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An elegant assortment of

TAILORED HATS

And another lot of those new and stylish ca just received

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E M Wellman & co  
Adams Avenue.

## Governor Promises

Enterprise, Ore, Sept. 30.—The management of the Wallowa county fair, which opens here next week have secured a promise from Governor George E Chamberlain that he will be present Monday the opening day and will deliver an address.

## General News

The attendance at the Oregon Agricultural College has reached 500, thus being 108 greater than at the same time last year.

Two tons of gravel fell on F S Landers at Portland, Wednesday, instantlv killing. He was known as "the young giant" and was 19 years old.

Dr Henry J Stubbs, of Wilmington Del has sued the Yellowstone Park for \$30,000 damages for injuries received from a fall from a stage coach in the park.

George W Isaacs, of Medford, aged 73, a pioneer of 1862, died Wednesday.

The Amalgamated Copper Company will fight the proposed government irrigation dam and reservoir at Bonner claiming it will interfere with its water rights.

JH Mann of Chehalis Wash. has been found guilty of setting fire to a well insured millinery store at Chehalis. His wife will be tried for the same crime next week.

It is now estimated that there are 12,000 salmon in the storage basin of the Ontario hatchery. It is expected that 15,000 will be confined by October 15 when spawning will begin.

Clackamas county will try the experiment of oil on the country roads. The cost is about \$150 per mile.

Three vessels have arrived at Seattle from Alaska with 100,000 cases of salmon on board, the output of the Alaska Packers' Association for the season.

Dr Edward W Manning, teacher of German in the boy's high school at Philadelphia, called for the police and then shot and killed himself on the street Tuesday.

Unknown persons placed heavy obstructions under water on the ways down which the new battleship Connecticut must slide into the water. Had the obstructions not been found by divers the hull of the vessel would have been pierced.

## Dropped Dead.

Mr Creed Harris who resides at Sibby and has been operating a thrasher his season while at work with his machine this forenoon in the act of splitting wood for the engine fell over dead. He was feeling as well as usual and death was undoubtedly the result of heart disease.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon and the interment will be in the Nibley cemetery.

Deceased leaves a wife and one son. Coroner J C Henry was notified but upon ascertaining the facts deemed it a useless expense to hold an inquest.

## Wrecker Wrecked.

The Observer is in receipt of a letter from Engineer J B Oliver who now resides in Los Angeles Calif. The following is an extract from the letter.

"We have got settled down to work again after our trip to the Santa Catalina Island which we both enjoyed very much, also our visit to San Francisco. The trip to the Island is grand. I met Fred Tate, one of La Grande's boys, who is playing in the band at Catalina, but expects to soon make his home in Los Angeles where he has a position in view."

## OS-TE-OP-A-THY

Few people realize when first they learn of Osteopathy that it is a complete system of healing, successfully treating all classes of troubles. But such is the case and in the diseases of respiration it has indeed proven very efficacious. In acute troubles such as colds and pneumonia osteopathic success has been so great as to warrant the assertion that no other school is able to get equally splendid results. The list of respiratory troubles includes nasal catarrh, pharyngitis, laryngitis, asthma, bronchitis, pneumonia, consumption and pleurisy.

## NO SMALLPOX

## NO POSTPONEMENT

It has been rumored that there was smallpox at Enterprise, and on this account the fair at that place would be postponed. However, we are reliably informed that there is no foundation in this report; that there is no small pox at Enterprise or anywhere thereabouts; that there will be no postponement of the fair and it will come off on schedule time as advertised, October 3rd to 9th inclusive. The prospects are good for one of the best attendances in the state at any of the fairs, and Governor Chamberlain will speak on Friday of the fair.

Mr. Tripp, of Meacham, won the fancy bridle at the raffle which took place at the Foley House last evening. O L Forbes has rented the Wm. Erickson farm on Clover creek and has taken possession. Last evening the La Grande Concert band gave their last open air concert which was enjoyed by hundreds of our people who began to assemble long before the time. La Grande is proud of her band and has so expressed herself on the many occasions by the large attendance at the public recitals on the streets.

The man who was injured in the wreck near Perry Friday night is able to be up and around but his mind is still unbalanced. So far there is nothing to show who he is or where he came from.

Mr. F. E. Euloe of this city has a freak apple tree at his home. This apple tree like all other apple trees, buds, blossoms and bears fruit but at this time of the year when other trees begin to show "the near and yellow leaf," when they look bare and brown this tree buds, blossoms and bedsacks itself in all the fragrance and beauty of the spring. At the present time this tree has many apples upon it and also full blown blossoms interspersed among them as sweet and perfect as any tree produced.

Fleckenstein & May have purchased that portion of the J. D. Kerr property which was covered by mortgage. Mrs. Fred Schilke who has been visiting in Portland for several weeks has returned home.

Mrs. R E Lathrom of Alice returned this morning. Eggs are becoming quite scarce and it will not be long until the market will advance past the 25 cent mark.

Some one will get a \$35 tailor made suit read A V Andrews add for particulars. Mr and Mrs Chas G Baker are preparing to move to Portland in a few days.

## Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of Wm. Grant and Harold Herron, under the firm name of Grant & Herron, has this day been dissolved. Harold Herron retiring. The business will be conducted by Wm. Grant who will pay all debts and collect all amounts due the firm.

Dated at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, this 30th day of September, 1904.  
Wm. Grant,  
9 30-10 30  
Harold Herron.

## Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of J V Ross and A V Andrews, under the firm name of Ross & Andrews, has this day been dissolved. J V Ross retiring. The business will be continued by A V Andrews who will pay all debts and collect all amounts due the firm.

Dated at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, this 28th day of September, 1904.  
J V Ross,  
A V Andrews.

## SUMMERVILLE LIVERY

W. I. Hunter & Son have leased the McKinzie Stables and are prepared to serve the public in a first class manner at reasonable rates.

## TRADE FOLLOWS THE PRICE



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Shoe Specialist DEPOT STREET

## GUARDIAN'S SALE

By virtue of an order and license made and entered by the Hon. County Court of Union County State of Oregon, on September 6th, 1904, in the

matter of the Guardianship of the persons and estates of Ernest N Patty, Z Beatrice Patty, and Frank A Patty, minor heirs of Thomas F Patty deceased, and wards of the undersigned their guardian, I will, from and after the 21st day of October 1904, at my home No. 1416 Adams Avenue, La Grande, Union County, Oregon, proceed to sell at private sale the Southeast quarter of Section 34 of Township Three North of Range 39 East of the Willamette Meridian in Union County Oregon, for the benefit of said heirs and their estate. Terms of sale, cash to me in hand. Zora E Patty, Guardian of the persons and estates of Ernest N Patty, Z Beatrice Patty and Frank A Patty, Minors. Dated September 16, 1904. Oct 21

## HARD WALL PLASTER

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## ADVANTAGES

No danger of freezing as it can be used in zero weather. Being flexible instead of brittle—as all sand mortars are—it will dent like wood when struck or jammed, instead of breaking. Doors, windows, pipe holes, etc are easily cut through it. It is a non conductor of electricity and thus prevents short circuiting. It adheres equally well to brick, stone or common lath. It contains no acids nor chemicals to corrode. It will not burn nor disintegrate by fire being a perfect protection for wood frame work. It will under no condition pit or blister.

Parties having plastering to do should consult me regarding this class of work. Estimates cheerfully given.

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Opposite the Sommer House. One of the best musical institutions in the state. Four rooms used for musical instruction, 15 grades of music taught. Department 1, 2 rooms used for the 3 first grades. Children at the age of 5 and older come one hour every day. Department 2, 2 rooms for grades 4 to 15 for pupils of all ages. The latest course best practical musical instruction. Musical contests for medals every few weeks.

E PORTER DAY Principal  
MRS DAY, Assistant

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Special Representative in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with Expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. A, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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I have reopened my shop on North Fir Street. You will find my shop well supplied, and the prices to suit the times. Yours for business  
Free delivery. Phone 1601  
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## SEPTEMBER MEANS ROYSTERS

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Serves them any style you wish

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Gift-ed forest reserve, approved, un-  
restrained, ready for immediate use an-  
where. Lowest prices.  
F. F. & P. H. Kelley,  
Member of Commerce Bldg, Portland, Or.

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Tonight and  
Tomorrow fair, cooler tomorrow

**THE TRAINS**  
No 2 East bound 9:10 p m on time  
No 5 West " 8:5 p m on time

## LADIES SAY

That the way to reach a man's heart is through his stomach. Try it by using Geddes Bros' canned fruits, delicious berries, lettuce, onions, and radishes, just fresh from the garden. We are the first store the farmers call on and of course we get the choice of everything.

We always have the freshest eggs, butter, etc. Special attention given to phone orders.

## Geddes Bros.

**CLAIM MEATS**  
OUR BACK ROOM  
Is open for your inspection. In fact we will be pleased to show you through our entire establishment. Everything is kept scrupulously neat and clean and we have no hesitancy in showing the most fastidious how our meats are handled. We now have the latest improved sausage machine and can sell you sausage in all styles.

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A GREAT SENSATION.  
There was a big sensation in Leesville Indiana, when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. His wife writes: "I endured unnumbered agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and \$1. Guaranteed by La Grande Drug Co. and Newlin Drug Co., Druggists.

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AND UNION PACIFIC

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NO. 2 8:50 p. m. NO. 6 8:30 a. m.	Salt Lake, Denver Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 1 5:50 a. m. 8:5 p. m.
NO 1 5:50 a m	Portland, Dallas, Pendleton, Astoria, Dayton, Portland, Moscow, Spokane and other points east and north via Spokane.	NO 4 8:05 p m
NO 5 8:5 pm	Portland, Dallas, Pendleton, Umatilla, Wadsworth, Lewiston, Colfax, Moscow, Wallace, Warrenton, Spokane and other points east and north via Spokane.	NO 3 8:30 a m
NO 2 Daily except Sunday 9:15 a m with a stop for points in Washington territory.	Portland, City, Alice, Eugene, and other points in Washington territory.	NO 4 8:00 p m

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