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Pure fresh drugs and
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Watch our specials. They
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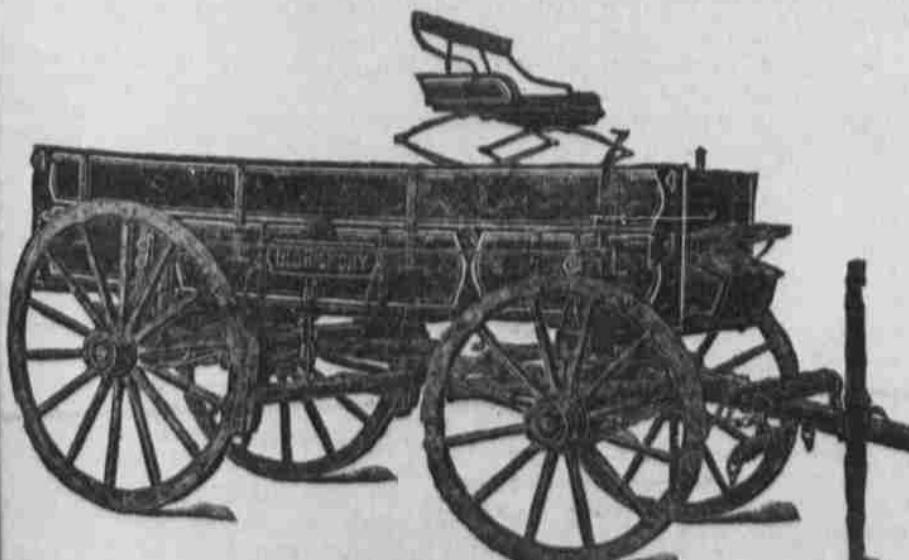
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THIS LINE IS SURE TO PLEASE YOU--CALL AND INSPECT IT

ODDS AND ENDS Still selling. Cost cuts no figure. The shrewd buyer will not overlook this line

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**Old Hickory
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are strong and durable,
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Call and talk
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Implements
and Vehicles



MADRAS, ORE.

PRINEVILLE IS VICTORIOUS

Score Was 8 to 10,
Eleven Innings

DISASTEROUS NINTH

Errors at Critical Time Gave
Visitors Game That Was
Practically Won

Prineville 10, Madras 8.
That was the score of last Sunday's game on the local grounds, but it took eleven innings to decide the contest, which was a hard fought battle from start to finish.

At the end of the fifth inning the score was even, 5 to 5. In the sixth Madras passed two more men across the plate and there was nothing further doing in the tally line until Prineville went to bat in the first half of the ninth. Doyle, a new man who was on third for Madras, juggled a few batted balls and in this fatal inning Prineville scored three runs. Madras went to bat and Galloway made the circuit, again tying the score with 8 to 8.

In the tenth inning no one made first base on either team, but in the eleventh Belknap and Heisler scored for Prineville. With an uphill game, hot, dusty and worn out by the long contest, the home team went to bat, but were unable to negotiate anything that counted and the grueling contest was over.

Dan Ketchum pitched for the visitors and held out faithfully for the eleven innings. Jack Haydon led off in the box for Madras and stayed two innings. He walked a man to first on four balls when the sacks were all full, forced home the runner on third and made Prineville a present of their first score. Thomas then went to the slab and pitched good ball for three innings, when he was relieved by Ed Brown, who apparently had the stuff that Prineville couldn't handle. The heat and dust was fierce but every man stayed right on the job.

Now just a word about that new man Doyle. That fellow can play ball, but

he needs practice and seasoning to the heat. Some hot grounders came his way in the ninth when every man in the game was at the fag end of his endurance, and he had the misfortune to fumble at a critical time. These chances are all in the game. Madras had the hard luck to lose, after they had practically earned the victory.

And it is a cheap sport that will back his home team and then grumble and find fault because they don't win every game. Stand by your team and its captain, win or lose. If it makes you sore to lose a measly bet, don't bet. It's unlawful anyhow. When a town has a loyal, hardworking team like Madras has now, the knockers ought not to be countenanced.

Warren Smith, of Madras umpired the home plate for balls and strikes. Bert Barnes of Prineville officiated for the bases and field. Louis Falkenhagen was official score-keeper.

The line-up of the teams and the score by innings follows:

	PRINEVILLE.	MADRAS.
White, rf.	1 1 . 0 . 0 .	0 0 .
Stallaway, ss.	0 . 0 . 0 0 0 .	1 0 .
Doyle, 3b.	1 0 . 0 . 0 .	0 0 .
Jameson, 2b.	0 . 0 . 0 0 0 .	0 0 .
Tetherow, cf.	0 . 0 . 0 0 0 .	0 0 .
Anderston, 1b.	1 0 . 1 . 0 .	0 0 .
Arnett, H.	0 . 0 . 1 . 0 .	0 0 .
Haydon, p.	0	0 0 .
Thomas, p.	0	0 0 .
Brown, c.	1 . 0 . 0 . 0 .	0 0 .
Runs.....	2 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0	

CONTRACT NOT LET

Announcement Expected Concerning
Work South of Madras

The announcement of the awarding of the contract for the extension of the Oregon Trunk Line grade south from Madras is expected daily, although at the time of going to press Resident Engineer Lyman Griswold says that he has received no information about the matter. The bids were closed the first of the week and it is understood eight different firms were competing for the contract.

Informal estimates figure the cost of the extension at about \$2,000,000. The most expensive single feature will be the massive high-level bridge across Crooked river about 17 miles south of this city, which will cost in excess of \$500,000.

It is feared that the most serious obstacle in the way of pushing the new work at the speed desired will be the scarcity of labor.

The announcement of the awarding of the contract is confidently expected by the end of this week.

JIM HILL MAY VISIT INTERIOR

Now on Way to
Pacific Coast

BANKERS WITH HIM

Empire Builder Says He Is
Coming on a Fishing
Expedition

Jim Hill is to see Central Oregon with his own eyes. Heretofore his visions of the promised land have come to him second-hand through the inspiring descriptions of his trusted spy, John F. Stevens, and his other lieutenants, but the announcement comes from Portland that soon after the first of May Mr. Hill, probably in company with John F. Stevens, will make a tour of the Central Oregon country by auto to see for himself the region which he is spending millions upon in the building of the Oregon Trunk line.

Last Saturday a special train left Chicago for Portland with J. J. Hill, Charles F. Barker, president of the First National Bank of New York, and George F. Steele, of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co.

A Chicago special to the Oregonian says:

When asked the significance of the trip Mr. Hill replied:

"Well, if you know anything about the Northwest, you know that the fishing is getting pretty good there about this time. The trout will begin biting by the time we arrive, and we are going to have a little fishing expedition."

Mr. Steele, of J. P. Morgan & Co., when asked what the trip was being undertaken for, said:

"As for me it simply means I am going to get away from the office and from business for two or three weeks and not care rap about either."

President Baker of the First National Bank of New York, stated he was going to look over the Hill properties for "educational purposes."

WILL STOP AT THE DALLES

The Dalles, Or., April 26.—James J. Hill is not coming West trout fishing as he announced when he left Chicago Saturday, for local officials of the Oregon Trunk Line admit that the railroad magnate will arrive here some time this week, probably Wednesday night or Thursday morning, and that he and his party will tour the interior in automobiles. On the trip Mr. Hill will personally inspect his new road.

SIXTY FEET OF WATER IN STONEHOCKER WELL

Undertaking At Mud Springs Results
Successfully—Depth of 393

Feet Is Reached

Water was struck in the deep well which W. H. Stonehocker was having drilled on his place near the Mud Springs schoolhouse, last Thursday, at a depth of 393 feet, water raising in the drill hole to a height of 60 feet. The outcome of this venture has been waited for with much interest by the residents of that neighborhood, as it is the first undertaking of the kind that has been attempted in that immediate vicinity, and it was of the nature of a demonstration of the feasibility of getting water by drilling there.

The well was undertaken in the first place by Ivan Hale, who was using his own machine. Hale had the misfortune to lose a string of tools in the well and was unable to recover them. Then a driller named Odell got the J. Strain drilling outfit and after many attempts succeeded in getting a grip on the tools and hauled them to the surface. The drill has been pounding away steadily ever since and the successful ending of the undertaking is important to the residents of that neighborhood.

RAILROAD LABORER INSANE

Herman Anderson, a railroad laborer about 30 years of age, was taken to Prineville Tuesday by City Marshal Culp, and after examination by the county authorities the man was adjudged insane and will be committed to the state hospital at Salem.

Anderson worked for awhile at Callahan's camp, and later on the Dwyer contracts. Then he went to Porter Bros.' camps and worked awhile. Last Sunday Anderson was noticed to be acting queerly. He would walk and sit by himself, rocking his body to and fro and keep up a continual stream of talk. He did not exhibit any dangerous tendencies further than to repeat over and over that he was going to kill the king of Sweden, of which country he is a native.

In one of his saner moods Anderson told Marshal Culp that he had at one time been an inmate of an insane asylum in Sweden. The examining physicians stated that they believed his infirmities were inherited and that the unfortunate man would probably soon die at the state institution.

DEATH OF MRS. OREN WAITE

Mrs. Arabell Waite, wife of Oren Waite, died at the family home northeast of Lamonta, April 20th, after a long illness. She had been unable to leave her bed for the past seven months. The funeral services were held last Thursday at Lamonta schoolhouse and were conducted by Rev. C. C. Babbidge of Prineville. The remains were interred in Grey Butte Cemetery. A large number of friends and neighbors attended the funeral.

Arabell Starr was born in the state of New York July 12, 1848. She was married to Oren Waite at Carson City, Nev.

The family came to Oregon in 1862, and have since made their home near Lamonta. Mrs. Waite is survived by her husband, and four sons, Henry, John, Stephen and Edgar, besides a sister, Mrs. S. A. Barron, of Colorado, who was attending her at the time of her death.

FIND NUGGETS AT HAYCREEK

A. V. Warren was in from his home on Hay creek Monday and reports that while he was excavating for cellar at his home recently he picked up a gold nugget out of the dirt worth several dollars, and he had the nugget to substantiate his statements. Following the announcement of his find, Mr. Warren says that there has been considerable activity in that vicinity in prospecting for gold.

Several times in the past nuggets have been picked up in the Hay creek valley and that section may yet prove to be a gold mining district as well as the location of extensive deposits of commercial coal. Mr. Warren's place is about six miles up Hay creek from the B. S. & L. ranch.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS NEXT

Portland Concern
After Franchise

WANTS NO HELP

Matter Will Be Taken Up At
Next Meeting of the
City Council

Coming along with the many other developments and growth of Madras, Mayor Turner is in receipt of an inquiry from a Portland firm requesting information with a view to the installation of an electric power and lighting system at this place. The name of the firm is withheld for obvious reasons. The letter, which is self-explanatory, follows:

PORTLAND, April 20, 1910.

H. W. Turner, Mayor,

Madras, Oregon.

DEAR SIR: At this writing we take the liberty of inquiring from you as mayor of the City of Madras, what inducements the city council of Madras will make in the way of granting us a franchise for the operation and maintenance of an electric light and power system.

This inquiry is primarily directed as to the time and conditions that the city would impose in the franchise and is not a request for any assistance towards its installation.

If you will be kind enough to inquire from the councilmen what their opinion is and let us know before the next meeting, if the same is considered at all favorable, we will file our petition asking for the franchise, to come before the next meeting of said council."

The matter of granting this and similar franchises will be discussed at the next meeting of the council, which will be held on Tuesday evening of next week.

D. W. BARNETT IS CITY TREASURER

Dave W. Barnett, the real estate man, has been appointed treasurer of the City of Madras and last Friday qualified for the office, giving the required bond of \$1500 with A. C. Sanford as surety. J. M. Conklin, of the Madras State Bank, was duly elected treasurer at the city election, but did not qualify for the office. The duty then fell upon Mayor Turner to appoint a treasurer. He named Mr. Barnett and the council ratified the appointment.

Madras State Bank

MADRAS, OREGON

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The California Wine Co.

SHANIKO, OREGON

Announces the opening in Shaniko of a mail order house, which handles nothing but bonded liquors and high grade California wines at the same prices charged by city wholesalers. The firm maintains no bar and does no retail business further than to give its mail order customers a guaranteed service of quality and promptness. Give us a trial and be convinced.

A FEW SPECIALS