

FOOTBALL

Saturday
Caldwell vs. L. H. S.

SPORTING NEWS

Drummer Springs Good Joke

BASEBALL

Philadelphia
Overwhelms Cubs

**CALDWELL TEAM
COMING NEXT
SATURDAY**

**MOST IMPORTANT GAME LA
GRANDE WILL SEE THIS YEAR.**

College Team Comes With Scalp of
Many Small Teams This Year.

Football for 1910 will appear in dead earnest a week from today when the College of Idaho (Caldwell) comes here to reverse, if possible, the defeat administered by La Grande at Caldwell last fall. At that time one of the hardest games of the season were fought out and La Grande won under difficulties. The Caldwell team has not deteriorated in the least and some real football is going to be witnessed, the first by the way for this year. On the following Saturday the locals go to Spokane but that is a minor consideration just now.

To prepare for this particular game next Saturday is the problem of Head Coach Zimmerman and his assistant, Prof. Carruth. With about twenty-five men out this week, it is indicated that interest has revived and the regulars themselves show more spirit than they did up to the game last Saturday. That contest put more life into the team and the coaches are more optimistic this week than they were last week.

What La Grande will be able to do to Caldwell is a problem. The Idaho team handed it to Ontario by an overwhelming score the other day and the locals have something to go up against for sure.

The matter of meeting the expense is worrying the management some and a large crowd alone can take the local institution out of the expense without trouble. While the team itself is preparing for the first and really the biggest game of the season, as far as La Grande is concerned, arrangements for meeting the heavy expense will be going on.

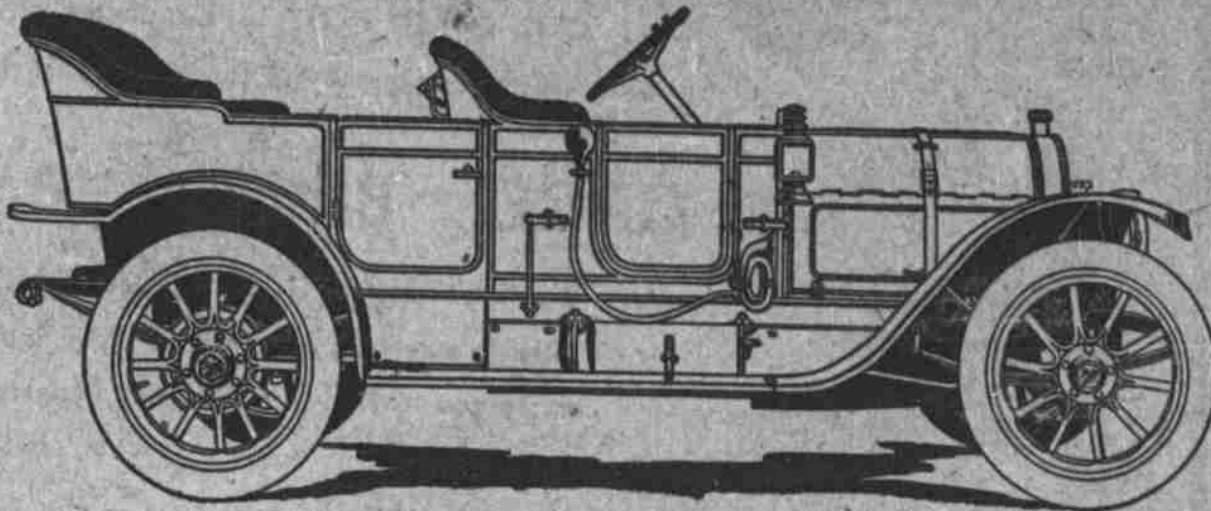
All in all, La Grande's football season begins and ends with this game, for it is by far the most important at home game on the schedule to date.

STRENUOUS AUTO TRIP.

Ford Machine Goes up to Point Near
Muir Mines This Week.

Among the important junkets taken by automobile owners this week was a trip up the Grande Ronde river to a point near the Muir mines, 15 miles from Granite. L. C. Smith made the trip in a Ford, taking along W. N. Jones, a prominent Portland lumberman, and another Portland man interested in timber. Mr. Jones is also interested in the H. L. Keats Auto company of Portland.

FOUR-DOOR, SIX-CYLINDER POPE-HARTFORD OF THE 1911 MODEL.



This is a stylish car which the Dittbrandt Auto Company is handling and is of the popular make-up, a sort that appeals to the buyer these days. The company has not yet received any of these cars but they will be here in time for the opening of the season next Spring.

SPORTING NEWS--COMMENT

Lee Matlock, of this city carries the special gold medal posted by the Union-Wallowa Sportsmen's Association at the recent shoot in Wallowa. He is as proud as a peacock of his honors too. Among the other winners were Crossland, of Union, who walked off with the Dupont medal, and Gib Masterson, of Elgin, who pulled down the Observer gold medal. Neither of these reached the high average, however, as that honor went to Wallowa county where Wolfe is the possessor.

Connie Mack's bunch are the general favorites in La Grande. Many would like to see the Nationals succeed, but there is no man who is not pleased to see youth and superior ability excel. By the way, even out here in Oregon far from the actual fever, betting is free and considerable money changed hands this week when the Observer's complete stories of the contests appeared on the streets.

With today's game the La Grande second team about passes out of the public eye for its schedule is practically completed. Perhaps one trip later in the year may be arranged for them. Principally, from now on, the sole duty of the second team will be to let itself be pounded about by the first team which is as necessary as eleven men on the first team.

B. B. B. which signifies the mysterious name of a popular club of young men of this city, has been relegated for something more dignified. The Delta club is the way it is heralded now. Basketball this winter and perhaps the track and baseball next Spring are some of the side features of the organization. Its insignia will be a winged "D."

McKay Welch, B. F. Wade's stylish car, has been sent to the Walla Walla track and will be worked out by Hogoboom, the veteran trainer of that city. Mr. Hogoboom took a fancy to

the colt when he was here several weeks ago and said at that time that the animal promised a great future.

"Huckleberry" Joe's illness at this time may be responsible for the further existence of Grizzley, the bear, who was doomed to die this fall. Ed Morris is now waiting for Joe to recover before making the big trek into the Wallowa wilderness.

In view of the fact that there is no game scheduled with the local school for Thanksgiving, there is some talk of pitting the eleven against an alumni team, the personnel of which is not yet determined.

Engineer "Jakie" Jobopson prides himself on having the finest Airdale terrier in the country. The splendid canine is being trained along bear hunting lines.

A Pierce-Arrow is said to be headed for La Grande. If the rumor is true, this will introduce the particular make to Union county.

The Dittbrandt garage has now installed the largest vulcanizer in the city. It takes tires from 2-2 to 5 inches.

Sam Begunder, a former basketball star of Colfax, Wn., is here today visiting friends and may decide to locate in La Grande.

Cove journeyed to Baker City today and met the chesties from the mining town on the Baker City gridiron.

Pendleton high school plays Walla Walla high school at Pendleton this afternoon.

Baseball for Elgin next year is apparently rather uncertain. Dwight Barnes the premier manager of the

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**SOME JOKE WORKED OFF
ON CLUB BOYS**

**DRUMMER POSES AS HAS-BEEN
BOXER AND WINS OUT.**

Takes Youngsters Through Exciting
Scenes of His Final Knockouts.

One of the richest and spiciest jokes that have been worked off in La Grande in late years was successfully manipulated last Sunday evening by Ed O'Connell, the Sun Flower shoe drummer, who is good at impersonation and who by the way is up to snuff on the prize ring dope. O'Connell was here last week and was lonesome last Sunday night. Two or three local fellows helped him out on the B. B. B. bunch which has club rooms in the post office building. He was introduced to the boys, who were lounging Sunday evening in the club rooms and he carried out the part of Eddie Hanley, ex-champion middle-weight boxer. The way O'Connell worked out of the story of how "he" was put out by "Rube" Fern in '98 was something rich. The boys, who all aspire to things athletic and have all won more or less fame in local high school circles, fell to the bait like a house afire, and with open mouths and interest intent they listened to the reminiscences of Mr. Hanley. O'Connell was so pleased with the way the boys took his bait that he grew enthusiastic, and went through some interesting lessons on how to spar and how to keep in physical trim. When he had spun his little yarn he went back to his hotel and the club boys swelled up with justifiable pride because an ex-champion boxer had called on them and volunteered them some useful hints on the ring game. The boys are still of the opinion that they heard something worth while, until of course they read this.

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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. ZIGGERS, Ex Rul.
HUGH McCALL, Rec. Sec.

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.
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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.

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JESS PAUL, C. C.
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MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.
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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.

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