HILL SYSTEM IN OREGON

Branches in Every Direction Seems Plan

Central Oregon and California Will be Opened up to Hill Lines

Bay: Burns to Lakeview, to Alameda mole.

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tion of the various routes.

The Northern Pacific at present | Oregon. is built from Spokanne to Pendleton, by way of Pasco.

the mountains between Pendleton the Snake. and La Grande, thus giving Hill a tremendous advantage over the Harriman system, both in run-band BAND BENEFIT SUCCESS ning time and cost of operation, as far as ultimate cost is concernde. The initial expenditure for building the tunnel will, of course be huge, but the resulting advantage is worth it, so the Hill peo-

ple think. It is needless as a preface to remind one that Hill threads Montana with his Great Northern. Now, one of the new main lines will be built to drain the Yellowstone country and the Snake river section, as follows: From Bozeman, Mont., south through St. Anthony, Idaho, to Idaho

At Idaho Falls the line branches off direct west to Hailey. From Hailey one branch goes directly south to Twin Falls and Rogerson, the present terminal of the Oregon Short Line, and thence to BUSY Contact, Nev., and on to Wells, Nev., where it connects with the Western Pacific, (the Gould line

there are three ways out to Spo- grocery men had a meeting; the kane, but the Hill way out is ob- band boys practiced; the moving has already built to Genessee and was on at the opera house. her parents in Dallas Wednesday. An ordinance was introduced Joseph, Idaho from Spokane It These were just a few of the Her sister Opal, well known here and read the first time licensing Duet "Teach Me to Pray," will go down Snake River to Pay. | many we might mention.

ette, thence to Emmett and on into Boise, meeting the western INDEPENDENCE Hailey branch in the Idaho capital, and giving a connecting link to the south.

The Western Pacific goes into Doyle, Cal., just across the Nevada line, where Hill will connect with the Nevada-California-Ore- Promises to Be Bigger and gon line which goes into Lakeview, Oregon, in Lake county, the objective point. The Pendleton-Huntington line

junction of several Hill lines. From Olds Ferry, the Pendleton line will go along the river to Brogan and thence over the old road which was travelled 30 years ago, following up Willow Creek It has been rumored that the until it crosses the divide near reputation of being one of the Hill lines will thoroughly cover Ironside, from where it will pro- best towns in the state for the Oregon when completely outlined. ceed to Beulah, thence directly raising and training of good hors-At the present time his building west 182 miles to Van, and with es. Much credit is due W. W. operations in Oregon are confined variations south of 42 degrees Percival for keeping interest to the Willamette valley from will go into Burns, 128 miles, alive in this city in the matter of Eugene to Portland, from Port- The line will cross Snake creek at good horses. Percival always land to Tillamook, from Portland the grade 24 miles below Burns, has a few good ones when the north and east along the north then cross the north end of Har- season opens. This year he has bank of the Columbia and south ney lake at Kennedy, thence to Carl P and Juluis Pincus in trainthrough the Deschutes canyon. Juniper mountains, to Lake Alling; C. A. McLaughlin has Mike But it is contended and with bert, down the Marsh Chewaucan Krebs; Lee Robinson has Ella considerable authority that a line to Lakeview, where it connects Robinson; Les Galbreath brought through central Oregon, west with N.-C -O. This completes the in about two weeks ago Tony from near Vale and Ontario, a tabric, with the building of the Faust, Agare and Eastman; Ben line south on the west side of the line from Burns to Bend to Mount | Smith brought in Shorty Skilful; Willamette up the valley, a line Washington to Eugene to Coos McNamee has Steele and Switzer. from Independence through the Bay, which gives the outlet on These are all in the running class Siletz to Newport, from Salem the coast for the timber traffic. and are now in training at the

east through the Cascades to All of the lines described will track for the races. Bend and an extension south from be brought out at Doyle, Calif. The running race program, tothe Deschutes to California are There is a natural water grade gether with the purses and condefinitely settled and will be from Doyle to San Francisco ditions has been made up as folalong the Feather river. From lows: From Eastern Oregon comes a Doyle, in Lassen county, the report that he plans a net work | line will go through the Apring- One half mile run (10 pounds beof lines involving extensions of garden tunnel, the longest tun-low scale). Maidens allowed 5 the Yellowstone lines from Boze- nel in the world, to Plumas coun- pounds, \$150. man, Montana to Idaho Falls to ty, where it will strike the head- Three quarter run (weight for Hailey, Idaho; Hailey to Boise, waters of the Golden Feather riv- age), Maidens allowed 5 pounds to Emmett, to Payette, to Olds er, follow that stream through \$150. Ferry; Spokane to Joseph, Idaho, Yuba, Sutter, Sacramento, Stockdown Snake river to Olds Ferry; ton, Niles, Stanford ranch, into Three eights mile run (for two Pendleton to Huntington to Olds Oakland and to San Francisco by year olds), 10 pounds below scale Ferry; Olds Ferry to Burns; crossing the bay from the West- \$125. Burns to Bend, Eugene, Coos ern Pacific pier just north of the Five eights mile (10 pounds below Independence and just beyond road within a short time, and are classing themselves among The answer is this: we wish to

Hailey to Rogerson to Wells, Ne- cance of the Portland, Eugene & race of 1913, \$150. vada to Winnimucca to Doyle, Eastern is now apparant. Hill's line will go across Linn county, Four and a half furlong run (10 The Pendleton Live Wire in through the mountains at Mount pounds below scale) Maidens alcommenting on the last announce- Washington with a southern base, lowed 5 pounds, 5 pound penalty for the river through a number of ject, and that the road will be Show places great and read will be shown be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and read will be shown by the control of the place great and the place great a down the Cascade divide, follow winners for one race in 1913, of acres of valuable farm land. In the first place, it may be down a branch of Tuilla creek in- 2 races 7 pounds, \$150. said that the reader must secure to Bend, thence across southeast Seven furlong run (weight for was secured at the last session of recently finished by the P. E. & a large, detailed map that includes by south into Burns along the age), Maidens allowed 5 pounds, congress for the work at this E. road. While this information the states of Montana, Idaho, county road. This completes the winner of one race in 1913, 5 Washington, Oregon, Nevada, central and southern Oregon ring pound penalty two races 7 and California, in order to com- with which eastern Oregon will pounds, \$150. prehensively follow the descrip- be connected, and links the Yellowstone park with Southern One half mile run (for two year

Hill chain, with which most pound penalty, \$150. Hill, it is said, intends to go westerners are now familiar, is One and one-sixteenth mile run under the Blue Mountains, and the mysterious Gilmore & Pitts- (Independence derby), 10 pounds not over them. This involves the burg, which is being built from below scale, Maidens allowed 5 construction of what will be one Armstead, Montana, over the pounds, winner of one race in 1913 of the longest and most costly Sawtooth range in Idaho, down 5 pound penalty, two races eight tunnels in the world. This tunnel the Salmon river to the Snake, pounds, \$200. will cut off the terrific grade over | connecting with the Hill line down |

The entertainment Friday night for the benefit of the band was a decided success. The house was packed to its fullest capacity and the entertainment Free for all pace, free for all trot. License Made for Theatres, features were all that could be

perts in their line of work and are in training at the track, the did some fine work in this in- names of the horses and owners stance in a very short space of being as follows: time.

Tuesday evening Independence from Salt Lake to San Francisco.) was a busy place. The Rebekahs From Hailey, the other branch had a big meeting, an inititiation goes directly west to Boise. Now and a supper; the dry goods and viously as follows: The Hill line picture show was on and a special

Better Than Ever

WILL BENEFIT THE VALLEY will go into Olds Ferry, the big HORSES ARE NOW IN TRAINING

Events for the Meet Have Been Well Arranged

Independence is getting the

FIRST DAY

SECOND DAY

scale). Maidens allowed 5 pounds, the government revetment. He also to complete plans for the progressive teachers of the show the trading community— Doyle, California to SanFrancisco, In this net work, the signifi- 5 pound penalty of winners of one

THIRD DAY

FOURTH DAY olds), 10 pounds below scale, Another important link in the winner of one race in 1913, 5

Besides the running races harness races for pacers and trotters Ordinance Passed have been outlined the events being about as follows:

FIRST DAY 2:25 pace. 2:24 trot. SECOND DAY 2:13 pace. 2:15 trot.

THIRD DAY 2:20 pace. 2:20 trot. FOURT DAY

On the second day plans are on for a Polk county trot.

A number of harness horses

Some real good jokes, without R. C. Staats; Red Wing and Bron- Dixon. are a number of local harness quiring all mufflers to be closed. E. work. horses besides these that will enter the Polk county race.

> The "Autowin 500 Club" had the last meeting for this season on Tuesday evening, being enter- tionery stores to put popcorn watained by Miss McDevitt at the gons on the sidewalks in front of home of Mr. and Mrs. George

Miss Emroy McDevitt visited a license. will leave in a few days for San theatres, music houses, etc.

Francisco to study music, having | CODD been awarded a scholorship in a LUBB large conservatory of music there. Mrs. A. Sperling and Mrs. C. W. Butler were hostesses to the 'Klose Tillicums' at the formers

home Thursday evening. left Monday for Alaska.

Recent reports from Dole Pomroy state that he is recovering Astoria hospital.

Ed Owen who has been suffer- Return by Way of Falls Benediction. ing with rheumatism some weeks is able to be on the street occasionally.

R. E. Prather scoured the hills south of here for fifteen big oak logs. They are 27 inches in diameter or more and run in length up to 14 feet. They are picked oak and are to be used for press rolls at the Willamette Pulp and Paper Mills. He will deliver them to be shipped by boat from the Independence dock.

WILLAMETTE

River With Wing Dams

IT REVETMENT BELOW TOWN

Government Engineers in Independence During the Week

dence Tuesday and commenced tlemen are in Independence with sible to better themselves and put on this monthly sale? The neering force was in Indepensurvey work on the river below a view to beginning work on the also the schools of the county and answer is not what they expect. plans putting in a system of wing saw mill to be erected by the state. dams to keep the river in its present channel and keep it from cutting through a stretch of val-

point.

to get this matter taken up for the way of formulation. some time.

Others Read First Time

AUTOMOBILES NOW REGULATED

Moving Picture Houses Etc.

The city council held a regular

An anti-spit ordinance was passed by the council at the meeting, prohibiting the spitting on sidewalks.

ing the moving of houses without

Vance Butler and family who have passed the winter at Orville Mill and Railroad People **Visit Here**

from his serious burns in the MAKES TRIP OF INSPECTION

City After Looking Over Route

F. J. Cobb. F. S. Belcher and Engineer R. T. Donald were in Independence Monday, enroute to the railroad survey camp of the ber Co., who contemplates put- of hurting it. ting in an immense mill here. They gave out no additional in- the teachers all visited the falls have displayed and there are formation, outside of that hereto- and the sawmills. fore reported by the Monitor.

GOVERNMENT to IMPROVE date of April 15, states the Dal-day-May 3, and all the teachers the fact this week. las Observer is as follows:

F. J. Cobb of Chicago and F. S. Belcher of Portland, incorpora-Col. Reed of the U. S. engi- They were accompanied by R. T. teachers that are interested in prices on that day. Falls City Lumber company, of which Mr. Belcher is president.

system is financing the new proeventually built to Salem, cross- Show places great and grand An appropriation of \$10,000 ing the river on the new bridge The fruits of field and garden has not been given as authentic, R. H. Knox and others of In- it is stated upon good authority dependence have been working that such are the plans now in

The proposed road, when completed to Salem, will cover a dis- Oh, Oregon! Dear Oregon! tance of approximately 100 miles, I love you rain or shine and will be the most direct route The mist may hide your mountains from Portland and Salem to New- The rain may spoil your vines port, the famous summer resort I love your imperfections on the Pacific coast.

Mr. Cobb and his partner, Mr. Take your California Mitchell, also of Chicago, own But Oregon is mine. large timber interests in the Si- California is seductive road is to put the timber on the With their ravages of time market.

the statement that there will be The world may have California much activity in railroad build- But Oregon is the best. ing in the Willamette valley during the coming summer, and Salem is certain to receive much recognition.

Engineer McClymonds, head meeting at the city hall, Wednes- engineer on the survey work on Loto D and Chiquito, by Dia- day evening. All of the council the extension of the P. E. & E., blo, owned and being trained by were present but Sperling and was in the city the first of the week. C. A. Richardson, J. whiskers on them, were handed cho Bill, by Tidal Wave, owned An ordinance regulating the Crain and D. Mackin, with Alice Reetz attended the out to some of our townspeople. by Jim Collins; Teddie E by Kemo speed of automobiles and motor- headquarters at McMinnville, In fact it was all that was ex- and Homly Joe by The Mighty, cycles was passed, putting the were also here several days this pected of it and a wee bit more, owned by Dr. Tidwell. There speed limit at 12 miles and re- week in connection with P. E. &

Concert at M. E. Church Sunday

An ordinance allowing confec Opening chorus-"Crown Him King of Kings,"

By the Choir their places of business passed. Invocation, - By the Pastor An ordinance passed prohibit Solo-"Not Ashamed of Christ" J. G. McIntosh

Solo-"The Better Land," Mrs. Paddock Solo-"Just For Today," Address F. N. Sandifur Double Quartet- 'Praise Ye the

Father" Solo-Teach Me to Live" Gladys Irvine

Solo-The Singing in Gods Acre" Anthem ''He Shall Come Down Like Rain" Choir Solo-The Beautiful Home of Paradise"

Solo-"The Heavenly Songs"

BIRD MAN AT TEACH-ERS' MEETING

Valley and Siletz. From here seven audiences in Polk county week one full page of the Monthey took a team, going into the and has won the love and respect itor announces some of the bar-Kings Valley country and return of every person in each place, gains that will be offered in Ining via Falls City. Mr. Donald He has surely done much for the dependence for cash purchases coming back through this city. birds of the county and many a on Saturday, April 26. Mr. Cobb with Mr. Mitchell have boy who a few days ago would This sale is a cash sale, the a large body of timber in the have thrown a stone at a bird stores having made such reduct-Siletz and Mr. Belcher is the will now make the birds a bird- ions that they can not handle the President of the Falls City Lum- house and will protect it in place goods on a credit basis.

A report from Salem, under at Ballston and Airlie on the same goods that have not advertised will attend the place the better for them to reach.

tors of the Siletz & Western rail- ings has been something remark- clothing, implements, millinery, road, to be built this season from able as we have had an average harness and harness supplies, Independence to Newport by way for the year, of the several meet- drug sundries, confectionery, of the Siletz basin, were in the ings held, over 75 per cent of the stationery, etc. All the bargains the city yesterday en route to teachers of the county, and when are not advertised by any means, Independence, where the comp- we consider that it is not com- most of the stores planning on any now has a party of surveyors pulsory for the teachers to attend having their windows full of at work on the proposed road. these meetings, it means we have specials at cost or almost cost Donald, an engineer. The gen- their work and are doing all pos-

It is understood that the Hill AMIO MOSQUITOS, MIDNIGHT

Wondrous products of the land, But give me the good old North-

Where towers the giant tree You may have your California But its Oregon for me

I love you all the time

letz country and their prime ob- With its fruit and flowers sublime ject in the construction of this But its treeless hills depress me I drink insipid water Mr. Belcher is authority for Fight mosquitos, fleas and pests

H. G. Seeley.

PERRYDAE NEWS NOTES

Mrs. N. J. Wise is visiting at the home of her daughter in Bridgeport.

Clarence Brotherton of Eugene visited at the home of D. L. Keyt last week.

Misses Marion Fox and teachers meeting in Falls City last Saturday.

visitors Monday.

D. L. Keyt and wife were Mrs. Flannery and son Max

were Amity callers Tuesday.

Gladys Irvine, J. G. McIntosh are cordially invited.

Katherine Walker SALES DAY IS PLANNED

Mrs. Sandifur Big Reductions is Being Made By All Stores

Beth Ketchum GIVEN ON CASH SALES ONLY

Dr. McIntire A Week From the Coming Saturday Special Day For Trading Here

The merchants of Independence are co-operating in the big monthly sales day plan outlined Mr. Lord has appeared before last week by the Monitor and this

We were unable to get more After the close of the institute advertising on one page than we several other business houses The next meeting will be held that will give reductions in their

As we stated special prices will be given in dry goods, gro-The attendance at these meet- ceries, hardware, furnishings,

> People are asking, why do you many of whom within a radius of 15 miles of Independence seldom come here—that there are as good stocks of merchandise as can be found in the valley. In other words the plan is to stimulate the trade in this city. These are rock-bottom, honest prices; prices vou can not duplicate in Salem, Albany, McMinnville or Dallas. Prices that compete with the mail order houses that supply goods of an equal quality. The reductions are on the best lines, most salable stock in almost every

instance. Arrangements have been made with the restaurants to give a good, squaremeal at the regular price and the livery stables will take care of your rigs as reasonable as on any day you should come to town.

Bring in your eggs, poultry, live or dressed hogs, sheep, cattle or veal and it will be handled for you at the market price by the meat markets or grocery

Remember these reductions are for cash only and for this one day only. If you purchase an article at the sales day bargain you can not expect to duplicate it at a later date, neither can you expect to get the same article at the same price at a later sales day.

Remember the day Saturday, April 26.

Hon. B. F. Jones, Register of Land Office at Roseberg. has written his friends here that he expects to be a Republican candidate for congress from this district before the primaries next year. He Carl Morrison and Claud represented Polk and Lin-R wland were McMinnville coln counties in the Oregon legislature during two sessions while a resident of Incallers in Salem Tuesday, dependence and has a strong personal following in this section.

The Monitor would be The Perrydale Concert pleased to see him a candiband will give a concert Sat- date and thinks he would be urday, April 26, at the Perry- a good man for the valley, dale Christian church. All He is a Republican in poli-