

HORSES ARE SUIT GROUND

A. L. BARNES IS PLAINTIFF VS
M'KENNONS, DEFENDANTS.

No Arraignments Made at Noon and
No Jury Reports in.

Ownership of a span of horses purchased by J. D. McKennon on a mortgage transactions was aired before a circuit court jury today following the conclusion of the North Powder case yesterday in which C. R. Hibberd was the defendant. That jury retired last night.

The case today comes under the title of A. L. Barnes against J. D. McKennon and Floyd McKennon.

No arraignments have yet been made and no further reports have come in from the grand jury room this afternoon.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a rummage sale in the W. H. Stanchfield warehouse, 1312 Jefferson avenue, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 11 and 12th. 10-9 10 11 & wkly

GIANTS WIN GAME

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imate who would take the job. Devore got back to left field today and Snodgrass was returned to center, but Devore is leadoff man on the batting list and Snodgrass bats third.

Morning Predicted Rain.

The official weather bureau forecasted rain, early this morning, but guessed that it would be fair this afternoon. It was cloudy, however, during the forenoon but cleared and was really good weather when the extra-game contest was called.

WANTED—Dozen teams and 18 men at once. Apply at rock quarry, John Mars. 10-9-2tp

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Mrs. W. I. Dewey, son and daughter, Harold and Lenore, let today for their home in Portland after a pleasant visit with Mrs. E. J. Bartmeas and family.

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F. D. HAISTEN

FURNITURE ON EASY PAYMENTS

LA GRANDE Y. M. C. A. DEPARTMENT.



Y. M. C. A. News of Current Interest Noted Hereunder, Direction of J. H. Rudd, General Secretary.

Mr. Boyce the general secretary at Baker is pushing operations on the new building. The foundation is nearly completed and brick on the ground. The Baker Y. M. C. A. property when completed will represent an investment for better manhood and boyhood of about \$40,000. If La Grande and Pendleton fall into line with similar buildings Eastern Oregon will have a chain of Association that will not only add local moral strength to these cities but will make permanent any effort for a united boy's work in this section of the state.

A letter and a card from C. B. Pickens, who left here a few days ago to take temporary charge of the Y. M. C. A. at Arrowrock, reports his safe arrival. He writes that they have a splendid Association and adds "Wish we had a plant like it in La Grande. We expect Pickens back in La Grande in about a month."

Indians.

Last Saturday afternoon your sec-

retary assisted by Burley, one of the first class Scouts, took eight of the smaller boys for a hike. The program also included the selection of a chief and assistant chief. This was done by cones. Harry Harney is he Chief and Claire Davis next in rank. Saturday morning at nine o'clock the Indians will leave the Y. M. C. A. for an all day trip to Morgan Lake. The trip will be under the general supervision of your General Secretary assisted by Scouts Burley and Kerr. Indians should bring enough "grub" for dinner.

The Scouts.

Special items of interest:—
1.—Fly campaign closes Thursday the 16th.
2.—A two day hike to Mt. Emily is being planned for next week Oct. 17 and 18. Particulars at Friday night troop meetings.
3.—Friday night Oct. 18th all troops will gather for their general monthly meeting at troop 2 headquarters. The special features of this meeting will be a play by the boys of troop 2 and the presenting of prizes to the winners in the Fly-killing contest. Visitors are cordially welcome at any of these general meetings.

OREGON POTATO CROP BIG.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 10.—Hymen Cohen, commercial editor of the Journal, in an article today states that the potato crop yield in Oregon will be 16,000,000 bushels. There was a crop of 7,900,000 in 1911. The crop this year is enough to give every man, woman and child in the state 1500 pounds with enough left for seedling the next crop.

BLUE MT. BUTTERMAKER EXPLAINS.

I want to say in regard to an article recently published that it was in no way the fault of the Blue Mountain Creamery that Deputy Dairy & Food Commissioner A. S. Wells found butter on the market in La Grande that was not full weight. I have never been instructed to put out short weight butter, but owing to the fact that I was short of help, my helper being sick and Manager Mr. Bush out of town, I was obliged to allow the butter to stand over in the mold where it became so hard that it was almost impossible to cut. It was this batch of butter that Mr. Wells found on the market. Seemingly with the exception of three pounds, our butter was the only brand of creamery butter found on the market in La Grande by the inspector, and I have been told that these three pounds were a trifle short in weight.

The groceryman will tell you as they did Mr. Wells that it is very seldom our butter does not hold out in weight; besides, I have yet to see a butter cutter that will cut every pound exactly true to weight. The statement referring to the superiority of Blue Mountain Creamery ice cream found in a recent issue and referred to in the previously mentioned article, was made by Mr. Wells on several occasions both in an official and unofficial way. He stated also that it was as good as he had found in Oregon, not only in percentage of butter fat but in wholesomeness as well. I have been employed by the Blue Mountain Creamery company for the past six years and this is the first time that it has been necessary to make any explanations which goes to show that we are doing our best to give our customers a square deal.

RAY BARTHOLOMEW.

COMMISSION PETITION

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quired to order the referendum and not more than 15 per cent to propose any measure. The manner of exercising such powers shall be conferred by general law, except that cities and towns may provide by charter for the manner of exercising such powers. No general law of this state provides the manner of a city exercising the initiative power thus reserved or that less than 15 per cent of the legal voters may initiate the same, although the law of 1907, page 400, does say that not less than ten per cent of the legal voters is necessary to the exercise of the referendum. We have no charter provisions in La Grande covering the same. There being no general law of the state nor provision in our city charter authorizing legislation to be initiated by a petition of less than fifteen per cent of the legal voters of the city, the maximum fixed by the constitution, and this provision of the constitution being self executing, I am of the opinion that it requires 15 per cent of the legal voters of the city to initiate this proposed new city charter.

This is borne out by the language of the supreme court in the case of McBee v. Town of Springfield, 58 Or. 455. Should the common council find as a fact that the petition for this new charter does not contain the required 15 per cent of the legal voters I advise that the council is without authority to grant the prayer of the petition and submit the charter to a vote, and that the prayer of the petitioners should be denied for this reason.

(Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) T. H. CRAWFORD,
City Attorney.