

SURVEY FOR EXTENSION

Oregon Electric Company Preparing for Construction of Line From Salem to Albany Latter Part of the Present Year.

Surveying crews are in the field running lines for an extension of the Oregon electric railway from Salem to Albany, 27 miles. The engineers are trying out three different routes. Construction of the road will be commenced next fall, immediately following completion of the company's branch to Hillsboro and Forest Grove. When these lines are completed the Oregon Electric Railway company will have more than 100 miles of main track. The Albany and Forest Grove lines will be built by W. S. Barstow & Co., under direction of W. P. Turner, appointed chief engineer and manager of that company in Oregon. Mr. Turner and Guy Talbot, general manager of the Oregon electric, went into the field 10 days ago and looked over the ground between Salem and Albany. They immediately put surveyors at work, and the summer will be spent determining the best route, securing rights of way and making preparations for beginning grading in the fall.

Commence in Thirty Days.

The work of building the Forest Grove line will be commenced within the next 30 days. Every pound of steel rails and other materials are already purchased and on the ground and final preparations are being made for the grading. The distance will be 21 miles. The line will leave the main track of the Portland-Salem division at a point near the southwestern city limits of Portland, and follow the survey completed by the company last fall, when its intention to build a line from Forest Grove and Hillsboro was first announced. Preparations have been carried on quietly, and purchases of all necessary materials made some time ago. The company has ordered additional equipment for operating the Hillsboro line, which will be running early next fall.

SENATOR FULTON TO OPEN AT MEDFORD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., March 28.—Senator Charles W. Fulton arrived in the city at noon today and will remain in the state for several weeks in the interest of his candidacy for reelection and will visit the principal cities and towns, addressing the people on the charges that have been made against him by Honey and others. He looks in excellent health and in evident high spirits with apparently no doubt about the outcome of the coming election. He will leave tomorrow for Medford, where he will open his campaign, and at each place he speaks will answer in detail charges that have been made against him. The senator said the people of Oregon cannot realize how well off they are in comparison with many of the eastern and middle western states.

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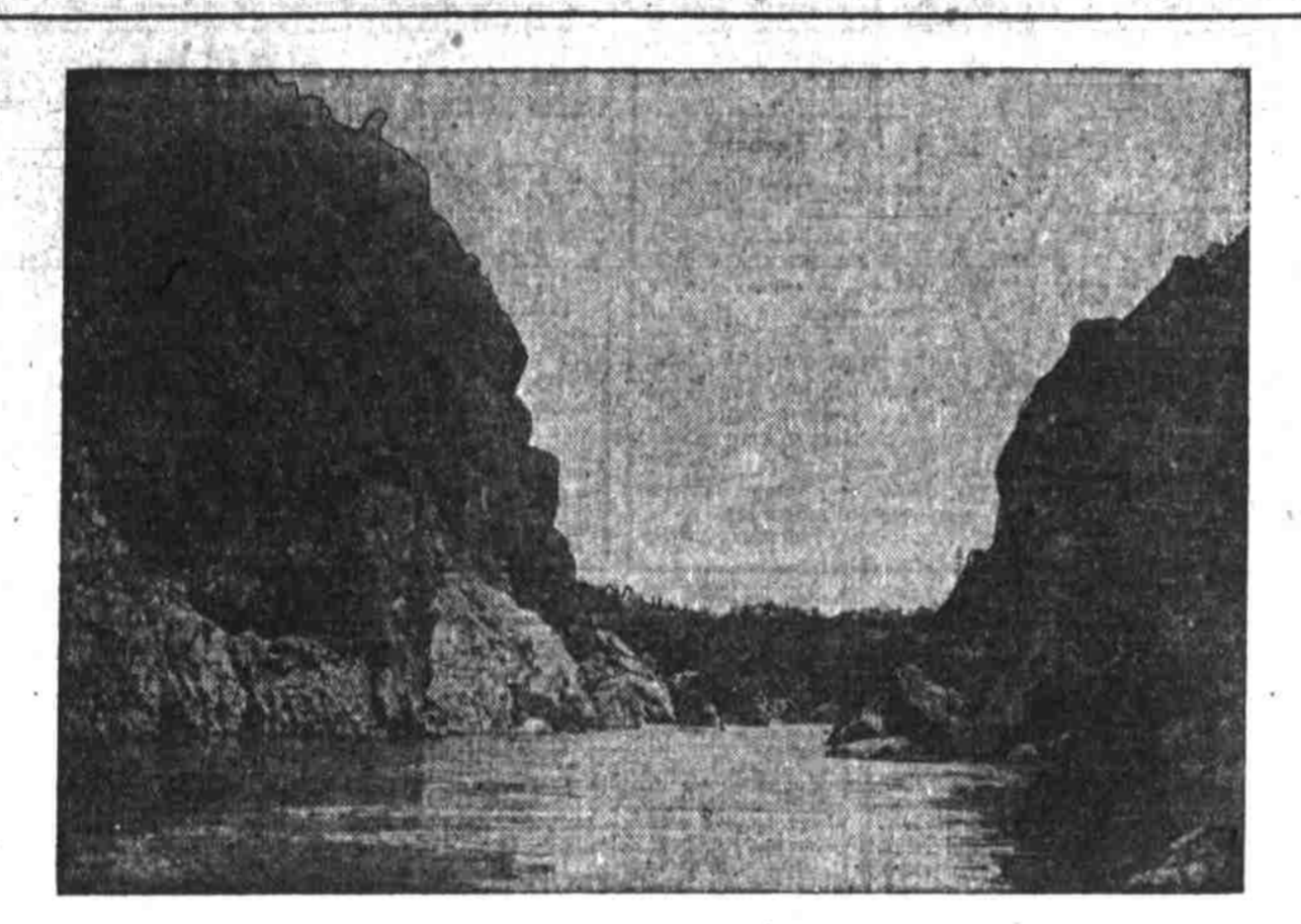
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STRETCH OF ROGUE RIVER THAT RIVALS THE FAMOUS ROYAL GORGE



Hell Gate, Entrance to a Wonderful and All but Unknown Scenic Region on the Lower Rogue River.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Grants Pass, Or., March 28.—There is a section of Rogue river, covering a distance of some 50 miles and extending from Hell Gate to the confluence of the Illinois with the Rogue, that has been pronounced the most picturesque and widest in all Oregon. The government, at a vast expense and under the supervision of the forest service officials, is now building a trail down the Rogue through this territory. This will be the first beaten track ever built across it and it will open a region that is practically unknown, a region of mountain forests, deep canyons, grassy plateaus and towering crags. Several miles of the trail is already completed and it is being pushed down the river as fast as a crew of 25 men can build it. As it hangs to the rocky precipices directly over the river, it is necessary to blast a way through the rocks. This trail affords a great convenience not only to the forest rangers, giving them a much shorter route to the reserve of the lower river, but it will afford a much shorter mail and pack route for the ranchers and miners of Curry county. "Hell Gate" is not the entrance to a long series of Hell Gates," declared one of the forest men who has been at work on the trail. "Hell Gate is well named, but the same could as well be applied to all of Rogue river from Galice on down to the mouth of the Illinois. It has the White Horse rapids of the Yukon beaten ten to one. There is a winding stretch of about 40 miles from Galice, through which the river passes, that is an uninhabited wilderness. Bear are as plentiful down there as hogs in a corn country—great, big fellows they are, too—black, brown, cinnamon and a few silver-tips. A man doesn't need to hunt bear down there—the bear hunt him. Throughout its entire lower course the Rogue is one continued cataract. It cuts a deep and tortuous silt through the Coast mountains. At one point the rock-walled banks tower fully 2,000 feet above the river and the waters are confined to a narrow channel but 20 feet in width. Down in that canyon and looking from the level of the water, the scene is visible till 10 o'clock and appear again at 3. It is like looking up from the bottom of a deep well. At another place in that region the river makes a long detour, circuitous and coming back within a stone's throw of its original course, much like a throw winding down a mountain. An impenetrable, rock barrier hurls the Rogue aside and prevents its cutting through on the shorter route. "A railroad route has been surveyed down Rogue river to the sea, and should the line ever be built, which it no doubt will some time in the not distant future, as this is the only natural route into the rich agricultural, stock and mining region of Curry county, it will be one of the most scenic routes in all America. It easily rivals the famous Columbia river scenery, or the Royal Gorge of Colorado.

PLAN TO PASS ALDRICH BILL

Republican Members of Committee Expected to Shelve Fowler Measure. (United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 28.—Although the house leaders have not announced what program they will follow to put the Aldrich currency bill through, Republican members of the committee on banking and currency are shelving the Fowler bill in favor of the Aldrich measure, despite the fact that they have favorably reported the Fowler bill to the house. For this reason Speaker Cannon at present favors the regular procedure of referring the Aldrich bill to the committee on banking and currency. He believes the house will substitute it for the Fowler bill.

EAGLES WILL SCREAM AT BELL'S ARRIVAL

Local Lodge Preparing Reception for Grand Worthy President. Monday evening, April 6, Theodore A. Bell, grand worthy president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will speak in public at the Armory to all the members of the order and to the general public. The Fraternal Order of Eagles States representative from California and at one time was a candidate for governor of the Golden state. Mr. Bell was elected grand worthy president of the Eagles at the last session of the grand lodge, convened at Norfolk, Virginia, in September of last year. The Fraternal Order of Eagles was "hatched" in Seattle in February, 1898, and since that time has grown very rapidly, it now having a membership of about 35,000 and having lodges in Canada, Alaska, Hawaii, the Philippine Islands and every city of prominence in the United States. The local lodge has a large membership and it is awaiting the arrival of Grand Worthy President Bell in enthusiastic anticipation. Bell is a candidate to join hands with brass bands and giving the grand worthy president the most enthusiastic welcome he ever had.

MADISON BRIDGE TAKEN SICK AGAIN

Portland's prize package, the Madison street bridge, broke down again yesterday at 11:30 and again teams and stretchers were compelled to cross the other bridges until late in the afternoon. This time it was a broken slide, preventing a shoe casting on the motor from running in its groove. A new casting, weighing about 100 pounds, had to be made for the bridge machinery.

TEN THOUSAND MEN CHEER FOR BAILEY

(United Press Leased Wire.) Fort Worth, Texas, March 28.—Ten thousand supporters of United States Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey gathered in Fort Worth today in a rally convention to give testimonial to his loyalty to the senator and to nominate delegates at large to the Democratic national convention in Denver. The candidates will be pitted against new Bailey candidates in a primary to be held in May. The primary is an agreed test between the Bailey and anti-Bailey people in Texas as to the actual strength of Bailey.

Officers of New Commandery

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., March 28.—St. Aldemans commandery, Knights Templars, completed its organization last evening by electing officers as follows: Dr. Jay Tuttle, eminent commander; Rees Thomas, generalissimo; O. L. Peterson, captain general; Frank Vaughn, senior warden; A. H. Wilson, junior warden; H. L. Henderson, excellent prelate; John Simington, treasurer; M. E. Masterson, recorder; R. M. Foster, standard bearer; W. C. Logan, sword bearer; Charles Thomas, warden; L. Hartwig, sentinel; O. F. Hellborn, armorer; N. A. Petersen, J. R. Anderson and J. C. Tenbrook, guards. At the conclusion an elaborate banquet was served.

New Notaries

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., March 28.—Notarial commissions have been issued to the following: William B. Young, Fort Stevens; J. H. Walker, Oregon City; Donald McLeod, Portland; E. M. Young and James M. Jones, Independence; G. W. Rapp, Roseburg; J. P. Winter, Pendleton; S. J. Lynch, Portland; W. R. Hall, St. Johns.

GROCCERS WON'T BE ABLE TO GET AWAY FROM OREGON'S SCENERY

When grocers from all over America gather in historical Faneuil hall in Boston next May for their national convention the most cheering thing that will confront them will be the sight of hundreds of Oregon photographs lining the walls of the "Cradle of Liberty." It was learned yesterday by C. B. Merrick of the Retail Grocers' association, the O. R. & N. Co.'s famous collection of Oregon pictures, showing scenes along the lines of the Harriman roads in this state, will be on exhibition in Faneuil hall the week of the grocers' convention, and will be there to help the Oregon grocers win their fight to bring the next national convention to Portland. "It's the most fortunate thing that could have happened in our attempt to capture the next national convention," said Merrick. "I've tried to get the offices of all the trade journals with articles descriptive of the state and city, and now all we will have to do is to get the delegates to Faneuil hall will be to do a little talking and then point to those pictures on the walls. If that doesn't bring them around in a hurry, I miss my guess."

CHAMBERLAIN WILL CONTRIBUTE ARTICLE

Governor to Discuss Oregon Waterways in Pacific Monthly for June. The forthcoming June number of the Pacific Monthly, which will be mailed about May 20, is to be devoted almost exclusively to Oregon, discussions of its resources and advantages by various prominent men of the state. Among the contributions on Oregon is one by Governor Chamberlain on the "National Importance of Oregon's Waterways," in which he advocates a 40-foot channel to the sea and improvement of the river upper Columbia; commercial possibilities of the Willamette river and improvement of the state's coast harbors. C. E. Wood has an article on "Portland's Feast of Roses," presenting the aesthetic significance of the great annual carnival, its future possibilities, and its present importance to the material and social progress of the city and state. "The Charm of Oregon" (pen sketch of scenic beauties of the state), by Joaquin Miller. Charles B. Clark Jr., the foot of the plains, has a poem on "The Old Oregon Trail." "Advertising a Commonwealth" is the name of a contribution by Tom Richardson, manager of the Commercial club, in which he tells how organized publicity campaigns are developing the state. In the "Forum of the West" department there are to be a number of brief articles of interest to Oregonians, by well-known Oregonians. Because of the fact that the June number will deal so largely with this state, it is to be called the "Oregon" number.

REALTY BOARD SEES NEWLY BUILT SECTION

Members Visited Overlook in Special Observation Car Yesterday. With banners streaming from the sides of the car and a brass band discoursing patriotic and popular airs, nearly 100 realty dealers left the corner of Second and Washington streets at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Portland Railway company's observation car for a run to Overlook. The party was taken over the Williams avenue route and returned by way of Lower Albina. Astoria was expressed by many at the remarkable development that has taken place in Overlook since the addition was put on the market. C. E. Wood, agent for the Swenson, agent for the district, successfully played the part of host, conducting the party over the addition and showing the extent of the street improvements made there in the past year. The realty board is making arrangements to go to Salem over the Oregon Electric line next Saturday, leaving the city at 9 a. m. and returning at 6:30 in the evening.

WASHINGTON COUNTY PIONEER FOUND DEAD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Forest Grove, Or., March 28.—Andrew Thatcher, 66 years old and an Oregon pioneer of 1857, was found dead in his cabin on his farm near Thatcher, three miles northwest of this city, at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Coroner Brown was summoned. The resulting inquest developed the fact that death had come from natural causes, at about noon today. Thatcher was a native of Indiana. He crossed the plains by ox team in 1857 and had lived in Washington county since. His wife died several years ago. He leaves two daughters, one married, who live near Portland.

LITTLE BOB IS GAINING

(Continued from Page One.) Lewis B. Reed is the secretary of the Republican state convention and already he has sent out a vast number of circular letters to different parts of the state in the interest of the candidate. Up in Washington more than two tons of first-class mail telling of LaFollette's merits have already been sent out on Oregon the same policy will be pursued. In preaching the LaFollette propaganda in Oregon the work of the Wisconsin senator in regulation of the railroads is being made the chief point upon which to gain the support of the Oregon vote. The fact that Senator LaFollette has at all times worked for the people as against the injustice of railroad corporations is being used in the campaign. The fact that Senator LaFollette has at all times worked for the people as against the injustice of railroad corporations is being used in the campaign. The fact that Senator LaFollette has at all times worked for the people as against the injustice of railroad corporations is being used in the campaign.

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TRAVELERS THANK STATE OFFICIALS

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lister to the office of master fish warden of Oregon, be it Resolved, That the thanks of the traveling men be extended to these gentlemen for the recognition given them and the honor conferred upon one of our associates. "The question at issue was whether Governor Chamberlain and the other members of the board should be thanked as individuals and as coming from the association as a body. Those taking the side that the association should take no part in politics won out and the modified resolution followed. The association decided to make arrangements for an elaborate display in the rose festival parade and the president was requested to select a committee of five which members are to have the matter in charge. Delegates to the national convention of the association at Milwaukee June 22 were selected. The delegates are: H. C. McAllister, L. O. Lakin and Otto A. Windfelder, there being two alternates, C. D. Fraser and J. W. Curran. An effort will be made to have the national convention of the Travelers' Protective association of 1909 meet in Seattle and the Portland delegates to Milwaukee will work with that end in view. If held at Seattle the meeting will be during the summer when the Yukon-Alaskan fair is in session. Union farmers of Florida will this year place the union label on their cotton and on the crates of fruit and vegetables shipped to northern markets. Several thousand union farmers in Indiana are likewise using the union label on their products.

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