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PHONE LINE TO TROY
BARTLETT AND GROUSE

The telephone line from Bartlett, Grouse and Troy was connected with the Home line at Flora May 10, and there is now communication through to this city by the way of Sled Springs and the government Chico-Wallowa line. Manager Harry Thomas of the Home company went out to Flora and made the connection. The toll charge is 25 cents from the valley towns to Flora, and 25 cents additional to Troy, Grouse or Bartlett.

The line from Bartlett to Flora was built and is owned by the farmers, who formed a company, bought the material and hired an experienced telephone constructor to superintend its erection. J. W. Macaulay, a prosperous Grouse farmer, in town on jury duty, says mutual companies in Asotin county are seeking a connection with their line, and it is desired to have a direct line to Enterprise. This would be of great advantage both to this city and to the North Country.

Kills to Stop the Fiend.
The worst foe for 12 years of John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over \$400.00 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures Fever Sores, Bolls, Pelons, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Cuts, Corns, 25c at Burnaugh & Mayfield's.

La Grande Star: S. L. Burnaugh, a successful pioneer farmer of Elgin, has returned home from a few weeks visit with a son at Vancouver, Wash. He noted 10 inches of new snow at Meacham.

CONSTRUCTION TO LOSTINE FINISHED

SURFACING GANGS MOVED TO
ENTERPRISE—PASSENGER
TRAIN RUMORS.

The construction work on the Wallowa county railroad as far as Lostine is completed and was turned over to the operating department Saturday. Engineer Brandon has moved all five gangs of men, numbering in all 220, to this side of Lostine and will complete the work through to Joseph within six weeks. A work train brought a surfacing gang of 50 to Enterprise, Thursday; and a gang of 30 went on to Joseph. Four miles below town is a gang of 40, while another gang of 30 was brought up from below Sunday. The fencing gang of 40 are four miles south of Lostine.

There is no official authority for the rumor that a passenger service will be started on May 24, although the track is in condition for fast times so a train could easily make the round trip in a day. It develops there will be considerable opposition to a strictly passenger train if it should mean the cutting down of the freight service to a tri-weekly basis.

Union B. B. Club Coming.
The local baseball club has received word that the Union team will come to Enterprise and play two games on May 27 and 28.

Read the advertisements.

Kicked by a Horse.
Ed Davis on the C. A. McAllister ranch was kicked by a horse which fell while he was riding it. Quite a gash was cut in his cheek.

Smoke the Advertiser, best five-cent cigar. Home made.

Contractor S. R. Haworth returned Thursday from an absence of two weeks in Western Oregon and at his home in La Grande.

Timber Entryman Victor In Appeal

General Land Office Affirms Decision
of Register Bramwell—Is
Precedent.

A decision important not only within itself but because it establishes a precedent for the decision of a large number of cases of a similar nature was received yesterday at the local land office from the general land office, says the La Grande Star of May 11. The decision was an affirmation of the one written by Register Bramwell some months ago in the case of F. Metzler vs. Alton H. O'Brien, involving the character of certain lands near Wallowa taken under the timber and stone act.

The Metzler-O'Brien case was one of the first of the 24 cases brought in last September involving the 4 north 41 entries in Wallowa county. Mr. O'Brien took his claim under the timber and stone act and later Metzler filed a protest on the ground that

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CLAIMS ALLOWED BY COUNTY COURT

LIST OF BILLS AUDITED AND
WARRANTS DRAWN AT MAY
TERM.

Official Proceedings of County Court

Second Judicial Day.
Thursday, May 6.

In the matter of the allowance of miscellaneous bills against the county and the issuance of warrants therefor:

The court having passed on and audited each of said bills separately as it appears from the signature of the court thereon, it is ordered that said bills be allowed and warrants issued by the county clerk in payment of the same as allowed in classes and amounts as follows:

Road Fund.

Geo. W. Wright, Dist. No. 26, new district, appropriation \$160 00
W. I. Sannar, Dist. No. 14 Williams road appropriation 100 00
S. C. Himmelwright, Dist. No. 7, appropriation 100 00
J. B. Pace, Valentine Hill appropriation 150 00
O. L. Berland, Deer Creek appropriation 100 00
J. B. Pace, Dist. No. 1, Johnson road 100 00
Thos. McCarty, 14 days work, road 35 00
Joe Clemons, road work 32 50

G. H. Lathrop, road work 37 50
F. W. Hammack, road work 72 50
Duane Lathrop, bridge plank 8 28
S. C. Himmelwright, road work 60 00
J. B. Pace, road work 93 75
W. I. Sannar, road work 21 25
Peter Kuehl, road work 7 50
Olaf Anderson, road work 30 00
Olaf Anderson, road work G. L. Post road 52 50
O. L. Berland, road work Deer Creek road 15 00
G. H. Lathrop, appropriation Road Dist. No. 22 100 00
General Fund.
Fred Smith, freight paid, plows, scrapers, and draying 20 75
C. T. McDaniel, expense Hatfield Me. Mill 50 00
Glasco, salary county judge, March 66 66
arvli, salary, sheriff, March 166 66
W. C. Boatman, salary, clerk, March 125 00
P. Miller, salary assessor, March 100 00

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Mills To Utilize Troy Water Power

Little Salmon Will Be Harnessed—
Settlers Coming Into Eden
Country.

(Garden of Eden Correspondence)
By Mrs. Adah L. Downing, Wild Rose Home Farm.

Troy, May 5.—Since my last letter Old Dame Nature has been so erratic in her climatic demonstrations that we did not recognize the Garden of Eden, but thought we might have wandered a part of the way to the other place, but hope that we are where we belong according to our good deeds and especially good opinion of ourselves. Old Dame Nature has only been trying us, and will yet smile her brightest upon us. In spite of the climatic freaks, strangers are coming to Troy and vicinity looking for homes and chances to speculate. Quite a few farms have changed owners. It is told that the George Peyton's place at the head of the trail leading to Troy, has been sold to a Mr. Knight. A Mr. Davis has secured a home on the Little Salmon, a few miles above Troy. The writer has been assured by a gentleman (a stock holder) that a saw mill as well as a grist mill will be located, in the near future, right at the junction of the Little Salmon and the Grand Ronde river at Troy, and will utilize a part of that immense water power to run the two mills and will build a big flume many miles long and the power will be carried by wires to power parts of Wallowa county, for factories, and even for an electric car line when the time is propitious for the building of the much needed transportation to a good market for our unexcelled fruit, vegetables, grain, stock, hogs and poultry.

Miss Wilma Courtney gave her mother a birthday surprise party which occurred on the second day of this month. About 23 adults and several little ones were present. As the lady was not aware of any special event, the friends all took something eatable, and some of the bachelors gave most appropriate presents, notwithstanding that Miss Wilma, when extending the invitations said "No presents," but they were pardoned by the rest, and allowed to have their share of the excellent picnic dinner served on the lawn, and of the cake and ice cream served later in the day. Croquet games were enjoyed by several present; music on the violin and guitar was inspiring and greatly appreciated. Miss Susie A. Dorse, of Day Ridge,

and Miss Auline Davis of Troy, visited Mrs. Adah L. Downing recently; also visited Mrs. George Courtney. They were doubly welcome and the visit too short by half.

Mrs. Gabriel of Bartlett visited Mr. and Mrs. Courtney, and was just in time for the surprise birthday party. Everybody was happy to see her genial countenance. The lady had also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Riehm in the Grouse country.

Troy can now phone any where, as the line is completed from Bartlett to Flora via Troy.

INDICT PREACHER, EDITOR AND GUIDE

CHARGED WITH SETTING OUT
FIRE IN FOREST RESERVE—
COURT NEWS.

A Portland preacher, a Pendleton editor and a Sled Springs hotel keeper, who acted as guide, are indicted by the grand jury, charged with setting out a camp fire in the forest reserve and leaving it burning. The parties are Rev. W. F. Euster, a Presbyterian minister of Portland; editor Jack Huston of Pendleton, and S. B. Conner of Flora. The offense is alleged to have been committed in section 17, township 3 north, 43, on July 24.

Two Jury Trials.
Lou Minor vs. B. T. James L. and J. L. Hammack. Verdict for Piff. in sum of \$23.35 and interest from Nov. 2, 1908, and \$177.55 and interest from Jan. 15, 1909, and \$75 attorney's fees. Judgment. Charles Bridwell vs. Fred Redbow. Verdict for Piff. for \$50.

The case of A. W. Hodgkin vs. Visa Hodgkin was dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Divorces Granted.
Thos. R. Atkins from Ellen Atkins, the latter being given the custody of the minor child, Clark Atkins.

Oscar M. Swikert from Grace Swikert, the custody of the minor children being awarded to the mother.

Marriage Licenses.
May 9—George Ackley and Lulu Bridwell.



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