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OWL TRAIN IS IN A FATAL WRECK IN SOUTHERN CALIF.

Engineer and Fireman Killed and a Hobo Fatally Injured

Fresno Cal, Oct 15—Engineer Wm Cole of Bakersfield, and Fireman Butts were killed in a wreck of the northbound Owl this morning at two o'clock as it was pulling in to the local yards striking an open switch. The engine rolled over and the side of the cab was crushed by the tender. The engineer and fireman are still imprisoned in the wreck. The mail and buffet cars are piled on the engine. A hobo riding on the blind baggage was fatally hurt.

The dead fireman was 24 years old. Engineer Cole recently averted a bad wreck of the southbound Owl which took the switch at Kingsbury, by sticking to the throttle and stopping the train. Today's wreck was evidently caused by some miscreant. The sheriff and posse are scouring the county for the man, who is said to be known by the railroad company. The name of the hobo injured in the wreck is William Knickerbocker who gave his age as 19 years, and his home in Missouri. He was unconscious behind an oil tank when found, but regained consciousness at the hospital. He is severely bruised and has his spine injured.

JERRY SIMPSON'S LIFE AT LOW EBB

Wichita, Kansas, Oct 16—This afternoon Jerry Simpson took a change for the worse and a hemorrhage lasted 20 minutes. Death is likely to occur any time as his vitality is very low. Simpson is well known over the entire United States as "Sookless Jerry" and is a national character in politics.

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Two Deaths

New Orleans Oct 16—Six new cases and two deaths from yellow fever are reported up to noon today.

Burton's Case Up

St Louis Oct 16—Senator Burton's demurrer is being argued before the federal court this morning.

May Have Contracts

Plymouth Eng Oct 16—George W Perkins and Charles B Flinn arrived here this morning. Flinn is supposed to have contracts for building Russian warships. He went to Oberbauge and from there to Berlin and St Petersburg. Perkins is reported to be on the way to negotiate Russian loans for the United States. He refused to discuss his mission other than saying that he was going to St Petersburg on business.

Prince Wants Divorce

St Petersburg Oct 16—The prince in his divorce suit against Princess Louise was heard today before the usual court. The Prince waived the right of special tribunal and alleges according to the laws, alleges extravagance and misconduct with an Austrian lieutenant.

Russian Printers Strike

St Petersburg Oct 16—The strike among the printers has become general, there is not a paper that has issued today. Troops are stationed at all of the printing establishments and large forces of troops are held in reserve.

Given Three Years

Denver Oct 16—E M Johnson, who was former president of the Fidelity Savings Bank was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary for wrecking the institution. He must serve time as the supreme court has refused his application for a writ of supercedes.

Grain Markets

Chicago, Oct 16—The markets closed today as follows: Wheat 85 1/2; corn 28 1/2; oats 28 1/2.

PORTLAND MARKET

Portland, Oct 16—Club, 73; blue-stem, 75; valley 73.

LOCAL MARKET

Buyers today are offering 63 cents for blue-stem and sixty for club.

KOMURA BACK IN JAPAN

Tokio Oct 16—Komura arrived today and was granted an unenthusiastic reception with only the officials of the government present. The streets were strongly guarded as he drove to the palace in the imperial carriage. The peace treaty goes into effect today, the text of which will be published this afternoon. The minister of war has ordered the officers to refrain from criticism of the treaty on the grounds that the treaty is the outcome of the sovereign powers.

Dying in Hospital

New York Oct 16—A young woman, beautiful and elegantly dressed, and who refused to disclose her identity, was taken to a hospital in a dying condition today as a result of illegal medical practice. She admitted that she is the daughter of a wealthy family.

Railroad Wreck

Denver Oct 16—The Missouri Pacific flyer enroute to St Louis was wrecked at Sugar City this morning. Eighteen persons were injured four of them seriously.

La Grande Elks

All brother Elks will assemble at 8 o'clock sharp, this Monday evening at Elks' Hall, to make the necessary arrangements for attending, in a body, the funeral of our late brother, F A Paddock. Funeral services will take place at Union at 11 o'clock a m, tomorrow. Full attendance desired. F S IVANHOE, Exalted Ruler.

Fried About Everything

Col J M Caven, who is in La Grande in the interest of "The Empire Theatre Company," which comes to the Stewart Opera house on Friday evening next, playing "A Broken Heart" Friday night and "The Great Diamond Robbery" and Saturday Matinee "The Man From Japan" is a unique and interesting figure in the theatrical world. He served in the Confederate army under Gen Joe Shelby. He went to Mexico with Shelby's army after the downfall of the confederacy, with the intention of joining Maximilian. The withdrawal of France from Mexico left the Confederate adventurers without a cause, and they drifted back into "the states" after amnesty was declared. Since the war Col Caven has principally been engaged in the newspaper business. For twenty one years he was one of the owners of the Kansas City Times. Selling his interest, he returned to his native state, Texas, where he lost a fortune in the cattle business. Later he came out of the brush and went to New York city, and was associated with Col John N Cockerell for a number of years on the New York Commercial Advertiser. He was also managing editor of the Denver Times for several years. Since leaving the Denver Times he has been connected with the theatrical business. The colonel, now gray-haired yet bright-eyed and happy as ever, warmed up when speaking of the Empire Theatre company, saying his company would give satisfaction and please the public, and what more could they ask? He is an ideal gentleman of delightful personality, striking appearance and distinguished career, and talks entertainingly of men and matters of the past forty years. The colonel claims he has tackled everything in a business way but a circus and a sawmill and intends trying his hand in this line before he crosses the river, Styx.

Miss Pauline Lederer returned from Pendleton last night where she has been visiting her father who is ill at the St Vincent's hospital at that place.

Depositions Taken

St Louis Oct 16—Depositions were taken today in the injunction proceedings before the attorney general against Waters, Pierce, Republic, International and Williamson oil companies which are alleged to have formed a combine. Attorney General Hadley expects to force the companies to produce their stock books. The companies are fighting on the grounds that in producing their stock books it would be equivalent to giving testimony incriminating themselves.

To Address Negroes

Washington Oct 16—The committee of Secretary Loeb, the committee on arrangement for the entertainment of President Roosevelt, has provided for the President to address the negro students of the Florida Baptist Academy. The committee has refused to allow the negroes to be recognized.

Big Bond Issue

Washington Oct 16—The coming report of Secretary Shaw will contain the recommendation of a thirty million dollar bond issue covering the outlay already expended on the Panama canal.

New Factory Starts

Washington Oct 16—After the usual time required to start any new business Mr O E Hackman now has his new cigar factory thoroughly installed and quite a stock on hand of his three celebrated brands the Key West, Perfecto the Vista Drada and the U S.

Mr Hackman is an experienced cigar manufacturer and after spending several months in looking over quite a number of places in the Pacific Northwest decided that La Grande and the immediate tributary territory had an exceedingly bright future and decided to locate in our city. Mr Hackman by a thorough knowledge of the cigar business believes that he will be able to make a grade of cigars that will satisfy the most critical taste and if that proves to be the case, he states that he will soon have quite a nice little weekly payroll. Just what we need. As good a cigar can be made right here as anywhere and if we patronize our own factories that means larger home payrolls. Give Mr Hackman's goods a trial.

Richmond Ready

Richmond Va, Oct 16—Richmond has a cordial welcome in store President Roosevelt when he makes this his first stopping place tomorrow on his journey south. The official reception party with a military escort will meet the President at the railroad station and escort him to the Masonic Temple where luncheon will be served. After luncheon there will be a drive to points of interest in and about the city. Mr Roosevelt will speak from a stand in the Capital square in the afternoon.

HOWARD DENIED TRIAL

Washington Oct 16—The supreme court denied a motion to advance the case of Howard against the state of Kentucky. Howard is under sentence for life for the alleged murder of Governor Gobel. The court advanced and paper trusts whose officers refused to answer the questions asked in the recent cases against those corporations. The arguments are set for January second.

Chicago Pioneer

Chicago Oct 16—Harmon Spruance, one of the pioneer grain dealers of the state, died at his home.

Prince Visits France

Paris Oct 16—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, the grandson of Emperor, the deposed king, Louis Philippe, is in France the guest of the government.

Release Ship

Washington Oct 16—Orders were issued today to release the interned Russian warship Lena which is at San Francisco.

A Hard Fighter

Last Saturday night Tim Maher of Walla Walla, who has been working on the Elgin extension, was paid off, and started in to paint Elgin a rosy list. After scattering himself around that burg, he concluded to come to La Grande. He made considerable trouble while on the Elgin train, and was finally placed in the baggage car where, after taking a few falls, remained quiet until he was unloaded on the platform with the rest of the baggage. Later in the evening he was found on the sidewalk by Officer McLachlin who promptly started to take him to the city jail. Maher declined to go, and in the mix-up which followed he used his fists, feet, and teeth. He landed twice with his teeth on Officer McLachlin and once knocked the officer from the mouth of Officer Childers. He was finally placed in a wheel barrow and taken to jail where he remained until this morning, when he pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined five dollars and costs, by Recorder Snook. He expects to leave this evening for Walla Walla where his family resides.

Four Big Specials

In Men's, Womens' and Childrens' Underwear This Week

Ladies' Non-Shrinking ribbed, white wool vests, and pants regular 60c values.....This week	49c	Men's vicuna colored wool underwear, shirts and drawers in all sizes, at the special low price of.....	98c
Men's natural gray wool underwear, heavy fleece lined, and special good value at \$2.50 a suit. This week the garment.....	98c	Children's fine wool vests and pants, in colors natural gray and salmon pink, extra good values.....	45c UP

LADIES' HATS

This week we offer some extraordinary values in ladies hats, in fact some of the choicest hat offerings it has ever been our fortune to offer a discriminating public. A special assortment of ready-to-wear hats in the seasons wanted styles, at the very low price.....

LADIES' HATS

\$2.50

FURS, FURS

Save money on Furs You'll do it if you buy them here, we handle only the products from the most reputable makers. Beavers and seals in mart, coney, mink, fox and a number of others, all at saving prices \$1.75 up

SOME GREAT SPECIAL VALUES IN LADIES' JACKETS

In colors, red; castor, blue, brown and black	Jackets	\$5.49
	"	7.69
	"	8.69
	"	9.89

Feather Pillows

20 by 26 inch Feather Pillows, an extra good value.....	\$1.00
Fine Feather Pillows, size 20 by 26 made from best Feather ticking, weight 24 lbs each.....	\$1.50

The Fair
THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY

Be Ready FOR COUGHS

It's leading disease fasten itself that kills. Dangerous possibilities lurk in every neglected cough or cold. Most things are easily cured if taken in time especially in throat or lung troubles.

NEWLIN'S WHITE PINE EXPECTORANT

will cure a cough as quickly as it should be cured. It does not dry it up or drug it away. It is a vegetable remedy that builds up and strengthens—cures nature way. The one time to cure a cough or cold is when it starts. It can't get firmly seated if you have this remedy at hand.

NEWLIN DRUG COMPANY

La Grande Oregon