wednesday afternoon and failed to return. He was wearing a navy blue suit and a trench cap when he disappeared.

Two Girls Missing
Martha Baker and Buelah Morge, both 16, were reported as having run away from the White Shield home Wednesday and the police have been asked to aid in search. They left the home, presumably to attend the High School of Commerce, and failed to return. Both are wards of the juvenile court.

Bill Spivens' "Chevrolet" is worth \$10,000.
Bill Says: I have doubled my income this year thru increased efficiency—due to no worry over car troubles, or gas shortage...
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Riker's Tooth Paste	25c
Kolynos Tooth Paste	25c
Benetol Tooth Paste	25c
William's Tooth Paste	25c
Ingram's Milk Weed Soap	25c
Dr. Charles Healing Soap	25c
Wildroot Soap	25c
Lee's Tar Soap	25c
Germicidal Soap	25c
Cashmere Bouquet Soap, Large	25c
Jonteel Soap	25c
Violet Dulce Soap	25c
Colgate's Monad Violet Soap	25c
Colgate's Dactylis Soap	25c
Nadine Soap	25c
D'jer Kiss Talcum	25c
Jonteel Talcum	25c
Melba Talcum	25c
Melva Lov'me Talcum	25c
Colgate's Baby Talcum	25c
Colgate's Eclat Talcum	25c
Pompeian Talcum	25c
Armand's Talcum	25c
Mavis Talcum	25c
Todco Talcum	25c
Tooth Brushes, Dento-San No. 20	25c
Tooth Brushes, Dento-San No. 21	25c
Tooth Brushes, Oxford	25c
Tooth Brushes, Dento-San No. 22	25c
Tooth Brushes, Exzelo	25c
Hand Brushes, No. 667	25c
Hand Brushes, T-15	25c
Hand Brushes, No. 3009	25c
Hand Brushes, No. G-642	25c

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Attractively **\$8.75** Of Men's Wear
Sale-Price **\$5.00** Navy Serge

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—ECONOMY BASEMENT, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

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—ECONOMY BASEMENT, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

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Sizes 4 to 14

—Of red or navy sateen are these splendid Capes, cut full sweep and made with elastic-drawn hood.
—Very unusual at **\$3.89**.

Tailored corduroy Dresses and sailor serge Dresses, 6 to 14... \$6.65
Knit Tams, for girls of 10 to 14... \$1.49
Navy serge Middy Skirts, 6 to 12... \$3.95
—ECONOMY BASEMENT, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Boys' suits—the best you have seen at \$9.95

Sizes 7 to 17

—These are new Norfolks and Belters—smarter in style, finer in quality and better in workmanship than any you have seen at \$9.95 or thereabouts. WARM suits that WILL WEAR.

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This Store Uses No Comparative Prices—They Are Misleading and Often Untrue

Vitreous China



The advantage of an "all white" bathroom

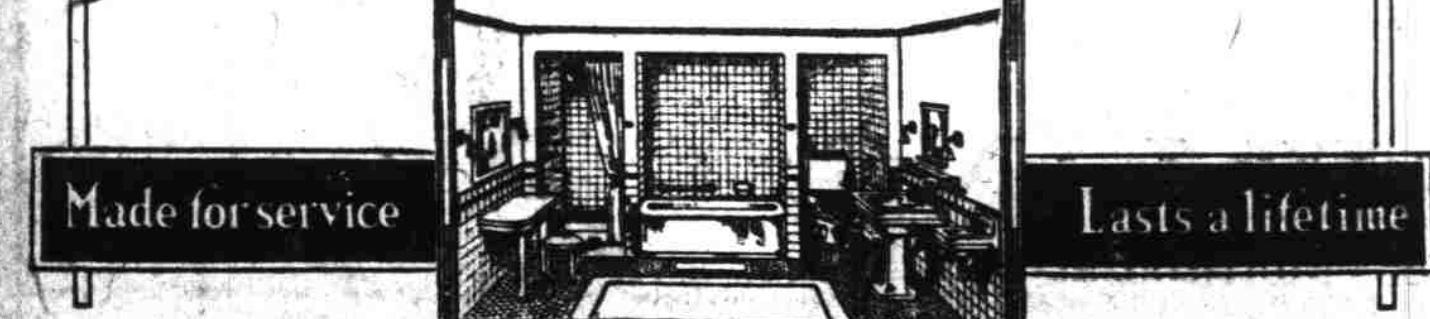
The whiteness of our modern bathroom equipment is permanent, because the fixtures are made entirely of glistening, pure white vitreous china which will not chip, crack, craze, stain or discolor.

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