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## MANY KAMELA PEOPLE VISIT

(Special to The Observer)  
KAMELA, Oct. 25.—C. A. Nordren,  
of Pendleton, spent Sunday in Kamela  
on business.

J. P. Brody, manager of the  
city first department of the O-W,  
with headquarters in Portland, was in  
Kamela Wednesday on business per-  
taining to his department.

Mrs. Steve Ferguson was a La  
Grande visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Bruce Hendricks was in La  
Grande Wednesday.

Fred Davies was in La Grande Wed-  
nesday.

Mrs. Cora Summers and mother  
were in La Grande last Wednesday on  
business.

A. L. Focht was in Pendleton Thurs-  
day on business.

Ed Bell of La Grande drove to Ka-  
mela in his car Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Bradshaw and daugh-  
ter, Olive and Mildred, of La Grande  
spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr.  
Bradshaw.

Mrs. M. King and daughter, Ther-  
ese, were in La Grande Saturday on  
business.

Mrs. Wm. Pilcock spent Saturday  
in La Grande.

Mrs. Agnes Smith spent the week-  
end in La Grande with friends.

Mrs. Emil Collins was in La  
Grande Saturday on business.

H. M. Bradshaw was a visitor in La  
Grande on Friday.

Mrs. M. Weaver was a visitor in  
La Grande Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tremier left Tuesday  
for a ten days' visit in Seattle. Mr.  
Tremier is second truck operator at  
Kamela.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Morgan left  
Thursday for Portland for a two  
week's visit with relatives.

Frank Haden was a Pendleton vis-  
itor Thursday.

R. Collins was in La Grande last  
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lindels and Mr.  
and Mrs. Perry of La Grande drove to  
Kamela Sunday.

P. Hart and wife of La Grande moved  
to Kamela recently. Mr. Hart is  
fireman on one of the helpers in Ka-  
mela.

Tommy Jones was a La Grande vis-  
itor Friday.

Russell Collier was in La Grande  
three days last week visiting with re-  
latives and friends.

B. G. Dawson of La Grande was in  
Kamela last week working an extra  
fireman.

J. Walcott was in La Grande Fri-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Humphrey and  
Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Macdonald, of La  
Grande, drove to Kamela Sunday.

Harry Phoe was in La Grande Fri-  
day.

Philip Walcott and Cecil Morgan  
spent Saturday and Sunday with their  
parents.

G. Crook bid to one of the jobs as  
fireman on one of the helpers in Ka-  
mela.

Leo Collins was in La Grande  
Thursday.

There is to be a dance in Kamela  
Friday.

Steve Frost spent the weekend  
with his parents. Steve is one of the  
North Powder boys high school foot-  
ball team players. Their team goes  
to Halfway next Saturday to play.

Steve Lawler was a visitor in La  
Grande Friday.

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## SOCIETY

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Mrs. Jennie Cole of La Grande and  
Mr. Rowton is a soldier in the train-  
ing school at Fort Molde. The young  
couple have been friends since  
childhood. Their friends wish them  
every happiness for the future.

Mrs. Wm. Henry Bohmkamp, Jr.  
will entertain at Bridge at the  
Country club Monday afternoon, Oc-  
tober 29, at 2:30 o'clock.

## BIG CONCERN PURCHASES PALMER MILL

(Continued from page one.)

The bookkeeping department since  
the company's organization, "but  
the work will be pushed as rapidly  
as possible for it is naturally the  
desire of all interested to get  
through and turn out attention to  
other things now that the property  
has been disposed of."

### Frees to Stay.

Norman Fries and J. W. Crow-  
ley, both officers of the old com-  
pany, will probably remain with  
the Bowman-Hicks company perma-  
nently but the other officials will  
devote their time to closing up the  
old company's business.

### Mill Built in 1907.

The large holdings which have  
just changed hands have had a  
strong bearing on La Grande's busi-  
ness life. In 1904 the George Pal-  
mer Lumber company was organ-  
ized under the laws of Oregon and  
in 1906 the company began erec-  
tion of the present mill completing  
it in October, 1907. George Pal-  
mer and his two associates held  
their stock throughout the entire  
career of the company. The first  
timber purchased by the George  
Palmer Lumber company was a  
tract of 5,000 acres in the Looking  
Glass country from the Stanley  
& Smith company. Mr. Donahue  
and a number of the present offi-  
cials and heads of departments came  
to La Grande in 1907 and have been  
residents of this community ever  
since.

La Grande has ever been loyal  
to the George Palmer Lumber com-  
pany appreciating to the fullest the  
pay rolls and industrial features  
which redounded to the city's bene-  
fit. It has often been said that  
this city's healthy growth started  
from the day the Palmer mill began  
sawing lumber. La Grande's growth  
has been steady and permanent  
since that time for the O-W rail-  
road company has at different times  
enlarged their shops, established ad-  
ditional offices, which together with  
the Grande Ronde Lumber com-  
pany's activity and the Palmer com-  
pany's growth have all combined  
to make this a fine little city with  
a good future.

### Likes Community.

"I like La Grande very much,"  
remarked Mr. Ashby, the new man-  
ager to a reporter for the Evening  
Observer today. "Somehow there  
is a home-like feeling here for one  
when he first comes to town and I  
am sure I shall enjoy La Grande and  
her people."

Mr. Ashby is a Kansas man, hav-  
ing been raised near Independence.  
He was with the Long-Bell Lumber  
company for many years and only  
lately severed his relations with  
that concern to take over the man-  
agement of the undertakings of the  
Bowman-Hicks company in the west.

### Low Visibility.

An American has invented a wire  
less receiving set which fits into a  
finger ring. We wait with interest  
the announcement that another Ameri-  
can has invented one which is only  
visible through a microscope.—The  
Punching Show (London).

### "For of Such Are the Kingdoms."

The generous who is always just  
and the just who is always generous  
may, unannounced, approach the  
throne of heaven.—Lavater.

### Wisdom From the West.

He that tilth his land shall be sat-  
isfied with bread, but he that follow-  
eth vain persons is devoid of under-  
standing.—Solomon.

### BACK GIVES OUT

Plenty of La Grande Readers Have  
This Experience.

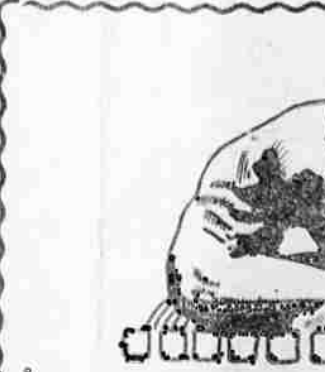
You tax the kidneys—overwork  
them—  
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strain.

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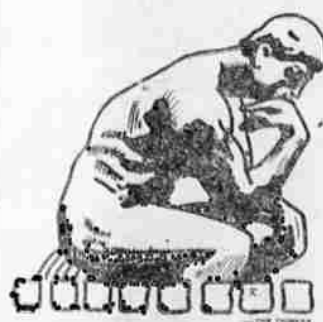
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