The Wregon Scout.

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1891.

UNION PACIFIC TIME TABLE. No. 1 Fast Mail, West No. 7 Pacific Express, West No. 2 Fast Mail, East 7:05 p. m. 7:55 a. m. 11:35 a. m. 11:00 p. m. No. 8 Pacific Express, East.

NOTICE.

On account of the change made in the management of this paper, all accounts due up to Jan 15, 1891, must be settled without delay. Those knowing themselves indebted to the paper are requested to come in and pay up without further urging.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

V Paragraphic Record of Recent Happenings in and Around the City.

Wanted, a first-class dressmaker at Mrs. 5-28-w1 Summers.' This section was visited by a slight

shower vesterday. J. W. Kimbrell, of Pendleton, was in

town last Saturday.

Read Summers & Layne's new ad which appears in this issue.

Sheriff Bolles visited Baker City last Sunday on official business.

The Alliance Herald has been enlarged

to a six column quarto. A new canvas awning has been placed in

front of Gardner's jewelry store.

G. B. Swinchart, of the Recorder, and A. W. Strange were up from Eigin Monday.

For sale cheap, the house and lot nearly opposite the postoffice. Inquire of E. C Brainard. 5-14-1m

Hall Brothers, of Union, will now carry the full line of Frank Brothers' Implement Company's machinery. 3-12-1m

Miss Mabel Carter is working at the clerk's office this week, assisting Mr. Oliver during the rush of court business.

Mrs. McNealy, of Island City, sister of Mrs. Wm. Wilson of this city, returned home last Friday after a week's visit to her sister

Mrs. Gibson, sister of Mrs. Wm. Raley of this city, who has been visiting here for a short time took her departure for her home Monday.

The attention of our readers is called to the card of J. A. Bell, the painter, which appears in this issue. Jim is a first-class workman. Give him a cell.

You can always find a good supply of stationery, school books, novels, etc., at the postoffice store. A fine lot of garden and flower seeds just received. 4-2-w4

New type and material just received at this office, which better enables us to execute fine job work on short notice. Give us a call if you want a good, neat job.

Mr. H. L. Deacon took his departure for Snake river, Monday, where he intends to try farming. Mrs. Deacon will join him in a short time. Their many friends regret to see them go.

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Huey

An unknown man was killed at Sanger a few days ago by a tree falling on him. He A VISIT TO ELGIN. had just lately arrived in camp- and it seems no one knew his name. It seems he was at work felling a tree when by some means the tree in falling caught him, crushing his breast badly, and he only lived a couple of hours after the accident.

Mrs. Rivers, a woman who lately arrived in La Grande from Pomeroy, Wash., was brought to Union last Saturday and placed in the county poor house. It was thought by some she was not in her right mind, but investigation proved that she was only suffering from an overdose of morphine. She was turned loose Monday and took her departure for the east.

J. D. Guild, assessor of Union county, was in Pendleton yesterday, having brought his family over on a visit to friends in Jack's canyon. Mr. Guild was escorted bout town during his stay by Mr. Brannin, and the two interchanged ideas on the best plan of conducting assessments. He is progressing rapidly with his work in Union county .- East Oregonian.

There is little probability of the steamer Norma running this year. Capt. Miller's hands are tied by the low cunning and scheming of one of the millionaire owners of the boat, while the other has his mining property in the Seven Devils listed in London with a good prospect of sale and he cares little, seemingly, whether he runs the boat or not .- Democrat. This leaves Union with the most direct, shortest and best route to the camp.

Hon. J. A. Wright, of Sparta, came down ast Saturday evening on business connected with the court. He returned home Tuesday. Mr. Wright reports a great deal of placer mining going on near Sparta this spring, and that up to the present time the output of dust is greater than at any time during the past four years. The quartz mines are also showing up well, but what the camp wants is a good custom mill. We were shown some very fine nuggets by Mr. Wright.

Austin Byrd, of Walla Walla, who has been in town for several days past, attending court and trying to consume all the "bug juice" in the city, became involved in a quarrel on Tuesday evening. He was ushered to the city jail by the marshal, where he rested during the night. Yesterday morning he was released on bail and took his departure for home. He is said to be worth considerable money, but occasionally indulges in a spree, when he becomes quarrelsome. It is not likely he will return for trial, and his bondsmen will have to put up the money. However, we understand they are well secured.

What is the matter with having a shoe factory, on a small scale, started in Union' We understand that parties are now looking towards this place for the establishment of such an enterprise. It would no doubt pay. A large amount of the leather to be used in such a factory is now being made at the Cove tannery, and there is no reason why it could not nearly all be made right here at home and thus save the double expense of exporting the leather and im-

to be a manufacturing town and nothing four very large and substantial brick build-Lynch was picked up by the arms in a can prevent it. Our splendid water power ings is now being laid, besides a number of and fine pure water, together with many natural advantages, are bound to be utilized and taken advantage of.

The Corner Stone Laid for a New Church.

LARGE NUMBER PRESENT.

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Substantial Improvements Being Made at Both Elgin and La Grande-Crop Outlook.

Ye editor took a trip to Elgin last Friday and while there witnessed the laving of the corner stone of the First Presbyterian church of that city. The services were conducted under the suspices of the Masonic fraternity of the valley, assisted by Rev. Parker, of Summerville, and Rev. Hutchinson, of Baker City. About sixty Masons from all parts of the valley were in line. An excursion train was run from La Grande and about 150 men, women and children went down from there, Island City and other points along the road to witness the ceremonies. The train arrived at Elgin at 11:30 a. m. and most of the visitors repaired to the warehouse of the railroad company, where the W. C. T. Union of that city had prepared a dinner for the occasion, charging 25 cents per meal. They also had ice cream and other delicacies for sale. At 2 o'clock the ceremonies were performed, witnessed by a large number of people from the surrounding country, besides the visitors from abroad. At 5 o'clock the train again pulled out for La Grande, and all report having enjoyed the trip very well, considering the warm day, and dust, which was quite disagreeable.

Elgin has improved considerably since our last visit there, about a year ago. A number of substantial buildings have been erected and several more are under course of construction. Just at present times are not very lively, on account of the dry season and a fear of a failure of crops. We talked with a number of the citizens there and all seem quite hopeful of the future prospects of their town, but say they would like to see the Hunt road come through. and many of them have hopes that it will be built. The business houses all seem to be doing

very well, the mercantile store of Dan. Sommer in particular, which was constantly crowded with customers waiting to be served. Mr. Sommer has moved his family and entire stock of goods from Summerville, and is doing a good business in his new quarters.

With the completion of the church now in progress, Elgin will have three churches -the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian. The new school house to be built this summer will be an ornament to the town and will cost something over \$4,000. At La Grande a large amount of substantial improvement is going on in the way of building. We notice several fine structures have been erected since our last visit to porting boots and shoes. Union is destined that place. The foundation for three or

Henderson vs Johnson et al decree and judgment for Pitl for costs, Snodgrass vs Wood et al; judgment and order of sale of attached property. Chas H Fisher vs OSL& UNRy Co;

lowed 40 days in which to submit bill of exception. Assignment of C M Houghton; continued for term. Stewart & Bidwell vs A N Hamilton; do.

Union County vs A N Hamilton; do. M & M Co vs Alice Ladd and C W Ladd; dismissed as to Allee Ladd; default and indement as to C W Ladd. Noyes vs McClure and Beek ; default and

judgment as to Beck. Biggers vs Hill; continued for term, State vs Jas A A Wilson; same, S A Heilner vs C D Morgan; default and judgment and order of sale of attached property.

Heindereich vs Thompson; con for term. Harris v+ McComas; same. Leary vs Roy; same. Heindereich vs Grandy; judgment and decree to be rendered in vacation, J H Rinshart vs Adam Bereshford et al. confirmation of sale.

State vs Huff; not guilty. State vs VanHighland; same, Byrd vs Truesdale & Holbrook; judg-

ment for plaintiff. In matter of assignment of Sampson Roy; continued for term.

Marvin vs McDowell; same, Merrill ys Irwin; decree

Grath vs Grath ; default and judgment fo order. Lee vs Roy; continued.

State vs McMaugh; on trial. State vs Lynch; jury out. REPORT OF GRAND JURY.

We the grand jury for the regular May term, 1891, of the above entitled court, respectfully submit this report, and show: We have been in session five full days and also held several evening sessions. We have examined a large number of witnesses, on complaints of various kinds and character, submitted to us for our consideration, very many of which proved to be frivilous and unfounded, and many oth er accusations, in our judgment, as faith fully sworn grand jurors, were attempts to use the criminal courts for testing private rights and settling differences at public expense, and which complaints we faithfully disregarded.

During our session we have found and reported six not true bills of indictment. We have found and returned into your honorable court six true bills of indictment. We have visited the place for the care and keeping of the county poor, and find the same properly and efficiently managed. fully and sufficiently equipped and all persons who are a county charge properly, kindly and carefully cared for and treated, and that the same now contains but one inmate as a county charge.

We have visited and inspected the county jail, and find the inmates thereof properly fed and kindly treated, but we also find that the said county jail is insufficient for the secure detention of persons confined therein; that the same is so constructed as to be impossible of proper ventilation and of sanitary regulation; that the same is damp and foul, and in our judgment, nei-

FROM IDAHO.

Old Reader.

A VERY RICH MINING CAMP.

Fine stock Country-Wagon Road Roing Built-A Prospector Badly Scared.

ROCKVILLE, Idaho, May 19, 1891. EDITOR OREGON SCOUT :---

Being an old reader of THE Scout wish to write a few items for the benfit of its many readers.

This country has had quite a boom the past few years as a mining camp and in consequence work is being pushed with great encouragement.

The great Delmar company has changed hands now and the camp is about to become a Cornish camp. Cornishmen from all parts are pouring in to this great eldorado, and the old saying that "no Irish need apply" is becoming the popular cry and motto. The company, however, is preparing to build a 100-stamp mill, which will enable them to reduce the ore in a more extensive quantity. There are other celebrated mines that will be worked later in the season, such as the Garfield, owned by Adams & Napier, which is now bonded for \$40,000, Black Pete and Black Jack, and several others, which are, from all appearances, liable to cause as much excitement as the great Comstock. There are also some extensive coal mines near here, on the upper part of Sucker creek, owned by Edwin Mills, John Reed, J. G. Hale, T. R. Irwin and others. There has been five and six foot veins of good coal found, and has the outlook of being of great value to the camp as timber is very scarce. I was told by Mr. Irwin that he intends to put on men and develop his claim. He says he can get \$5 per ton for his coal on the dump, which I know to be the case.

There is now being a good wagon road built from Caldwell to the Delmar district, which will shorten the distance about twenty miles. This will be a great advantage to big teamsters who only travel that far in a day. It will also be of great value to Nampa, which has no practicable route to the upper

John wanted Hunt to hear the culprit's boots grinding in the gravel. He did not succeed, however, but finally put on his clothes and went to a barn judgment for Piff for \$9.000; defendants al- Items Contributed by an where two ex-sheep herders named Russell and Mills were sleeping and got in bed with them, to whom he told his story which seemed to be a mystery. The next morning a herder was seen climbing the hill, and John said: "There goes the man, I bet, I shot at." John's partner, Mr. Hunt, however, had solved the mystery. It was only the little dog belonging to the landlord of the Sand basin notel. The little fellow had found some fresh venison and was rapidly devouring it when discovered. Men will get scared and excited and shoot without any cause. I think Reed will soon get over his scare and be ready for another tramp. REPORTER.

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Reduced Rates.

Rates on the certificate plan have been made for meetings specified below. Passengers paying full fare going will be returned at one-fifth fare on certificates signed by the secretary of the meeting:

Meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons, to be held in Portland, Or., June 8th to 16th nelusive.

Meeting of Educational Convention, to be held in Portland, Or., June 1st to 10th inclusive.

Meeting of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist's Association, to be held in Dayton, Wash , June 4th to 10th inclusive.

Meeting of the Palouse Baptist's Association, to be held at Moscow, Idaho, June 19th to 23d

Meeting of the Oregon State Pharmaceutical Association, to be held in Portland, Or., June 9th to 10th.

W. H. HURLBURL, A. G. P. A. A. E. ELLIS, Agent.

> Decoration Day.

Following is the programme that will be carried out by Preston Post No. 18, G. A. R., in this city on May 30th:

All members are requested to meet at the hall at 10 o'clock a. m. and march to the M. E. church, where services will be conducted by Rev. J. P. Morris.

After services the line of march will be again formed and then proceed to the cemetery and decorate the graves.

All old Union soldiers, together with the Woman's Relief Corps and citizens, are cordially invited to be present and participate in the exercises of the day.

> C. C. COFFINHERMY. S. M. HAYNES. Committee.

----Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in district. It is said the road will be consumption. Four doctors gave me up completed about the first of June, | saying | could live but a short time I gave uvself up to my Savior saving that if I could stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My as a mining district. There are in the husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Sucker creek country now about 300- Discovery for consumption, coughs and 000 sheep and 10,000 head of horses colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; It has cured me and thank God I am today a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at Brown's drugstore, this city.

playful manner by a larger child, on our streets Tuesday, causing one of its arms to be pulled out of place.

Chas, H. Duncan and C. W. James, representatives of the Baker county wagon the Seven Devils wagon road.

S. C. Miler, the furniture dealer, has placed a neat and attractive sign in front of his place of business. Sam is a rustler, and manages to will a large amount of goods by his fair treatment and low prices.

On Monday evening last while George Thompson, of Telocaset, was handling a horse with a short rope, the animal suddenly reared up and struck Mr. Thompson on the arm, breaking it near the wrist.

L. A. Connella, representing R. L. Polk & Co.'s Gazette and business directory of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, was in the city the fore part of the week collecting information for the edition of 1891-2, which will be issued this fall.

A livery stable at Burns, Harney valley, was burned a few days ago. There were about 100 head of horses in the stable, but all were savel except three. All the harness and saddles were burned, but the buggies were rolled out of the shed and saved.

A terrific ain and hall storm visited Boise City a few days ago, doing much damage. Cottonwood creek overflowed. flooding the town, illing cellars, devastating gardens and filling the streets with debris. Hundreds of chickens and other fowls were drowned.

Mrs. Summers, the milliner, moved her stock of goods into the building formerly occupied by Jones Bros, this week The change was necessary on account of increased trade and the want of a larger building in which to display her immense line of goods. Call and see her at the new stand.

On Monday of last week there was filed in the auditor's office at Walla Walla a bill of sale from G. W. Hunt, conveying to George W. Hughes, of Spokane, his former superintendent of construction, all his grading teams and material. The consideration mentioned in the blll of sale was \$50,000, and is dated on May 12.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a fair in La Grande June 23-24, 1891. There will be the finest display of fancy needle work ever presented to the public; also ice cream and other luxuries will be served, and a most enjoyable time is anticipated. Everybody invited. By order of the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church.

The eleven and thirteen-year old sons of Mr. Wilmoth, of the John Day country, Brown druggist, Union, Oregon. were drowned in the Middle Fork of the John Day on the 10th inst. The two boys were crossing the river on the foot-log at the Warm springs when the younger lost his balance and was swallowed up by the dashing waters and swift current. The for wagon or horses. older of the two boys plunged in immediately to the rescue, and both were carried down the stream and were drowned.

While a number of the people of Vale, Malheur county, were enjoying a picnic in road committee, were in the city Saturday, the grove above town last Sunday their conferring with our citizens in regard to pleasure was marred by the cry of "a boy in the river." A rush for the Malheur was made and Willie Kime, aged about four years, was seen floating down stream. His father plunged in, but being no swimmer, and the water fifteen feet deep, he also was in peril and clung to the willows. Tom Jones followed next, and then J. M. Duncan, who passed Tom and rescued the little

fellow. Everybody was excited and the joy of the day paralyzed. One of the horses also came near drowning and a doom seemed to threaten the party, so a hasty departure was taken for Vale.

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New Appointments.

Governor Pennoyer on the 20th inst. made the following appointments: George E Chamberlain, of Albany, Attor-

ney General. Board of Equalization-George Harold, f Multnomah, J. W. Shelton, of Union, Charles Hughes, of Josephine, William Hughes, of Morrow, H. E. Hayes, of Clackamas, John Burnett, of Benton, and J. P.

Robertson of Marion Board of Pharmacy-D. J. Fry, of Marion, E. G. Clark, of Multhomah, W. B. Welch, of Multnomah, A. A. Jones, of Baker, and S. P. Gouid, of Umatilla. Board of Charities-C. E. Cline, of Mari-

on, W. E. Caril, of Clackamas, Joseph Holt. of Multnomah. Thos. N. Strong, of Multnomah, J. S. White, of Marion, and D. Solis Coheu, of Multnomah.

No appointment will be made of a second judge in the first district under the act of the last legislature, the governor holding that the law was invalidated by the record of the lower house, which discloses the fact that the enacting clause was added after the bill had passed both houses.

----Eupepsy.

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buildings well under way, among them the Gazette building which will soon be ready

for occupancy. Part of this building will also be occupied by the U.S. land office. If there is a business house in La Grande that is in need of more commodious quarters it is the Gazette, and when they get located in their new building we presume they will not notice a common newspaper man. The Slater building, lately completed, is a very fine structure. The excavation and rock work for the Stewart building is about completed. This will be the largest building in town, covering nearly half a block. La Grande is making rapid strides and

ere this season closes will witness a large number of substantial buildings for that town.

It pains us to note the appearance and condition of grain along the route from La Grande to Elgin. On many of the farms on the sandridge a large amount of the grain sown has not yet come up. The fall and early spring sown grain is looking very bad and unless the people of that section are favored with a rain in a very few days the crops will be almost a failure, On some of the lower land grain is looking better, but taken as a whole the entire country is very much in need of rain.

Circuit Court.

The following cases have been disposed of since our last issue King vs Ames; continued for term. Clough vs Henderson; default. Richardson vs Oldenburg; continued for term

Oldenburg vs Richardson; same. Everett vs Cleaver; judgment for want of answer.

Mitchell vs Campbell; con. for term. Barton vs Bloom ; same. Spercy & Co vs Lewis; same. Senor vs Dray; same, McKennon & Co vs Bolles; same.

Security Savings Trust Co vs H P Stewart : dismissed at Plffs costs.

Remillard vs O S L & U N Ry Co; same. Union County vs R D Ruckman; continued for term.

Ramsey vs Smith and Rogers; continued for term as to Deft Smith.

Brady vs Williams & Rogers; judgment. R G Thompson, administrator vs S R

Reeves ; continued for term. Baily vs Couper; judgment.

Baer & Bloch vs Wm Miles; default and judgment and order of sale of attached property.

Frank Bros. Co vs Fuller; con for term. Saling vs Saling; same.

McKinzie vs Beebe; same. State vs Haller; same.

Marx vs / oodnough; same.

Clayburn vs Crossman; same. Ladd vs Ladd; default; L A Ested referee.

State vs Highlands; not a true bill.

W T Slater vs Wallace Fairbanks; settled and di missed at Pills coats.

Clough a Henderson and Rapelji; dismissed as to Henderson; default and judgment as to Rapelji; order of sale of attached property.

Hutchinson Bros vs Weich et al; contin-5-27-w31 ned for term.

ther a safe nor proper place for the confinement of persons, and that the officers in charge of the county jail and prisoners therein kept should neither be held respon-

sible for nor blamed in case of the escape of prisoners therefrom, and we most respectfully invite the attention of the properly constituted authorities to the facts above indicated and respectfully suggest that the matters and things above mentioned be by proper steps remedied, and if the present structure known as the county jail cannot be repaired except at great expense, we would suggest and recommend that a new jail be built and constructed of sufficient strength and capacity for the

present needs of our county. We have visited the office of our county clerk and find the books and records of his office properly, neatly and in all things legally kept, and all things pertaining to the office of the county clerk efficiently and

properly kept and carried out. We also visited the office of the sheriff, reasurer and county court and find all matters pertaining to their said offices properly and legally conducted and in all things efficiently and properly managed.

We also find the office of the assessor properly conducted and the business pertaining to the same legally disposed of and looked after.

We have examined the county court house building in which these various offices are kept and find that the rooms occupied by the said officers respectively are in many respects small and inconvenient and insufficient for the present needs of the business required to be transacted therein. We however respectfully recommend that no expense be incurred at present in any repairs or additions thereto.

We commend the actions of the county court and the means it has taken in having the county roads and public highways of our county platted and properly described. and respectfully suggest that the methods and means now being carried out he completed with all reasonable diligence and despatch:

We also specially commend and congratulate our present sheriff for the man-ner in which the taxes due, both delinquent and otherwise, have been collected.

Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th of June, 1891, at Haines, Baker county, Oregon, I will sell at public auction my band of horses, consisting of thirty-five head; among them are mares, colts and geldings, some of which are broke for work. Terms: All under \$25, cash; all over \$25. from six to eighteen months time, with approved security; interest 10 per cent. per annum.

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eady for travel.

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I will say to laboring men, as I am one myself, that the outlook for work Regular size 50c. and \$1.00. is very limited at present. There are about 100 men in Delmar without employment, and unless there is a change soon there will be a great stampede in this place, similar to the one that occurred last night. Some prospectors encamped in Sand basin were alarmed named John Reed was awakened by some one trying to pull his pants from under his head. Mr. Reed, however, jumped up and got his Winchester and fired, but the culprit escaped uninjured. Mr. Hunt grabbed Reed and kept him from shooting again, but

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