

RAILWAY FOR THE ILLINOIS BASIN

J. F. Reddy Says Line Will Be Built From Coast or the Southern Pacific.

THREE ROUTES TO TAP THE COUNTRY POSSIBLE

One Is From Crescent City, Another From Jacksonville and Third Is From Grants Pass—Particulars Not Given Regarding Enterprise.

"A railway line will be built from Crescent City, on the Southern Pacific, into the big copper belt of the upper Illinois river. It will be an event of the near future, and not a vague possibility of the next century. This line will open a mineral area which is destined to become famous as a gold and copper producing country, forests that will enrich thousands and a most promising agricultural section which has been sadly neglected because of its isolation."

Dr. J. F. Reddy, one of the most successful young mine operators of southern Oregon, gave expression to the

above last evening as he was boarding the Southern Pacific train. He pointed out his interest in the Ore mines near Jacksonville, Douglas county, and has been busy interesting heavy capital in the Blue Ledge, which is in the Illinois basin. Dr. Reddy has been conducting some of the best mining men of the west to the district, including in the number agents of the American Smelting & Refining company, the Guggenheim, Heine, W. A. Clark, Patsy Clark, James Cronin of British Columbia, the Mountain Copper company, De Lamar company and others. He has also been known to hold frequent conferences of late with prominent railway men, and his last trip north was believed to be more of a railway mission than in pursuit of mining affairs. His words carry more hope than any other recent utterance on the prospect of relieving a great interior section.

"I am not at liberty to give particulars regarding the work," continued the mining man. "I can assure you that a railway will go into the upper basin of the Illinois river within a quite reasonable time. Heavy construction will commence next year. Developments in that country demand an outlet. There is already a copper tonnage that should command immediate attention. The Takilma smelter is able to deliver about a carload of matte daily when running with the present furnace, and would probably require about a carload daily of supplies and coke. This is but one concern. If the Takilma had a railway it could no doubt run the year through, and will in all human probability be enlarging before long, doubling its tonnage."

"The most conservative experts who have visited the Blue Ledge say that there is 100,000 tons of ore in sight there, which would pay a handsome profit in shipment. The Monumental property, which is near Crescent City than Grants Pass, has been hauling heavy machinery and large quantities of supplies and material and will be operating steadily. There are numerous other mining properties of the country which would be brought out by railway transportation. The country has in sight a much greater mineral tonnage alone than has been the incentive for railroad building elsewhere."

"But in addition to the mines we have splendid forests and good agricultural land in the lower sections. Timber operations in that section will be among the most profitable of the state, especially when reaching toward the western side of Josephine and Curry counties. It is a vast area of splendid lands, rich in resources and little more than discovered."

When pressed for something more definite regarding his plans, and who contemplated building the railway, Dr. Reddy said he was not at liberty to say more. It is known that he himself had preliminary lines run from Jacksonville across the low divide into the Applegate basin and thence toward the Blue Ledge. This distance from the present railway terminus at Jacksonville to the Blue Ledge mine is about 25 miles. It is also known that Colonel T. Wain-Morgan Draper has had preliminaries run for a line from Grants Pass to Takilma, a distance of 42 miles. The Blue Ledge is but 17 miles beyond the Takilma plant, which would give the route up the basin of the Illinois to the state boundary a length of about 57 miles. It is also known that surveys have been made to Crescent City, where there is a harbor in which heavy coasting steamers ride.

All of the machinery for the Monumental property was delivered at Crescent City and hauled thence to the mine. One of the plans formulated by Colonel Draper and his San Francisco associates was to build a line from this port to the Illinois, drawing all the freight of that section toward the coast, rather than toward the Southern Pacific. With three possible routes before the road-builders and heavy resources along either line, it is impossible to forecast the probable route that will be chosen for the work, which Dr. Reddy assures will be taken up soon.

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Sheepmen Fear Difficulty in Getting Flocks Out of Mountains, Where Flakes Fell to Great Depth and Hard Winter Is Predicted.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Colfax, Wash., Oct. 15.—The first snow of the season fell throughout the Palouse country yesterday. Snow fell in the eastern half of Whitman county, Washington, and extended into the Coeur d'Alene mountains in Idaho. The snow is said to have been unusually heavy in the mountains, but in the grain belt it did not reach a greater depth than four inches, although enough snow fell to make twice that depth had it not melted as rapidly as it did. Some damage was done to fruit and shade trees by the heavy fall of wet snow coming while the foliage was still on the trees, and the combined weight broke many of them down.

This snow, coming after so much rain, effectually kills all hope of saving a vast amount of unthreshed grain, and the total loss in Whitman and adjoining counties is placed as high as 1,000,000 bushels. Much of this grain is standing in the shock and cannot be saved, even if good weather should follow, which is not likely. The grain has sprouted and is badly moldy, swollen and bleached. It will be fit only for feed for livestock and much of it will not be even good feed.

Sheepmen whose flocks are still in the mountains are extremely uneasy, as it is feared there will be great difficulty in getting the sheep out of the mountains through the heavy snow. This is one of the earliest snows here in many years and is taken as a forerunner of a hard winter. No snow fell in western Whitman county, but one of the heaviest rains of the fall fell there and the total rainfall here for the month of October is more than five inches, a record never before reached.



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SUPERIORITY OF OREGON

(Continued from Page One.) orchards survived the treatment and today, at 40 years of age, they are bearing as prolifically as they did at 10 years old," said William M. Holmes, a well-known old resident.

Big Price for Comice Pears. Among the remarkable sales this season was a car of Comice pears shipped to New York by Clay & Meader, which netted \$4.70 per box. The pears sold at auction at a gross price of \$5.65, and the gross receipts from the car were \$3,375. This firm has about 65 acres of pears. E. J. DeHart, in whose orchard near Medford are 20 acres of pears, sent a car of Beurre d'Anjou pears to New York and they averaged \$5.20 per box at auction sale. The d'Anjou previously held the world's record at \$4.75 gross, received some years ago for a car from Idaho.

There are a number of lucky men in southern Oregon who will participate in

the big profits from the pears that come out of the Rogue River valley in the next five years. C. H. Lewis has 100 acres in pears near Medford. L. B. Brown has 40 acres. E. E. and John Gore, 15 acres; Joseph Vossen, 10 acres; and there were others, including Bert Whitman, J. T. Nute, James Hanson, Frank Touville, F. H. Hopkins and Murray & Stewart.

J. H. Stewart, who is regarded as the father of the pear business in southern



President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University.

Oregon, has a singular faith in the future of the industry. At the age of 76 years, and in falling health, he has gone back into the hills near the head of the Rogue river, 30 miles from Medford, the nearest railroad station, and has planted 30 acres of Bartlett pears, which will next year, for the first time, yield a crop. He is said to have selected this isolated place because of its higher altitude, which brings the pears into the market two weeks later than the valley crop, and insures a strong market for the fruit. He says he does not expect to live to enjoy the results of his latest venture, but has entered upon it for the benefit of his children, believing a good pear orchard in the Rogue river valley the best legacy he can leave them.

Seven Building Permits

Building permits have been issued to W. H. Smith, dwelling, on Minnesota street, \$1,250; Mrs. P. Lovelace, dwelling, on Thurman street, near Kirby street, \$2,000; H. D. Story, dwelling, on Twenty-second street, between Washington and Everett streets, \$5,100; Welch, Fargo & Co., foundation for office building, corner Sixth and Oak streets, \$30,000; Mrs. D. Edwards, dwelling, on Thurman street near Rugby street, \$4,000; A. D. Marshall, dwelling, on Thurman street near Thirty-fourth street, \$3,000; J. E. Irwin, meat market on Stanton street, near Bellwood, \$400.

Repair permits have been issued to H. E. Dosh, building on West Park, between Yamhill and Taylor streets, \$75.

Cudaby's Daughter Married. (Journal Special Service.) Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 12.—Miss Catherine Cudaby, daughter of Patrick Cudaby, the millionaire packer, and Thomas Ferneding of Dayton, Ohio, were married at St. John's Cathedral here this

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Wiltsee-Taylor Wedding. (Journal Special Service.) New York, Oct. 13.—Ernest A. Wiltsee of New York, a wealthy young society man of that city, who owns valuable gold and silver mines in California and Mexico, and Miss Emily Stuart Taylor, daughter of the late Stuart Taylor, and a niece of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, Sr., were married here today in the presence of a number of their American friends.

Western Life in Contempt. (Journal Special Service.) Chicago, Oct. 13.—On the declaration of counsel for various policy-holders that G. M. Moulton, E. I. Rosenfeld and E. D. Moore, members of the executive committee of the Western Life Indemnity, had violated the ruling of the court and purchased shares of the Security Life & Annuity company, Judge Kohlsaat late yesterday issued an order

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