



FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC HIGHWAYS

Interesting Addresses By Members of National Good Roads Association. County Organization Effected.

The Douglas County Good Roads Convention closed last Thursday evening with a most interesting and instructive meeting in the opera house, the third meeting for the day, all of which were fairly well attended and were enthusiastic.

Best of ordinary traffic at all seasons of the year. No round rock, either for foundation or otherwise will give satisfactory results in road building.

ED VIOLET KILLED AT GARDINER FRIDAY

Ed Violet, a well known logging contractor, who was long in the employ of the Booth, Kelly Co., in Lane county, but who for some time has been engaged in logging operations for a Gardiner lumbering company on Schofield creek, was crushed between two logs last Friday and instantly killed.

Boys Bound Over

The two 17-year-old boys, charged with larceny and who broke jail last Tuesday night only to be re-arrested at Drain the day following, were given an examination before Recorder Orest Friday and bound over to the circuit court for trial.

ROCKEFELLER'S GREAT GIFT TO COLLEGES

New York, June 30.—It was announced this afternoon that John D. Rockefeller had made a gift of \$10,000,000 to the general education board, of which Robert R. Ogden is chairman.

In a letter to the board authorizing the gift E. T. Gates, Rockefeller's secretary, says: "Ten million dollars will be paid October 1st in cash or income-producing securities, the principal to be held in perpetuity as a foundation for education, the income to be used for the benefit of institutions of learning, or employed in other ways to promote a comprehensive system of higher education in the United States."

CLOSING ARGUMENT IN THE TRIAL OF SENATOR MITCHELL

Eloquent and Convincing Arguments of Judge Bennett and Senator Thurston in Behalf of Defendant.

"Situating as I am between two such distinguished orators, the brilliant San Francisco lawyer and the other gentleman of whom you have heard so much and are yet to hear, I naturally feel some difference and can only attribute my being here to a similar reasoning to that used by the housewife, who, in spreading the table, is not content to put on the most tempting viands but deems the table incompletely spread without plain bread.

Resolutions Adopted and Officers Elected. Suitable resolutions were adopted and a local organization was effected with Judge M. D. Thompson, president; Morris Weber and J. C. Aiken, vice presidents; and J. W. Strain, secretary.

NEW YORK TO PARIS BY RAIL

Attention is called to the project of Loiey de Lobel, of Paris, for constructing an all-rail route between New York and Paris by means of a thirty-eight-mile tunnel under Bering Sea.

1776 INDEPENDENCE DAY 1905

Plea for a Sane Celebration. The "glorious Fourth" is at hand, and of course every truly patriotic American believes in appropriately celebrating it.

MITCHELL CASE GOES TO THE JURY THIS EVENING

Kribs Was Deceived In Order to Secure His Papers and Testimony Heney Admits He Could Not Be Indicted.

Portland, July 2.—The Mitchell trial will not close nor the case be placed in the hands of the jury before Monday afternoon. Senator Thurston finished his eloquent appeal before the jury yesterday at noon, and at the opening of the afternoon session Mr. Heney began his closing address.

Blame on Tanner. "Tanner is a man in a trap. In fact, evidence shows that Tanner suggested the change in contract and the subsequent perjury, why change the contract at all? As bad as Tanner is, I do not believe he wanted his son to commit perjury, and I think they were not resolved on perjury at that time.

DEATH SUMMONS SECRETARY HAY

Newberry, N. H., July 1.—Secretary of State John Hay, soldier, diplomat and author, died shortly after midnight this morning after a lingering illness.

MOTOR CYCLE TRIP FRISCO TO PORTLAND

Friday Seyd Havens and Mahlon Sweet passed through Roseburg on a two-horse power gasoline bicycle, of the Indian type, on their way to Portland, their cyclometer registering over 600 miles, which had been covered in about six days.

WANT VOTE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Salem, June 28.—Unless the friends of the woman suffrage amendment exercises more care than they have been doing, their initiative petitions for the submission of the proposed amendment will be fatally defective.

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