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A FEW OBSERVATIONS BY OUR REPORTERS

P Grant has been visiting in Pendleton.

E E Romig is in Portland on business.

The old Doctors saddle bags at the Loan Exhibit.

The dress suit of a native African at the Loan Exhibit.

Old coins, old books and old china at the Loan Exhibit.

The Ormond mill will move into Ladd Canyon next Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Bock went to Elgin yesterday to visit friends.

Mrs H C Cotner returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Elgin.

Mr and Mrs B F Cook, of Imbler, have moved to La Grande.

Mrs J J Carr entertained the Kaffee Klatch ladies at her home yesterday afternoon.

Roy Jacobs, of Old Town cut his thumb off while splitting wood Wednesday.

Cervera's picture, taken from the ship Christal Colon in the battle of Santiago at the Loan Exhibit.

The skeleton of a human, supposed to be 300 years old, has been unearthed near Blk Harbor, Wash.

Mrs J F Patty and children have returned from Arizona and California, where they have been spending the past winter.

Parties going to the Cove are compelled to go via the Booth lane on account of the high water on Catherine creek.

The river is still rising at the rate of about six inches each day and the valley is being flooded on the river bottoms.

E Andross is in receipt of a car load of eastern furniture and it contains the finest selections of furniture ever brought to La Grande.

The telegraph company has added another key to the switch board in the local office which was made necessary by their increasing patronage.

A scientific wrestling bout between two women, was prohibited by the police of Vancouver, B C., Wednesday, at the request of the churches.

Capt H E Coolidge has tendered his resignation as commanding officer of Co L of this city, and the company is temporarily in charge of First Lieut, Chas Bartness.

The United States Grand Jury indicted Albert Canning of Prineville, Or, for setting forest fires. This is the first indictment ever found in Oregon in United States Court for this offense.

You should not fail to attend the silver medal contest at the Methodist church. A glance at the program published in this issue will convince you that you will be well entertained if you attend.

After a few years hard turning and squeaking, Joe Palmer's wind wheel took a tumble to itself. There have been hard winds all winter but the mill kept on turning, until yesterday a light touch of wind turned it over.

The many friends of Mrs. Eades, wife of Rev. A. Eades will be pained to know that there is little or no hope of her recovery, as a result of her fall two weeks ago. Everything possible is being done for her but the end is expected at any time.

One end of the Proelstel bridge is in danger of giving away as the result of the high water. Efforts are being made to save the bridge but if the river continues to rise it must certainly go. It was reported last evening that the bridge near Ore Dell is gone. Higher water is looked for today.

This season will doubtless witness the establishment of a number of new business enterprises in La Grande. The creamery is an assured thing, a complete machine shop in very probable and the opportunities for several other enterprises are being investigated but have not yet taken definite shape.

The Observer hopes that our people will encourage the boys who have shown such manly pluck as to participate in a public debate at the M E church this evening, by giving them a large audience. The boys of this generation will be the statesmen of the next and the people who rear the most manly boys will have the most influence in the future.

M D Padlock, of Quincy, Illinois, who has been in the valley for some days past investigating its opportunities and future prospects, left for his home yesterday morning. Mr Padlock stated to an Observer reporter that he traveled extensively over the northwest and has found no place that impressed him as favorably as Grande Ronde valley. He expects to return in the near future with his family and make his home in or near La Grande.

The American Order of Protection will give a basket social Wednesday April 20th at the K of P Hall. Each lady bring a basket, they will be sold to the highest bidder. After the social there will be a dance. The public is cordially invited. Music by the Thomas Orchestra. Each gentleman will be charged 25 cents. L. L. Baker, 4-14-20, Commander

SOMMER HOUSE

- F R Hanks Portland
- J W Watson do
- J H Brown Ponghkoepie N Y
- Harry Neer Baker City
- Wm Pallman do
- G W Benson Union
- E P Schow Detroit
- W W McAlpine do
- C T Freeman Waterville Wash
- H Brink Walla Walla
- J M Johnson do

The Legal Standing Of Osteopathy

Since November 1896, when the first legal recognition of Osteopathy as a distinct school of therapeutics was effected in Vermont, nearly two thirds of the States and Territories of the Union have regulated its practice either by legislative enactment or court decisions. No other school of medicine can present such a record of growth and popularity. This fact should be a sufficient guarantee of merit to lead all suffering from disease to investigate at least the principles of this new contentant in the field of therapeutics. The success achieved, however, has not been won without sharp battles and good generalship.

In the matter of examinations, seven States are on an independent basis, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Michigan, Missouri, Montana and Oklahoma having State Osteopathic Boards of Examination and Registration; while in Iowa, Kansas, Ohio, Wisconsin and Kentucky the four schools—allopathic, homeopathic, eclectic and Osteopathic—are represented on the State Board of Medical Examiners. The law in Tennessee, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, and New Mexico requires the registration of the diploma only of the regularly graduated Osteopathic physician.

The usual medical laws relative to examination and certification obtain in Alabama, Arizona, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Ohio, North Carolina, Virginia and Wisconsin, the principles and practice of Osteopathy being substituted, in most cases, for materia medica and surgery.

The courts of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Mississippi, Utah, Colorado, West Virginia, North Carolina, and Kentucky have ruled that the medical laws in force do not apply to the practice of Osteopathy, inasmuch as Osteopathic physicians administer no drugs, or medicines, of any kind, neither perform operations in surgery.

In Texas the medical law especially exempts Osteopathic practice from its provisions; while in Vermont this status is secured by special enactment.

In every case, the candidate must be a graduate of a reputable Osteopathic college, of which there are now ten wherein "the course of study and requirements are in advance of that which prevailed in medical colleges when the majority of the M. D.'s now practicing received their education."

And the standard for graduation is steadily advancing. Beginning with September, 1904, all Osteopathic colleges must teach a curriculum of, at least, three years of nine months each, to entitle their graduates to membership in the American Osteopathic Association, which standard will be quite equal to the minimum time requirements of the American Medical Association.

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LUMBER—The Stoddard Lumber Co has secured the lumber from the mills of the Grande Ronde Lumber Co to supply the retail market in the city of La Grande.

FOR RENT—A block of ground with bearing orchard, garden, small house and barn. Inquire at the office of F S Ivanhoe

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