

JONES BROS

GRAND

Holiday Announcement

We Have Received the Largest Assortment of

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Ever brought to Union county, but which, on account of IMMENSE VARIETY, we are unable to catalogue in an advertisement of this kind.

Everybody is Invited to Call at our Store and see for Themselves.

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In accordance with our usual custom we have made arrangements for a

FREE GIFT DISTRIBUTION!

For every dollar's worth of goods bought of us during the remainder of the year, our patrons will receive a ticket which will give them a chance to secure one or all of the following valuable presents:

- 1 Prize, Vase lamp
- 2 prize Set ice cream dishes
- 3 prize Set dishes, 4 pieces
- 4 prize Large plush album
- 5 prize Open work fruit dish
- 6 prize Lady's work basket
- 7 prize "1001 gems of poetry"
- 8 prize Hand lamp
- 9 prize Silver plated fruit dish
- 10 prize Lady's lace pin
- 11 prize Autograph album
- 12 prize Set dishes, 4 pieces
- 13 prize Scrap album
- 14 prize Decorated tea set, 44 pieces
- 15 prize Sack of flour,

Drawing to take place Dec. 31, at 7 P. M.

GIFTS - FOR - THE - CHILDREN.

For every twenty-five cents' worth of goods bought of us by the little folks, we will give a ticket entitling them to a chance to draw one or all of the following splendid gifts:

- 1 Prize, Magic lantern
- 2 prize Scrap album
- 3 prize Lunch basket
- 4 prize Autograph album
- 5 prize Kaleidoscope
- 6 prize Pair vases
- 7 prize Box Stationery
- 8 prize Box paints
- 9 prize Bank, Com. lock
- 10 prize 50 ct. pkg. candy

Drawing to take place Dec. 31, at 2 P. M.

Tickets For This Drawing Will be Given to None But the Children.

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All Goods Marked in Plain Figures, And cheaper than any other house in Union county.

Orders from all parts of the country promptly attended to.

JONES BROTHERS, Corner Main and C Streets, Union, Oregon.

Written for the SCOUT.

SCHOOL DAYS.

'Tis first the blossom budding new With the tender leaves baptised in dew; Then the infant struggle at mother's knee, Opening the gates of the years to be. The little mind grasps little things As the unfledged bird its ditty sings, And the childish knowledge grows apace Till it enters into the school day chase. At the first school house, the mind soars high, And the low room seems to reach the sky— New forms arise—new visions pass, And the new realm seems a sea of glass. The proud mind lifts its learning up And seeks to drink from Plato's cup; But 'tis only a few short days. The true light shines before its gaze, And it sees—alas, how oft too late, That self-conceit is a common fate. The first course finished—from home away The new found fields look fair and gay, And higher studies—larger books And men with downcast, austere looks Seem to be a paradise beside. The common sense whirs its pinion tried, At college the classics find a friend, And science looks to a noble end, But the school boy's ruddy glow has fled, And study and care each vein has bled; He grows a man, is learning yet, But his first taught lesson he will forget. He learns in fields of servile toil, And knowledge teems in the upturned soil. He finds a lesson in every song— In every breeze that trips along— And sees the days of his study come Before him a base, blank dream, and dumb To the sounds that thrill the mind, And leave a deeper lesson to find; For long, dry words have filled the brain, And the dust of science fills every vein— A fertile mind in rankness teems And spends its days in hopeless dreams. Give me the mountains, the beaming sun, Where science her feeble cause began; The rivers, the lakes, the ambient air And I will make a study there. For words, like feathers, fall to the ground, When expressive Nature speaks, around. Give me the field—its waving grain, And the flowers that flaunt in the gorgeous train, The tall trees bending overhead, The luscious peach, and cherry red; For among the books of Nature's make Are poems no man ever spake; Poems and lessons of the heart's own tune Free as the birds in sunny June; No pale, sad, faces greet your eye, Of students of mountain, brook and sky; No long routine of lessons taught Devoid of a single honest thought, But fresh and new the accents ring, Each strain touching a different thing. No maidens drooping in tender health, But of flush and laughter is their wealth; Blith and gay as the ambient air, Free as the rose, and quite as fair; With waving curls, like a sea of silk, Cheeks as pure as the foaming milk; Voices clear, anon in tune With the varied melodies of June. Strong, sturdy men with honor wrought, The faces beaming with fertile thought; The student here is a full-fledged sage, Whose vigor strengthens with his age; He learns each day some newer rule— And sees in Nature an endless school. No creed can warp the sturdy trees, No worship win the flowing breeze, But one grand purpose e'er in view, Each turn tells him something new, And he finds in every act a thought And death a part of the purpose wrought. —B. W. H.

Eagle Cooper Shop.

S. B. Ayles, proprietor. Manufacturer of butter barrels and kegs. A good supply always on hand. Shop south of school house, Union, Oregon.

PERSONAL.

Mr. N. H. Frohlichstein, of Mobile, Ala., writes: I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, having used it for a severe attack of Bronchitis and Catarrh. It gave me instant relief and entirely cured me and I have not been afflicted since. I also beg to state that I had tried other remedies with no good result. Have also used Electric Bitters and Dr. King's New Life Pills, both of which I can recommend. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, is sold on a positive guarantee. Trial bottles free at Wright's drug store.

RENEWS HER YOUTH.

Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay county, Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with Kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle, only 50 cents at Wright's drug store, Union, Oregon.

WORTH KNOWING.

Mr. W. H. Morgan, merchant, Lake City, Fla., was taken with a severe Cold, attended with a distressing cough and running into Consumption in its first stages. He tried many so-called popular cough remedies and steadily grew worse. Was reduced in flesh, had difficulty in breathing and was unable to sleep. Finally tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and found immediate relief, and after using about a half dozen bottles found himself well and has had no return of the disease. No other remedy can show so grand a record of cures, as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Guaranteed to do just what is claimed for it.—Trial Bottles free at Wright's drug store, Union, Oregon.

THEIR BUSINESS BOOMING.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Wright's drug store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can't test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

AYER'S PILLS

Sugar-Coated Cathartic
If the Liver becomes torpid, if the bowels are constipated, or if the stomach fails to perform its functions properly, use Ayer's Pills. They are invaluable. For some years I was a victim to Liver Complaint, in consequence of which I suffered from General Debility and Indigestion. A few boxes of Ayer's Pills restored me to perfect health.—W. T. Brightney, Henderson, W. Va.
For years I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else, to

Regulate my bowels. These Pills are mild in action, and do their work thoroughly. I have used them, with good effect, in cases of Rheumatism and Dyspepsia.—G. F. Miller, Attleborough, Mass.

Ayer's Pills cured me of Stomach and Liver troubles, from which I had suffered for years. I consider them the best pills made, and would not be without them.—Morris Gates, Downsville, N. Y.

I was attacked with Bilious Fever, which was followed by Jaundice, and was so dangerously ill that my friends despaired of my recovery. I commenced taking Ayer's Pills, and soon regained my customary strength and vigor.—John C. Pattison, Lowell, Nebraska.

Last spring I suffered greatly from a troublesome humor on my side. In spite of every effort to cure this eruption, it increased until the flesh became entirely raw. I was troubled, at the same time, with indigestion, and distressing pains in

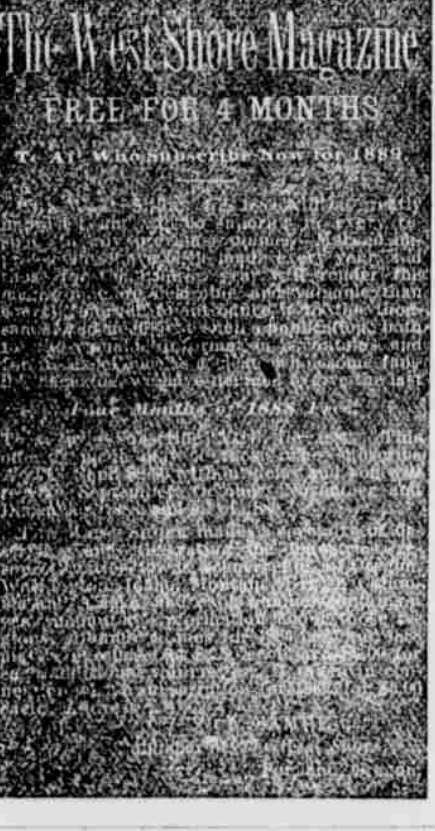
The Bowels. By the advice of a friend I began taking Ayer's Pills. In a short time I was free from pain, my food digested properly, the sores on my body commenced healing, and in less than one month I was cured.—Samuel D. White, Atlanta, Ga.

I have long used Ayer's Pills, in my family, and believe them to be the best pills made.—S. C. Darden, Darden, Miss.

My wife and little girl were taken with Dysentery a few days ago, and I at once began giving them small doses of Ayer's Pills, thinking I would call a doctor if the disease became any worse. In a short time the bloody discharges stopped, all pain went away, and health was restored.—Theodore Esling, Richmond, Va. H

Ayer's Pills,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.



DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned have this day mutually dissolved the partnership heretofore existing between them, R. F. Wilson of the firm will continue the business, collect all bills and settle the indebtedness of the firm. Dated this Nov. 7th, 1888. CARROLL & WILSON.

ESTRAY HORSE—\$100 REWARD.

Estrayed or stolen from Eagle valley, one red-roan horse about 8 years old, branded with a cross foot on left shoulder. He disappeared about the 15th of last August. The above reward will be paid for his return. M. J. DUFFEY, Cornucopia.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT.

Application for a United States patent: Survey No. 10; Claim No. 43; mineral application No. 18. U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT W. T. Burdett, Isaiah Arnold, D. W. Tice, C. J. Duffey, and the Oregon God Mining Company, a corporation, whose post-office address is Cornucopia, Union county, Oregon, have this day filed their application for a patent for the

Red Jacket quartz lode, situated in Granite mining district, in Township 6, South, of Range 45 E. W. M. the quartz lode being described by the official maps and field notes on file in this office, as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the south-east corner of the claim, a point from which the quarter-section corner between sections 27 and 28, in T. 6 S., R. 45 E., bears S. 61 degrees E. 1/2 miles E. and 134 feet distant, post being marked "Corner No. 1, R. J. M. C. survey No. 10," on north-west face; thence running N. 15 degrees 32 minutes E. along east boundary of the claim 1333 feet to post marked "Corner No. 2, R. J. M. C. survey No. 10;" thence N. 22 degrees W. 600 feet to post marked "Corner No. 3, R. J. M. C. survey No. 10;" thence S. 9 degrees 15 minutes W. along west boundary of claim 1339 feet to post marked "Corner No. 4, R. J. M. C. survey No. 10;" thence S. 82 degrees E. along south boundary of claim 530 feet to "Corner No. 1," place of beginning, containing 16 and 13 one-hundredths acres, location being recorded in volume "B" quartz claims of Union county, Oregon, at page 168. Adjoining claims are "Silver Bell" on the east, the "Robert Emmet" on the north and the "Companion" on the south. Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of the said "Red Jacket" quartz lode above described, are required to file their adverse claims with the register of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Oregon, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of statute.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing notice of application for a U. S. patent be published for a period of sixty days (ten consecutive weeks) in THE OREGON SCOUT, a weekly newspaper published at Union, Union county, Oregon.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Oct. 23, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 6, 1888, viz:

WILLIAM L. GOVELL, D. S. No. 579, for the N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec 14, Tp. 9 S., R. 45 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. P. Lee, James Arthur, P. J. Brown, and I. N. Young, all of New Bridge, O.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Oct. 23, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on December 15th, 1888, viz:

ERNEST SAMIS, D. S. No. 788, for the S 1/2 NW 1/4 and N 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 2, Tp. 5 S., R. 39 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Wm. Stafford, E. R. Spain, Thad Draper and Peter M. Coffin, all of Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 8, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 27th, 1888, viz:

WILLIAM P. LOCKMAN, D. S. No. 807, for the E 1/2 NW 1/4 and E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 18, Tp. 4 S., R. 39 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Rutledge, F. M. Culverson, W. L. Johnson and M. A. W. Wallace, all of La Grande, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 7, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 22, 1888, viz:

WALLACE C. HINGOLEY, D. S. No. 1887, for the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 29 and S 1/2 NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 30, Tp. 5 S., R. 49 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Irwin Frasier, Francis Esyre, Cyrus H. Prescott and Bladen Ashby, all of Telocast, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, October 4, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Nov. 21, 1888, viz:

FRANCIS M. OFFICER, D. S. No. 2453, for the N 1/2 NW qr. Sec. 24, and S 1/2 SW qr. Sec. 13, Tp. 8 S., R. 40 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Job Curles, Ole Desdriekson Monroe Updyke and James McNutt, all of Pine valley, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 7, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 15, 1888, viz:

SARAH A. ARNOLD, D. S. No. 2073, for the E 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 3, Tp. 5 S., R. 39 E. and, JOHN R. REEVES, D. S. No. 2117, for the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 2, Tp. 6 S., and S 1/2 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 35, Tp. 5 S., R. 49 E.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. H. Stevens, William Stafford and Thomas Shaw, of North Powder; John E. Reeves, Oliver McKeaver, William Frasier, Sarah A. Arnold and W. H. Huffman, of Telocast, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimants, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Oct. 15, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 15th, 1888, viz:

JOHN WELLS, D. S. No. 798, for the SE qr. SE qr. Sec. 3, Tp. 5 S., Lot 4, and SW qr. SW qr. Sec. 1, Lot 2, Sec. 2, Tp. 5 S., R. 49 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andy Wilkinson, Thomas Wilkinson, Chas. Conarty and N. C. Reineitt, all of Union, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Oct. 15, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 15th, 1888, viz:

LEANDER J. FERGUSON, D. S. No. 809, for the E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 28 and S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 27, Tp. 9 S., R. 45 E. and, AUGUSTUS PENTON, D. S. No. 877, for the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 22, Tp. 9 S., R. 45 E.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Augustus Penton, Leander J. Ferguson, D. W. Allen, William Nash and Leander Ferguson, all of Bridgeport, Oregon.

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LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, October 27, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 11, 1888, viz:

LEANDER J. FERGUSON, D. S. No. 809, for the E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 28 and S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 27, Tp. 9 S., R. 45 E. and, AUGUSTUS PENTON, D. S. No. 877, for the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 22, Tp. 9 S., R. 45 E.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Augustus Penton, Leander J. Ferguson, D. W. Allen, William Nash and Leander Ferguson, all of Bridgeport, Oregon.

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HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Oct. 23, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 6, 1888, viz:

CATHARINE WEAVER, widow of Joshua Weaver, deceased, D. S. No. 387, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 31, Tp. 1 N., R. 49 E. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert Knight, Wm. Endicott, R. V. Alexander and Robert Cummings, all of Elgin, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

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HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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