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## ELECTRIC ROAD

### To Connect Cities Of The Rogue River Valley

At the next meeting of the city council an application will be made for a franchise for an electric railroad, part of an interurban trolley system to connect the cities of the Rogue River Valley.

Who is back of the scheme is not made public, but Dr. J. F. Reddy authorizes the statement that application will be made by him and that later announcements will be forthcoming as to who the interested parties are.

It is rumored that either J. R. Allen, owner of the Pacific & Eastern, or the Palmer Investment company are the financial interests back of the franchise application, though there is no authority for the assertion.—Tribune.

### Oregon Sidelights.

Eugene's public school enrollment is 1813.

A Lane county potato weighed three pounds.

Business is good in The Dalles, says the Optimist.

Three acres near Creswell yielded 670 bushels of prunes.

L. D. Scarborough of Creswell has 200 tons of dried prunes.

Newberg Graphic can vote; has completed its twenty-first year.

There are rumors of several new brick buildings in Corvallis next spring.

Baker City is suffering an epidemic of burglaries—half a dozen in one night.

Every Oregon fair has been a great success, local papers say. We believe it, too.

Rainier merchants doing a lively business and pleasing customers, notes the Review.

Building will go on in Albany through the winter, same as last summer, says the Democrat.

Big increase during past year over preceding year in Klamath Falls post-office receipts.

The Dalles Optimist wants to bet a big apple that Hill will build to San Francisco, all the same.

No town in the valley is making more rapid, substantial progress than Creswell, declares the Chronicle.

The Newberg Graphic advises: Make your wife smile by harvesting the potato crop before the dirt gets wet enough to stick to the tubers.

At a sale near Silverton, a span of

horses, 9 and 10 years old, was sold for \$180, a pair of suckling colts ready to be weaned at \$100 apiece.

Mrs. Surena Scott of Creswell, aged 81, has lived in Oregon 59 years, and all her 10 children are living. The Chronicle prints a picture of five generations.

Woodburn creamery is paying out \$2900 a month to farmers. Already is Woodburn feeling the beneficial effects of the progressive act of the enterprising citizens, says the Independent.

There is no doubt that Woodburn is on a rock bottom basis and that this city will rapidly grow into considerable importance, says the Independent; that from now on the price of realty will advance in value, and that an investment here is perfectly safe.

There is no place in Oregon where the landless man can find as good buys as in Wasco county, asserts the Optimist. We know of land selling for \$300 per acre that has not the intrinsic value, crop value, that much of the land hereabouts offered for \$100 per acre has.

Oregon prunes packed for the English trade are branded "plums" says the Salem Statesman. The English people know them as plums, and they will buy more readily as such. No matter whether they are called prunes or plums—they are the best grown and put up in the world.

Eugene Guard: If all the Good Roads clubs being formed over the state were equipped with shovels, scrapers, rock-crushers and funds there would be something done in the way of extensive and substantial road improvements all over Oregon. Talkfests are easy but it takes money, material and well directed energy to gridiron a state with good public highways.—Journal.

### Monster Radish.

The Bank of Jacksonville has some fine specimens of fruit and vegetables on exhibition, one of which is a radish grown by Robert H. Lewis of the Applegate valley, which measures eleven inches in circumference and is twelve inches long. This was grown west of this city and cannot be claimed by Medford as a product of that city.

### Frightful Fate Averted.

"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Kellier, Minn. "without Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Infallible for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25c at City Drug Store.

## GRAND JURY

### Recalled to examine charges against six persons confined in county jail.

The grand jury after having concluded its labors several days previously, was recalled by the court to examine into the charges against persons accused of the Medford burglary and also the Moe brothers accused of butchering a calf belonging to a neighbor near Ashland, the accused persons having been previously arrested and confined in the county jail. The grand jury in accordance with the recall, met at the courthouse Monday and returned true bills in the cases mentioned.

## GRAND JURY REPORT

### In the Circuit Court, County of Jackson

Special session of Grand Jury, Oct. 18, 1909.

To HON. H. K. HANNA, Circuit Judge:—

We, the Grand Jury, empaneled and sworn at the regular session of the above entitled court in Sept., 1909, and reconvened Oct. 18, 1909, having completed our labors beg leave to submit the following supplemental report:

We have labored within the limits of the instructions given us this day and have brought in two indictments against five persons held to await the Grand Jury.

Since a well is being sunk by order of the County Court to supply a water system for the courthouse and other buildings on the courthouse grounds, we recommend that a tower and tank be erected and maintained to furnish an adequate supply of water and that a septic tank be placed in a proper location to receive the discharge from the sewage connected with such water system. We further recommend that all of the toilet buildings now on the grounds so long in use, be entirely removed and that there be substituted in lieu thereof four or more up-to-date water closets, such as can be made and operated with the supply of water contemplated in the present plans of the County Court and in this report. And having completed our report we now ask to be discharged.

Dated Oct. 18, 1909.  
J. L. GRUBB, Foreman.  
R. F. DEAN,  
FRANK LEWIS,  
J. B. HILLIS,  
S. H. DUFFIELD,  
L. B. CASTEN,  
LANE WYLAND.

## SCHOOL NOTES

NINTH GRADE, Editors

In the past two weeks there has been an increase in our school enrollment of 14. This is the same increase as the first two weeks of school. The total is now 198.

The high school and Miss Elmer's room spent half an hour in the assembly room on Friday the 15, to practice school yells. We can sure make noise and a great deal of smoke. So if yelling will win us any games we will sure win them all.

The basket ball players held their election for the captainship of the boys and girls teams Monday. Flossie Dunford was elected of the girls team, and George Wendt of the boys team.

Hi Gavant of the fourth grade, fell from the top of an oak tree on the school ground, Monday afternoon and was hurt severely.

The girls of the basket ball team have their new suits. They look very fine in the dark colors.

We are still asking for a Literary Society and a School Orchestra, in fact we want everything an up-to-date high school has.

The High school and eighth grade organized into a student body Oct. 14th. Reis Chapman was appointed temporary chairman, a committee of 6 was appointed to frame a constitution. The committee has not reported yet.

Teachers institute will be held at Ashland next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The boys basket ball team will be selected from the following: Ries Chapman, Geo. Wendt, Frank Coleman, Chester Withington, Charles Thompson, Geo. Henry, William Henry, Florence Hall, Chas. Prim.

## General News.

Billy Boy, the Piute Indian murderer has been found dead in the desert having used his last cartridge to blow his brains out.

Chevrolet Buick car broke the record for a 12 hour run, at Brighton Beach, N. Y. last week, making 624 miles in 12 hours. The previous record held by Strang and Basle was 613 miles.

An open rupture of diplomatic relations between France and Spain is imminent.

Seattle, Wash. firms have been awarded the contract to supply the government with 10,000 tons of hay for shipment to the Philippines. The average price was \$22.62.

S. B. Cameron of Farmington, Wash. estimates the output of his 86-acre apple orchard at 90 carloads.

A British Socialist leader says that every European King's head would fall as the result of the execution of Ferrer.

The total attendance at the Seattle exposition was 3,740,551. Of this number 2,765,683 were paid and 974,868 were free admissions.

A fire in a lumber yard at Weed, Calif., Monday, destroyed lumber valued at \$100,000.

## Brief and Breezy.

(By our Associate Editor.)

Spain spends considerable time and money keeping from being demolished.

Unless Peary gets to work industriously Dr. Cook will leave but little to be told about the North Pole.

A New York city woman left her husband because he threw eggs at her. This was not only impolite, but was extravagant.

Mrs. Annie Besant says the coming man will be seven feet tall. What a horrible time that man is going to have crowding into a Pullman berth.

The late E. H. Harriman eclipsed even his record as an active financier when he drew up a will that is conceded to be absolutely lawyer-proof.

The West Point curriculum should provide some form of occupation for its students during the interval between their dismissal for hazing and their reinstatement.

## The Bed-Rock of Success

lies in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills impart. They vitalize every organ and build up brain and body. J. A. Harmon, Lizemore, W. Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25 cents at City Drug Store.

## BREAKS JAIL

### Six Prisoners Confined in the County Jail Make Escape Friday Evening-- Two are Recaptured Near Ashland --Walsworths and Boosey Remained

Six inmates of the county jail at this place effected a general delivery during the temporary absence of the jailer Friday evening.

The prisoners had been allowed in the corridor of the jail while the jailer went to his supper and took advantage of his absence to make an escape through a window, the bars of which were removed by the prisoners thus opening a way to liberty. Of the escaping prisoners, three were the men accused of the burglary of Deuel & Kentner's store at Medford, one was charged with larceny from the person and the other two had been committed to await the action of the grand jury for the alleged butchering of a calf. The two last mentioned were captured near Ashland and returned to the jail Monday morning.

The two Walsworths and Mr. Boosey were also in the jail at the time the others escaped and could easily have gotten away had they so desired but instead of leaving they gave the alarm by yelling lustily for the officers.

### The Convicts.

The late breakaway of the Oregon convicts turns out to have been a fool's errand. One dead, another dying, two seriously wounded, and the fifth back in the prison, is the record to date. The living will have abundant time to repent the folly of their act, and the dead be beyond the pale of human prisons and penalties.

Though frequently successful, escapes are far more difficult than in a former time. The fugitive of to-day has to run the gauntlet of the telegraph and the rural phone. He has to play the game against the telltale photograph, and probably what is the greatest handicap of all, the daily newspaper. The latter goes into almost every home, carrying tidings of the fugitive's offense, giving the direction of his flight, and often displaying pictures of the man. It keeps the people along the path of flight completely warned, and throws out many an obstacle to bar the way of escape. The crime of the morning and its sequel of flight is recounted throughout the four quarters in the evening, and the whole population warned to be on the lookout. The swift automobile for pursuit is still another new agency, and the aggregate of it all is that crime and flight have become a mighty desperate business, to be undertaken only by those who have illy reckoned on the chances of success and failure.—Journal.

### Scissors.

The mother who does not teach her daughter to do housework is not doing justice to her daughter nor her future son-in-law.

If sheath gowns become popular the feminine sex will dabble in the stock-raising business enough to learn how to raise fat calves.

There is a deep distinction between pleasure-loving and pleasure seeking. The first spirit seems to find pleasure almost everywhere, while the latter wears itself in a useless search. The best pleasure is found of those who seek it not.

The recent mortality of governors of states has been striking. Since the beginning of the year Governors John A. Johnson of Minnesota, Samuel Cosgrove of Washington, George L. Lilley of Connecticut and John Sparks of Nevada have passed away. This extraordinary number of gubernatorial deaths within such a short period of time is believed to be without precedent.

Speaking of the rights of women: It has lately been announced by the Norwegian government, which controls most of the railroads of that country, that married women, traveling with their husbands, can ride for half fare. It is the idea of the government that the married women of that country stay too close at home, and the reduced fare is made to induce them to travel and take vacations.

### Death of Henry Dollarhide

Last Sunday evening, at Abner, Cal. Harry Dollarhide was accidentally crushed to death while stepping on the pilot of the engine of the Weed Lumber Company's train, of which he was the conductor. He was 34 years of age, born at Jacksonville, and comes from a prominent family which is well known throughout this county. In addition to a wife and two small children, the deceased leaves a father and mother and several brothers and sisters to mourn his untimely death. He was a cousin of Mrs. Jas. Zeigler, of Ashland, and she, together with numerous other relatives and friends, attended the funeral services which were held at Hornbrook last Tuesday.—Tidings.

### NOTICE.

Hereafter we will mail statements of all accounts the 1st of each month and expect settlement of same without further notice. City Drug Store will close at 7 P. M. hereafter.

City Drug Store,  
Dr. J. W. Robinson, Prop.

## ONE WEAK SPOT

Most Jacksonville People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It's The Back.

Everyone has a weak spot. Too often it's a bad back. Twinges follow every sudden twist. Dull aching keeps up, day and night. Tells you the kidneys need help—For backache is really kidney-ache. A kidney cure is what you need. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. Cure backache and urinary ills. Jacksonville people recommend the remedy.

A. Z. Sears, living on 5th & H. Sts., Medford, Ore., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and am glad to say that the results were most gratifying. I suffered for a long time from pains in my back and I found it difficult to stoop. My kidneys were too free in action. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended to me that I procured a box. I had only taken them a short time when I found that they were the remedy I required. I continued using them, my health improved and I felt better in every way. I take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills, to other sufferers."

Plenty more proof like this from Jacksonville people. Call at The City drug store and ask what customers report.

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