

NEW BRIDGE FOR TROY ARRIVES

BIG STEEL STRUCTURE BEING HAULED BY JOE MELOTTE.

The new steel bridge for the Grande Ronde river at Troy will soon be on the ground there and erected. The bridge was unloaded, beginning Monday morning, and the contract for hauling it was awarded Joe Melotte. A force of men and teams was employed both for the unloading and the hauling of the structure in sections to the place of erection.

Completed August 1.

According to the contract the bridge must be completed over the river at Troy by August 1. In an interview with Judge J. B. Olmsted that official stated that there was no doubt that the work would be completed within the contract time.

The contract calls for a bridge of the following dimensions: That it be constructed with one continuous span of 175 feet with two approaches, one of the latter being 19 and the other 76 feet. The bridge span of 175 feet, specifies "pin center length." The bridge will rest upon four cylinder piers filled with concrete, and the whole bridge provides a roadway of 16 feet. Aside from the approaches the bridge is of steel throughout.

The erection of this bridge at Troy connects Enterprise with a large stretch of good country, and aside from the convenience afforded by it will prove of great benefit financially to the county seat by letting in the products of the country beyond Troy.

The total weight of the bridge is 33 tons. The contract price for hauling it is \$1.50 a hundred.

MADISON SQUARE COMPANY TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK

The management of the opera house has been fortunate enough to secure for all of next week, the Madison Square Theatre company, who will appear in a repertoire of late popular plays. This company is one of the most successful repertoire companies in the Northwest country, having played some of the longest engagements on record in the var-

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ious cities. During the present season it has played sixteen continuous weeks at Moscow, Ida., and eight continuous weeks at Dayton, Wash. For the past three weeks it has been at the Airdome, LaGrande's new summer theatre, where it has given the best of satisfaction to large audiences. Its business at La Grande continues unabated and it is coming to Enterprise at this time only because of the reputation which Enterprise is gaining for herself on the outside, that of having the best summer climate on earth.

The company carries 11 people and includes in its repertoire such popular successes as "In Old Kentucky," "The Minister's Wife," "Kathleen Mavourneen," "The Golden Giant Mine," and others. It also carries some of the strongest specialty people on the road.

New Serial For Our Readers

Every One in the County Will Want to Read This Interesting and Popular Story.

Beginning next week this paper will present its readers with one of the best of the late serial stories. It is alive and bristling with interest, crowded with dramatic climaxes, and throbbing with human interest. A gifted writer has thus described this serial:

"Led by a chap who has blood in his eyes, a crowd of men decide that the only fitting end for Cameo Kirby is sudden death. He may be shot, may be lynched, but there's hardly any chance that he is going to escape alive.

"He knows the chances of his getting away are mighty slim—one chance in a hundred—but he decides to take that chance. He does and for about three chapters the reader is kept hustling down the lines to see how it turns out.

"Another escape comes along, and that one is treated with a new turn. It brings 'General' a boy who loves yarns of good and bad princes, in to the story.

"The General wants to know whether Cameo Kirby, who has climbed into a window and met the General for the first time, is a good or bad prince. Cameo decides he is a bit of both. This is something new to the boy. The boy leads the way into the love story, and it's a pretty love story that adds the heart interest to the story of the Mississippi gambler's life.

"It's rather hard on the reader putting 'Continued' at a score of points in 'Cameo Kirby,' but why do newspapers run serial stories? To keep the reader's interest alive in the paper. That's the only reason. "So the reader must take his or her medicine and wait for the next day or next week's paper."

"Again, that makes a serial story of real value—the kind that forces your reader to get the next issue."

CLAIM RAILROAD WILL BE HUSTLED THROUGH

A dispatch in the Portland Telegram states that the O. R. & N. will hasten the new road from Huntington down Snake river to Lewiston, Idaho. This, if the information is correct, will give eastern Oregon and Wallowa county another outlet. A road down Snake river will open up all the vast country in the northeastern portion of this county, throwing markets at the very doors of the ranchers.

Foley's Kidney Remedy may be given to children with admirable results. It does away with bed wetting, and is also recommended for use after measles and scarlet fever. Burnaugh & Mayfield.

EXCURSION TO ELGIN SUNDAY

ENTERPRISE FANS WILL BE GIVEN CHANCE TO SEE NEXT BIG GAME.

Next Sunday the local fans will be given an opportunity to see the next big league game between Elgin and Enterprise, excursion rates of one and a third fare for the round trip being granted all who go. The regular morning train will carry the excursionists to Elgin, and a special train will return with them in the evening.

Expect Big Crowd.

A big crowd is expected to take advantage of the low rate and Enterprise fans should, as they doubtless will, attend in a body. Elgin did herself proud in the large number of persons who attended the game here last Sunday. And although there were over two hundred Elgin people here, it is not too much to expect that a greater number than that will attend the game at Elgin, the coming Sunday.

Enterprise, moreover, has high hopes of taking the game from Elgin—in fact, Enterprise is pretty well satisfied that her team will do so. As some of the fans put it, it's a cinch that this will be done. Perhaps 300 excursionists from here will not be too big an estimate of the attendance there—and the "moral support" of the many fans means much to any team.

Wallowa Valley Strawberry Best

What the Hood River Apple is to Hood River Our Strawberry is to Us.

It may not be at present generally suspected, but Wallowa valley can grow the best strawberries on earth.

This is a big statement. It is given, however, advisedly, and the Wallowa county enthusiast will not back down from it. What the Hood River apple has been and is to the Hood River district, the Wallowa valley strawberry can be to Wallowa valley. All that is needed is for more persons to raise strawberries here, advertise them after forming a strawberry growers' association, and keep them on the market exclusively as Wallowa Valley strawberries. The fame will come. The world's strawberry market will patiently wait for the Wallowa valley berry, because it is just a good deal the best strawberry that can be raised anywhere.

A resident of Enterprise had an experience with the Wallowa valley strawberry which thoroughly tested its quality. He placed about a bushel of the berries, fresh picked, in a tub and left them over night. The next day the fruit was cared for. When taken from the tub, there was not a particle of juice from the berries in the tub. All the berries were red ripe, not half green, but they re-

Socialist Party of America Column

This space is occupied by paid advertising and is edited by the Enterprise Socialist Local which meets Thursday night of each week at 7:30 o'clock in the McCoy residence on North River street. All meetings open. Visitors always welcome. Frank Hamblen, organizer; E. A. Fosner, corresponding secretary; N. H. Marks, financial secretary; Fred Otto, treasurer.

WHY NOT JOIN THE SOCIALIST PARTY

Hundreds of who will read this call themselves Socialists but are not members of the Socialist party.

They hope to see Socialism come. They have learned that only through the victory of the workers can relief come to the workers. They know that between the workers and the enjoyment of the fruits of their labor lies the private ownership of the instruments of labor.

Knowing these things, wanting what Socialism will bring, and realizing that Socialism can come only through political action, and even granting that the only party that stands for these things is the Socialist party they still remain outside the organization.

Many of these men and women are members of unions. As such they are very bitter against the person who reaps the benefits brought by the union but refuses to share its burdens. The same argument applies to those Socialists who refuse to unite with the Socialist party. That party built up Socialist sentiment, circulated Socialist books, established Socialist papers and maintained them under terrible difficulties. It has carried on a tireless, organized campaign for years until now

tained all their juice and flavor and remained firm. Such a strawberry would ship anywhere, after being picked red ripe, and its superiority over the average strawberry is thus instantly seen.

What we need to do is to raise all the Wallowa valley strawberries possible, organize a Wallowa Valley Strawberry Growers' association, and then advertise them to the utmost limit. In such an event, it would not be but a few seasons when the Wallowa valley strawberry would be known all over the world, and the top-notch prices could be had for them. Our whole valley could be devoted to raising the Wallowa valley strawberry, and then not begin to supply the demand.

Watch the E. M. & M. for fresh vegetables, Saturday. b1

Takes Important Prisoner In

Howard Hunter, Alias Lee West, Arrested at Joseph Tuesday.

O. H. Kulper, a detective in charge of the Pacific Division of the American Bankers' Association, arrested Howard Hunter at Joseph, Tuesday afternoon, and telephoned Sheriff Marvin to take the prisoner in charge pending the arrival of Deputy Sheriff Hart from Blaine county, Ida. The prisoner was thus brought to Enterprise and lodged in jail. Deputy Sheriff Hart telegraphed that he would arrive in Enterprise Wednesday evening to remove the prisoner to Idaho.

Hunter is charged with forgeries amounting to \$135 in the aggregate. The forgeries were committed in Blaine county, Idaho, and the Bankers' association has been after the prisoner for some time. Detective Kulper brought with him a picture of Lee West and presented it to the prisoner. The latter acknowledged that it was his picture, but said it was taken three years ago. However the prisoner had on the same coat and vest as shown in the picture, and the clothing showed little wear. Hunter has been working in the mines in the Snake river country, making Joseph his headquarters. When he was informed that the prosecuting witness would probably identify him, he is reported to have said, "Then it will be all up with me."

MRS. BLANCHARD TO GO TO LA GRANDE

Mrs. Perry Blanchard, wife of the genial host of the Enterprise hotel, will go to La Grande shortly for an operation in the hospital in that city.

FOR SALE.

Horses, Wagons and Harness for sale. Inquire of Falconer Bros., Enterprise, Oregon. 1194

Mrs. Blanchard has been ill for several weeks, at times suffering severely. It is hoped by her many friends in Enterprise that an operation will effect her complete recovery. As soon as she is strong enough to withstand the travel from here to the hospital she will be taken by the doctors in charge.

The Fourth of July

Marks an Epoc in Clothes Buying for men. Have you thought about that suit of clothes for the coming Fourth? We have some excellent patterns and all absolute fits in the following high-grade Men's clothes

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A full line of Men's furnishings. A complete line of Men's Shoes. Everything for men. The entire stock kept right up to the top-notch of quality, style and durability, and the prices kept right down to bedrock. Come in and see.

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In a repertoire of late popular plays

An exceptionally talented company of artists presenting the late successes in very superior manner

Prices: Parquet and first two rows in balcony, 50 cents
Family Circle, 35 cents.
Gallery, 25 cents

Reserved Seats at Burnaugh & Mayfield's

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I have purchased the jewelry stock formerly owned by A. C. Carpenter, and have added to it new shipments of stock, making my jewelry stock replete with all that can be desired in a jewelry business. I wish to extend my personal thanks to the people of Enterprise of this section of Wallowa county for their generous patronage, and assure them that I make every effort for their generous patronage. Your patronage solicited. All work guaranteed.

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Highest Market Price for Pelts and Hides Combes & Hotchkiss PROPRIETOR INDEPENDENT PHONE 20

Hack Calls to any part of the city answered day or night.

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