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COOS COUNTY GOOD ROAD ASSOCIATION IS FORMED

Enthusiastic Meeting Held by Men From All Five Cities.

FAVOR BONDING THE COUNTY HEAVILY

Would Build Road With Concrete Base From Ocean to Roseburg.

The Coos County Roads Association was organized last night as a result of the meeting of the committee from the Commercial

committees from the different cities of the county. Mayor A. T. Morrison of Coquille was made permanent chairman, J. E. Norton of Coquille, secretary, and it was decided to meet another meeting next Friday at Coquille.

Those in attendance favored bonding the county for about \$2,000,000 to build a permanent highway to the Douglas county line and the Douglas county to take it up on that side so that there would be a permanent road from the ocean to Roseburg.

The feeling among those in attendance regarding good roads was unanimous and the only question to decide was just now to proceed to bring about the desired results.

Those attending from Coquille were Mayor Morrison, R. S. Knolke and J. E. Norton. From Myrtle Point the following came over in automobiles to represent the Booster Club or that of W. O. Cooper, Dr. Johnson, B. Stewart, Perry Ward, E. C. Roberts and C. E. Huling.

The Bandon representatives were Dr. Sorensen, Mayor Mast and Geo. King.

From North Bend were Dr. Barlow, Peter Loggie, Edgar Simpson, Jerry Kern and L. P. Falkenstein. Among the Marshfield men in attendance were Mayor Straw, Dr. E. Magnus, Hugh McLain, J. A. Matlock, D. C. Greene, Judge John S. Cole, Claude Nasburg and several others.

States Purpose. Judge Coke started off the meeting by making a statement regarding the good roads movement. He said that it was his understanding that the plan was to bond the county to make a permanent road to the interior and to improve the roads throughout the county providing that the proper laws could be passed to allow the county to take a bond issue for this purpose.

He said that it would require a \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 bond issue and that he thought the people would be glad to do it.

One of the main questions to be decided he said, was what kind of road should be built. The judge said that in this country with the very rains washing the ground he thought that the only practical way was one with a concrete base. While this might cost more it was thought it would be the most permanent in the course of twenty years.

The judge called attention to the fact that the county now has about \$200,000 a year. He said a bond issue of \$2,000,000 would save the county money and spread the importance of sometimes being done at once instead of being done off. He thought the benefit should be derived as quickly as possible.

Would Attract Tourists. Judge Coke talked at length on the beauties and attractions of this county as a summer resort and he thought the people would be repaid many times over by the money spent here by tourists if such a road was built. The judge said that while there had been some difference of opinion in the fact as to whether road should be improved, he thought there was no doubt now that the people settling on the middle fork road as it was the most practical. The judge said that the road should be improved from the Douglas county line and Douglas county was ready to take up the matter and improve the roads on that side providing that the people here decide in favor of it.

The judge said that Mayor Morrison of Coquille was the one who gotten this last movement underway and that the people owed him a debt of gratitude for what he had done.

Morrison Chairman. Mayor Morrison was made chairman of the meeting and after a discussion it was decided that the organization should be made permanent. Hugh McLain suggested a name and the Coos County Good Roads Association was declared a permanent organization.

Mr. Morrison was made permanent chairman and was instructed to appoint his secretary. He appointed J. E. Norton of Coquille. Mr. Morrison said that Judge Coke expressed the purposes so clearly that he would simply say that he endorsed everything that Judge Coke said. Mr. Morrison

WRITES ON GOOD ROADS

O. B. Hinsdale, Formerly of Gardiner, Makes Some Suggestions.

Right now while the good roads matter is being agitated in this county, a timely letter is received from O. B. Hinsdale, formerly of Gardiner and now of Los Angeles. The letter follows:

Dear Sir: It is a pleasure to read in your good paper of the agitation of the question of "Good Roads" for Coos Bay, and it is to be hoped that some definite action will result from the discussion.

Next in importance to Coos Bay, after the Harbor Improvement and the Railroad, is the Coast Highway. And while your eastward connection seems of greatest immediate importance its necessity should become less pressing with the completion of the direct rail connection you will probably soon enjoy.

Permit me to suggest that your most important highway would be the Coast road. California is now planning to build her portion as far north as Eureka, and it will stand Coos Bay in hand to do her greatest boasting toward the continuation of that road up along the entire Oregon Coast. With both a Valley and Coast Highway built which would the great majority of interstate auto tourists take? Surely not the hot inland route in preference to the cool sea coast one.

And this would mean the passing of many thousands of automobiles through your city every season. Again, from a local view-point, would not the coast highway be the most useful? Would it not be a great favor in bringing the trade of the Umpqua and Siuslaw to Coos Bay?

If these are important prognostications then how opportune the suggestion of a good bridge across Coos Bay, over which vehicles and pedestrians could freely pass. And why not the S. P. R. Co. supply such a passage as a part of its railroad bridge as a partial remuneration for the interference to navigation such a structure must of necessity cause?

Very truly, O. B. HINSDALE.

said that he thought also that the Myrtle Point middle fork road was the most practical, as it would serve all of the cities of the county. He said it was his idea to get together and do something. Mr. Morrison said: "I do not believe that everyone realizes the extent of the development which will take place in this county in the next three years. I think that in ten years from now North Bend and Marshfield together will have three times as many people as the present population of the entire county. While you are growing over there we will be filling our land with people and growing things to sell you and be going some ourselves.

Decide on Route. Dr. Bartle of North Bend said he thought the organization should get together on whichever law was the best one to have passed and fight for it at the coming election. He also thought that the organization should unite on one road. He made a motion which was carried, that it was the sense of the organization to improve the middle fork road from the county line to Myrtle Point, from there to Coquille and on to this city and from here to Charleston Bay and also improve the beach road from Charleston Bay to Bandon. On the suggestion of Dr. Sorensen the road from Bandon to the Curry county line was included.

It was suggested that such a road would make a fine one for tourists who could come in from Roseburg to Myrtle Point and Coquille, run from the latter place down to Bandon, from there on the beach road to Coos Bay and then out over the road from Marshfield to Coquille.

Outlet to Curry. George Topping of Bandon spoke at length. He told of the importance of a good road from Bandon to Curry county and the latter county looked to Coos as its outlet. He said he thought the several laws which are now before the people to be voted upon should be investigated to find which one was the best. He also thought that when the roads were built they should be upon a systematic grade. Mr. Topping gave some interesting

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ONE THOUSAND KILLED IN BATTLE

Turkey and Montenegro Both Lose Heavily in Engagement on Frontier.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) LONDON, Oct. 12.—The Turkish troops on the Montenegrin frontier are offering a stubborn resistance to the Montenegrin advance on Scutari, according to the latest advices. Fighting has been severe. Both armies lost heavily. Heavy fighting was involved in the attacks by the Montenegrins on the forts at Schipinick Hill, Rogame and Branya. The lost in killed and wounded was 600 men to the Turks and 400 to the Montenegrins.

Rains Interfere. (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) SOFIA, Bulgaria, Oct. 12.—A torrential rainstorm last night made the roads today almost impassable because of mud. This condition is entailing much suffering among the troops and also impeding the work of transportation and concentration.

Relief Comes. CONSTANTINOPLE, October 12.—Relief of Berna by Turkish reinforcements is reported today. The Turks also reoccupied the Heights of Gushyno near the Montenegrin frontier.

Powers Take Hand. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 12.—The text of a collective note handed by representatives of the powers to the Ottoman government Thursday follows: "The undersigned ambassadors of Austria Hungary, Great Britain, France, Russia and Germany have been instructed by their respective governments to inform the Sublime Porte that the five powers take note of the intention of Turkey, publicly announced, to introduce reforms and they will immediately discuss with the Porte in the spirit of article xxii of the treaty of Berlin and the law of 1880, the reforms required in the administration of European Turkey, and measures capable of assuring their realization in the interest of the populations, it being understood that the reform will not affect the territorial integrity of the Ottoman empire."

TELLS DETAILS OF MURDER PLOT

Gambler Rose Testifies for the State in Famous New York Murder Case.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) NEW YORK, October 12.—"Bald Jack" Rose, the gambler and chief informer against Police Lieutenant Becker charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, was a witness today against the accused official. Before going on the stand Rose declared "I wish that nobody but myself need be dragged into this but I suppose it is part of the penalty. I shall tell every detail of the most awful plot ever hatched."

Rose told of Becker's partnership arrangement with Rosenthal in the gambling house, their disagreement over the profits and Becker's final threat to raid Rosenthal's place. Rose the witness, was the go-between for Becker and Rosenthal and after relating the disagreements of the alleged partners, declared Becker said to him: "I want him (Rosenthal) murdered, shot, croaked, dynamited or anything."

Raided the Place. The Rosenthal place was raided by Becker and soon after, Rose, according to Rose, began to talk about the street corners that Becker was in partnership with him and he was going to "show up Becker." Commissioner Waldo heard the charges, but had not believed them. "Becker said to me," testified Rose, "that fellow Rosenthal is getting dangerous. I said that nobody will believe Rosenthal." Becker seemed pacified for a time and witness declared that Becker had the newspapers fixed so that Rosenthal could not get anything in them.

Had Affidavit. "Later," said Rose, "Becker told me a morning paper had an affidavit of Rosenthal and was going to print it. I guess Rosenthal means to do what he said he would, to squeal and break me," Becker said. "I'll get a couple of gangmen," I told Rosenthal that if he does not stop his attacks on you something will happen to him."

"Oh hell," Becker said, "I don't want the fellow beaten up. If I did I would beat him up myself, or have him beaten up for resisting arrest. But beating won't do for him. He must be put where he'll stay you nor I nor anybody else will have to worry about him again."

Then it was, Rose testified, that

Becker demanded the murder of Rosenthal. Rose here told Becker's alleged instructions to him to get out on bail "Big Jack" Zelig, gang leader, then in the Tombs for carrying concealed weapons, and to have Zelig's men put Rosenthal out of the way.

Ordered Man Killed. Rose went to Zelig to ask him to give the orders to his gang to "croak" Rosenthal. Rose handed Zelig \$100, which had been given him by Becker, but Zelig protested that he did not want any money, but wanted Becker to get him out of prison. "I won't do anything for Becker unless he does," Rose said he then went to the home of four gunmen, "Gyp, the Blood," and his pals, and explained the Rosenthal-Becker situation. Rose told them, he testified, that Becker would frame them up if they did not "croak" Rosenthal. They agreed to do it that night, but they delayed the job, fearing that Rosenthal was protected by detectives. Finally Becker protested against the delay and insisted that Rosenthal be killed, and told Rose to walk up and shoot Rosenthal in front of a policeman. "Get through with it, get it over," he said.

The witness passed quickly over the events preceding the murder and of meeting Jack Sullivan at the Lafayette baths. "I remained at the baths until that night and had dinner with Sam Schepps, Valon and Plitt. They came in a machine. Plitt had been described as Becker's press agent. Rose testified that Vallon, Schepps and himself went to Fourteenth street and Second avenue, where they got an auto. They then went to "Dago" Frank's house. I asked Frank where the rest of the crowd was, continued Rose. He said he had received a message to come down to Bridgie Webber's place. We went there and saw Bridgie, Gyp, the Blood, Lefty Louie and Whitey Lewis on the sidewalk. We all went to Bridgie's place and had drinks. Bridgie said: "Hermann Rosenthal is at the Metropole. "Everybody then got up and went out. "Who went out?" the witness was asked.

"Lefty, Gyp, Whitey, Dago Frank and Bridgie. I stayed behind and waited."

When word came in that Rosenthal was shot, Rose said he went to the Lafayette baths and telephoned Becker. "Did you hear the news?" I asked him. "Yes," Becker said, "I congratulate you."

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BOSTON WINS FIFTH GAME IN GREAT CONTEST WITH NEW YORK

Red Sox Need Only One More Game to Be World's Champions.

CROWD OF 35,000 PEOPLE SEE GAME

Pitchers of Both the Teams Do Superb Work in the Box.

THE SCORE. By Associated Press N. Y. 000000100—131 Boston 00200000—251

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Boston, the American League champions, defeated the New York Nationals by a score of 2 to 1 today in the fifth game of the world's series, before a crowd of 35,000 people. The Red Sox only need to win one more game to capture the title of world's champions, while the Giants must win three straight games to get the championship laurels. The youthful Bedient pitched a wonderful game, holding New York to three hits. Mathewson also pitched a superb game. New York's only run was scored on a two-bagger by First Baseman Merkle, after two outs and an error by Third Baseman Gardner. The next game of the series will be played in New York Monday, when the Red Sox crack boxman, Joe Wood, will probably be sent in to pitch against New York.

Big Attendance. The following are the figures for the attendance and receipts: The total attendance was 34,682. Receipts, \$63,201. National Commission's share, \$6,320.10. Each club's share, \$24,440.45.

NO DEMAND FOR SKIRTS. Close-Fitting Dresses Break Up a Big Factory. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Close-fitting dresses now worn by women so reduced the demand for petticoats that the Jackson-Mack Manufacturing Company, one of the largest makers of silk petticoats in New York, went into bankruptcy today.

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AVIATOR HAS NARROW ESCAPE

M. E. Reid With Naval Officer Are Wrecked But Are Rescued.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12.—Marshall E. Reid, aviator, and Henry C. Mustin, lieutenant commander in the navy, who left Cape May yesterday for this city in a hydro-aeroplane and for whose safety apprehension was felt, were picked up in Philadelphia by a police boat. The hydro-aeroplane fell into the Maurice river and was wrecked. Reid and his companion are not hurt.

The men had clung to the hydro-aeroplane more than 15 hours before they were picked up in Delaware Bay. The engine of their machine exploded while flying at the rate of 40 miles an hour when the machine plunged into the water.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. The following marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk Watson during the past week: John Theodore Settem of Astoria and Eva Dorris of Prosper. Don F. Nelson and Laura M. Rookard, both of Myrtle Point. True Salling and Georgina M. Tope, both of Marshfield. Eckley M. Guerin of Allegany and Amy Kinnicut of Myrtle Point. Charles H. Lowry and Elizabeth J. Cox, both of Marshfield.

THE SONS OF NORWAY will give a SOCIAL DANCE at EAGLES' HALL, SATURDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 12. KEYZER'S ORCHESTRA will furnish the music. EVERYONE is cordially INVITED to attend.

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SAYS DENEEN NOT TRUTHFUL

Roosevelt Accuses Governor of Illinois of Telling What is False.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Governor Deneen of Illinois was accused by Roosevelt today of deliberate and wilful perversion of the truth. Roosevelt characterized the governor as "the friend and ally of Lorimer."

WILSON CONFIDENT. Thinks People Will Vote for Democrats in November. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—Governor Wilson arrived here today well pleased with the results of his trip. When asked as to the outcome of the election in November, he said: "I have tried not to permit my mind to arrive at a conclusion on that subject. I know the democratic party offers to the people the only opportunity by which the people can regain control of their own government. I have not the slightest doubt they will seize it." He made two speeches in New York today.

ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE

Man in Custody at Chehalis May Be the Slayer of Two.

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 12.—The police have a man in custody whom they believe is John Tornow wanted for the alleged murder of his two nephews. He answers fairly well the description. Tornow has given three names and does not satisfactorily explain his past. Officers from Montezano are expected this afternoon to identify the suspect.

BURNED WITH HOT GREASE

Mrs. Herman Hillyer Meets With Peculiar and Painful Accident Today.

Mrs. Herman Hillyer met with an unfortunate accident today when she was accidentally burned with hot grease. She was frying meat and accidentally struck one side of the frying pan with her hand in such a way that the pan turned up at the side and threw the hot grease over Mrs. Hillyer's face.

The burns are quite painful. Her eyes escaped injury, but Mrs. Hillyer was badly burned on the forehead and on one side of her face.

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