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La Grande**FRANK PATTY'S
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Frank A. Patty, son of Mrs. C. M. Hutchinson of 1424 Adams avenue, La Grande, is registered as a junior student in the animal husbandry department of the school of agriculture of O. A. C.

The livestock course of study which Mr. Patty is taking is designed primarily to fit the student for livestock farming. The course includes a study of the principles of breeding, feeding, management, marketing and the history and development of the various domestic breeds of livestock and other factors pertaining to the livestock industry. In addition to the livestock courses he is required to take work in other departments of the school of agriculture and a certain number of social science courses. The object of work other than straight agriculture is to train the student for leadership in the community in which he will become a member as well as train him to be a better agriculturist.

VISIT COMPLETED.

(By Associated Press)

KAGASHIMA, Japan, May 11.—The Prince of Wales today completed his official visit to Japan.

He sailed for Manila on board the battle cruiser Renown.

**DUNHAM WRIGHT
PLOWS GARDEN**

In Spite of His 80 Years,
Sage of Medical Springs
Still An Active Farmer.

(Special to The Observer)

MEDICAL SPRINGS, May 11.—Medical Springs boasts of having the oldest active farmer in the person of Uncle Dunham Wright, who is 80 years old. Uncle Dunham Wright was plowing the other day when J. Oliver, chance to happen along and suggested that he take a snapshot of the "oldest farmer" in action. But Uncle Dunham replied that a picture of J. Oliver plowing or performing any kind of work would be a very rare picture indeed. J. Oliver is 30 years old and up to the above mentioned day held a record of never having performed a day's plowing in his entire life. But all records are broken sooner or later and Oliver broke his by turning to and plowing Uncle Dunham's garden.

H. G. Aver, county agent, and Ray Durean of Cove were on Big Creek demonstrating squirrel poison Wednesday and Thursday.

Dr. Huff of Baker was called to the home of James Gobel on account of his latter's daughter, who is ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. South, our local merchant, visited Baker recently to purchase their new summer stock of shoes and they announce that they will have a complete line of footwear in the near future.

Mrs. W. Duncan, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is somewhat better, although not out of danger.

P. J. Power, that old time dancing master, arrived here yesterday from an extended tour, where he has been giving dancing instructions.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Kennedy spent the week-end in Union visiting his father and uncle, J. W. Kennedy, who has been ill for some time.

Bert Wirth, who is attending high school in Baker, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mrs. James Fuller of Powder River, has been visiting her father, Cy Turner.

Mrs. Ella Shaw of Union, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Medical Springs, returned to her home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bloom went to Baker Saturday to purchase supplies and furniture preparatory to moving to the Medical Springs ranger station for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Love were visiting at the home of G. W. South Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Wanker, better known as "Uncle Hew", is seriously ill.

Track Meet

Result is
Uncertain

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tion, but Hunter appears to be the best man of the two. La Grande is stronger in this event than in the half mile.

According to Coach Lodell the relay will probably rest between Union and Pendleton unless La Grande gets the breaks. Pendleton has the best balanced team but Union has two sprinters that could spot any Pendletonian in the 220. Cook gained ten yards on Sandberg in the relay at Union and Sandberg is far faster than Pendleton's best hope.

The blue and white team is in good shape and will leave for the contest on Saturday morning on No. 17. Those who will make the trip are: Coach Lodell, Christian Sandberg, sprinter, broad jump and relay; Captain Grant Bean, shot put and discus; Tige Larson, 100 yard dash, high and low hurdles; Leo Hawes, 440 yard dash; Ray Lynch, pole vault, high and low hurdles; Clark Price, relay, javelin and 440 yard dash; D. Smith, half mile; Fred Steinbeck, 440 yard dash, half mile and high jump; Dallas Jacobson, mile and half mile; Doyle Zimmerman, mile; Harold O'Connell, high and low hurdles; Willard Clark, javelin; George Garrick, mile; T. C. McDonald, half mile and 440 yard dash; and George Stager, javelin.

Golden West Girl

Miss Agnes Delaney is known as the "Golden West Girl" and will represent the Golden West in the contest at the World's Fair in 1923.

Here Come the Horse Marines!

Who sprung that joke about horse marines? Look at this bathing girl riding horsesback on the beach at Atlantic City—it's a fact there now.

**CITY'S STAND
ON ORO DELL
MADE CLEAR**

Ad Club Committee Receives Assurance That All Possible Effort Will Be Made To Go Ahead With Project.

At the meeting of the city commission last evening a committee from the Ad club, composed of Elmer Stoddard, William Miller and George H. Cursey, asked the city to outline its stand upon the Oro Dell scenic highway in order that when the state highway commission comes next week the Ad club be given an opportunity to inform that body as to the city's stand on the matter.

President W. D. Grandy and Commissioner David I. Stoddard informed the committee that the city is willing and ready to do all possible to push the building of the road at all times. They declared that regardless of any apparent snags encountered in the future the city would build its part of the road.

The matter of prohibiting taxi cabs and other itinerant amusement companies from stopping here by means of a prohibitory license fee was discussed. It was the opinion of the commission, Commissioner Sherwood Williams being absent, that the matter should rest where it is.

A number of petitions asking for paving and sidewalks in several sections of the city were received and referred to the city manager for checking and for the purpose of, if possible, evolving some scheme whereby one improvement district will take care of all. This would eliminate a large amount of overhead expense and the Ad club has a committee at work with the city officials on this matter.

Among the petitions received was one asking for sidewalks along a avenue and at the same time remonstrating against the petition, signed by a minority of property owners, recently received asking for hard surfaced paving along that street.

WORKER IS AMBUSHED.

(By Associated Press)

PORTLAND, May 10.—H. O. Miller, dock worker, was attacked on the waterfront after being given a ride by a truck driver, who whistled when the truck began to approach a certain point and a band of men appeared. Forty men attacked 16 workers on the schooner Solano at the mill dock. Employers' statements said there is no intention to import professional strikebreakers.

CLAIMS DENIED.

DETROIT, May 11.—Claims aggregating \$4,250,000 against the Lincoln Motor Car company, preferred by seven individuals, were denied today by the Detroit Trust company, receiver for the concern.

TO WEEK-END AT SECON.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—President and Mrs. Harding will leave Washington Friday for New Jersey to be the guests of Senator Edge of that state over the week-end at the Seaview Golf club at Seccon.

NEW REPUBLIC BORN.

(By Associated Press)

ROME, May 11.—The Croats have proclaimed an independent republic of Croatia and named a ministry, says a dispatch to the "Tampio today" from Bari, an Italian sea coast town on the Adriatic.

MOVIE ACTOR TO MARRY.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—Word was received here today from New York that Richard Hudnut, perfume manufacturer, had announced the engagement of his daughter Winifred to Rodolph Valentino, motion picture actor, now employed in Los Angeles.

The Number of Hairs.

Data gathered in this relation show that fair-haired persons possess, commonly, between 140,000 and 160,000 hairs on the scalp, the number being about the same for men and women. Dark-haired persons have on an average, about 105,000, while red-haired persons are said to have only 30,000 hairs. But the latter apparently possess one great advantage in the fact that they retain their hair better, seldom becoming bald. Their hair is much coarser than that of dark or fair-haired persons.

Knowledge Brings Love.

Knowledge of a thing engenders love of it; the more exact the knowledge, the more fervent the love.—Leonardo da Vinci.

Teases Wilhelm

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Beware of Eye Strain.

Irritability of the stomach, loss of appetite, dyspeptic symptoms after partaking of food, dizziness, nausea and vomiting are often caused by eye strain. After the eyes are examined and glasses are worn the symptoms disappear. Children during the period of school life who frequently suffer from headache, loss of appetite and dizziness and are behind in their work should have their eyes examined and the eye strain relieved by prescribed glasses.

Bees' Keen Eye for Landmarks.

How is it that a bee can fly all over a town, and yet invariably come home to the hive in the evening? There can be little doubt so intelligent an insect as this has a long memory and a keen eye for landmarks. This is testified to by the fact that almost all bees fly by day, whereas such creatures as moths, of no fixed home or occupation, fly in the darkness. A bee would be lost at night because it could not recognize its surroundings.

Make a Writing Pad.

A writing pad, to be successful, must be solid, and of good size. A board half an inch thick, nine by twelve inches, makes the best pad. Buy half a yard of black elastic, half an inch wide, the strongest you can get, overlap the ends and sew firmly together into the form of a belt. Slip this over the end of the board. It will keep in place both blotting and writing paper and can be moved up and down the board as you need it. On a windy day it is invaluable, setting both hands free.

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And a carload of Louisiana Sweet Potatoes—just received 300 crates of the finest sweet potatoes that ever came to La Grande. These are the Yam variety, kiln dried and processed to keep until July. They are medium, uniform size and are in prime condition for eating. Buy a month's supply. Better still, buy a crate at wholesale price and divide up with your neighbor. 3 pounds 25c. Crate of 32 pounds net weight at \$3.90.

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