

HAS HARRIMAN CHOSEN CORVALLIS & EASTERN ROUTE

This Is What Albany Newspaper Would Have
Public Believe---Other Routes Given Up

Advices from Albany would seem to indicate that the Harriman extension into central Oregon will be built from Detroit eastward across the Cascade mountains, and thence across the state over the proposed route of the Corvallis & Eastern line. This would bring the eastern terminal either at Ontario, Ore., or at some point in northern Nevada where connection can be had with the Southern Pacific main line to Ogden and Salt Lake City. The whole interior would be tapped by such a line, including the counties of Crook, Lake, Harney and Malheur.

Should the Albany advices, as contained in the Albany Evening Herald of September 23, prove to be correct, no Harriman railroad will at this time be built up the Deschutes canyon from the Columbia river to Madras; hence, that town, together with Prineville and Bend, may have to be content with branch lines. The Deschutes route, tentatively owned by the Porter Bros., of Spokane and Seattle, Wn., would in that case be abandoned to the Hill interests. If Hill pushes on and invades this territory, it will mean two through railroads intersecting each other in Crook county, but the Harriman extension will undoubtedly be built first.

The preliminary survey has been completed by Harriman's engineers both to the Deschutes and the Corvallis & Eastern routes, as well as the Columbia Southern southward from Shaniko. All the data gathered by these three parties of surveyors is now in the Harriman

offices at Portland. Inasmuch as no further work is being done on either of the routes from the north, weight of evidence rests with the Albany statement that the C. & E. is the accepted route.

The Albany Evening Herald of September 23 says: Armed with maps, plans and voluminous blue prints, F. A. Rucker and J. B. Pope, contractors and engineers of the Southern Pacific railroad, left this morning on a special train over the Corvallis & Eastern for Detroit. They were accompanied by Mr. Walsh of the C. & E. They intend to go over the projected route of the C. & E. across the mountains and carefully inspect the line. The survey recently completed by the party of engineers over the projected route will again be carefully gone over and further details of the route planned.

While Messrs. Rucker and Pope were reticent as to their exact plans, they intimated that a force of men would follow them to the end of the line within a few days and some construction work would be done. They refused to say whether they knew that the work of extending the line eastward would commence at once or later. From remarks, however, which they made it is assumed that some construction work will be done before winter sets in.

It is believed that early in the spring active extension operations from Detroit eastward will start. That the Southern Pacific officials have definitely decided to choose the C. & E. route is now a certainty according to the statement of an official in a position to know.

Ditch Land Tax Case.

Attorney-General Crawford of the state of Oregon has just gone back to Salem from The Dalles, where he appeared for the state in a case involving the right of Crook county to assess taxes against land and ditches constructed under the provisions of the Carey act for the reclamation of arid lands.

The Deschutes Irrigation and Power Company has a contract with the state whereby it has undertaken to construct ditches for the irrigation of about 200,000 acres. The land was originally obtained by the state from the general government on a showing that it had made arrangements for the construction of irrigation works capable of supplying the necessary amount of water, and after the plans have received the approval of the United States reclamation service. Upon completion of the contract, title is given to the state, which afterward grants patents or deeds to the purchasers. It is thus contended by the attorney-general that the canals and lands belong

to the people of Oregon and are untaxable until such time as they may be regularly disposed of.

The case arose out of an effort, as yet not disproved, by the assessor of Crook county to tax ditches, canals and other irrigation works as the private property of the Deschutes company. The latter enjoined the assessor, and by the request of the state officers the attorney-general appeared and presented arguments for the information of the court.

Dick Vandever brought to this office this week some fine specimens of Bradshaw plums from his orchard at Powell Buttes. The fruit was of standard size and of excellent flavor. This orchard, which has been in bearing for a dozen years or more, has only one season failed to bear a fair crop of fruit. Pears, apples, plums and cherries all grow there, and while the orchard is only a small one it furnishes more good fruit than two average families could use in a year. Mr. Vandever's orchard furnishes good proof of the assertion of many old settlers of this district, that while it could not be classed as a fruit growing section, by using care in the selection of varieties planted plenty of good fruit for home use could be grown.

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Redmond News.

REDMOND, Ore., Sept. 27.—To those who have once lived in Redmond this fall weather stimulates the homecoming instinct and draws them back again the same as birds are drawn to the south. Some of those not formerly mentioned are the Browns, who got back yesterday; the Spencers, who returned a week or more ago; and the Chapells, who have been back for some time. Mr. Ehlers also went to Shaniko for his wife and little ones and came back Friday.

The birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherwood recently is announced.

Harvey Muller and Mary Northrup, both of Cline Falls, were married there Friday afternoon, Justice Jones officiating.

Friends of Dan Irvin will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred at Pueblo, Colo., Sept. 15, after an unusually severe hemorrhage. Dan and his mother went there six months ago thinking the change might benefit him. Mrs. Irvin accompanied the remains to Dayton, Ohio, but will return here to live.

O. H. Long has gone out, but we did not learn his destination.

A. E. Anderson has completed the transfer of his place north of Tetherow butte and has gone with the boys back to Oakland.

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BANK STATEMENT.

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Resources:
Loans and discounts..... \$ 210,503 08
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 39,892 08
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 12,900 00
Bonds, Securities, etc. 719 06
Banking-house furniture and fixtures 12,560 62
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents) 29,627 75
Due from State Banks and Bankers 13,892 10
Due from approved reserve agents 38,570 01
Checks and other cash items 368 17
Notes of other National Banks 1,653 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 4 00
LAWYER'S MONEY REMOVED IN BANK, VIZ:
Specie \$25,055
Legal-tender notes \$380 25,435 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation) 625 00
Total \$407,329 32

Liabilities:
Capital stock paid in \$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses 8,315 02
National Bank notes outstanding 8,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check 273,376 43
Demand certificates of deposit 17,637 87
Total \$407,329 32

STATE OF OREGON,
County of Crook, ss:
I, T. M. BALDWIN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. T. M. BALDWIN, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 1908.
DUNCAN MACLEOD, Notary Public.

Notice of Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given by J. E. Stewart, administrator of the estate of Mary E. Stewart, deceased, that he has made and filed his final accounting of his administration of said estate with the county clerk of Crook county, Oregon, and that the Court has set Monday, the 2nd day of November, 1908, at the county court room in Prineville, Oregon, as the time and place of hearing said final accounting. At which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and object to said final accounting.
J. E. STEWART, Administrator of the estate of Mary E. Stewart, deceased.



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Batistes—regular 11c value, sale price per yard..... 7 1/2c
Panamas—regular 30c yard, during sale..... 20c
Dotted Swiss—regular 33 1/2c yd., during sale..... 22c
Dimities—regular 20c, during fifteen day sale..... 13 1/2c
Silk Chiffon—regular 35c value, sale price..... 23c

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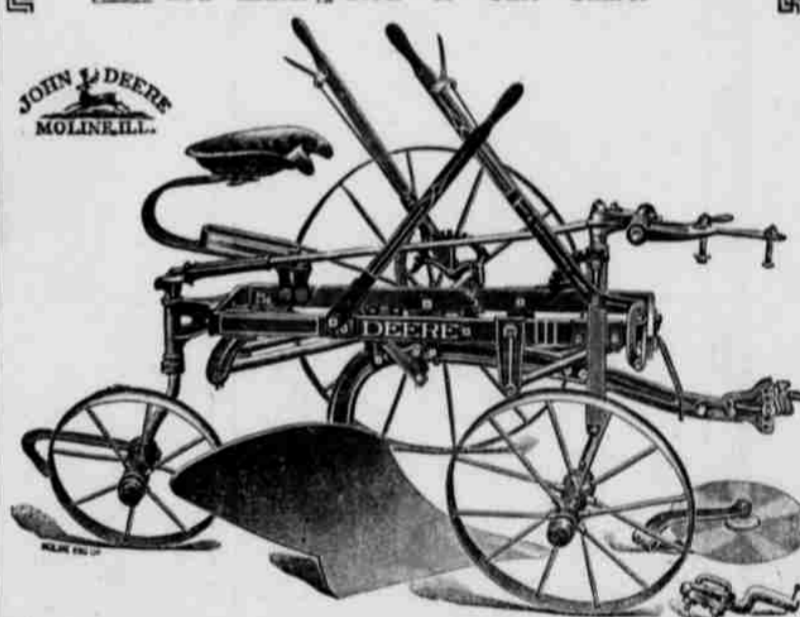
Our fall stock is coming in daily and within a short time we will have as complete and up-to-date stock as can be seen in Crook County and our prices are as low as the lowest, quality considered. All our stock will be marked in plain figures and before placing your order for fall and winter supplies call and get our prices and we will endeavor to demonstrate to you that we are here to serve the public at "Live and let live" prices. Watch this space from now on for further information, and keep your eye on our prices, they will always interest the most careful buyers

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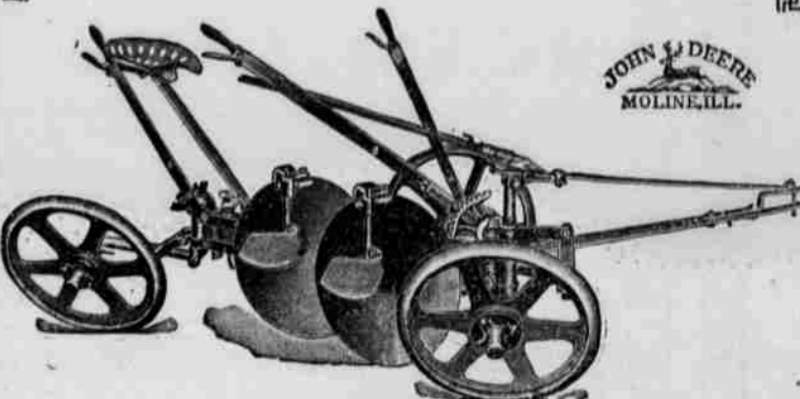
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