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**INFORMATION WANTED.**  
It is apparent that accurate information is needed in Pendleton on the subject of street improvements. The business men of the place are practically unanimous in favor of some sort of work being done, but as to what kind of streets should be made, that is an open question. Figures are available, and these should be procured at once, figures relating to the cost of the various kinds of paving, dressing with crushed rock, macadamizing.

As to the order of precedence to be given to street improvements or other enterprises, there may well be differences of opinion. It is natural that this should be true. Obviously, it is the case in Pendleton, just now. But, with the matter agitated, and officials and business men looking carefully into the subject, no doubt a correct solution will be reached.

The East Oregonian believes in the open discussion of these questions relating to public utilities, and the best manner in which to handle them, and will be glad to make public the views of all who have opinions to express. It is the people's business, and the people can afford to give attention to it.

## SWIFT RETRIBUTION.

Guilty of murder on November 20, Dalton, the Portland thug, was convicted of that crime on December 11. This is swift dealing of justice, and it is well that it is so. Twenty days was sufficient time for all parties concerned to gather their materials for prosecution and defense, and it was not necessary that delay endanger the imposition of a just penalty. Apparently deserving of the punishment that is called for in the case of murder, Dalton's quick conviction will be wholesome in its effects, acting, to an extent, as a deterrent upon criminals. Someone did good work in handling the case.

## LA GRANDE'S CLUB.

A few days ago the East Oregonian printed a description of the La Grande club maintained by the business men of that place. It was read with interest by many members of the Pendleton Commercial Association. The latter organization has done much for this town. It has justified its formation, and the efforts made in its earlier days to make it a positive force in the community. If nothing more were done, the Pendleton Commercial Association—which inaugurated a movement for better roads into this town, accomplished some reforms

In general the opinion is expressed that the challenger will be broken up and sold for old junk; also that Eng has quite a distance yet to go before she can equal America in the matter of yacht building.

Operators and investors from all parts of the country are being attracted to New York as a field for real estate. Among these are some of the great westerners who have been brought to this city by the tendency of the steel industry to centralize here. To speak in general of the feeling toward real estate in New York, it may be said that everybody is optimistic about the future.

New Yorkers are greatly interested in the report that James J. Hill, the railway magnate, will take up his residence in the metropolis. There is no apparent reason why such should not be the case. Mr. Hill is a director of several local financial institutions, as well as two or three big railway companies, and has of late found it necessary to spend a large part of each year in New York city, and now that he has become president of the Northern Securities company, it is said that his presence here would be desirable an even greater period of the year. Though Mr. Hill may join the colony of western millionaires already here, he is not believed that he will cease to maintain a legal residence in Minnesota.

Persons walking along fashionable Fifth avenue between the hours of 7 and 10 are particularly annoyed at this season by beggars, most of whom are young men, whose approach is familiar and airy rather than supplicating. As a rule these beggars are comfortable in appearance which looks suggestive of the wreckage of the pleasures of the table. Their particular prey is the man who is on their way home to dinner or to the theatre and for that reason are supposed to be in a more generous frame of mind.

A feature of the gaieties of the New York winter is the French ball, which has become a permanent institution. This year it is announced for January 21 and at this carnival ball will be presented some of the best work of electricians, decorators, costumers and ballet masters. The affair is very gay and one of the sensations of the season, and even those who do not regard the function with any particular approbation attend it for the novelty introduced—novelties which only the French mind can originate and it is not unduly appreciative.

A difficult problem with which the officials of the New York Central railroad are grappling is that of substituting electricity for steam as a motive power in the park avenue tunnel. The tests made recently were very encouraging and the officials are hoping to be able to announce something definite in the near future in the way of relief. The work of experimenting is being pushed forward steadily and so far no fixed plan has been formed.

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