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GIVE UP THE SEARCH

The searching party which for many hours practically walked over every foot of river bottom between Hilgard, where Mr. Batters fell in the river from the logging train night before last, down to Perry, where the dam is located, but no trace of the drowned man has been found. The party has disbanded and given up its search. Two theories are advanced which might explain the mysterious disappearance of the body: that the swift current has carried him over the Perry dam and down the river toward La Grande, or else the body has become lodged under a log, thus escaping the careful search maintained for many hours.

The hunt was thorough. A long rope stretched across the river from shore to shore, was a guide line to which men were holding at intervals of three feet. This cross line was commenced at Hilgard and the silent but effectual search continued on down the river to Perry without results.

Another clean-out drive is to be started at Hilgard soon, and if the body is lodged under a log it will be found then.

EATON WILL DELIVER COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Rev. W. W. Deal and Hon. A. E. Eaton of Union, returned this morning from Salem, where they spent several days in the interest of the Willamette university, which institution Mr. Eaton recently donated \$50,000 for a new building. He met his architects and the plans are expected to be ready for approval and the ground broke for the foundation during commencement week, June 14-18. Both gentlemen report the university is in splendid condition. Mr. Eaton was asked to deliver the commencement address, which he has accepted. This is the first time that this honor has come to eastern Oregon for many years, and Mr. Eaton will acquit himself with credit.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Isolated Tract—Public Land Sale. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, La Grande, Ore., April 9, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that as directed by the commissioner of the general land office, under the provisions of the act of congress approved June 27, 1896 (34 Stats., 517), we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 18th day of May next, at this office, the following tract of land: NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 5 S., R. 35, E. W. M.

Any persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims or objections on or before the time designated for sale.

F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.
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04-11-5-16

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Treasurer's Call for City Warrants.
Notice is hereby given that there are now funds on hand to pay all outstanding warrants issued on general fund of La Grande city, up to and including No. 6644, endorsed January 7, 1907. Interest on all warrants on general fund from No. 6521 to No. 6644, inclusive, ceases from this date. There are also funds in the treasury to pay all warrants issued against water fund of La Grande city, up to and including No. 7397, endorsed January 10, 1908. Interest on all warrants on water fund from No. 7334 to No. 7397, inclusive, ceases from date of this call. La Grande, Oregon, April 10, 1908.
J. K. WRIGHT,
City Treasurer.

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TO RENT—House with 3 rooms on Fourth street; colse in; apply to Maggie Mahaffey, 902 Park street. 4-21f
FOR RENT—Well improved 4-acre tract near Palmer mill; 5-room house, good orchard, good land. Inquire of B. F. Wade, Owl saloon. 3-91f
FOR RENT—The skating rink hall. Largest hall in La Grande; hardwood floor. Mrs. Zuber.
FOR RENT—Suite of three rooms, furnished complete. Inquire of Mrs. G. D. Simmons.
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in. Inquire at 1417 Washington avenue. Next door to rink.
FOR RENT—Large store building, with shelving and counters. Inquire at 1417 Washington avenue.
FOR RENT—One furnished room; modern. 'Phone Red 1712.
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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. E. C. Moore, corner Q and Fourth streets. 'Phone Red 1452.

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Team of heavy work horses, 1400 and 1500 pounds; 6 and 7 years; also team driving mares. Inquire 1417 Washington Ave. 3-141f
FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow; fresh five weeks. 'Phone Black 1372.
FOR SALE—Brick store building; good location. 'Phone Red 461.
FOR SALE—Good 5-room house and large lot. Will sell cheap. Inquire of Chas. Disque, at the Midget meat market. 14-22
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FOR SALE—A 4-year-old colt, well broke. Apply at the Blue Mountain creamery.
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WANTED—A position as stationary engineer. Practical experience. Can give reference if required. Address Box 758, La Grande.
WANTED—An experienced girl for general house work. Apply of Mrs. Geo. L. Claever.
WANTED—Limited number of table boarders in private family. Apply to Mrs. Stella Taylor, southwest corner Adams and Greenwood. 3-30tw
WANTED—Dressmaker would like a few customers. 'Phone Black 561. C. E. Wills, Seventh and O Sts. Also barn to let. 4-7-13
WANTED—Two experienced dressmakers. No others need apply. Mrs. A. James.
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WANTED—Sewing machine. Leave number at 1419 Adams avenue, city.

GIRL WANTED—In family of two; good wages. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Berry. 14-17
LOST—Leather handbag with emblem beaded on outside, containing small pocketbook with \$1 bill, knife, etc. Return to this office. 4-17
LOST—A dark blue and white stocking cap. Finder please notify this office.
LOST—Saturday, sunburst ladies' brooch, set with small diamond in center and with pearls. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 4-20-24
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