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CORVALLIS & EASTERN R. R. TO FORM JUNCTION AT REDMOND

News Received Here From Authoritative Source That the Above Road Will Be Completed to Redmond By the Time the Deschutes Railroad Is Finished to This Point

A prominent Redmond business man last week received the news from an official connected with the Harriman system, stating that the Corvallis & Eastern railroad would be built into Redmond to connect with the Deschutes Railroad that is building into this city from the south.

The informant further said the Corvallis & Eastern would reach Redmond and have trains running by the time the Deschutes road reached here, the idea of the railroad people being to form a junction of the two lines at this point.

The Corvallis & Eastern already has a survey into Redmond, and prominent railroad construction men say it would not take long to build the road into this section from its present ter-

minus on the other side of the mountains.

With the above entering this city, Redmond will have three lines of roads, two north and south trunk lines and an east and west line through the Willamette Valley to Portland.

Several weeks ago The Spokesman had reliable information that the Corvallis & Eastern road would build to this city, and printed the story, and now that other parties have received the same news from authentic sources it looks as if it was an assured fact that Redmond will be the junction point for two north and south roads with the Corvallis & Eastern.

Redmond will be a railroad center and the best city in Central Oregon.

Halloween Social and Bazaar

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church are making preparations to hold a Halloween and Handkerchief Bazaar the night of October 31st. If the new church is

far enough toward completion the event will be held there, otherwise in the school house. The ladies are now busy outlining their plans to make the entertainment a success.

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PLATS FILED IN CO. COURT

Redmond Plats Submitted for Approval and Filing

Prineville Journal: From the Hub city there are four additions this month, all presented to the county court by Engineer Phoenix.

The largest and most important plat is that of the Oregon Trunk addition which embraces 120 acres, and is platted to conform with the railroad grade. The streets are all cleared and are being graded.

The survey of the First addition to Redmond is an alteration of the original survey, making the streets and alleys to conform with the hill which is included in the plat. It affects that part of the survey lying east of the town.

The Mountain View Addition to Redmond is a forty-acre tract owned by the Redmond Realty and Investment company, which is west of the town and north of Melrose Park. This addition is intersected by the Redmond and Cline Falls road.

The South End Acreage is a tract of forty acres that is cut into one and two-acre tracts, most of them being one acre or a little over. It is owned by E. R. Tichenor and is situated south and west of the original townsite. It is understood that this will be put on the market at about \$125 per acre.

Horse Race Here Next Sunday

A horse race will be run at the track here Sunday afternoon between Snell & Green's mare "Bessie Green" and "Bay Nellie." The distance is a 300 yard dash for a purse of \$50.

D. I. & P. HEADQUARTERS TO BE LOCATED AT REDMOND

General Offices and Headquarters of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company to Be Moved From Bend to This City Where all Business of the Company Will Be Transacted

The news from an authoritative source has been received here that the general offices of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Co. are soon to be moved from Bend to this city and Redmond made headquarters for the company, from which point all business in the future will be transacted. The company still owns their former commissary and office building here on the corner of Sixth and D streets.

In speaking of the affairs of the company, which will soon be satisfactorily adjusted, the Portland Oregonian of the 9th, had the following:

Pooling their claims, aggregating \$800,000, creditors of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company last Friday joined in a petition to the United States Court for an immediate foreclosure of the first mortgage on the company's property. The order was granted by Judge Charles E. Wolverton, who appointed Receiver C. M. Redfield a special commissioner to handle the sale.

It is announced by L. G. Addison, representing the Ohio bondholders who caused the Deschutes Irrigation Company to be placed in the hands of a receiver as a bankrupt, that every effort will be made to protect the investment of the 600 or more stockholders.

As intended at this time and as a part of the plans under which action was taken Friday, the creditors will buy in the property at the advertised sale and will immediately wind up the affairs of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company by the organization of a new holding company. The new concern will be called into existence for the sole purpose of handling the assets in such a manner that the debts may be cleared from the records and a dividend secured to the stockholders.

"The Ohio bondholders represent approximately \$400,000 of the indebtedness," said Mr. Addison Friday night, "but we want the property so handled that there shall be no losses to anybody. The entire assets, including notes signed by settlers, will be sold. After the creditors buy in the property, our people intend first to pay the debts

from the assets of the company, and then realize as much as possible for distribution among the stockholders. We have no promises to make to the stockholders aside from that. We hope they will secure their money."

The assets of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company consist of 214,911 acres of irrigable lands in Crook County, which were selected by the state of Oregon under the provisions of the Carey Act, the value of the land being fixed at more than \$2,000,000. It was proposed to irrigate and reclaim the land thru the construction of a number of ditches. To raise the money for that work a bond issue of \$500,000 was issued in 1904. The bonds were placed in Columbus, Ohio, under security of a chattel mortgage which provided that interest on the bonds should be paid semi-annually and that for every acre of land sold in Crook County \$3 should be placed in the fund for the redemption of the bonds.

Suit was begun by the bondholders upon the allegation that no interest had been paid since 1908, and that the company had failed to place the money in the redemption fund for more than 49,000 acres of sold land. It was further charged that the Deschutes concern had authorized a second issue of bonds for \$150,000, and it was charged that money realized from the sale of land was to be used for the redemption of the latter issue. C. M. Redfield, of Bend, was appointed receiver in March.

Since that time the receiver succeeded in securing an agreement among all of the creditors, aside from the stockholders, whereby all of the debts will be canceled. H. D. Turney, of Columbus, Ohio, is president of the company; F. S. Stanley, vice-president, and Robert Smith, treasurer. L. G. Addison and A. King Wilson were the attorneys representing the bondholders, while Jesse Stearns and John Hall appeared for the company.

All of the notes and personal property of the old company will be sold at auction in Portland, while the land sale will be held in Crook County.

BEND MAN IS CANDIDATE

Millard Triplett Seeking the Nomination for Sheriff

Millard Triplett of Bend, republican candidate for the nomination of sheriff, needs no introduction to the voters of Crook county. He is one of the early settlers in the county, has been a prominent business man in Bend for a number of years, served on the city council of that city for several years, has been deputy sheriff under the present sheriff, Frank Elkins, and is a man not afraid to declare his principles and live up to them.

Mr. Triplett stands for the enforcement of the law as prescribed on the statute books, and

he promises the people of the county that if nominated and elected he will see that the laws are enforced to the letter. He believes that if a law is obnoxious to a few, that that is no reason why it should not be rigidly enforced.

Mr. Triplett has a strong following in the Bend section of the county that is working to secure the nomination of their candidate, and his friends ask all the voters of the county who are in favor of a clean, upright administration of affairs in the sheriff's office to cast their vote for him for sheriff at the primary nominating election the 24th of this month.

Paid advertisement.

Milo Covert, who has a nice 40 acre tract two miles north of the city, was in Redmond last week to make final proof. Mr. Covert is a hustler and has his land well improved and a commodious residence on it, besides barns, etc.

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NEW ROAD IS NOW ASSURED

Redmond-Prineville Road Will Be Built

SUFFICIENT MONEY HAS BEEN RAISED

County Commissioners Let Contract--Finished in Sixty Days

The construction of the Redmond-Prineville wagon and automobile road, seventeen miles in a direct line east from this city to Prineville, is now assured.

At the last meeting of the county court at Prineville a delegation from the Redmond Commercial Club, composed of Mayor White, City Recorder Phoenix, Councilmen F. W. McCaffery, J. F. Hosch and H. F. Jones, J. K. Macpherson, Judge Wilcox, E. B. Williams and H. Kanzler appeared and showed the county commissioners the advisability of constructing this road.

The Redmond Commercial Club had already raised \$300 for the road, and after hearing the arguments in favor of building the road the county commissioners appropriated \$500 for the purpose, and the Prineville Commercial Club agreed to give \$150.

The county commissioners have entered into a contract with E.

B. Williams to begin work on the road at once, and it is promised the highway will be completed inside of 60 days.

The road begins at the northeast corner of the old Redmond townsite and goes east on A street. It will be almost a direct line from this city for 17 miles into Prineville.

Improving Redmond-Madras Road

Funds have been raised by subscription in Redmond and other towns between here and Madras for improving the stage road between these points before the fall rains set in. It is the intention to "straw" the road and otherwise fix up the bad places on the line. There has been so much traffic on the Redmond-Madras line this summer that the road became badly cut up.

Will Put in Wood Yard Here

Carl Woods of Shaniko, was in Redmond the first of the week and was so favorably impressed with the future prospects of the city that he bought 100 feet front of property on E between Fourth and Fifth streets. He intends to establish a wood yard and feed corral on his property, and expects to be ready for business in about twenty days.

Improvements in Oregon Hotel

F. T. Redmond, who recently bought Wm. G. Phoenix's interests in the Oregon Hotel property here, is going to make some improvements in the property. A number of new rooms will be added on the upper floor to accommodate the increasing patronage the house is enjoying. A building has also been put up in the rear of the hotel to be used as a laundry.

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