

# LOCALS CAPTURE FIRST GAME

SECOND TEAM TAKES VICTORY BY A SCORE OF 12 TO 10.

Locals Gain Only on Forward Pass—Elgin Line Especially Active.

Superb use of the forward pass, handled from Reynolds to Peare, coupled with a fumble or two, gave La Grande the game Saturday when La Grande's second team and Elgin's first team fought it out on the Lincoln grounds. The final score was 12 to 10, the Elgin scores being the total of two touchdowns from fumbles. Elgin scored in the first period when a fumbled forward pass was picked up and carried some 30 yards. Elgin failed to kick goal. The same thing was repeated soon after and in this way the game stood until La Grande forced Elgin back when she was attempting to carry out a ball from behind her own goal. Soon after that, La Grande fell on the ball during a fumble behind Elgin's line.

La Grande did not gain through Elgin's line at all, and in fact Elgin did little gaining except on fumbles.

La Grande had a forward pass, from the quarter back to Peare on end that Elgin could not possibly break up and time after time these two pulled off good gains. Just before the end of the game they negotiated a similar pass but the ball rolled or rather flew across the line preventing a touchdown which resulted when Peare recovered from counting in the totals. Aside from these two men, Crawley at end, Huff in the line, Rush and Ralston at halves did especially good work for La Grande.

**Work for La Grande.**  
While the game was slow at the beginning it warmed up appreciably and clearly demonstrated that it is the new kind of football that will spell gains with light teams hereafter. Elgin's line was strong and therein lay her chief asset, for the linemen tore through and stopped the halves almost at will.

**Women in Golf Tourney.**  
Chicago, Oct. 10.—Fair devotees of the game of golf are gathered today on the links of the Mowewood Country club, at Flossmore, Ill., to compete for the national women's championship. The tournament will occupy the entire week.

### Notice of Street Improvement.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, on the 1st day of December, 1909, creating Improvement District No. 9, and designating Fourth Street, as such district, and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said Common Council on the 28th day of September, 1910, whereby said Council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of Fourth street, in said improvement district, as hereinafter described, by laying thereon Bitulithic pavement, the Council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefitted by such improvement, order that said above described improvement be made; that the boundaries of said district to be so improved are as follows:

All that portion of Fourth street, from the north line of Adams avenue, to the south curb line of "O" street or avenue. Notice is hereby further given that the Council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefitted by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of \$29,745.00. That the Council will on the 12th day of October, 1910, meet at the Council chamber at the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

La Grande, Oregon, Sept. 28, 1910.  
CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE, OREGON.

By D. E. COX,  
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.  
Sept 30 to Oct. 11.

# THE OLDEST DELIVERY BOY

GEORGE JACOBS IN SOUTH LA GRANDE HOLDS DISTINCTION.

Though So Aged, is Prompt in His Delivery and Genial Always.

It is doubtful if any town in Oregon has an older clerk and delivery "boy" than La Grande has. Next Wednesday George Jacobs will celebrate the anniversary of his seventy-fifth birthday, yet he is and has been the delivery boy for Mr. Atkinson's store in South La Grande. He clerks about the place when there are no deliveries to be made and when packages have to be hurried out for some waiting housewife this boy of a three quarter century behind him, rushes the order in fine shape. He is as prompt or prompter than many a younger boy and his genial countenance has come to be so familiar in "Old Town" that the "boy" is rapidly gaining distinction.

While there are no statistics at hand it is a safe assertion to say that he is the oldest personage in the delivery business in the state or no doubt the entire northwest.

### SNAPSHOTTING ROYALTY.

Alfonso Doesn't Mind It, but Look Out For the Kaiser.

Ever meet a real live king, face to face on the street? If not, here is an opportunity to see just how one looks when out for a stroll. It is said to be the cleverest snapshot ever taken of Alfonso, who is so much in the lime light just now owing to the Spanish-Vatican quarrel. His majesty, by the way, is a good friend of the snapshotter and will give one every opportunity to secure a first class picture. When the photograph shown here was taken the young ruler was very anxious to know if everything had gone all right.

Emperor William, on the other hand, is a terror to snapshotters, and we betide the chap caught pointing a camera in his direction! Recently he had



A CLEVER SNAPSHOT OF KING ALFONSO, a man arrested for persisting in photographing him and gave orders to have the plates destroyed.

King Alfonso is a persistent opportunist, in spite of the fact that he rules a country which is just now going through a troublesome phase. After the accident to the Shamrock in which he narrowly escaped serious injury, he remained a keen yachtsman.

**To Be Sure.**  
"Where are you bound for, old man?"  
"Going fishing."  
"Fishing? What for?"  
"To have something to yarn about when I get back?"

**Reduced Rates.**  
"She can tell your fortune."  
"How much?"  
"Fifty cents."  
"I know a bartender who will tell it for a nickel."

**Undoubtedly.**  
"Would you call it a timely hint?"  
"What?"  
"Telling the young man caller that it is nearing 11 o'clock."

# MUST RE-COUNT PORTLAND

NOT LIKELY LA GRANDE'S COUNT WILL BE MADE KNOWN SOON.

Portland Will Have to be Gone Over Carefully Again to Verify Count.

If La Grande and other Eastern Oregon towns have to await official announcement of their population until Portland has been completed, this city and others will have to wait a considerable length of time. According to the Portland papers, that city will practically have to be recounted, and if this is true it will be several months at the best before the count is made known. A Portland paper says.

Almost a complete recount of the city's population will be necessary because of discrepancies in the work of census enumerators. Instead of remaining a few days to check over the returns filed by the enumerators it has become apparent that Urban H. Hester, special agent of the census bureau, will be compelled to remain at least a month going in detail over the work done in this city.

Although the census enumerators in accepting the positions swore to obtain their information at first hand, it has become known that many of them accepted names that were sent in by volunteer census takers and added them to supplementary sheets without taking trouble to verify any of them. Mr. Hester is not permitted to state the exact condition of the census returns. He said, however, that it would be necessary for him to go in person to nearly every portion of the city. Had the enumerators verified every name sent in either during the volunteer census campaign, or by other individuals, this work would be unnecessary. It is said that the situation looks very serious for some of the enumerators.

Mr. Hester, however, is inclined to look with considerable leniency on the violation of the law of which any of them may be guilty, he says that no one outside the census bureau could realize what it meant to the enumerating staff, to have thrust upon it during the last two or three days a mass of 30,000 or more names.

While some of the names enumerated by careless census takers will likely be disproved, there are also indications that the same enumerators missed others who should have been counted. As a result the population of the city should be recorded as larger rather than smaller.

### Dan Patch Day.

Muskogee, Okla., Oct. 10.—"Dan Patch day" at the Muskogee fair has attracted thousands of visitors to the eastern Oklahoma metropolis today. All of the fast harness horses owned by M. W. Savage of Minneapolis, Minn. will be seen on the local track. Other events today are the Times-Democrat \$1,000 stake, the Muskogee-Townsite \$2500 stake and the Patterson \$1,000 trotting race will be decided Thursday. The fair has a premium list of \$22,000.

### The Home Doctor.

To keep the germs out of a painful sore throat try holding it up each night with a little soda moistened with a little water.

In all cases of poisoning the great thing is to get rid of the poison by vomiting and purging. The antidotes are of secondary importance.

In acute fevers and inflammations where the pulse is quick and the skin dry a little aconite administered will prove helpful. When sweating sets in the need of aconite is over. Nephritis is a disease often helped by aconite.

### Laundry Lines.

Table napkins and tablecloths should never be starched. A spoonful of salt added to starch on windy days will keep the starch from blowing out of the clothes.

A bosom board for fine shirts should be very smooth and but thinly covered. Some advise a marble slab.

A careful laundress always uses lemon on wash day. She puts half a lemon sliced in the boiler full of white clothes. She maintains that it not only whitens them, but is helpful in removing slight stains.

### CLOSE ENTRIES EARLY.

Manager Explains Details of Spokane Apple Show Rules.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 10.—Special—Official announcement was made today by Ren. H. Rice, secretary and manager of the National Apple Show, that entries in carload contests for prizes aggregating \$3,800 including the championship sweepstake of \$1,000 will close in Spokane at 12 o'clock noon on November 6. Entries in other contests for \$16,200 in premiums will be accepted up to 6 o'clock the afternoon of November 9. Professor H. F. Van Deman and his assistants will begin judging the morning of November 14, with a view to completing their work on November 18.

"The rule requiring that each exhibit, except district displays, must be of fruit grown on one orchard only, is not open to broad construction," Mr. Rice added. "It means just what it says. The reason for insisting that an exhibit shall be taken from one orchard is to make the competition fair. It is apparent that if a grower with a small tract were compelled to compete with an association or company, which would pick up boxes here and there, he would be counted out before the scoring began."

"Each carload exhibit must be accompanied by a sworn statement that the apples entered were grown on one orchard. In all other classes the exhibitor pledges his word of honor to the same effect when he signs the entry blank."

"There are no restrictions as to the number of orchards from which the fruit gathered for the district displays. However, these contests, one for fruit grown on irrigated land and the other on non-irrigated land, cannot be entered by individuals. They are for collective displays exhibited by commercial clubs, associations, unions, counties or districts."

### SANITARY BARN.

New Course at Oregon Agricultural College Will Teach Boys Right.

Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 10.—How to plan and build dairy barns that are both sanitary and convenient will be taught this year at the Oregon Agricultural college in a course in farm structures just introduced.

The students will learn how to design their own houses, barns, granary's, silos and other farm buildings; where to place them; how they should be constructed; and the cost of both materials and construction. An unusual feature of the instruction will be that which will aid students to draw plans in class for buildings solving special problems of their own home farms, such as barns on hill-sides or on low ground.

The various uses of concrete on the farm, with practical laboratory work in the making of concrete floors, walks and fence posts will also form a part of the students' instruction.

Problems in fencing, including the relative merit and cost of various sorts of materials, and different designs will be an interesting part of the course, which will include as well a comparison of the efficiency of good and bad roads, and the methods of construction and maintenance of good roads in rural districts.

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B. P. O. E.—La Grande Lodge No. 433 meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner of Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. DR. G. L. BIGGERS, Ex. Rul. HUGH McCALL, Rec. Sec.	KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27 meets every Monday night in Castle hall, (old Elk's hall.) A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights. JESS PAUL, C. C. R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.
WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Lodge No. 169 W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Tuesday in the month. All visiting members welcome. NERI ACKLES, C. C. J. H. KEENEY, Clerk.	O. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. C. holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members cordially invited. MARY A. WARNICK, Sec. PAULINE EDERLEE, W. M.
M. W. A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703 meets every Monday in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend. I. R. SNOOK, C. D. E. COX, Clerk.	WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Grande Ronde Circle No. 47 meets every first and third Thursday evenings in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are welcome. CHLOE ROBINSON, G. M. LIZZIE ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

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