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Bitter pills of defeat were compounded and forced down the craws of La Grande high Saturday night by Columbia college of Milton when the basketball five of that college overran the high school of this city by a decisive score. Columbia not only won because it was the better team, but it took advantage of a deplorable series of gyrations by the individuals of the home team, and widened what should have been a narrow margin in Columbia's favor to an unpardonable chasm.

The Saturday night performance was witnessed by a large attendance and for a time it looked as though both teams were to be seen at their best yet the wonderful accuracy of the basketballers from the Methodist community soon commenced to assert itself and the longer the shoots shot through the sack, the greater became the cycle of the high's etherial gyrations, and forgetting the finer points of the game so ably displayed against Baker a week before, allowed the visitors to run the score far up into the 30's, a long way beyond any possible chance of capture. At the end of the

first half the score was 20 to 10 in Milton's favor. The final score was 37 to 17.

The fundamental cause behind the failure of La Grande to hold its own or even do its best was the complete loss of ability to hit true in the wicket. Milton's charging guards clamped their arms about the playing forwards when they are at their posts and it is impossible for any player of less than far greater muscular strength to throw a basket over a Milton guard—when the guards were caught napping as they were at times, it availed not for the local forwards were unable to register. This has been the big fault of the home guard all along, but occasionally as in the Baker game, they found the basket in fine shape. Thus the La Grande score was kept down, and allowed to grow on the other side because no two of the home team thought, acted or stood still with any semblance of united effort. Milton's guards threw basket after basket and all save Lamb contributed to the scoring largely. No amount of shifting in the La Grande squad could stop the rai not baskets. Woods went in at center, displacing Bohnenkamp, Roberts took Woods' place, Reynolds took Ralston's shoes at guard, and Crawley late in the game took Bolton's position. The new and fresh players put lots of pep into their playing and gave chase toward reducing the lead. Their playing was a sharp contrast to that of the regulars who were listless and couldn't get to going.

From an all-preparatory school standpoint, Milton dragged the La Grande colors in the mire, and for a time La Grande's daubers were down, flitting half-shamefacedly in the

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breezes at half mast but they are waving majestically at the top of the figurative flag staff today, and emblazoned across the Blue and White is scrolled the desire of the local five to retrieve, and Friday night trim Baker again and then take on Pendleton high the 23rd. All of which means that the high school championship of the section has not been determined up to date.

SUMMONS.

In the circuit court in the state of Oregon, for the county of Union.

Sada Anderson, plaintiff, vs. F. L. Meyers, executor of the last will and testament of John Predmore, deceased, Sister of St. Francis of La Grande, Oregon, and William Hull, H. C. Montgomery, and J. J. Beldin, trustees of the La Grande and Moss chapel church of the Methodist Episcopal church South, in Union county, Oregon, and all other persons and parties unknown claiming any estate, right or title to, interest in, or claim or lien upon the property described in the complaint in this cause, adverse to the plaintiff, defendants.

To all persons and parties unknown claiming any estate, right or title to, interest in, or claim or lien upon the property described in the complaint in this cause, adverse to the plaintiff, defendants above named: You and each of you, are hereby notified to be and appear in the above entitled court and answer the complaint therein filed against you in the above entitled cause within six weeks from the first publication of this summons. And if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will, for want thereof, apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint to-wit: That plaintiff be decreed to be the owner in fee and entitled to the possession of the property described in the complaint to-wit: Lots 11, 12 and 13 in block 2 of Predmore's addition to the town of La Grande, Union county, Oregon; that his title thereto be quieted. This summons is published in the La Grande Evening Observer, a newspaper published at La Grande, Oregon, by virtue of an order of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Union county, bearing date, the 6th day of February, A. D., 1912; directing publication thereof once each week therein, for six consecutive weeks, and the first publication of this summons is on the 6th day of February, A. D., 1912.

J. D. SLATER,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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At the primary election parties will nominate for same offices and in addition will express their choice for president and vice president and will elect delegates to their national conventions.
Registration closes on April 5.
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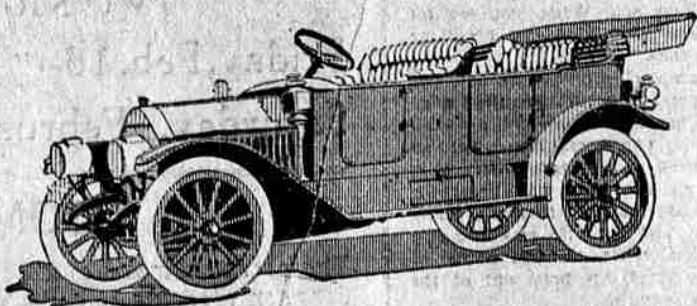
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