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## FOR COUNTY FAIR

Interests of Clackamas Would  
Be Materially Advanced.

Competitive Exhibition of Resources  
Would Be Great Education—  
What's Your Opinion?

It has been suggested that Clackamas  
county hold a county fair next year.  
This suggestion is worthy a thorough  
consideration. But an enterprise of this  
kind should not be inaugurated without  
the united support and co-operation of  
the entire business and property inter-  
ests of the county. County fairs have  
accomplished great things in the devel-  
opment and advancement of other coun-  
ties and there is no reason why the same  
results cannot be obtained in this county.  
There is abundant room for improved  
conditions in Clackamas and with this  
contention no person of intelligence will  
take issue. But in this connection, slight  
resistance or opposition will tend largely  
to defeat the purpose for which a fair is  
maintained. There must be no opposi-  
tion or even indifference to a movement  
that has at stake the furtherance of the  
best interests of the entire community.  
On the other hand there must be a hearty  
spirit of co-operation. It is to ascertain  
the attitude of the public towards this  
project that this step is written.  
The Enterprise will be pleased to  
receive communications from residents  
of the county expressive of the sentiment  
of the various localities with reference  
to the holding of a fair.

Great educational value attaches to the  
competitive exposition of the resources  
of any section. This fact cannot be dis-  
puted. No county in the state, possibly,  
is in greater need of this education than  
is Clackamas. While the products of this  
county bear a favorable comparison  
with those produced in any other county  
of the state, still there is room for im-  
proving the breed of the stock, the qual-  
ity and varieties of the various grains and  
fruits. It is by exhibiting the agricul-  
tural and horticultural products and  
the stock interests that lessons in im-  
proved breeding and methods of farming  
may be learned. No place affords a bet-  
ter opportunity for the learning of these  
lessons than the county fair.

Horse racing is not considered essen-  
tial to the holding of the fair that is con-  
templated. Instead, the plan will prob-  
ably be to confine the institution exclu-  
sively to the exposition of the grain,  
fruit, stock, and in fact all farm products  
of the county. When the fair is placed  
on a substantial footing, then will be time  
to figure on horse racing and other more  
expensive attractions. But at the begin-  
ning of the proposed enterprise and with  
no available race-track facilities in this  
section, it would be too expensive to pre-  
pare a race-course in connection with the  
equipment of the grounds and buildings  
that will be required for the other more  
essential needs. It has been years since  
Clackamas county had an exhibit of its  
resources at the state fair. With a county  
fair each fall, the best of the exhibits  
shown at that time can be made into a  
general display and taken to Salem for  
competition with like exhibits from other  
parts of the state.

It is a known fact that in any enter-  
prise there must be some one to take the  
initiative. When an institution is once  
established and runs itself, there is never  
any trouble in finding persons who will  
serve in the various required capacities.  
The Enterprise reporter was discussing  
the subject of a county fair with H. E.  
Cross, this week. Mr. Cross is the active  
secretary of the Oregon City Board of  
Trade and in this capacity he has  
rendered the city much valuable service.  
Mr. Cross is busily engaged in his own  
private business and as secretary of the  
Willamette Valley Chautauque Associa-  
tion has but little time to devote to  
other interests but he is willing to give a  
part of his time and energy to the or-  
ganization of a county fair that will be  
representative of the resources of the  
county. Mr. Cross will lend his aid to  
the plan under one condition only and  
that is that the people of the county  
must be unanimous for the enterprise.  
There are a hundred men in this city  
who should be equally active with Mr.  
Cross in securing for the county an en-  
terprise that will prove of such value to  
the county as will prove a fair. A larger  
number is to be found throughout the  
county among the prosperous farmers.  
Let's discuss the subject and consider it  
in its various phases and if it is consid-  
ered better, let's have the fair.  
Once it is decided to hold a fair, there  
would be little difficulty in selecting a  
suitable site. Gladstone Park has been  
suggested as the most desirable place.  
It is reported that these grounds can be  
had for the purpose and in addition to  
being suited to the needs are also  
equipped with a number of buildings  
that can be utilized in connection with  
the fair. The grounds contain the re-  
quisite acreage and will easily accommo-  
date all interests. The only other point  
suggested is Canemah Park but the lim-  
ited acreage and the difficulty of reach-  
ing the grounds are suggested as an ob-  
jection to this place. Let us hear sug-  
gestions as to sites that are at all suited  
for the holding of a fair together with  
any other suggestions pertaining to the  
subject.

It is generally believed that the only  
satisfactory way of conducting a fair as  
proposed will be by stock company.  
Such a corporation could be formed with  
a capital stock of \$10,000 and of the total  
capitalization about \$5000 could be re-  
alized at the start which it is believed  
would be sufficient to inaugurate the  
movement. The question of forming a  
fair association and providing the funds  
with which to conduct a fair can be more  
gracefully discussed when the question  
of holding a fair has been disposed of.  
The Enterprise will be glad to hear  
from any of its readers on the propo-  
sition of a fair as suggested in the fore-  
going paragraphs.

WAS AN OLD VETERAN.—"Captain  
Jack" Miller, aged about 70 years, died  
at Eagle Creek last night. The deceased  
was a veteran of the Civil War, where  
he lost an arm in the service of his coun-  
try. He was a well known character in  
this section of the state. Burial services  
took place at Damascus Friday afternoon.

## SUPERVISORS HOLD OVER

Judge Boise Decides Legislature Did  
Not Contemplate Vacancies.

Judge R. P. Boise, sitting at an ad-  
journed term of circuit court for Polk  
county, Department No. 2, Tuesday  
afternoon, rendered a decision to the  
effect that road supervisors elected in  
June, 1902, are entitled to hold office un-  
til January 1, 1904, says the Polk County  
Observer. The case at issue, that of E.  
C. Kirkpatrick vs. John Middleton, su-  
pervisor of road district No. 17, has at-  
tracted considerable attention in Polk  
county and elsewhere, not because of  
the amount involved, but because of  
legal questions which affected not only  
the defendant, but also every other road  
supervisor in Oregon.

Ever since the passage of the road law  
by the last Legislature there has been  
much contention as to whether the law  
of 1903 repealed the act of 1901, and  
legislated out of office the road super-  
visors holding under that act. The case  
of Kirkpatrick against Middleton was  
brought in order to test this question in  
the courts.  
A few weeks ago Middleton demanded  
of Kirkpatrick the payment of \$3 road  
poll tax. Kirkpatrick refused to pay  
the amount, on the ground that he held  
a legal claim against Polk county for a  
sum equal to or greater than the amount  
of the tax. Middleton refused to recog-  
nize or accept Kirkpatrick's claim and  
immediately began an action in the ju-  
stice court for the tax. A trial was had  
and the justice rendered judgment  
against Kirkpatrick for the amount of  
the tax and costs.

The case was then taken to the circuit  
court for review, the principal contention  
raised by Kirkpatrick being that Middle-  
ton had no authority to sue in the lower  
court for the reason that the law under  
which he was elected had been repealed  
prior to the bringing of the action and  
that by reason of said repeal Middleton  
was not a legally elected and qualified  
officer, but only an intruder.

After hearing the arguments of counsel  
Judge Boise decided that Middleton is a  
duly elected, qualified and acting super-  
visor; that no authority is given the  
court to appoint before January, 1904;  
that the road districts remain intact and  
that the present road supervisors hold  
office under the act of 1901 until January  
1, 1904. The court holds that it was not  
the intention of the Legislature in pas-  
sing the law to abolish road districts or  
to allow any vacancy to occur in the  
office of road supervisor.

## WHEAT OF THREE STATES.

The Estimated Product of Oregon,  
Washington and Idaho.

The annual estimate of the Oregonian,  
of the wheat crop of Oregon, Washington  
and Idaho, places the total yield in the  
places the total yield in the three states  
for 1903 at 34,750,000 bushels, divided as  
follows:

Washington, 19,100,000 bushels; Ore-  
gon, 11,400,000 bushels; Idaho, 4,250,000  
bushels. The crop is nearly 20 per cent  
below that of last year. The season is  
two or three weeks later than usual,  
which makes it more difficult to forecast  
accurately, though the above figures are  
compiled from the best data obtainable  
and are believed to fairly indicate the  
product with a continuation of existing  
conditions.

There is a considerable area of spring  
wheat that is late which is in danger of  
frost and fall rains, either of which might  
change the result somewhat. Of the  
three states, Idaho has by far the best  
crop, fully 5 per cent better than last  
year. Oregon comes next with a de-  
crease of about 10 per cent as compared  
with last year, while the Washington  
crop is about 25 per cent short of last  
year's figures. There is at this time no  
inclination of any eastern shipments,  
but a considerable amount of Oregon and  
Washington wheat is likely to find a mar-  
ket in California.

## PRUNE CROP WILL BE LARGE

Growers Want Fair Weather For Two  
Weeks More.

"If the severe rain storms will desist  
for another fortnight, the prune crop will  
be harvested without sustaining any  
damage," said J. E. Hedges, of the Will-  
amette Fruit Company, in discussing the  
Clackamas county prune crop. This  
corporation owns several large prune or-  
chards in the vicinity of Canby and  
handles the crops of a number of indi-  
vidual growers so that it controls and  
represents the product of over 100 acres  
of the best prune lands in the Willam-  
ette Valley.

The Petite crop, which represents  
only a small acreage in this county, has  
been picked and cured and growers now  
feel apprehensive for the large crop of  
Italians that is promised. Mr. Hedges  
reports that the Italian trees are loaded  
with the fruit. The weather being cold  
and backward throughout the summer,  
the prune crop matured slowly with the  
result that the fruit attained a larger  
growth than usual. This fact will in-  
crease the market value of the fruit  
which sells entirely in grades. The  
Willamette Fruit Company will adhere  
to the quotation that has been fixed by  
the Willamette Prune Association, of  
Salem, which is on a 2 1/2 cents basis.  
Mr. Hedges says intermittent showers  
will not interfere with the harvesting  
and curing of the crop or do the fruit  
any damage but he thinks that contin-  
ued rain for the next two weeks will do  
thousands of dollars worth of harm to  
this industry.

## Distress After Eating Cured.

Judge W. T. Holland, of Greensburg,  
La., who is well and favorably known,  
says: "Two years ago I suffered greatly  
from indigestion. After eating, great  
distress would invariably result, lasting  
for an hour or so and my nights were  
restless. I concluded to try Kodol Dys-  
pepsia Cure and it cured me entirely.  
Now my sleep is refreshing and digestion  
perfect." Sold by Geo. A. Harding.

## SAYS HE WAS HERE

Alleged Hillsboro Minister—  
Burglar Seeks Evidence

That Will Clear Him of a Felonious  
Charge—Called in Oregon City  
Saturday.

Rev. R. H. Kennedy, the alleged min-  
ister-burglar of Hillsboro, accompanied  
by his attorney, S. B. Houston, was in  
the last Saturday in quest of evidence for  
his defense of the charge of burglary that  
has been preferred against him in the  
courts at Hillsboro. Rev. Kennedy al-  
leges that on the night of the burglary at  
the Warren residence on the morning of  
September 1, he was in Portland and he  
claims to have evidence to the effect that  
he retired at 11 o'clock on that night,  
arising at 6 o'clock the following morn-  
ing when he came to Oregon City to trans-  
act some business at the local land of-  
fice.

Register Dresser distinctly remembers  
that Rev. Kennedy, who had previously  
visited the Oregon City Land Office on a  
business mission, visited the office again  
about 11 o'clock on the Tuesday morning  
that the burglary was committed. Mr.  
Dresser is positive that the reverend gen-  
tleman entered the land office as he him-  
self went out. Rev. Kennedy was waited  
upon by Miss Kelly, one of the clerks in  
the office, but owing to the absence from  
the city of that lady, who is away on her  
vacation, the identification by Miss Kelly  
in confirmation of Mr. Dresser's con-  
victions, was not obtainable.

It is possible that the visit of Rev.  
Kennedy to this city has netted him some  
very material evidence that will be of  
great aid to him in disproving the felo-  
nious charge that has been brought against  
him in the courts at Hillsboro. The at-  
taches of the Land Office were particu-  
larly impressed with the extreme gen-  
tlemanly appearance of Rev. Kennedy in  
his dealings with the office.

## UNDER AUSTRALIAN SYSTEM

City Elections in all Cities of 2000  
Inhabitants Under New Law.

The law of 1903 places all cities of 2000  
inhabitants or over under the Australian  
system of voting in the city elections. As  
the population of Oregon City is over  
5000, it will be necessary to vote the  
Australian ballot at the election to be  
held on the first Monday of December.  
All provisions of the state election laws  
will apply to the cities. Nominations  
must be made by conventions or assem-  
blages of 100 or over and filed with the  
city recorder at least 30 days before the  
election or if made by individual electors  
must be filed 15 days before. This will  
make it obligatory to hold the conven-  
tions at least 35 days prior to the election  
and they must be composed of regularly  
elected delegates as in county conven-  
tions, instead of mass meetings as heret-  
ofore held. Primaries at which dele-  
gates to the city conventions are elected  
must also be held and conducted accord-  
ing to law. A thirty day campaign will  
be quite a novelty in most cities where  
the candidates are usually nominated  
two days prior to the election.

The election of city officers in Oregon  
City has been conducted after this man-  
ner for the last eight years. This form  
has been provided by the terms of the  
city charter that was passed in 1895.  
Nominees for the various elective offices  
were placed on the ticket by petition  
representing a required per centage of  
the voters of the city which has been  
considered equivalent to the holding of a  
regular convention. Under the law as  
enacted by the last legislature, it will  
be compulsory on all cities having a pop-  
ulation of 2000 or more to hold conven-  
tions as directed for the naming of can-  
didates for city offices.

## PLANS HAVE BEEN ADOPTED.

Fish-way Will Be Installed At Wil-  
lamette Falls.

H. G. Van Dusen, state fish warden,  
was in the city last week and adopted  
plans and specifications for the fish lad-  
der that is to be installed at the Willam-  
ette Falls.

The fish-way will be 400 feet in length  
and will enable the salmon to cover a  
raise of 42 feet and reach the waters of  
the Upper Willamette river. The route  
of the fish-way will be over the island,  
through which the course will be blasted.  
It will consist of pools 20x10 feet, be-  
tween which there will be a raise of  
about three feet.

Mr. Van Dusen says the course of the  
fish-way being out of the main channel  
of the river, possible damage from high  
water will be obstructed. Bids will be  
asked for the construction of the fish-way  
which will probably cost all of the \$5000  
that has been appropriated for the pur-  
pose.

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