

# A FEW REASONS WHY WE ASK YOUR TRADE

1st. Because our line of General Merchandise is as a whole the most comprehensive shown in this county; and is better adapted to your requirements than others for it was selected with the experience acquired in supplying the local trade for twenty years.

2nd. Because this experience has demonstrated the fact that only the better qualities are acceptable to you, and that poor quality at any price does not appeal to you. We therefore eliminate the cheaper grades from our purchases, and offer in every item the quality which we can and do guarantee satisfactory.

3d. Because with us your money is as good as your neighbors and you are entitled to the same price on the same terms and quantities purchased, and the same way with your produce in the same kind and quality. Therefore no discrimination.

4th. Because our discount for cash is a fair one between the cash and credit customers, and practically based on the interest rate for use of money. One gains the discount, the other the time, and in either case the goods cost but 95 cents on the dollar on the basis of 5 per cent discount, or six month's time; which on a majority of your purchases is just that much less than the amount asked you by the houses selling only for cash, and cutting a few prices only on the many thousand items you have to purchase. We therefore submit to you our claim of having the lowest average price on your requirements.

5th. Because we furnish you the most goods for the money, when quality and price are considered, and while we do not claim our price to be lower on every item, yet one could purchase a bill from us with his eyes shut and the price would average lower than from any other source in this market; and why?

6th. Because our methods and policies are adopted after careful consideration of the interest of our patrons as well as our own, and with the view of building a larger and better business each year by better service and lower prices. The anticipated results of these reciprocal measures have been more than realized by the marked growth of our business; resulting in a much larger outlet for merchandise and consequently placing us in a better position to hammer down the price when we buy.

In proof of our claims we refer to the following prices which are figured as the actual cost to you, based either on our cash discount or the benefit of time given on account. These prices in a great measure we have offered since the railroad reached Enterprise; with some gradual reductions which our facilities have made possible, even under the condition of an upward tendency in the general cost of production so apparent to every one. In submitting this list we have not only taken a few, but many of the goods required, and on which the merchant must necessarily make a profit to justify carrying on a business.

Axle Grease, Fraziers, Pins, 2 or more	11 7-8 c
" " Hub " " " "	11 7-8 c
Der " Derhakes " " " "	11 7-8 c
All Regular 5 c Pkgs. Matches	4 3-4 c
" " 5c " Yeast Cakes	4 3-4 c
Star Horse Shoe, Climax and all regular 50 c Plug Tobaccos	47 1-2 c
All regular 3 for 25c Smoking Tobaccos	7 11-12 c
" " 5 c Smoking Tobaccos	4 3-4 c
Union Leader Smoking Tobacco, 1 lb pails	47 1-2 c
Seal North Carolina " " tins	70 1-2 c
Dixie Queen " " "	47 1-2 c
Pedro " " "	47 1-2 c
Central Union " " "	47 1-2 c
Red Bell " " "	47 1-2 c
Winchester Cartridges 22 short blk. Powder	14 1-4 c
" " 22 long " "	19 c
" " 22 short Smokeless	19 c
" " 22 long "	23 3-4 c
Full gal. cans Pie Fruit	40 c
Full 2 oz. Bottles Sewing Machine Oil, 3 or more each	7 11-12 c
All regular 2 for 25 c Ground Spices	11 7-8 c
Star A Star Cedar Shingles per M	\$2.75
Carnation Milk, per can 2 or more tins	11 7-8 c
Buttercup Milk " " 2 or more "	11 7-8 c
Holly Milk " " 2 or more "	11 7-8 c
Pure Strained Honey per lb.	11 7-8 c
Pure Leaf Lard, 10 lb. pails per pail	\$1.90
" " " 5 lb. " " "	95 c

Full weight 1 lb. pkgs. Celluloid Starch	11 7-8 c
" " " " Perlone	11 7-8 c
Pacific Blend Roast Coffee, per lb.	19 c
Arbuckle or Lion Coffee " "	19 c
Arm and Hammer Soda, 3 or more	7 11-12 c
Eng. Walnuts, small, per pound,	19 c
" " Large Soft Shell	23 3-4 c
Bird Seed with Cattle Bone, 2 or more per lb.	11 7-8 c
Plain Mixed Candy per lb.	14 1-4 c
" Stick " " "	14 1-4 c
Van Camp's Pork and Beans, per can	11 7-8 c
Washing Amonia, per bottle	14 1-4 c
Condensed Mince Meat, Wadco Brand	14 1-4 c
Knox Gelatin	14 1-4 c
Ice Cream Jello	11 7-8 c
Corned Codfish, Burnham & Morris brand	19 c
Post Toasties, 2 or more pkgs. per pkg.	11 7-8 c
Crescent Wheat Flakes, 2 or more	11 7-8 c
Quaker Puffed Rice	14 1-4 c
Force 2 or more	11 7-8 c
Quaker Puffed Wheat 2 or more	14 1-4 c
White Loaf Flour per sack	\$1.25
10 lb sacks Germea " " 3 or more	31 3-4 c
10 lb " Graham " " " "	31 3-4 c
10 lb " Rye Flour " " " "	31 3-4 c
Comb Honey, full weight 1 lb boxes 3 or more	15 4-5 c
10 lb. sacks Rolled Oats	45 c
10 lb " Hominy	45 c
10 lb " Corn Meal	45 c

Cream of Wheat per pkg.	23 3-4 c
All 5c pkgs. Garden Seeds	4 3-4 c
Standard Canned Corn per case	\$2.50
" " " per can 2 or more	11 7-8 c
" " tomatoes per case	\$2.50
" " " per can 2 or more	11 7-8 c
12 oz pkgs raisins. 3 or more pkgs., per pkg.	7 11-12 c
Creamery Butter per roll	81 3-4 c
Baking Powder, Golden Gate, 1 lb cans	47 1-2 c
" " Cleveland " " "	42 3-4 c
" " Crescent " " "	23 3-4 c
Soda, Picnic and Oyster Crackers	11 5-8 c
Full Cream Cheese per lb.	23 3-4 c
Nails per lb., small quantities	4 3-4 c
Nails, per keg base	\$4.25
All regular 20c canned Table Fruit	19 c
Babbit Lye	11 7-8 c
American "	9 1-2 c
Rex "	9 1-2 c
Regular 25c size Gilt Edge Shoe Dressing	23 3-4 c
All regular 5c Soaps	4 3-4 c
All regular 3 for 25c Soaps	7 11-12 c
Log Cabin Cane and Maple Syrup, 1 gal cans	\$1.66 1-4 c
" " " " " " 1-2 gal.	85 1-2 c
Toboggan " " " " 1 gal.	\$1.66 1-4 c
" " " " " " 1-2 gal.	85 c
10 lb. sacks fine Table Salt	23 3-4 c
5 " " " " "	14 1-4 c

Space here prohibits a more extensive list of prices, but these fairly represent some of the money saving opportunities we offer, and we believe they will correct the possible erroneous idea in the minds of some that because we accommodate with credit, our prices must necessarily be higher than those quoted by others who refuse this favor. Soliciting your patronage on the merits of our goods and prices; with the desire to better serve you, and each year become a more important factor in the distribution of merchandise, and the development of Enterprise and Wal-lowa County, we are yours respectfully,

## ENTERPRISE M. & M. CO.

### City and County Brief News Items

Make your selections in Undermus-lins now while you may have a large stock to select from at the E. M. & M. store.

Portland Telegram: C. E. Vest, really promoter of Enterprise, took quarters at the Perkins yesterday and will remain in Portland during the week.

Dr. F. E. Moore, osteopath, has office hours all day Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday in Enterprise. Office over the bank. 821st

Does the higher cost of living concern you? It does Congress. If interested read what the E. M. & M. Co. has to say at the top of the last page in this issue.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give an apron bazaar and tea in the Mavor building on East First street Tuesday afternoon for 2 to 6 o'clock. All are invited.

We are now receiving a larger stock of general hardware than we have ever carried and will be well equipped to supply your wants. E. M. & M. Co.

Wallowa Sun:—W. A. Moss of Enterprise purchased the Watson Restaurant from H. A. Watson last week and took possession Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Snider are assisting him for the present. Mr. Moss will move his family to this city from Enterprise where he has been the past three years and will have personal charge of the restaurant. He will add a line of home made candies to the goods already carried and conduct the restaurant in modern style.

Call and see the new arrivals in Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits for Spring. Both the styles and prices will attract you. E. M. & M. Co.

A. R. Emmons has commenced the erection of an 11-room house on West First street, north of the Lewis hotel.

Now is the time to blossom out with one of those beautiful Spring Suits in the Branded Kincaid quality. See the new arrivals at the E. M. & M. store.

F. W. Fitzpatrick, O. F. Mays, and S. L. McKenzie of Lostine were visitors in Enterprise, Friday.

Mr. James Fleet, one of the pioneer residents of Lost Prairie, is in the city taking treatment of Dr. Moore.

Mary E. McCubbin, of Lostine, was appointed executrix of the estate of J. H. McCubbin, deceased, last Friday, by Judge Olmsted.

Call and see our new lines of Drygoods, Notions, and Ladies and Misses Ready-to-Wear Suits, Skirts, etc. No two suits alike. E. M. & M. Co.

The boys of the Methodist church sine beat the Christian church nine 12 to 10 in a game Saturday afternoon.

If you know the quality of Diamond W canned goods you will continue to buy them. If not try them and you will then know that they are the very best to be had. For sale at the E. M. & M. store.

#### Saving One Storm.

When a certain Atchison man visits another town his wife complains, and so does his mother. Therefore, in order to avoid it, he says he is going out to get shaved and doesn't return until his visit is over. When he returns there is a storm, but under the old plan there were two storms, one before he went and another after his return.—Atchison Globe.

#### A STUDY IN BACKS.

(Continued from First page.) mechanical point of view and without any internal medication whatsoever. The backbone, being the cen-

tral axis of the body, must of necessity be the structure to receive the greatest consideration of the disciple of the new school. So this is the reason that humanity in the year of grace, 1906, is paying more attention to its backs than ever before.

"I ran my hand up and down his spine," said a prominent medical practitioner to me a while ago, referring to a patient who became afflicted with a sudden form of paralysis of the legs which threatened to retire him from business, "and I found a couple of places that seemed to be sensitive. I thought that there might be something wrong there, but you

Osteopaths know more about that thing than we do, so I sent him over to you. I can't help him any with medicine."

Osteopathic diagnosis disclosed a slight displacement of several vertebrae in that part of the back from which the nerves go to the legs. In a few treatments these bones were put back where they belonged and the patient recovered permanently his normal gait. I tell this to illustrate the fact that the honest medical physician recognizes in his practice the fact that the new school does things which before remained undone.—Osteopathic Herald.

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