Gregon Scout. The THURSDAY, OCT. 8, 1891.

UNION PACIFIC TIME TABLE. No. 1 Fast Mail, West No. 7 Pacific Express. No. 2 Fast Mail, East Pacific Express, West 11:35 So. 8 Pacific Express, East. 11.00 p. m.

A Word to Our Patrons.

Ever since the establishment of THE SCOUT WE have been very lenient with our subscribers, relying on them to pay when most convenient the city yesterday from La Counde. to themselves, and we are pleased to say a majority of them have responded very regularly every year. By this means we have been enabled to carry on our business without any particular trouble, but there are a number who in the city the fore part of the week. seldom, if ever, respond to the mimorous calls which have been made through these column for the necessary "stuff"-money-which is anything in the school book line. 2mvery essential in conducting the newspaper, as well as any other legitimate business-a fact which some seem to forget.

THE SCOUT is not a charitable institution and only asks of its patrons what is honestly due it upon subscription and advertising accounts and this we must have. To those who have responded regularly we are greatly obliged; but why should others equally able to pay lag behind? You have received the paper regularly from year to year and we trust you have been pleased with its weekly visits. We now call Levy's, upon you to remunerate us for time and money expended in thus furnishing you with the paper and trust you will respond without further notice and trouble on our part. If you are receiving the paper and are not satisfied that it is worth \$1.50 a year to you, please luform us of endeavored to publish a paper worthy of the public patronage, and have furnished littleyou at a very low price. It now only remains for you to show your appreciation of our efforts by sick for several weeks past, is able to be responding at once.

We will place the limit for which these a counts must be settled at November 1st, and all parties who are owing us on advortising, or one year's subscription, must settle by that date. If the accounts are not paid they will be place in the hands of an attorney for immediate cold lection. Thanking our pattons for past favors, and should read in.

soliciting a continuance of the same, we remain Yours Most Respectfully, THE PERSING

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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

James Mellroy, of the Cove, called on us Monday.

Miss Addie Bloom, of the Cove, visited Union Saturday.

Rev. Hughes paid Elgin a visit on Thursday of last week.

Geo. Beidleman, of La Grande, paid Union a visit Sunday,

Miss Mamie Long, of Pendleton, is on a visit to her relatives in Union.

L. B. Haggerty, of the Cove, paid our office a substantial visit Saturday.

The largest supply of school books and supplies in town at the drug store. Court is in session, but we will be unable to give proceedings till next week.

Work is progressing rapidly on the water works. About 70 men are employed.

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Miss Civilla Shoemaker, of the Cov

School books at the drug store. 2m streets again.

The best job printing can be procured at this office.

building on A street.

and subscribed for Tim Scotts.

The new cells for the county jail were shipped from the east on the Lst. Dion Keels, the contractor, came over

from Walla Wulla Monday evening. Uncle Billy Wilson, or Big creek, was

It will puy you to call in Brown for Dist. Attorney Hyde, of Baker City, was in town the fore part of the week. See the fine display of school books and supplies in Hall Bros." windows. *

J. H. Mats, of the Park, called on us The day and subscribed for The Score, Every family is in need of a good cook book. You can get it free of charge at Harney county, paid our office a please, whole town was apprised of the sad

penholders, copy books, etc., at the drug 39-24-2111 store.

Fine Webster's dictionaries given the fact and we will stop sending it. We have away at Levy's store. Call and see how it is done.

> Mrs. O. P. Jaycox, who has been quite out again.

A. J. Goodbrod may placed a new and substantial floor in the office of the Centennial intel-

The report of the unancial condition of the county appears in this issue. All

For school books and supplies call on tico, Balid, one door north of the Centennial hotel.

Remember that that Bros. as usual, have a full and complete stock of school supplies for sale.

Quite a number of Masons of this city went to La Grande Sunday to attend the fumeral of Conductor Plumb,

The from of the Commercial livery same has received a fresh coal of paint, the work of James Bell, the painter.

J. R. Norville was in the city from La Grande Saturday. Mr. Norville has a position in the La Grande public school. Patrick Kennedy, a hard-working hod-carrier of l'endleton, is reported to have fallen heir to a fortune of \$9,000,-

000. A Walla Walla dispatch dated Oct. 6. 4 p. m. says .- Fire broke out in this city this atternoon and is now raging. The Union-Journal office has been destroyed. Do you want to secure a life size portrait of yourself or any of your family? It so it will pay you to call at Levy's can get them free o

R. H. Brown is selling school books at Homer Bidwell is able to be on the Portland prices and is giving away a set of handsome picture cards with each book sold. Call early and get choicest cards. 10-1-2m

Parties from a distance in need of Dr. Deering has moved into the lioth school supplies of any kind will do well to send their orders to R. H. Brown, the Dumham Wright called on us Tuesday druggist, Union, Oregon, where they FOUND IN AN IRRIGATING DITCH. will be filled and shipped at once, 2m Gotheib Schmidt, a watchmaker and Desnondency Supposed to be the Cause jeweler of La Grande, died on Saturday J. I. Curtis and son. Arthur, were in night Sept. 20th, aged 76 years. Mr. Schimdt was a former resident of Union. and is well known all over the country.

John Sullivan was down from his chaims on East Eagle, Monday. He left at our office samples of ore from the Jettmine, which are very rich, assaying on in the irrigating ditch ranning along C head striking the foot railing of the bar. an average \$100 to the ton in gold and

Two sections of the Kinsey quartz parties and soon several men were on mill, near Cracker creek, were burned the scene. The body was taken out and on Wednesday Sept. 23rd. The mill had just been completed and the first covered with mud, but investigation run of ore was being made. The loss is soon found it to be that of Mrs. J. C. about \$1500.

School books, states, tablets, pencils, brother-in-daw of Arthur Philbrick, of upon the impulse of the moment hardly La Grande, and was on his way to visit any one could believe that what they Eakin was elected moderator. Interesting public meetings were held in the evenings. The spring meeting will be held at Union.

> The Scory job office has not, as yet, turned out many encyclopedias, Webster's dictionaries or anything of that kind, but we are kept busy filling orders for all kinds of commercial printing, posters, etc., for parties all over the country. If you want anything in this line it will pay you to call on us, or send us your orders, where they will be tilled promptly and at reasonable prices.

> The traveling correspondent of the Portland World is evidently not very well acquainted with the lay of this ountry. In his write-up of La Grande he gives that town credit of being the county seat of Union county, and mentions among the business firms of the town Johnson & Woodard of the Blue Light saloon, which is located in this town. The illustrations as turned out are very poor indeed.

We are in receipt of a picture of the Jones Bro's camp at Meadows, Idaho. The picture is a good one and from all appearances the boys are enjoying themselves in the best manner. They all look hearty and much improved in health. In the background is to be seen two fish poles and a fine string of trout, which goes to show the boys are not going hungry for the want of game. They are now at Einmett, Idaho,

On Saturday evening last Condon, the seat of Gilliam county, was visited by a disastrous conflagration, resulting in a loss of about \$9000. The losses Rev. L. J. Boothe, of the Union City Presbynerian church will be at 11 a. m. are estimated as follows: Western Phohotel, has been quite sick for several "Disposal of yows," at 7 p. m. "A Lesson tograph Association, \$5000; no insurdrawn from the distory of Pythias and ance; C. Glasgow, \$1000; no insurance; G. W. Rinehart, \$1000; no insurance; The Mission Band of the Presbyterian F. H. Ward, #2000; insurance, \$1300; J. church expect to give an entertainment [H. Nelson, \$250; no insurance; damage Miss Etta Guild and Miss Winnie in the course of about two or three weeks, from moving property, \$300. It is sup-Tuttle have our thanks for valuable at Wrights hall. An interesting pro- posed to have been the work of an

A SAD AFFAIR.

Her Own Life.

of the Aut-Verdict of the Corouer's Jury.

On Monday morning about 6 o'clock as Geo. Hudson was coming down town he discovered the body of a woman, with fused to pay, and was struck and her hands tied behind her back, lying knocked down by the bartender, his street in front of J. C. Summers' residence. He immusliately informed other

Summers, the milliner. The news J. Nat Hudson, an attorney of Burns, spread from car to car and soon the ant visit Saturday. Mr. Hudson is a news, and many flocked to the scene, as Union. A man by the name of Andrew his parents who also reside at that place. had heard was true, but alas it was too Geo, Duncan and John Morrison, colored Mr. and Mrs. Eakin and Rev. Hughes true. As the many friends viewed the attended the meeting of Eastern Oregon prostrate form lying on the sidewalk ing forth in the saloon, were witnesses Presbytery held at Elgin last week. Mr. they could not help but give vent to to the affair and took the train for the tears. But imagine the feelings of the husband and daughter, upon being wakened in the morning, to find their two other parties, Wm. Cavinaugh and

> The sudden shock to Mande was very An examination of the case was held severe and she has been in an almost helpless condition over since. Grande, who bound them over to appear It is supposed that the deceased had

> before the next grand jury. They failed been worrying over imaginary financial to give bonds and were brought to Undifficulties for some time past, and had ion Monday evening and placed in the got her mind worked up to such a pitch jail. as to cause her to commit the rash act. It appears that she had gotten up early

in the morning and in some manner The well-known writer and historian, tied her hands behind her with a towel Mr. J. W. Buel, author of "The Beautiand proceeded to the ditch and threw ful Story," "The Story of Man," "The herself in face down, and deliberately Living World," "Russia and Siberia," strangled herself to death. The water etc., has just completed what is probawas only six or eight inches deep and it bly the greatest of his works, entitled must have required a very strong will "Heroes of Unknown Seas and Savage power to keep her head under water, as with very little effort she could have of the discovery of all lands, and conextricated herself from the ditch. tains descriptions of the first visits

Justice Wilson, acting in the absence made by Europeans to the wild races of of the coroner, summoned a jury and the world. The descriptions of the proceeded to investigate the matter. The jury remained in session most of the day and night, and part of Tuesday, taking testimony. Following is the interesting and instructive. The work verdict of the jury ; also comprises an authentic history of In the matter of the inquest upon the

body of Mrs. J. C. Summers, deceased. We, the undersigned jury, heretofore anpaneled to inquire into the cause of he death of Mrs. J. C. Summers, find that the person named is Mary E. Sum- tives of voyages, discoveries, admers, wife of J. C. Summers; that she came to her death on the 5th day of of all the heroic characters and bold ex-October, 1891, at Union, Union county,

MURDER AT LA GRANDE.

A Drunken Stranger Murdered in a Saloon at La Grande.

It now transpires that the man, Pat-Mrs. J. C. Summers Takes rick Sheener, who fell dead in a chair at the Lodge saloon in La Grande on Tuesday morning of last week, was killed by being severely beaten by the bartender named Abner Hall, and that his death was caused by blows administered by Hall with a bottle during the night or early in the morning. It is said the man, a new comer, had been treating in the saloon until his money ran out and was then allowed credit by the bartender. Toward morning the latter demanded \$3.25; the drunken stranger re-

Deeded land #2 243 525 Town lots 2 155 105 Improvements 20 440 Merchandise 57 1 990 1 3 2 305 Money, notes, mortgages, etc., Household goods, etc., 2 5 730 Horses and Mules 346 125 Cattle 258 360 Sheep 43 630 Swine 13 390 Gross taxable property \$6 291 600 Indebtedness. \$2 046 805 Exemption 373 500

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SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT, 1891.

A Gain in Net Taxable Property of \$446,-

840 Over the Assessment of 1890.

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By means of the platt books now in use in the assessor's office, assessments on unknown property to the amount of \$152,040 were obtained. There is a considerable falling off in cattle and sheep over the assessment of last year, on account of a large number being driven out of the county. The taxable property of 1890 was as follows, showing a gain of \$446,840 in net taxable property : .81 740 810 Indebtedness.

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..... Chinaman Murdered.

Exemption

A Chinaman by the name of Ah Foo was killed by one of his countrymen. named Ah Hy, at John Day last week. Several Chinamen were partners, and their house was about three-quarters of a mile below Chinatown. It appears that Ah Hy and Ah Foo, of the number, were working in a mining claim together, but had been gambling on the night of the tragedy. They returned to the house after the others had retired, and Ah Hy was no doubt waiting for Ah Foo at the door, for the cook and some others heard an uproar, and on making a light found Ah Foo lying under the table in a pool of blood gasping, a large bloodstained knife near him and Ah Hy somewhere around. Ah Foo was questioned about his assailant, but being unable to speak he simply pointed at Ah Hy, who was taken prisoner by his partners, who found blood stains on his face and clothing, and closely guarded Lands." The work is a complete record | until morning.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what alls you. superstitions appertaining to the sea You should heed this warning, you are taking and the obstacles which strange beliefs the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you opposed to extended voyages are most will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite rethe discovery of America by the Viking turns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver Sea-Rovers, and its settlement by the and kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Prico 50 cents, at Brown's drug store.

Information Wanted.

Rev. Gco. T. Ellis was in town this week looking for the grave of Wm. Clark, who was buried in 1878, but was

He was taken into a back room, came out again and tried to go outside, but was not allowed to do so. He then sat down in a chair, but soon fell out, rollplaced on the sidewalk. The face was ing upon the floor. He was again removed to the room and the door locked, and the boys heard those present say he was dead. Hall skipped out, but was overtaken

at Huntington and brought back to Johnsan was also arrested as being an accessory to the crime. Elmer Graham, "song and dance artists" who were holdwest. They were overhauled at Pendleton and brought back. There were also wife and mother lying in this condition. Cy Graham, who were held as witnesses. Monday before Justice Knowles, of La

has taken a position at the Centennial charge. hotel.

days past.

The west bound train was ten hours Damon." late Monday night on account of a wreck near Huntington.

favors this week.

R. H. Brown, the druggist, has just received a large stock of school supplies 9-24-200 for the fall trade.

J. A. Bigelow, representing the Dr. Miles Medical Co. of Elkhart, Ind., called on us last Saturday.

Alf, Minnick, of High valley, called on us Saturday and renewed his subscription to THE SCOTT.

J. D. Carroll and wife were visiting relatives and friends in North Powder the fore part of the week.

once.

Mr. N. Tarter, of North Union, placed on our table Monday a fine sample of grapes grown on his place. They are of very fine flavor.

Sam, Sanders, while out hunting on two cubs. The old bear weighed 200 pounds when dressed.

parlor, Union, Oregon, where you can get a full set of teeth for six dollars. Call and see for yourself. 10-1-tf

Duke Woods and family, accompanie1 by Mrs. Raley and son, took their departure Monday for Lookout mountain on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lou Childs, of Walla Walla, was She has been on a visit to relatives in Cove.

H. C. Emery and his son-in-law, L. A. Savage, took their departure Monday evening for Wildwood, Wash., where they will reside permanently on the farm of Mrs. Savage.

W. E. Mulholland, assistant superinhome Monday evening.

specimen of carbonate of copper at this Bolica says he has plenty of room left, creek. The ore is very rich.

The subjects for next Subjects at the

gramme is being prepared. Full parti- incendiary .- Times-Mountaineer.

comes hater. Fiour is retailing in Long Creek at as,oo per barrell. At this price the consumers say fivey collect particles of silver about their teeth. However, they anticipate overcoming the pressure of these high biscuits on the prekerbook running .- Eagle.

There are now -ixteen prisoners con-Mrs. Le Bord who remains at the sheriff's nome, among them several parties

considerable importance. Conducter Was, Plumb, of the Eigin will be completed as soon as possible.

branch, met with a fearful accident at island City last Thursday morning which cost him his life. He was en-Wolf creek last week, killed a bear and his foot got caught in a crossing and a him, crushing his leg and arms. He Be sure and call at Dr. North's dental lived till 5 o'clook in the evening.

J. H. Matz, of the Park, was in the city Tuesday. He has just made a strike of rich ore on Catherine creek, about eleven miles east of this city. We were shown some samples of the the claim with Mr. Matz and they have kane Falls, where her husband resides. Ledge," They have not yet got an assay on the ore, but think they have a good thing.

jail as witnesses furnish considerable amusement for the other prisoners. No sooner had they landed behind the bars than they began a song and dance and have kept up the anusement ever since. tendent of public streets, of Portland, It was found necessary to remove one of came up Saturday on a short visit to the prisoners, Andrew Johnson, to the relatives and friends. He returned Baker county jail, as in the present quarters if is impossible to keep him

W. H. Tohin, of Eagle valley, was in from communicating with witnesses. the city again Monday. He loit a fine He was taken up Tuesday. Sherliff skin Erophons, and positively cares Files, or office, from his mine on Main Eagle but the necommistations are nothing competence. For sale at Brown's drug store, LATER THAT

The City Hall.

At a special meeting of the council held last Monday evening for the purpose of considering the ordinance providing for the construction of a city hall, the ordinance was passed, accepting the when our roller process mill gets to bid of Dion Keefe of \$4,980,00 for the construction of a city building with rooms on first floor for city jail and stor-

fined in the Union county jail, besides | ing the fire aparatus and rooms on second floor for council chamber and offices for the mayor and recorder. Preparations W. D. Beidleman, the harness dealer, | charged with baurder. From present are already being made to commence requests us to announce that all parties indications the coming term of circuit work on the building which is to be of indebted to him must call and settle at court will be a very lengthy one, and of brick and located between the M. E. church and harness shop. The building

To The Fair.

Hon. Dunham Wright of Medical gaged in cutting out some cars, when Springs, was in the city Tuesday evening on his way to attend the county fair, in car knocked him down and ran over company with Geo, Dillon and the two South Bros. Mr. Wright is on the com-

mittee of minerals at the fair and brought down some specimens of ore from his section, among them a large piece from the recent discovery on his place, which is attracting considerable attention and puzzling the oldest prospectors to tell rock which look very promising. James what it is. Some pronounce it tin, Wisdom, of Baker City, is interested in copper, lead, zinc, iron and many other things. Whatever it is there is an imin Union Saturday on her way to Spo- given it the title of the "Poor Man's mense amount of it and if it is worth anything Mr. Wright has a fortune.

> ----ON TO PORTLAND!

The three young darkies held in the And the North Pacific Industrial Exposition.

To those desiring to visit the Exposition the Union Pacific will sell tickets at One and One-Fifth fare for the Round Trip, on Mondays, Wedmedays and Fridays of each week between September 16th and October 17th, 1891.

..... Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BAST SALVE IN the world for Cuts, Bruis-, sores, Clevers, Sait Rhouan, Fever Sores, Colfor, Chapped Hands, Chilbrains, Corns and all no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfact antisiantion, or money refutated. Price 35 Pulon, Oregon.

that no crime has been committed, resulting in her death.

M. F. DAVIS, A. J. Goodbrod, ED. E. CATES, C. S. FOBARE, ED. REMILLARD, A. N. GARDNER, Jury.

Drs. Cromwell of Union and Dwinnell of La Grande also examined the body and orroborate the verdict of the jury.

The funeral took place at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the M. E. church services being conducted by Rev. Woods. The remains were followed to the grave by a large number of sorrowing friends.

and the husband of the unfortunate woman, the family having no relatives in this section. The husband and daughter have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

The deceased was one of the most highly respected ladies of this community and was beloved by all who knew her.

A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

J. B. Montgomery Meets a Terrible Death While Digging a Well.

One of the most terrible accidents ever known in this community occurred Wednesday evening, resulting in the death of Jennings B. Montgomery, by the caving in of a well. At about 6 a well, climbing down the walls which were constructed of round bowlders. When about fourteen feet below the surface one of the rocks in the wall gave

way, precipitating upon him a mass of rock and earth about four feet in depth. Aid was summoned with all possible speed, and willing hands rendered all possible aid. The narrow quarters only permitted one person to work at a time, and when a large part of the rocks had been removed another crash of the walls buried him still deeper. For two hours and a half he could be heard and understood. He told them he could breathe with great difficulty and implored them to remove the weight that was crushing him to death. At half past eight a smothering cry told the awful story of his fate. It was nearly two hours later before the mass was cleared away. The body was in an upright position and one arm was thrown over the head. It is probable that life was extinct fully an hour before he was reached, Jennings B. Montgomery, familiarly known as "Jinks" Montgomery, was about 40 years of age. He leaves a wife and family of children, also a brother, Sprat Montgomery, who is a resident of La Grande. The two brothers came to La Grande about six years ago. They were formerly residents of Albany, Oregon .--

Oregon, by voluntarily drowning her-self in a ditch of water, and further find and who have established supremacy and who have established supremacy over the most savage lands of the earth. The book, which is a most instructive and interesting one from cover to cover, contains 600 large quarto pages, and is embellished with more than 300 original engravings and several large doublepage colored plates, drawn especially for the work by the most famous artists of the day. It is elegantly bound, and is a book which should certainly find a

Scandinavians in the ninth century. It

is supplemented with thrilling narra-

ventures, battles, darings and sufferings

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An Interesting Book.

place in every family. The Dominion Publishing Co., of Vancouver, British Columbia, are the general agents for the work, and their be found in another column.

Family Reunion.

Most of the children of H. C. Emery, of this city, were gathered together Sunday last at a reunion of the family in this city, to bid their father farewell before taking his departure for Washington. Those present were his son F. M. Emery, wife and three children, of Burnt river, Mrs. Powers and six chil-Burnt river, Mrs. Powers and six children, of Baker City, L. A. Savage, wife and three children, Ed. Remillard, wife and three children, and Mr. Emery himself. The party all took dinner at o'clock in the evening he descended into the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Remillard, on Sunday, and during the afternoon a picture of the whole group was made by Mr. Drake, the photographer, which was very fine.

unable to find it. He desires to have gravestones placed at the grave. Any information regarding it would be thankfully received. Address Rev. Geo. T. ELLIS,

Baker City, Ore.

Take it Before Breakfast.

The great appetizer, tonic and liver regulator. In use for more than 50 years in England. Positive specific for liver complaint. Bad taste in the mouth on arising in the morning, dull pains in the head and back of the eyes, tired feeling, dizziness, languor-symptoms of liver complaint, Remedy-Dr. Henley's English Dandelion Tonic. Relieves constipation, sharpens the appetite and tones up the entire system. Get advertisement in relation thereto will the genuine from your druggist for \$1, and take according to directions.

Notice To The Public.

On and after October 12, 1891, meals will be served at the Centennial hotel for 25 cents per meal. Board and lodging \$4 per week, and upwards.

A. J. GOODBROD.

BORN.

DIED.

VANDEVANTER.-At the Hot Lake, Monday October 5, 1891, of general debility, S. P. Van October 5, 1891, of general devanter, aged 61 years.

The deceased was a former resident of Burnt river, but was in very poor health, and a few days ago came down to the Hot Lake, where he died. He had no relatives in this section. The remains were interred in the Union cemetery Monday.

The Ideal Baking Powder Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

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For more than fifty years Cream of Tartar and Bicarbonate of Soda have been used for leavening purposes with sufficient flour added to preserve the strength of the powder unimpaired, and this with the addition of whites of eggs comprises this pure and wholesome leavening agent, that has been the standard for 40 years. In its use pure, wholesome and delicious food is always assured.

Makes cake and biscuit that retain their moisture, and while they are flaky and extremely light they are fine grained, not coarse and full of holes as made with ammonia baking powders, latter dries up quickly. Alum powders leave a bitter taste in the bread or cake.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder once used, always used.

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