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## SAYER COMING TO CITY SOON

AIMS TO BE HERE ABOUT MAY 13 TO MEET CITIZENS.

Field Manager Passes Through the City Today En Route to Baker.

James J. Sayer, field secretary for the Oregon Development League, who comes to La Grande in about 12 days, May 13 or 14, to meet the Commercial club members and business men of this city, passed through La Grande today on his way to Baker where he meets the Commercial club tonight. After that meeting he returns to Pendleton and other points in Umatilla county.

Mr. Sayer's mission is to visit every city and town in Eastern Oregon, going into the interior and devoting special attention to getting more people on farms. His headquarters are in the Portland Commercial club with C. C. Chapman, the general manager, but Mr. Sayer, an ardent booster and a well-posted publicity man, takes the field in the interest of the state at large.

## SUMMIT TOWNS TO HAVE POLICE

CONSTABLE AND JUSTICE TO BE APPOINTED.

Considerable Wood Hauling Taking Place but Roads Bad Yet.

Kamela, May 1.—(Special)—Mr. Stanley, who runs a music store in Walla Walla, was a Kamela caller last week looking over his timber land up here.

Mr. Childers and Mr. Weaver of Freewater were Kamela visitors April 29th. They were looking over some timber land. Mr. Weaver's intention is to cut cord wood and haul to the Kamela market.

Wood hauling has commenced here, but the roads are not very good yet.

John Thompson has been appointed road commissioner of this district and will commence on the roads at once.

Mrs. W. S. Nelson has been visiting her parents at Pomroy, Wash.

Kamela is about to have a constable and justice of the peace appointed. These officers have been needed for some time.

Opening Yakima Division.

On Friday, March 24th, the O.-W. R. & N. will open its new branch from Attalla to North Yakima, and will run a through train daily between Walla Walla and North Yakima, leaving Walla Walla at 9:15, arriving at North Yakima at 3:09 p. m.

Returning train will leave North Yakima at 8:45 a. m., arriving in Walla Walla 2:30 p. m.

In addition to the above service motor cars will be run between Kennewick and North Yakima, and between Grand View and North Yakima, also between Midvale and Sunnyside. Connections westbound can be made with Washington Division No. 8 and main line No. 5; eastbound at Walla Walla with Washington division No. 7 and main line No. 18.

For more complete information as to train service on this branch, call on any local agent of the O.-W. R. & N. WM. McMURRAY, General Pass. Agent.

## THE CONFEDERATE SOLDIER.

An Incident That Marked His Spirit and Independence.

In his "Glimpses of the Confederate Army" in the American Review of Reviews Randolph H. McKim writes:

"It seems to me as I look back that one of the things which stood out strongly in the Confederate army was the independence and the initiative of the individual soldier. It would have been a better army in the field if it had been welded together by a stricter discipline, but this defect was largely atoned for by the strong individuality of the units in the column. It was not easy to demoralize a body composed of men who thought and acted in a spirit of independence in battle."

"As an illustration of the spirit of the private soldier I recall an incident to this effect. Major General Gordon had organized a strong column to make a night attack on Grant's lines at Petersburg. When he was ready to move and the order to advance was given a Big Texan stepped out of the ranks and said:

"General Gordon, this column can't move before 1 a. m. The men have a sleep with the Yanks, and it ain't up till 1 o'clock."

"The column did not move till that hour. The private in the ranks had taken command, and the major general recognized his authority."

## PONGEES HARD TO MATCH.

Because Each Piece is Made From One Lot of Raw Silk.

Pongee silk is the undyed silk of silkworms fed on the leaves of scrub oak chiefly, though other trees are used in some portions of the pongee district. The silk is produced almost exclusively in Shantung province and portions of north China immediately adjacent.

The real pongee cloth, made of this uncolored specially produced silk, is distinct from the pongees of commerce made in all colors from other silk. Each piece of cloth is made from a particular lot of silk, and therefore each piece varies from all other pieces in exact quality, weight and fineness and in a slight degree in color and other qualities.

There are certain general grades of cloth, certain varieties of weave, certain popular weights, etc., but women shopping in Chinese pongees find it very difficult to match pieces, and on the face of things it is practically impossible to furnish any great number of pieces of a certain weight, grade and quality such as a modern clothing manufacturing establishment would require to standardize a certain line of garments from that particular cloth.—New York Sun.

## Located His Station.

There was an absentminded bishop in western Ontario, who was constantly finding himself in awkward situations, on account of his extreme abstraction. On a certain occasion he was traveling from London in a northerly direction and found when the conductor approached him that he had forgotten where he was to go. The conductor suggested that he telegraph from the next station and find out his destination. It was before the days of long distance telephones, and the bishop telegraphed to his wife from the first station. "Where was I going?" to be answered at the following station. The answer came, "Exeter; be sure to get off there." The bishop then beamed at the anxious conductor and remarked placidly: "These little difficulties always turn out satisfactorily."—Argonaut.

## German Pedigree Book.

There is in Germany what is known as the "German Pedigree Book" or "Deutsches Geschlechterbuch." The purpose of the pedigree book, according to a Berlin correspondent, is to record the ancestry not of nobles, but of bourgeois persons who can prove that they are of genuine middle class or working class ancestry and have no noble blood in their veins. The editor explains in his preface that, while many German nobles "out of court and material considerations have not kept their blood pure, there are many good business class families which have managed to do so." By thus encouraging the proper pride of such families the pedigree book is doing much to eradicate the traditional envy of the nobles.

Self. A perfect understanding of self is a perfect understanding of all things, or, may be the condensed whole. From such a man no power is withheld. All things are obedient to him. —Freedom.

Life, upon the whole, is far more pleasurable than painful, otherwise we would not feel pain so impatiently when it comes.—Leila Hunt.

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. The remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

## Miller's Message No. 1

### Well Folks!

We have reserved this space for a week, in order to tell you all about a choice subdivision, that we are nearly ready to actively place on the market. In this issue we are not quite prepared to furnish all particulars, but will do so, from time to time during the week. When we are able to give you the exact location and quote you the marvelously low prices for the lots, and the very easy terms upon which you can acquire most desirable property, we know that you will agree with us, in our claim that we are now putting forth the best offering ever made in this city.

**William Miller & Bro.** 1107 Adams Ave.

WATCH THIS SPACE IN TOMORROW'S ISSUE.

## Reasons Why You Should Enlist In The Observer Contest

The prizes are educational.

You should see Portland during the great annual Rose Festival.

You should visit San Francisco during the meeting of the National Educational association.

You should become acquainted with the beauties of the Columbia river. You should experience recreation in the social life of ocean and Columbia river tourist hotels.

You should study music under the best teachers if you have not done so already.

You should study at home, if you cannot attend college.

You should try the thrills of competitive work, such as this contest affords.

You should learn how to ask your friends for their support; how to organize them into a working force in your own behalf.

You should learn how to make friends among strangers and to get them interested in your success.

**THE CONTEST GIVES ALL THESE BENEFITS AND OTHERS: YOU SHOULD ENTER.**

### THEY ALL DEMAND IT.

La Grande, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives It.

People with kidney ills want to be cured. When one suffers the tortures of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve but do not cure. Here is evidence to prove that Doan's Kidney Pills cure, and the cure is lasting.

H. P. Swisher, 2467 Madison street, Baker City, Oregon, says: "Kidney complaint in my case was caused by excessive horseback riding. The back-ache steadily became worse as time passed and there were other annoying symptoms of kidney complaint. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I began

their use and they not only restored my kidneys to a normal condition, but rid me of the backache and pains. I shall always take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills." (Statement given November 4, 1907).

### Lasting Results.

Mr. Swisher was interviewed on May 28, 1910, and he added to the above: "The cure made by Doan's Kidney Pills in my case has been permanent. I gladly confirm all I have previously said about this remedy."

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