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Winter Scene at Crown Point Recently Photographed.

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Success Declared Assured.

Vista House Tribute to Pioneers.
Now will any person stand up and say that those men are lending their

Large subscriptions are neither expected nor desired. More than one capitalist has expressed a desire to give

generations. The names of pioneers and descendants of pioneers, and all others who contribute to the fund needed in the construction of this memorial building, will be carefully enrolled and permanently preserved in this edifice, to be seen by future generations.

Each adult contributor may give any sum you may find convenient from \$1 and upwards. Children—descendants of pioneers—may contribute in smaller sums than \$1 if it is not convenient to give that sum. The general idea is to have as many contributors as possible. It is better to have a large number of people are more acceptable than large sums from a few persons.

As an example of what I know has been done by one pioneer, I will cite the following: His gift to the association \$2.50 each for himself and wife—both pioneers—50 cents for each child and 25 cents for each grandchild. Another man, not a pioneer, gave \$3—\$1 for himself, \$1 for a son and \$1 for a grandson.

Remember that the more you meet with a favorable response, all contributions to be sent as directed in the printed matter, of which this is a part, I am very truly yours,

GEORGE H. HIMES,
Secretary Oregon Pioneer Association.

Just a few words about the site of the Vista House. Mr. Lancaster expressed his opinion, as remarked to me, that way or two ago, "Crown Point, upon which Vista House is to stand, is the crowning glory of the Columbia River Highway." It almost seems that Providence led Mr. Lancaster when he made the surveys for the highway around that point. It is almost a perpendicular rock reaching up about 750 feet above the Q-W-R. & N. tracks, which seem, as viewed from above, to be a few thin strips of steel connecting the two sides of the great rocks and the grand Columbia. There is no other such viewpoint on any highway in this coun-

So the utmost should be made of the

Edward N. Weinbaum Points to Greatness of Having Name Emblazoned
on List of Contributors to Memorial of Past and for Future.

It will give impulse to the tourists and to Oregon's citizens and their children, so they, too, can boast of having seen and knowing that in this great state the spirit of Oregon—they have provided a memorial to stand forever in honor of not only one particular pioneer, but all those who have passed into the great beyond and those who are still living.

No more suitable place on the entire Columbia River Highway could have been chosen than the "Crown Point" for this interesting and historical structure—most suitable and befitting.

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on the Columbia River highway, and the monument, fostered by the Vista House Association, now so-called the "Vista House," which, when erected will serve a three-fold purpose. It will be a memorial to the pioneers. It will be an observatory. It will be of aid to the tourist as a comfort and resting place. But the most important reason for its erection is that where records of the early pioneer history will tell the tales of Oregon's rich historical contribution in the making of one of the states of the Union.

Every citizen in Oregon should aid and contribute towards the erection of this monument.

To the makers of Oregon. Let all, for once and all time, memorialize the work of the pioneers who enabled you and I to come to a land where there has been a new spirit of civilization and a land of plenty.

A meeting of the committee will be

It is proposed to invite the Governors of all states, representatives of foreign governments at Washington, crowned heads of Europe, and men and women prominent in the United States, to attend the opening of the festival and the highway dedication. Congress will also be asked through the Oregon delegation to send a committee officially to represent the Government at the event.

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