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City and County
Brief News Items

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Mrs. H. E. Merryman and Mrs. B. F. Miller returned Wednesday from a trip to their fruit ranches at Promise, bringing in 1000 pounds of fruit of various kinds. Some fine samples of apples, plums and peaches were left at this office. The immense and perfect apples, Mrs. Merryman says, are an average size. There has been a fine crop of fruit in the Promise country this season. Perry Carper's prune orchard produced 8000 pounds and the Miller orchard, which is a young one, 1800 pounds. Joe Carper had over \$150 worth of peaches on his place.

A Hot Spot.
"I believe that Monterey, Mexico, is the hottest spot in the world in the daytime," said an Arizona man. "I have seen the thermometer register as high as 120 degrees in the late afternoon. It was so hot that the natives who ventured on the streets would hug the foot wide shade of the low buildings like hibernians to tree bark. But here's the funny part of it: When the sun sets it begins to cool off, and at night it is positively necessary to sleep under blankets. The nights are delightfully cool, and I presume it is because one is able to get a good sleep that it is possible to live in that climate."—Washington Post.

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THE SPECTACULAR IN THE HEALING ARTS

It is said of some doctors that they never treat an ordinary case; all of their patients suffer with some frightful malady or have a peculiarly virulent type of disease—all this that their fame may be the greater if the patient recovers, or that there may be no blame if he does not. However this may be, it is a fact that the reputation of many a doctor has been enhanced by the fact that the protracted and complicated illness of some patient has resulted in at least partial recovery, when, in truth, their own methods have been largely responsible for the unusually long illness, the complications, and the fact that recovery was not complete.

On the other hand, in cases equally severe, the osteopath, who working hand in hand with nature, overcomes muscular contractions, takes the pressure off of nerves, equalizes the circulation, thus avoiding local congestions and other complications, and brings his patient to a speedy recovery, by the very fact that complications are avoided, often fails to receive credit for handling a very serious case.

There is a natural tendency to applaud the skillful surgeon who performs a delicate and difficult operation in a desperate case and prevents the death or prolongs the life of the patient. And who is there who would withhold applause under such circumstances? In certain cases the work of the surgeon is highly necessary and cannot be dispensed with. However, his operations are usually widely known and owing to the nature of the case his fame is heralded abroad, and many times the real worth of his services is greatly exaggerated.

In striking contrast to this the work of the osteopath often appears. A patient comes to him suffering with some obscure malady that has baffled the efforts of his medical advisor. The osteopath finds in some structural derangement the cause of his symptoms. Some nerve impingement or some obstructed vessel has produced a condition which, if unrelieved, will sooner or later drive the patient to the surgeon's table. Quietly, carefully, for possibly several months, treatment is given; the lesions are corrected; the patient is restored to health. Nothing spectacular about this. The patient's friends do not know, and usually the patient himself does not realize the value of the service that has been rendered. Yet prevention is better than cure. When we say prevention we mean more than that a particular illness may be avoided. Though osteopathy often does this, for a perfectly adjusted body, with all its organs functioning properly, is better able to resist disease. But when disease does find lodgment in the body the nature and effect of osteopathic treatment is such that complications are far less likely to occur during its course and distressing sequelae are by no means so likely to follow its termination.

When a surgical operation is performed and the patient does not die the public is informed that the operation was successful. What the public does not realize and appreciate are the facts that tissues have been divided, nerves and vessels severed, and possibly a limb or an organ has been removed. Rarely is the patient fully restored to health. As some one has said: "A bird with a broken wing can never soar as high as one that was never injured."

How infinitely better is osteopathy which, in a fair proportion of cases, precludes the necessity for operations. Thus the danger of the anesthetic, the shock of the operation, the weary days of suffering following, the loss of time, the surgeon's fee, the hospital expense, are all avoided—and the patient has a whole body.

Surely, when people generally awaken—and they are rapidly awakening—to the fact that the old adage "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" expresses a great and practical truth when applied to the healing art, then osteopathy will have fully come into its own and will be rated at its real worth. This is not to imply that osteopathy has not as great curative value as other systems, or greater, even in apparently hopeless cases, for such implications would be far from the truth.

Osteopathy has made remarkably rapid growth in popular favor and has had its share of marvelous cures; indeed it has often proven effective as a last resort and has restored many who have been regarded as incurable. But its achievements of transcendent importance are accomplished in the more valuable, if less spectacular, field of prevention.—Herald of Osteopathy.

Mrs. Dr. Moore is expected home Friday from a six weeks' visit in Kansas City.

Appropriate.
A family of children, after the usual Saturday night romps, gathered in the drawing room for music and singing. As bedtime drew near the mother said:
"Now, children, choose one hymn to finish up with, and then you must all say 'Good night.'"
"Let's have 'Ere Again Our Sabbath Close,'" suggested a bright little girl of about seven years of age.
"Well, I think that would be more suitable tomorrow evening," replied the mother.
"Oh, but you always air our Sabbath clothes on Saturdays, mummy!"—London Tatler.

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County Clerk's Statement

Report of the County Clerk of Wallowa County, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said county, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid, from the first day of April, 1909, to the 30th day of September, 1909, both inclusive:

On What Account Allowed.	Amt. Claims Allowed.	Amt. Drawn.
Roads and Bridges.....	\$ 4410 03	\$4410 03
Pauper Account.....	244 65	244 65
Stationery and Printing.....	871 22	871 22
Salaries.....	4958 70	4958 70
Court House and Jail.....	602 50	602 50
Circuit Court.....	939 55	939 55
Justice Court.....	136 05	136 05
Board of Prisoners.....	53 85	53 85
County Commissioners.....	218 35	218 35
Jury Account.....	1216 20	1216 20
Election.....	3 00	3 00
Teachers' Examination.....	40 00	40 00
Rebate of Taxes.....	12 74	12 74
Miscellaneous.....	488 85	488 85
Court House (New Building).....	16272 66	16272 66
Expense School Superintendent.....	82 83	82 83
Traust Officer.....	2 00	2 00
State Scalp Bounty.....	106 90	106 90
Deputy Assessor.....	245 60	245 60
High School.....	1113 45	1113 45
County Scalp Bounty.....	261 00	261 00
Total.....	\$32279 23	\$32279 23

AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING WARRANTS UNPAID. \$479 90

General Fund Warrants..... \$479 90
STATE OF OREGON, } ss.
County of Wallowa, }
I, W. C. Boatman, County Clerk of the County of Wallowa, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the number and amount of claims allowed by the County Court of said County from April 1, 1909, to September 30, 1909, on what account the same were allowed, and the amounts of warrants drawn, and the amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid, as the same appears upon the records of my office and in my official custody.
Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of said County, this 1st day of October, A. D. 1909.
(SEAL) W. C. BOATMAN, County Clerk.

Semi-Annual Statement.

Of the amount of Money and Warrants received for Taxes, and Money paid to the County Treasurer by the Sheriff of Wallowa County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1909:

To Amount Received	During the Month of	By Amount Paid	During the Month of
	April May June July Aug. Sept.		April May June July Aug. Sept.
In Coin and Currency	\$70065 76	\$1134 84	\$716 71
Total received		\$546 84	\$9092 62
STATE OF OREGON, } ss. County of Wallowa, }		\$81556 77	

I, Edgar Marvin, Sheriff of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.
Witness my hand this 30th day of September, A. D. 1909.
EDGAR MARVIN, Sheriff of Wallowa County.

Statement of the County Treasurer of Wallowa County, Oregon

From April 1st, 1909, to the period ending on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1909, of money received and paid out, from whom received and, on what account paid out:

To amount on hand from March 31, 1909.....	\$ 25,671 87
To amounts received from Sheriff.....	81,556 77
To amounts received from County Clerk.....	2,729 30
To amounts received from School Superintendent.....	76 00
To amounts received from State Treasurer.....	7,559 47
To balance due from County Road Fund.....	3,180 53
Total.....	\$121,073 94

STATE OF OREGON, } ss.
County of Wallowa, }
I, W. T. Bell, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remaining on hand, in the County Treasury of said County, for the period ending September 30th, 1909.
Witness my hand this 1st day of October, A. D. 1909.
W. T. BELL, County Treasurer.

Summary Statement

Of the Financial condition of the county of Wallowa, in the state of Oregon, on the 30th day of September, 1909.

LIABILITIES	RESOURCES
September 30th, 1909.	
County warrants drawn on General Fund on the County Treasurer and outstanding and unpaid.....	\$ 479 90
Last half of State Tax.....	5163 75
Total.....	\$5643 65
September 30, 1909.	
By Funds in hands of County Treasurer applicable to the payment of General Fund County Warrants.....	\$20305 38
By estimated unpaid current taxes applicable to the payment of General Fund County Warrants.....	18788 74
Total.....	\$39094 12
Excess of Resources over Liabilities.....	\$33450 47

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