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### FIRE HAZARD IS DANGEROUS

"The fire hazard is as great as it has been at any time this year in the forests surrounding La Grande and vicinity," stated Forest Ranger Floyd Kendall this morning...

Despite the hazard no fires have been reported in this district recently and no attempt will be made to cancel the hunting season...

The rains experienced this noon may lower the fire hazard considerably if they are widespread over this district.

#### Done at Home.

Taylor's ad: "I'll take your measure and give you fits." No you won't, our wife does that.—Boston Evening Transcript.

### PREPARATIONS FOR SCHOOL

(Special to The Observer) STARKEY, Aug. 29.—A school meeting was held at Starkey last Wednesday and several important matters were taken up at this time.

Starkey weather is fine for harvest. John Wells started his combine Monday.

Len Ingham will have his grain threshed with a stationary threshing machine belonging to Wm. Briggs.

Mrs. John Wells has been hired as teacher for the Starkey school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fog, of Montana, who have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Len Ingham, have returned to their home.

Mrs. LaDunn Strack spent the day with Mrs. J. S. Rose Monday.

Jack Starro made a trip to La Grande Monday.

Ward Smith took a load of grain to Hilgard Thursday.

Ibui Newlin, of the New Drug company in La Grande, is out in the Starkey country for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Crandall of La Grande were out on a hunting trip and camped at Soj. Fendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starro, Mrs. Glen Brown, Mrs. John Wells and little son, John, Jr., spent the evening with Mrs. J. C. Rose Monday.

Alvin Thornburg and bride are at home at his homestead across the river from Starkey.

Smythe Brothers' superintendent is up on their range overseeing the shearing of the lambs from the sheep.

All of the sheep are now at Pickle corral. They will trail the lambs and some fat sheep to Meuchan Sunday or Monday.

Antoine Vey, Jr., returned from his trip to Seattle, where he went with four carloads of beef cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Knaf, of La Grande were out on a two-day hunting trip in Fy valley. They made the trip in their car.

A good many hunters are in the hills now. Several cars pass through Starkey every day.

Fire Guard Lucas Mandaskava is on the alert after careless hunters.

"If the careless ones are caught, they will have to settle for it," he says.

Little June Marie Smith entering of little David Rose Thursday. David enjoyed his visit very much.

### SCHOOLS WILL OPEN IN 13 DAYS IN LA GRANDE

List of Teachers Selected. Improvements Completed in High School and Central Buildings; Doors Will Open September 11.

Thirteen more days and the La Grande public schools will open their doors to take in the influx of young Americans seeking education.

Outside of the final arrangements for the course of study, everything is being put in ship shape style for the opening day.

Teachers Named. The list of the high school teachers, exclusive of the superintendent and principal, are as follows:

Lucille Pierce, Economics and History; Glau W. Campbell, Science; Ruth Nash, English; Lois Comstock, Spanish and French; Elsie Bennett, English; Gertrude Butterolph, Commercial; Eileen Hoelmer, Mathematics; Marjorie Barst, Domestic Science; E. A. McEachran, Manual Training; Blanche Clark, Penmanship and Art; Esther Rohr, Latin and English; Hope Joslyn, History; Etta Haynes, Domestic Art; Carl C. Snow, Manual Training; John Hanna, Science and English; Angela Bowler, Mathematics and History; and Joe Reynolds, Study Hall, Library and Athletics.

The Central grammar school teachers will be Mrs. Stella Ingle, Mrs. Gladys Douglas, Mrs. Evelyn Bennett, Nell Mahaffey, Inez Russell, Hazel Henke, Lila V. McNeas, Alma Nelson, Mrs. Mollie Gower, Mrs. C. P. Newlin, Mrs. E. A. McEachran, Effie Snider, Emma Hartkopf, Rose Klein and Mrs. Genevieve Currey.

The Riverside grammar school teachers will be Edith Bragg, Nina Kame, Francis Strangheim, Mrs. Ethel Ellis, Josephine Rhodes, Mrs. Mabel Cleaver, Edith Pochin and Bessie Geibel.

The Greenwood grammar school teachers will be Esther B. Ryan, Mrs. Bertha Scott, Inez K. Eott, Edna Snider, Lulu Foster, Clem Green, Grace Snook, Tillie Hagan, Lila V. McNeas, Alice L. Bennett, Maude Crouter, Pernice Loyd and Mrs. Nell Thacker.

BURL ANDERSON HAS DISAPPEARED. Following the accident on the highway Sunday evening when a Haynes car ditched, injuring one man, Burl Anderson, owner of the Haynes disappeared, apparently fearing the hand of the law.

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### HOT LAKE ARRIVALS

(Special to The Observer) HOT LAKE, Aug. 29.—The Hot Lake arrivals for Saturday and Sunday are as follows:

Mrs. Rice, Pendleton; O. C. Butzien and wife, Elk River, Ia.; J. F. Hogg, North Powder; R. C. Hughes and daughter, Eunice, Nampa, Ida.; Mrs. Matthews, Nampa, Ida.; Edna Robinson, Spokane, Wash.; W. W. Richardson and wife, Pomeroy, Wash.; H. H. Wood, Los Angeles, Calif.; Ruby Rollins, Imbler; Margaret Newlin, La Grande; Mrs. Carroll, Union; B. Barton and wife, Midvale, Ida.; Elsie Moxley, Baker; Ruben Hogg, Union; C. M. McCarty and wife, Everett, Wash.; Nora E. Lee, Pruitland, Ida.; Wm. Laird, Union; Mrs. Fred West, Union; Mrs. Albert Ohms, Elgin; Mrs. John Bokout, Enterprise; R. I. Rhodes and wife, Pendleton; R. W. Porter, Weiser, Ida.; R. G. Estes, La Grande; C. P. Lee and wife, Caldwell, Ida.; J. D. Stewart, Walla Walla, Wash.; Ada M. Lee, Caldwell, Ida.; Mrs. Chas. E. Brewster, Homedale, Ida.; Chas. E. Lee and wife, Nots, Ida.; Mrs. C. E. Moore, Elgin; Mrs. Earl Moore, Elgin; Mrs. Wm. Darr, Elgin; Albert Ohms, Elgin; Mrs. Helen Ellis Clark, Pendleton; Mrs. Dollie Soberg, Union; Mrs. F. S. Miller, La Grande.

### DEAD MAN MAY BE CURRY OF UNION COUNTY

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A thorough check is being made now in an effort to determine whether he may be J. V. Curry, formerly of Elgin, a telegram received from a druggist in that town, followed later by a telephone message, gives the information that the description of the man tallies very closely to that of Curry, who is thought to have left Elgin a week ago Saturday night.

He was with two companions at the time, and the trio are said to have been drinking before they left. It is thought that they came toward Pendleton in a car, but the destination of the men is not known. Curry is said to have been a foreman on a road gang which has been working near there. He is said to have had a wide work on both his upper and lower front teeth, and his hands are said to be small for a man of his size.

Additional marks that may be useful in making a final identification have been brought to light. Cleaning marks in the dead man's trousers and coat are being checked on, and the initials on a sterling silver belt buckle, which are well worn, are "A. A. A." according to an examination made by W. E. Hanscom.

Harvey Bender of the Troy Laundry is sending the cleaner markings found in the suit to all laundries and dry cleaners in the northwest known to be using such a system of marking as was used in marking the suit. There are three marks in the coat and two in the trousers. Those in the coat are 6032, 7117 and 8019. The numbers 6032, 7117 and 7117 also appear in the trousers. The mark 6032 has been made with a laundry marking ink, and 7117 has been written with a common blue writing fluid, according to Bender. Photograph of the marks probably will be made and if the inquiries being sent out by Bender fail to disclose the identity of the man, the photographs will be broadcast along with the other circulars.

Curry Was Foreman. ELGIN, Aug. 29.—J. V. Curry, who is mentioned in pendleton as possibly the dead man who was found a few days ago on the river near that city, was fairly well known in Elgin. He was a foreman on bridge work and worked her for some time. His habits were good and he was considered a good citizen, attending to his own business and doing his work. He left Elgin intending to go to Portland and the Willamette valley to locate.

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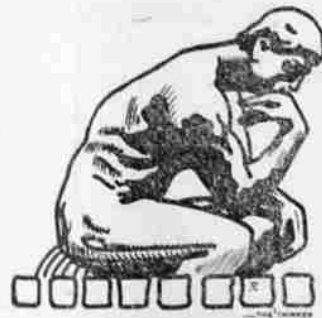
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