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PRESIDENT AT RALEIGH, N. C.

Delivered a Great Speech and Makes his Views Plain on Railroad Question

Scraps News Association.
Raleigh N C Oct 19—The President reached this city at nine this morning. He arrived at a point six miles north at 1 o'clock and his train was sidetracked in a cotton field until a few minutes before nine. A number of country people gathered at daylight and cheered the president who appeared on the platform and said "Good morning to you all." Upon reaching the capitol the reception committee escorted the President to the fair grounds where he delivered one of his great speeches.

After touching the forest question he spoke as follows on the railroad question.
Actual experience has shown that it is not possible to leave the railroads uncontrolled. Such a system, or rather such a lack of system, is fertile in abuses of every kind, and puts a

premium upon unscrupulous and ruthless cunning in railroad management; for there are some big shippers and some railroad managers who are always willing to take unfair advantage of their weaker competitors, and they thereby force other big shippers and big railroad men who would like to do decently into similar acts of wrong and injustice, under penalty of being left behind in the race for success. Government supervision is needed quite as much in the interest of the big shipper and of the railroad man who want to do right as in the interest of the small shipper and the consumer.

Experience has shown that the present laws are defective and need amendment. The effort to prohibit all restraint of competition, whether reasonable or unreasonable, is unwise. What we need is to have a sane administration.
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Council Meeting

The meeting of the city council last night resulted in several matters of vital interest to the city being discussed. One was the sewerage question which was presented by Civil Engineer Fortner and the entire matter after a free discussion was referred to the water committee who will report their recommendations at the next meeting. It is understood that the council will arrange to have the question submitted to the voters at the next city election as to whether or not bonds will be voted for a sewer system.

Several months ago Mr Scriber offered to refund the present water bonds which now draw 6 per cent, with 5 per cent bonds and Mayor Slater decided that before such action could be taken that it first should receive the approval of the voters and this will in all probability be presented at the coming election, next March.

The city is now furnishing the O R & N company with water at the rate of \$150 per month. The regular bills were audited and several petitions for side walk presented. No ordinances were introduced or passed.

Cups From Mikado

Scraps News Association.
Chicago, Oct 19—Seventy six residents of this city are to receive loving cups from the Mikado as an evidence of appreciation of services rendered the Japanese empire during the war. The cups are in San Francisco and are gold, silver and lacquer according to the service rendered.

Began Work

Scraps News Association.
Portland Oct 19—Construction work began this morning by the Great Northern Pacific lines on the north bank of the Columbia river into Portland. The contractors purchased a large block of land and are erecting supply depots.

ROYAL TRIP TO INDIA

Scraps News Association.
London Oct 19—The Prince and Princess of Wales started today for India. They will go on the battleship Renown and will visit every city in India. The trip is estimated to cost one million dollars and a retinue of 200 will accompany them. The Princess will take 200 dresses and all of her jewels which are insured for \$250,000.

Will Stay With It

Scraps News Association.
McCurday, president of the Mutual Life Insurance company says that his term of office does not expire until June 7, of next year and that nothing can or will drive him out of his job.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COURT

In the matter of the proposed road petitioned for by J W Cummins et al. it was ordered that this proceeding be dismissed and the bondsmen pay the costs.

The road petitioned for by Dillie Randall, was continued for the term. The road petitioned for by Dr C M Randall was continued for the term.

The various applications for county aid was granted and warrants drawn as follows: George May, \$8.00; Ella Nenson, 12.00; D W Souder \$10.00; John Hilderbrand, \$8.00; L W Ragel, \$8.00.

The claim of J H Hutchinson for damages was denied.

The matter of issuing the Court House was continued for the term.

The road petitioned for by J H Thomson et al, was continued for the term.

The County Road petitioned for by Mary E Childers et al, it was ordered that a bond in the sum of \$100.00 be filed.

In the matter of the vacation of a public road in Section 22 and 27, Township No 1 N R 38 E W M petitioned for by H. H. Harron; it was ordered that said road be vacated upon the change being made, deed being issued and new road put in repair for travel.

Bills allowed for September, 1905.

GENERAL FUND.

C C Pennington, Prisoner's board for September, 1905,	\$130.70
Ed Wright, Work in clerk's office.....	78.00
B Chaney, Work on assessment roll.....	78.00
S M Goff, salary as stock inspector for September, 1905,	25.00
E E Bragg, Stamps and telephone.....	2.35
Pacific States T & T Co, Phone services Poor farm, Union,	1.00
Pacific States T & T Co, Phone services clerk's office.....	5.80
Pacific States T & T Co, Phone services sheriff's office.....	11.65
Pacific States T & T Co, Phone services recorder's office.....	2.50
D H Proctor, Cash paid for stamps and express.....	4.05
Clark E Saunders M D, Services as secretary county board of health.....	9.35
J F Phy, Cash paid to paupers Hot Lake to Nampa.....	6.00
Newlin Drug Co, Mdee as per bill.....	37.45
Union Electric L Co, Light for poor farm for September, 1905.....	7.00
S M Mann, M D, Services dressing wound of Wm Pearson.....	25.00
City of La Grande, Water rent for July, Aug and Sept, Grande Ronde Electric Co, Lights for August & September.....	50.50
J L Dunnington, Salary as janitor for Sept 1905, Eastern Oregon Rep, Printing as per bill.....	44.10
Glass & Prudhomme, Mdee as per bill.....	20.00

To be continued.

Prince Charles

By Scraps News Association.
Copenhagen Oct 19—It is reported that Prince Charles has been offered and has accepted the throne of Norway.

Hanged Today

Scraps News Association.
Winchester, Ky, Oct 19—Sam Little, a negro convicted of assault, was hanged here this morning.

Before Judge Eakin

In the matter of the estate of John McCall, deceased, the appeal taken to the circuit court by the heirs, from the county court, was overruled and the decision of the lower court affirmed.

In the case of Laura McClure and James McClure versus Dr G L Biggers, the motion for nonsuit was reargued and allowed.

The road matter brought before the court by Ate Vandermulen versus D McDonald and Union county the writ, brought up from the lower court was sustained.

In the case of James McClure versus Dr G W Biggers, the request for nonsuit was reargued and granted.

In the matter of the case of Fred Nodine, et al and F L Richmond, et al, the motion of dismissal which was denied on September 12, was reargued and the former decision sustained.

DESIRED MUCH MONEY

Scraps News Association.
Bridgeport Conn Oct 19—Edward Gunniff, who is accused of stealing one hundred and one thousand dollars from the Adams express company October ninth, was arrested here today. He was standing in front of the hotel at which he had been stopping since the day after the robbery. He admits his guilt, and says that he was seized by a sudden desire for the money and placed the package under his arm and walked off. He refuses to state where the money is hidden, but says it is in a safe place. He had only three hundred dollars on his person when arrested.

Cassie's Jewels

Scraps News Association.
Cleveland Oct 19—The jewelry which Mrs Chadwick attempted to smuggle into this country was sold at auction today. It was appraised by the custom officers at twelve thousand dollars but it only brought \$2,164.

Hell Gate Reserve

Scraps News Association.
Butte, Mont Oct 19—A proclamation was received creating the Hell Gate reserve in the Bitter Foot valley embracing many thousand acres of the finest lumber land in the Northwest.

Sentenced For Life

Scraps News Association.
Chicago Oct 19—Robert Gardner whose neck was ossified pleaded guilty today for murdering Agnes Morrison. He declares that the hangman rope can't hurt his neck. The judge sentenced him for life.

BEST QUALITY RUBBERS

At a Smart Saving

More than a year ago we placed our order for this Fall's supply of rubber shoes of all kinds for the sole and only purpose of heading off the sharp advance in prices. Which came latter. As usual we give you the advantage of our saving by this early purchase, and GUARANTEE TO SAVE YOU FROM 10 TO 20 PER CENT ON RUBBER SHOES. A complete comparison of our prices will convince you that here is the place to buy your rubber goods

MEN'S HIP BOOTS \$5.00 1st quality pure gum boot reinforced ankle, heavy soles, and snag proof to the knee	MEN'S 'TUFF' 12 inch top shoe \$2.75 1st quality mens snag proof shoes extra heavy rolled edge soles fusion lined the price
MEN'S 'TUFF' SHORT BOOT \$3.75 1st quality pure gum boot, with extra heavy soles, reinforced ankle, snag proof, per pair	MEN'S ALL RUBBER OVERSHOE \$2.00 1st quality fleece lined extra good shoe for wet weather here at the special low price
MEN'S 'TUFF' ONTARIO, SHOE \$1.75 A low shoe for German sox, with extra heavy rolled edge sole, 1st quality	MEN'S 4 buckle SNOW EXCLUDER \$2.25 An extra good shoe with 1st quality pure gum soles, heavy cloth uppers the pair
MEN'S 'TUFF' eighteen inch top \$2.65 1st quality, snag proof. Lumbermen's shoes, with heavy rolled edge sole	MEN'S 1 buckle SNOW EXCLUDER \$1.50 1st quality pure gum heavy roll edge soles, extra heavy heel the price

MEN'S CAPTAINS Half rubber and half cloth shoe for heavy sox; worth \$2.50
\$2.00

These Rubbers are all the famous Hood Rubber Co's. make and are guaranteed to equal any rubber on the market—Rubbers for small and large here at a saving—We ask you to compare our prices—the quality we guarantee to be the best.



MILLIONS OF FEET UP GRANDE RONDE

Timber Supply Will Last 20 Years at Present Rate of Consumption

It will require forty years to cut out the commercial timber up the Grande Ronde river at the rate it has been consumed during the last fifteen years. Those who have only given the matter a passing thought might be led into the conclusion that the lumbering interest up the Grande Ronde river was drawing to a close, but a little inquiry will soon eradicate such erroneous conceptions. The Observer was informed a few days ago by one of the leading lumbermen, who has followed the saw mill business for the past fifteen years, that if the timber in that section is not sawed more rapidly than it has been the past fifteen years, it will require at least forty years to cut out the timber, and even then there will be saw mill whistles blowing many years after that.

This gentleman estimates that in the past there has been something over 2,000,000 feet cut out and at a very conservative estimate there is at least 80,000,000 feet yet standing. To illustrate it is estimated that the railroad that is now being constructed by the Grande Ronde Lumber Company up Rock Creek will tap a body of timber of quite 200,000,000 an amount equal to their combined output for the past twelve years and all who are acquainted with the holding of this one company know that in addition to this body of timber they have thousands of acres of other valuable timber and there are thousands of acres that yet belong to the government. It will be a good many years yet before this steady annual crop which furnishes labor to hundreds of people tributary to this city and valley will have been harvested.

Anything You want in Stationery

A stationary stock as large and complete as ours contains many things which would be used more generally if people knew that such items were on the market and at their command. For this reason we invite everyone to call and examine our stock. Such an inspection is almost sure to develop into a want for some of these items. Some of them, such as letter files, bill files, clips, etc., are almost household necessities where there is a need of referring back to letters or statements. These things save time by enabling you to at once locate the particular bill or letter you want and they are where you know they won't get lost. Almost every well regulated family now uses Account Books, Memorandum Books, etc. We have a big assortment from the smaller ones that fit in a vest pocket up to the large ones for office use. Tissue papers are in demand now for decorative purposes, also shelf papers, etc. Of course, we have anything you ever want in correspondence papers (box, bulk and tablet) pens, ink, pencils, mullage, paste, rubber bands, craters, etc., and always make lowest prices on them.

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La Grande Oregon