

CUT PRICE



Sale Begins Wednesday, October 4th. 20 to 35 per cent reduction--everything goes--no exceptions

Golden Rule Store

GENERAL NEWS.

Russia is trying to secure loans amounting to \$360,000,000, offering to pay 4 per cent. One-half the amount will be placed in France if possible.

British capitalists will advance \$5,000,000 on a Korean loan secured by railway bonds negotiated by the Japanese sponsors for Korean credit.

Up till 6 p. m. October 4 there had developed at New Orleans 2972 cases of yellow fever, of which 396 resulted fatally, and 219 were under treatment.

It is believed John Mitchell, president of the United Mineworkers, will be appointed commissioner of immigration to succeed Frank P. Sargent.

The Omaha city council has been enjoined from granting a long-time gas lease. The people are up in arms and a bitter fight of the Philadelphia type is projected.

The conclusion reached by the International Tuberculosis congress in session at Paris is that the principal predisposing causes of consumption are alcoholism, overwork and overcrowding.

In the district surrounding Edna, Texas, 700 men are hunting a negro named Monk Gibson, accused of murder and assault, but fail to find him. It is believed he has made a successful getaway.

For Sale.

6-room house and one lot, North Side, \$1900.

Two houses and 2 lots, adjoining, \$900 each.

Level building lot, 50x116, North Side, \$300.

8-room house and two lots, east front, \$2300.

6-room house, 2 lots; South Hill, \$2,000.

6-room house and 3 lots, South hill, one lot in bearing fruit trees, \$1,300.

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UNION COUNTY CUTS ASSESSMENT

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION REDUCES ALL VALUES.

O. R. & N. Company and Other Taxpayers Represented by J. W. Morrow and Walter Pierce, Petition for Reduction, Which Was Granted--Assessment Cut Fully One-half.

The board of equalization of Union county yesterday afternoon reduced the assessment on all kinds of property about 50 per cent. The petition for a reduction was presented by J. W. Morrow for the O. R. & N. company, and by Walter Pierce for other taxpayers. The La Grande Observer says of the action of the board:

A number of taxpayers met with the county board of equalization yesterday afternoon and presented petitions asking that the present assessment, which represents about \$12,000,000, be cut in two, or reduced to about \$6,000,000.

The board consists of County Judge Harrison, County Clerk Gilham and Assessor Morton, who heard the cause of the petitioners through Senator Walter Pierce and J. W. Morrow, who represented the interests of the O. R. & N. company.

The petitioners made no accusation against the assessment in detail or that the values were not proportionate, but seriously objected against being raised from the 12th place in the list of counties of the state, to second and that the values so assessed were far in excess of the actual cash value and that in the probable change in the system of levying state taxes, that by the fact of our very high assessment our proportion of the state taxes would be raised from about \$23,000 as now to about \$60,000.

Mr. Morrow entered protest against the assessment of \$15,500 per mile on the main line and about \$12,000 on the Elgin branch line, and \$2200 per mile on the rolling stock as unjust, claiming that there was not another county west of the Mississippi river where such values were maintained, and offered to compromise on the following proposition after giving a careful review of the amounts assessed the O. R. & N. in the counties of Oregon and Washington, through which this line passed at \$8200 per mile for the main line, \$4000 for the branch line, and \$675 per mile on rolling stock.

The board after carefully considering the petition of the taxpayer and the petition of the O. R. & N. granted the prayers of both.

W. & C. R. OFFICIALS.

Joseph McCabe and Others Re-elected to Their Positions.

The Walla Walla Union says of the annual election of officers of the Washington & Columbia River railway:

The annual meeting of the Washington & Columbia River railway was held in the general offices of the company yesterday afternoon and elected a board of trustees for the ensuing year.

The board of trustees met immediately after the stockholders' meeting had adjourned and proceeded to elect the officers of the company for the next year. The only change in either of the elections was the substitution of J. N. Hill as a trustee in the place of Daniel Lamont, deceased.

The same officers were elected by the trustees as have been serving the company in the past. The trustees elected by the stockholders are Howard Elliott, J. N. Hill, Charles M. Levey, M. P. Morton, Joseph McCabe, A. R. Burford, W. F. Palne, A. J. Pinkham and S. B. Calderhead.

The set of officers in turn elected by the trustees are as follows: Howard Elliott, president; Joseph McCabe, vice president and general manager; Geo. H. Earl, secretary; M. P. Martin, comptroller; Rowland Smith, assistant comptroller; C. A. Clark, treasurer; J. G. Cutler, assistant treasurer.

A majority of the board of trustees are residents of Walla Walla and thus enables a meeting of that body to be held any time.

The only person from a distance who attended the meeting was Comptroller Martin, of Tacoma. He returned home last evening.

THE FLOTO PARADE.

Circus Beautiful Will Give Two Performances Tomorrow.

The Floto shows have always paid the greatest attention to their mammoth menagerie. As eight-seers will observe, for architectural beauty and design this show is unequalled. In giving a free, open-den half a million dollar street pageant Floto does not deal in enigmatical generalities, but is the only show that publishes an itemized formation of the circus parade.

John Carroll, superintendent of parade, driving "Pasha," the \$9000 Arabian stallion.

Bugle corps; horses in full dress. Two mounted knights; advance horse guards.

The Ben Hur herd of royal blooded Arabians with giant royal chariot. First big band chariot, Sig Zierke, band master, with 16 soloists.

Queen Anne tableau cage, with the largest Bengal tigers in captivity. Carved Roman open lion den, contains Sultan and his family.

Fancy Kentucky saddle horses; Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Rooney riding. Grecian four-horse open cage.

The Hussar quartet; saddle horses from the Floto stock farm, Denver. Big band chariot, eight Rocky mountain mustangs, driven by Carlo Carson, famous California driver.

Royal India cage of monkeys, 57 varieties. Neptune chariot with the Continental drum corps.

Foreign exhibit; Mexican vaqueros, etc.

Tableau band car, eight horses with outriders and costly trappings. Miniature happy family van, drawn by four camels.

Oriental tableau car, drawn by the only Brahma bull ever harnessed. Children's menagerie cage, eight ponies driven by Master Tony Ross, formerly jockey to King Edward.

Italian veranda cage of llamas from the Forbidden Land.

The royal India zebu carts. Oriental band; Shetland team. Eight of the sultan's favorites; camel trip across the desert.

Herd of Asiatic trained camels, the largest ever captured. Children's annex; Australian ham-mock den of kangaroos; eight ponies from Floto's Shetland farm, Denver.

Queen of the parade, in embossed, solid copper houdah from Bombay, India, introducing "Mamma Mary," the largest elephant in America.

"Tribby," trick clown elephant. Open leopard cage, mounted on the educated elephant Frieda, and the great Floto herd of performing elephants.

Patrol wagon with funny clown chorus. The comedy bicycle riders.

Grand German orchestral callopete, tuned to concert pitch, Prof. Frederick Jewell, soloist, drawn by six musical horses from Floto's equine college, at Denver.

Indians Coming Home.

A number of Umatilla Indians, with animals packed, passed through the city yesterday on their return to the reservation from Snake river, where they have been on a salmon expedition.—Baker City Democrat.

At Bruenn, Austria, the German element succeeded in defeating the establishment of a Czech university. The Czech element retaliated by wrecking the German high school and technical college and running the faculty out of town.

RATE BILL DELAYED

RAILROAD LEGISLATION WILL NOT REACH CONGRESS.

Voluntuous Reports Must Be Received and Edited and the Task is So Great That a Session of Congress May Adjourn Without Action--Railroad Senators Will Attempt to Defer All Such Legislation.

A special from Washington to the San Francisco Examiner says:

Rumblings now are heard to the effect that the senate committee of which Senator Elkins is chairman, may not be able after all its volumes of testimony to report a bill to congress for the regulation of railway rates by December 19, the date fixed by resolution of the senate.

It would appear that the senate committee leaders have discovered that it will not be an easy undertaking to get up a bill which will please the railroads and rush it through congress. That fact has been made clear to them by the firm stand of the president on his own views which look to a bill of strength and value and to the increase of powers of the interstate commerce commission.

Some of the senate committee members are of the opinion that the Wisconsin law should be tried first and the propaganda against that law is already felt here by statements to the effect that it is "ruining immigration, etc."

It is expected that the president will touch on the subject of railway rate making very strongly in his forthcoming message. If he should do so and call on his friends indirectly to push a good and strong bill the tactics of the senators, like Elkins, Foraker and Aldrich will be to delay the issue with the hope that another session of congress will adjourn without action.

BOOK AGENTS ARE FRAUDS.

Shrewd Game in Walla Walla Victimizes Many People.

Reports from Seattle indicate that Walla Walla was not the only place that has been recently infested by an organized bunch of book agents who plied a lucrative business about the time of the opening of the public schools. Walla Walla people may profit by the following account of the manner of transacting business in Seattle, says the Walla Walla Union.

"About 1500 Seattle women are victims of a bunco book agent, according to O. E. Hansen of that city.

"According to Mr. Hansen, an agent for the owners of the books appears at residences in the city and offers four books for \$16.75. Invariably the agent transacts his business with the housewife, who he evidently suspects will not be so careful in her dealings as her husband would be.

"The wife agrees to take the books subject to the approval of her husband. She is asked to sign what is purported to be an order, but which in fact is a promissory note payable in six months.

Since the first of July Korea has had only Japanese postage stamps. A special stamp has been issued to commemorate the postal union of the two countries.

Take nutmeg; one is not as good as another. Schilling's Best, in nutmeg, is ground fine from difficult nuts to grind because full of oil; the oil is their virtue. There are dry nuts; there are wormy nuts. We are no more careful in nutmegs than all through.

Your grocer's; moneyback.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a Home of Swamp-Root pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured.

In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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Stage leaves Pendleton at 7 a. m., arrives at Ukiah at 6 p. m. Return stage leaves Ukiah at 6 a. m., arrives at Pendleton 5 p. m. Pendleton to Ukiah, \$3; round trip, \$5. Pendleton to Alba, \$2.75; round trip, \$5. Pendleton to Ridge, \$2; round trip, \$4.50. Pendleton to Nye, \$1.50; round trip, \$3.50. Pendleton to Pilot Rock, \$1; round trip, \$2. Office at Brock & McComas' Drug Store. Daily East Oregonian by carrier, only 15 cents a week.

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DON'T BE DECEIVED BY FALSE STATEMENTS AND AND PROMISES OF BARGAINS, BUT COME AND INVESTIGATE OUR OFFERINGS BEFORE YOU INVEST IN A PIANO OR OTHER MUSICAL INSTRUMENT.

THE CELEBRATED AND ALWAYS SATISFACTORY STEINWAY PIANO, RECOGNIZED AS THE HIGHEST GRADE INSTRUMENT MADE, ARE HANDLED BY US. WE HAVE THEM IN BEAUTIFUL MAHOGANY AND EBONY CASES. FOR TONE AND FINISH THEY HAVE NO SUPERIOR. THE GREAT LUDWIG, THE PIANO THAT STANDS WITHOUT A RIVAL IN ITS CLASS. A PIANO BUILT TO PLEASE THE PURCHASER. THEY ARE GOOD ALL WAY THROUGH, AND THE BETTER PERSONS BECOMES ACQUAINTED WITH THE LUDWIG THE HIGHER ARE THEIR PRAISES.

THE EMERSON PIANO, THE BEAUTIFUL BUILT INSTRUMENT WHICH IS SUCH A GREAT FAVORITE WITH MUSICIANS ALL OVER THE WORLD, IS ANOTHER GREAT INSTRUMENT THAT WE ALONE HANDLE IN PENDLETON.

THESE THREE INSTRUMENTS ARE THE LEADERS AND ARE SOLD ON THEIR MERIT.

WE HAVE NO SMOOTH, OILY-TONGUED, HIGH-PRICED AGENTS SALESMEN SINGING FALSE PRAISE FOR OUR INSTRUMENTS--THEY DON'T NEED IT. THEY ARE SOLD ON MERIT ONLY. THEY RECOMMEND THEMSELVES.

WHEN YOU BUY A PIANO, DON'T PAY FOR TALK, BUT INVEST IN AN INSTRUMENT OF REAL WORTH. ONE THAT IS GOOD IN EVERY POINT. ONE THAT IS NOT BUILT FOR SHOW ALONE, BUT FOR SERVICE. ONE THAT THE INTERIOR IS AS PERFECT AS THE OUTSIDE.

The Three Pianos We Handle....

The Celebrated Steinway The Beautiful Ludwig The Perfect Emerson

Represent the Highest Skill in Piano Making

THERE ARE NONE MADE THAT ADD MORE BEAUTY TO A HOME THAN THESE THREE. ALL ARE SOLD ON AN ABSOLUTE GUARANTEE.

WITH OUR LIGHT EXPENSE WE CAN SELL THESE HIGH-GRADE INSTRUMENTS AT WHAT OTHERS WOULD CHARGE YOU FOR INFERIOR MAKES. BEAR IN MIND THAT WHEN YOU BUY A PIANO THERE IS MORE TO CONSIDER THAN THE APPEARANCE OF THE OUTSIDE CASE. THE REAL PIANO IS INSIDE THE CASE.

TIME AND TRIAL HAVE PROVEN THE STEINWAY, THE LUDWIG AND THE EMERSON TO BE THE MOST PROFITABLE INVESTMENTS IN THE PIANO LINE.

CAN WE NOT HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF SHOWING YOU A PIANO AND EXPLAINING THE SAVING WE CAN MAKE YOU IN YOUR PURCHASE? YOU DON'T BUY A PIANO EVERY DAY, BUT ONCE IN A LIFETIME, AND THAT'S WHY YOU SHOULD INVESTIGATE BEFORE YOU DECIDE. OUR PERSONAL GUARANTEE IS BACK OF EVERY INSTRUMENT WE SELL, BESIDES THAT OF THE MANUFACTURER.

WE HAVE ALSO THE EXCLUSIVE SALE IN PENDLETON OF THE

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IT'S IN KEEPING WITH THE HIGH-GRADE OF OUR LINE OF PIANOS. WE ARE CLOSING OUT OUR STOCK OF SMALL MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND COST IS ALL WE ASK FOR THEM.

BESIDES THE GREAT SAVING WE CAN MAKE YOU ON A PIANO WE SELL ON THE EASY PAYMENT PLAN. A SMALL AMOUNT DOWN AND THE BALANCE ON INSTALLMENTS.

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