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The opening of the Columbia river at Celilo is an event that is attracting a great deal of attention by the residents of those communities mostly benefited. The fact is thousands will be indirectly benefited who have scarcely given the matter more than passing thought. Grand Ronde might be included in the should accomplish satisfactory latter class.

Railroad rates have much more to do with the progress of communities than the ordinary citizen realizes or rather proper ly appreciates. This is due largely to the fact that few real-ize their powers to regulate the injustices that are apparent in every community. Novize their powers to regulate the

Keep posted upon the good road movement. Good roads be called upon to make some Ha radical changes in our system of eve road imprevement. Keep abreast alw of the times in order that when the time arrives when these changes are made, that we will be able to secure the best and I thereby be relieved of useless experiment.

Pho The 1905 graduating class is eseeses the largest ever turned out from the La Grande public schools and the 1906 now promices to

La Grande Evening Observer pend altogether upon thisworthy element of man's composition, and if we wish to reap some of the benefits of this long desired power while the present generation is still young enough to enjoy the benefits, Ls Grande business men will do well to exercise a little impatience and One year in advance..... \$6 50 rustle up some thing which will put this pent up energy to practical use, and there by furnish employment to an additional hundred or two working men and women.

> There has been more or less complaint by stock men for some time regarding the loss of stock, and it begins to look now as if there was some sort of organized gang of "rustlers" operating in this county. The officers are working on several good clews and unless all signs fail some startling developments will soon be made public. The Stockmen's Protective Association is lending its support to the officers and the combined effort results.

How To Ward Off Old Age The most successful warding off the pproach of old age is to maintain a

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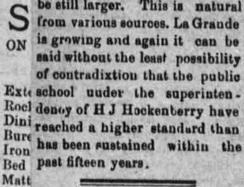
Any one wishing to purchase fine bird dogs can have their wants fullmean much to this county, and filled by calling on J F Jackson. He the time is near when we will is very much interested in this indus. try, having on hands at present twenty

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Kite For years La Grande has Pillo been asking for cheap power, Cam Oupl and it has often been stated, and with good reason, that manufacturing plants would soon follow the power. We now have the power in sight, and while it is Ren true that the manufacturing plants will follow in time, we certainly can hurry matters somewhat by making the proper effort to interest manufacturers. It is all proper enough to exercise a considerable amount of patience, but it is not best to de-Just

> I. HARRIS THE MEAT MAN see all his old custmores as well as new ones. As good prime beef cattle is now scarce, I have on hand a fine selection of cured meats, hams breakfast bacon. About the fifteenth of May, I will have a fine assortment of young prime beef, which are now fattening. Do not forget that I now have as good fresh beet as there is on the market a. well as fresh fish and poultry.

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