OLD ROAD SYSTEM **GIVES ITS LESSON**

Marion and Clackamas See in Present Highways Hope for Better Scheme.

BOND AVENUE ONLY AID

Opposition Silenced by Known Conditions and Feeling Is Expressed That Amount Should Be Greater Than Fixed.

BY ADDISON BENNETT. SILVERTON, Or., May 8.—(Special.) SILVERTON, Or., May 8.—(Special.)
—There are just six days left for the voters of this county to make up their minds whether they will vote for or against the issuance of road bonds to the extent of \$550,000. This excludes tomorrow, Sunday, during which day the campaign will rest. It is safe to say that during the five days, from Monday to Saturday, of next week, the interest will grow with each day. That was the case in the Clatsop and Columbia campaigns, and it will likewise be true hers.

One of the most important meetings of the advocates of the bonds held thus far took place here last night in

of the advocates of the bonds held thus far took place here last night in the opera-house. There was a large audience present and every word spoken by the advocates of the bonds was listened to with great interest. It was reported in Salem before we came here that the Silverton people, and the farmers near here, were very genhere that the Silverton people, and the farmers near here, were very generally opposed to the bond issue and that the meeting would be made rather stormy by these opponents. On the contrary, the meeting was one of the most satisfactory of the week and scarcely a word in opposition has been heard on the street, and surely at the meeting no such feeling cropped out. On every hand one hears the complaint that the issue should be for about \$2,000,000 instead of \$850,000, the advocates of so large an issue elaiming that the amount to be voted upon is not large enough to do all that ought to be done. These people should remember that the taxable value of the county is less than \$43,000,000 and 2 per-cent

ber that the taxable value of the county is less than \$43,000,000 and 2 per-cent of the taxable valuation is all the law will allow a county to be bonded for its road building. It is, many think, a pity that the lawmakers did not make the limit 5 per cent instead of 3. If it were 5 per cent, Marion would be voting for \$2,000,000 in place of the sum now specified.

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will take a step backwards when they go to the polls a week from today. I believe they will, by a good majority, declare themselves for the bond issue. This beautiful and quaint little city never looked better than it does today, the people never seemed more prosperous than they are now, the surrounding country never showed to better advantage than it does at this moment. Everybody who knows anything ter advantage than it does at this moment. Everybedy who knows anything about Oregon is aware that Silverton is situated in one of the garden spots and beauty spots of the state. It was one of the carliest settled portions of the ciden Oregon. We passed a great barn today which bore on it a date of 1859. I do not know what alterations have been made to it in the intervening 55 years, but counting them as many it must have been a fine structure when creeted.

I have often heard it said that the land owners hereabouts are the most of the cartiest settled portions of the heart of a fair-sized and appreciative audience at Busch's Hall here tonight. He was given a rising vote of thanks. Many well-known Clackamas farmers were in the audience.

"Unless people remain on the soil our Government will not last," said Mr. Hill. "Every strong nation must have its roots in the soil. To keep them there you must have good roads."

He reviewed the permanent highway work done in other counties in Oregon.

I have often heard it said that the land owners hereabouts are the most progressive in the state, that they make as much money per acre from their lands as any farmers in the state. They go in for the best methods and the best livestock. Many of them reap a large profit each year from their cloverseed sales, others have as fine hepyards as there are in Oregon; they are as a rule money-makers and money-gavers.

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He reviewed the permanent highway work done in other countles in Oregon to the progressive in the year of the progressive in the progressive in the same that they work done in other countles in Oregon. "You and I are to blame for poor roads. We permit anyone who imagines he is a road-builder to make our highways. You have no comprehensive plan of road construction. You're all bosses and builders."

It is the same with the citizens of the town; they are of the oldentime and yet progressive, and, as a rule, wealthy. The two banks here are said to be overrunning with money, most of their deposits coming from the farm-ers. It is a "farmers' town," so te speak, one of the best examples of such a town in Oregon.

"GROUCH" CURE REPORTED Effect of New Tonic on City Employes Declared Wonderful.

Thin, pale, grouchy employes soon will be missing from the city service. City Bacteriologist Pernot has intro-duced a new "tonic" which he declares

PROHIS NOMINATE TICKET Candidates for State and County Of-

vention here today nominated a com-plete ticket, several of the nominees being aspirants for the nomination of other parties. The ticket is as follows: State Senator, E. H. Anderson and E. State Senator, E. H. Anderson and E. B. Lockhart, Salem; Representatives, A. C. Libby, Jefferson; G. W. Ferris, Turner; J. M. W. Bonney, Woodburn; A. A. Ulvin, Silverton, and C. W. Brant, Salem; Sheriff, W. L. Jerman, Woodburn; County Recorder, H. L. Chark, Salem; County Clerk, W. Emmel, Salem; County Treasurer, Joseph N. Smith, Salem; County Commissioner, J. M. Brown, Silverton; Justice of the Peace, U. G. Lehman, Salem; Constable, A. J. Cook, Salem; Coroner, J. O. Van Winkle, Salem; Surveyor, B. B. Herrick,

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Mr. Libby has served two terms a
Representative in the Legislature, hav ing been elected as a Republican, Mr. Jerman was formerly Mayor of Wood-burn. Mr. Clark is a Democrat and will

DALLAS BUSINESS MAN URGED BY FRIENDS TO ENTER RACE.



William T. Grier.

DALLAS, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—William T. Grier, manager of the Falls City Lumber Company, with offices at Falls City, has decided to enter the Republican primaries for the Legislature. It will be necessary for the Republicans to write in the name of Mr. Grier. Mr. Grier was selected because of a desire in this county to follow the plan advocated in Portland of selecting competent business men and taxpayers for this of-

Thirty-five Republican Dallas business men signed an open written request to Mr. Grier to accept the nomination; in addition to this, an endorsement con-

SAM HILL TALKS ROADS Our Government's Stability Rests in Soil. Declares Evangelist.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Sam Hill, good roads evangelist of National repute, preached his way into the hearts of a fair-sized and ap-

TELEPHONE SUIT DISMISSED

Railroad Commission Grants Request of Complainant in Case.

SALEM, Or. May 8.—(Special.)—At the request of the complainant the State Railroad Commission today dis-missed the complaint of the Yambill County Mutual Telephone Company against the Pacific Telephone & Tele-graph Company.

It was alleged by the Yamhill County
Mutual Telephone Company that the
long-distance service charges of the
other company were excessive and the
service was inadequate. The companies settled their own differences.

Asotin County Court at Work. will make new men and women out of persons who are run down. Experiments conducted on employee at the City Hall during the last few weeks have worked wonders.

As a result of these experiments there is a general clamor among city employee and officials for the milk.

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ASTORIA, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—The colion and Nyssa, Or. and Deer Park colibitionists of the county at a con
Closure on mortgage, accounting and other suits of the kind.

Chebalis Bridge Is Moved.

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Clayton Put on Bench After Quitting Senatorial Fight.

TRUST BILLS NOT PASSED

Alabama Representative, Once Urged to Remain in House to Help Administration, Now Recipient

of Life Appointment.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 8.—Fresident Wilson took it upon himself some time ago to induce Representative Clayton to withdraw from the Senatorial race in Alabama, on the plea that he needed his "ald and advice" in pushing through Congress the anti-trust bills then in contemplation. Mr. Clayton, in a polite note to the President withdrew from iote to the President withdrew from the Senatorial race to help the Administration with its anti-trust programme Since then President Wilson has nom Since then President Wilson has nominated Representative Clayton to be United States District Judge in Alabama; Clayton has accepted the appointment and has been promptly confirmed by the Senate. He was placed on the bench at a time when the antitrust bills had not been definitely shaped up; before they were considered by the House, and before the House had opportunity to consider the Senate amendments which probably are in amendments which probably are in

Move Meant to Aid Underwood. At the time the President induced Mr. Cityton to get out of the Senatorial race t was well understood that the Presiiential intervention was in the interest of Representative Underwood, who at the time was in high standing with the Administration. The suggestion was made that perhaps Clayton, anticipating defeat in the primaries, had sought that method of eliminating himself grace-folly but this suggestion was met with method of eliminating himself grace-fully, but this suggestion was met with denials from the Administration.

Now that the President has helped Representative Underwood to the Sen-ate, Mr. Underwood breaks with the Administration on the Panama Canal tolls question—the big issue now before Congress—and Mr. Clayton, long before Congress—and Mr. Clayton, long before the anti-trust bills are disposed of, is transferred from Congress to the Fed-eral bench. The Administration, there-fore, loses his advice, which was held in such high esteem at a time when Clayton threatened to cut into the Un-derwood vote in Alabama.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, May 8.—(Special.)—Ground was broken today for the new, addition to the University Library, the first of the improvements which were voted by the people in the referendum balloting last Fall. The ceremony took place at noon, immediately after the completion of the annual university work day, and in the presence of hundreds of students and junior week-end guests.

Regent 8. H. Friendly turned the first shovelful of earth and Dr. John Straub, oldest member of the faculty in point of service, the second. Scores of visiting high school students also participated in the ground-breaking.

Court last Summer has not been made, was argued before Circuit Judge Campbell and public this morning by the attorneys for Gladstone and County Attorney Hedges. The ruling will be made by the court in a few days.

The writ demands that the county pay the city all road money collected within the city limits.

MAY 21 BAKER ROAD DAY

County Court Fixes Time and Commercial Club Pledges Workers. May 8 .- (Special.) - Ground was broken

MARKET PARADE ARRANGED Mechants and Club Assist in Making

Up Programme.

Housewives togged in calico dresses, sunbonnets and carrying baskets of farm products will be features of the parade arranged for May 16 in conjunction with the opening of the the public market on Yamhill street, between Third and Fifth streets.

Arrangements for the parade are being completed rapidly by a committee. Business houses, improvement clubs and commercial organizations are assisting in many ways and are arranging to put decorated automobiles and floats in the procession.

WASHINGTON GUARD READY

State Prepares for Sudden Mobilization at American Lake.

NORTH YAKIMA. Wash., May S.—
(Special.)—Detailed proparation has been made by the state for the mobilimation of the Washington National Guard at American Lake, and for recruiting all companies to a war footing of 159 men. according to Adjutant-General Maurice K. Thompson here today.

He expects orders for mobilization and has arranged to rush supplies and ammunition to American Lake in case of emergency.

sary to move a 185-foot wooden span
24 feet down stream to make room for
a 220-foot steel span that will replace
it. The approaches and plers had already been erected in advance. The
immense bridge that had stood for
years had been mounted on rollers. At
10 o'clock in the morning the bridge
was closed and at 5 P. M. it was again
opened for traffic.

WIFE SLAYER IS SUICIDE Body of Harry J. Favor Found in Brush at Prosser.

PROSSER, Wash., May 8 .- (Special.) -The body of Harry J. Favor was found by W. R. Biggs yesterday in the sage brush, about 400 yards east of the place he shot his divorced wife the night of April 25. In all probability, his suicide followed immediately after the team left bringing his wife's body to town. The searchers had been all over the adjacent grounds and must have passed within a few feet of where

REPUBLICAN WINGS UNITE South Bend Mass Meeting Paves Way

SOUTH BEND, Wash., May 9 .- (Speial.)-At a big mass meeting of Republicans and Progressives, held here last night, addresses were made for the reuniting of these political forces for the Fall campaign.

to 'Regular' County Convention.

for the Fall campaign.

Following the mass meeting the county central committee met, named W. W. Hays, of Raymond, as secretary, and fixed June 2 as the date for a caucus for the election of delegates to the county convention, June 9, at which ten delegates will be named for the state convention at Tacoma, June 18. There will be 87 delegates in the county convention. The apportionment is based on Hays' vote in 1912, one delegate for every 20 votes cast or major portion thereof. Both meetings were marked by harmony and a spirit of conciliation on both sides prevailed.

ANOTHER PIONEER PASSES John Adam Schmidt in Oregon Since

1858 Dies at 84.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 8.—(SpeThe writ of mandamus, obtained by
John Sievers and Harvey E. Cross attorneys for the City of Gladstone instructing the County Court to appear
before the Circuit Court and show reason why the payment of road tax
money as demanded by the Circuit
Court last Summer has not been made,
was argued before Circuit Judge Campbell this morning by the attorneys for
Gladstone and County Attorney Hedges.

The County Court ordered 20 split log drags made for use on that day. One tract of road, from Baker to Haines, will receive particular atten-tion of Baker citizens. In addition there will be hundreds out with picks

MINES ORDERED TAKEN UP Fishers' Obstructions Placed by Military Unwittingly.

ASTORIA, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—
Secretary Lorntsen, of the Columbia
River Fishermen's Union, today conferred with Colonel Ludiow, commander at Fort Stevens, regarding the
submarine mines that were planted recently along the edge of Peacock Spit,

Government of British Columbia

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CRIMINAL COURT IS BUSY

Aberdeen Docket Promises Many Big

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 8 .- (Spe

Developments This Term.

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Corvallis Regiment Undergoes Annual Inspection.

VISITORS LOUD IN PRAISE

Governor West and Many Officers at Festivities. Which Include Competitive Events and Sham Battle, Ending With Ball,

- A military ball, held in the college gymnasium, and a concert by the col-lege band concluded the festivities to-

MANY SEEKING FREE LAND

Prospective Homesteaders Will Inspect Big Bottom Country Today.

MAY 21 BAKER ROAD DAY

County Court Fixes Time and Commercial Club Pledges Workers.

BAKER, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—The County Court today decided to hold a "good roads day" in Baker County probably May 21, and the Commercial Club has promised to make an effort to have every citizen of the county work at least a part of the day on the goads.

The County Court ordered 20 split

Railway Fights Damage Suit. CENTRALIA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—A legal representative of the Northern Pacific, who is in Centralia today procuring data in the case of Allan McGregor, who filed suit for \$15,000 damages in the Lewis County

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Superior Court for injuries alleged to have been sustained by a fail from a boxcar in the local yards, asserts that McGregor's wife said her husband confessed that he pried the handhold

ROAD COMMMISSION'S REQUEST.

Action Has No Bearing on Fulton Park. Smith Ment Company and F. W. Isherwood to Be Heard.

ABERDEEN. Wash. May &—(Special.)—The heaviest and most sensational criminal decket ever to confront Chehalis County jurors will come before the Superior Court of this county at the opening of the session in April. There are already on the list four murder cases, a bank holdup and robbery, two forgery charges and three assault cases.

Aside from the Elma Bank robber case, for which three Russians are now being held, there are the murder charges against William Hacker, P. S. Moak, Wynooche Valley farmer; Otto Miller, and of B. S. Miller, of Portland, who Sunday morning is said to have cut the throat of a woman of the restricted district because she had cast him aside.

The forgery case against Harry A. Sampson, alias Fred B. Roberts, C. E. Series on and Harris, and who is wanted in many places on similar charges, also promises developments.

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