

EFFORTS HOPEFUL FOR GOOD ROADS' CAMPAIGN

Crater Lake Project Is Assured at Enthusiastic Medford Meeting—Prominent Oregonians Address the Boosters for Better Highways.

(United Press Special Wire.)
 Medford, Or., Sept. 24.—Medford and Jackson county have gone good-roads mad. Two rousing sessions of a good roads convention were held in this city yesterday and before they were closed County Judge J. R. Nell pledged \$50,000 on the part of Jackson county towards building the proposed Crater Lake road.
 Judge John H. Scott, president of the Oregon Good Roads association, addressed the meetings, instilling great enthusiasm into the audience.
 The Crater Lake road commission has accomplished its mission in this city. The commissioners will next turn their attention to Klamath county.
 The meeting convened in the Commercial club rooms and the hall was crowded. Judge William Colvig, president of the Commercial club, presided. John H. Scott, president of the Good Roads association for Oregon, spoke of the importance of good roads and outlined the formation of associations throughout the state to work for the enactment of legislation providing for the appointment of a state highway commissioner, and for appropriation to construct one or more continuous lines of road through the state. He advocated a state appropriation of \$10,000 for each county with a provision that the county appropriate a like sum toward the purpose of constructing a piece of permanent road in each county, so that eventually the road would be constructed in the various counties would unite and make some continuous lines of road throughout the state.
 He stated that Multnomah county, which pays one third of all state taxes, is willing to make a state appropriation for road construction. All money so appropriated is to be expended under the direction of a state highway commissioner, who will also prepare specifications and bridge plans for use in the respective counties.
 C. E. Jackson followed Judge Scott with an enthusiastic talk showing some

of the benefits that would be derived from the building of the proposed road from Medford or some point on the railroad to Crater Lake by Klamath Falls. In speaking of the cost of such a road, he stated that he believed that the counties of Jackson and Klamath would each give \$2,000 toward the estimated cost that the state would come forward with an amount equal to the combined appropriation of the two counties, and the national government would no doubt build the road in the reserve and park proper. The cost of building the highway would thus be easily met.
 The Crater Lake Road commission, recently appointed, met with representative citizens last night and there remains no doubt that Medford and Jackson county will raise without effort money sufficient to meet the appropriation needed.
 Of the commission there were present Colonel C. S. Jackson, Will C. Steel, Judge J. H. Scott, Benton Bowers, Judge Baldwin, Dr. J. F. Reddy, F. H. Hopkins and Dr. Ray, who is representing his brother, Colonel Ray.
 Judge Nell's Talk.
 When Judge Nell was called upon he said:
 "I speak as the county court and feel sure I shall have the support of my constituents to a man and will say Jackson county will give \$5,000 this year and \$5,000 next year if you will raise in any manner you may find expedient an equal amount."
 Judge Nell spoke with such enthusiasm in the case that it brought a deafening applause.
 County Surveyor Applegate laid out on a map before the meeting the line of survey which seemed most feasible for the road. Dr. Reddy assured the meeting of the ease with which the amount, aside from the county appropriation, could be raised among the owners of automobiles, of which there are nearly 100 here, and among corporate owners of timber holdings, and if need be by the special levy of a 19-mill road tax allowed by law.

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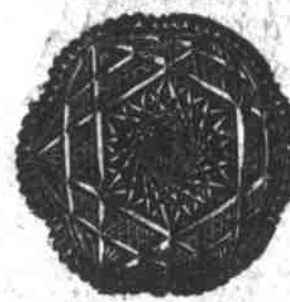
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EDISON RECORDS For October



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SIDELINE STORIES OF GREAT NORTHWEST

LAND CONCENTRATION.

Big Farmers Are Acquiring Control of Eastern Oregon Tracts.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Pendleton, Sept. 24.—One of the most important industrial tendencies of eastern Oregon is the rapid concentration of the farming lands into the hands of a few men. This year the enormous wheat crop of Umatilla county was harvested by fewer men than ever before. Section after section of the best wheat land is being bought up by the big farmers who already own many square miles, and the farms are being gradually abandoned by their former owners, who are moving in large numbers to the new wheat districts of Alberta and Saskatchewan.
 In the Athena district over 100 farmers have sold out in the past 15 months and moved away, most of them to Canada, and the land is now owned and farmed by wheat kings whose prestige is increasing from year to year. The only increased activity in the section of Umatilla county is in the irrigation districts, where small tracts are being bought up gradually by new settlers and where great development is looked for.

FISHWAYS UNCOVERED.

Link River Reaches Its Lowest Stage in Quarter Century.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Klamath Falls, Or., Sept. 25.—Old Indian rock fishways have been uncovered in Link river, the second time they have been seen in 25 years. On account of the unusual low water this season, two fishways are now visible. The oldest Indians claim no knowledge of the building of these dams, indicating that they were constructed many years ago.
 They are built in runways with platforms on either side, evidently where the Indians stood to spear fish, as well as they made their way up the swift current in the runways.
 For the last quarter of a century the river has been higher than in its early days and the Indians have learned to fish as the white man does.

JOHN DAY PROJECT.

Temporarily Abandoned by Government Because of Outlay Required.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Rock Creek, Or., Sept. 25.—For some weeks past it has been rumored that the government would immediately install a large electric pumping plant on the Columbia river between Arlington and Umatilla for use on the John Day irrigation project, and ultimately for auxiliary use in filling the reservoirs. It has just been learned through irrigation expert Glover that the idea had been temporarily abandoned. It is not definitely known just exactly what amount of Oregon has been heretofore credit in the reclamation fund, but it

LUMBER IS SCARCE.

Building at Waldport Is Retarded and Newport Suffers, Too.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Waldport, Or., Sept. 25.—There is a great scarcity of lumber in the western part of Lincoln county and a number of parties who have bought Waldport property with the intention of building have been unable to secure material. As soon as the river gets high enough a great deal of contracted lumber will be brought down from the Alsea mills.
 Newport is also suffering a lumber famine.
 George Walker of that city who was engaged in the construction of a steam schooner, was obliged to transfer it to Abernethy, Wash. Stockwell, Burroughs & Co. of Aberdeen have arranged to send a cargo of building lumber to Newport.
 This company owns a number of vessels and it is expected they will put in a lumber yard at Newport.

OPERATIONS RESUMED.

Excelsior Factory at Eugene Is Running Day and Night.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Eugene, Or., Sept. 25.—The Eugene excelsior factory, one of the leading manufacturing institutions of this city, employing about 30 men, has resumed operations after a shutdown of about three months. The mill is operating with a full crew day and night and has orders enough ahead for its product to keep it in operation for an indefinite period. Besides the men employed in the factory, a large number are kept busy in the woods, felling trees and cutting them up in suitable lengths for the manufacture of excelsior.

NEW RAINIER TRAIN.

Traffic to and From Portland Will Be Better Served.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Rainier, Or., Sept. 25.—There is strong talk of a local train running between Rainier and Portland. It is expected that it will be put on as soon as the ferry at Goble is discontinued, which will be the completion of the new bridge at Portland.
 The train will probably leave Rainier at 7 a. m. arriving in Portland about 8:30 and leaving Portland at about 8:30 or 9:30 p. m., arriving at Rainier about 10 or 11 p. m.
 A petition for the local was sent to the officials some time ago.

RAIL WORK TO START.

C. & E. Contractors and Engineers Will Inspect Projected Route.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Albany, Or., Sept. 25.—Armed with maps and blueprints a party of contractors and engineers left Albany this morning by special train, bound for Detroit. They were accompanied by M. Walsh of the C. & E. The party intends to go over the projected route of the C. & E. across the mountains and carefully inspect the line. It is believed that active work will be started in the spring.

100 MORE AT EUGENE.

High School Enrollment Far Exceeds That of Last Year.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Eugene, Or., Sept. 25.—The enrollment at the high school is now 355, that number having been reached yesterday. This is about 100 more than were enrolled at the same period last year. Eugene now has the second largest high school in the state. The enrollment in the grammar schools is about 1,000.

EDITOR AND MERCHANT.

A. J. Hicks Purchases the Stock of Wise Furniture Company.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Heppner, Or., Sept. 25.—A. J. Hicks, proprietor of The Heppner Times, has purchased the bankrupt stock of the Wise Furniture company and has taken charge. Mr. Hicks will continue to edit his paper.

Grocers' Secretaries Organize.

Bellingham, Wash., Sept. 25.—Believing that a union could be accomplished in the way of establishing a system of working on current affairs pertaining

to the betterment of the trade, the secretaries of the various grocers' associations in the state have projected an organization. The officers are: President, E. N. Corey, Spokane; vice-president, O. E. Hale, Everett; and secretary, G. T. McPherson, Tacoma.

ANNUAL ASTER SHOW.

Many Vie for Prizes at La Grande's Big Society Event.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 La Grande, Or., Sept. 25.—The annual aster show of the city is a great success. For several years it has been a society event at La Grande and this year the number of competitors for the prizes is larger than ever before. The flowers grow to perfection in the Grande Ronde valley and in La Grande particularly great attention has been paid to their culture.

D. Ogden Mills 82 Years Old.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 New York, Sept. 25.—D. Ogden Mills, the man of New York's multi-million-

aire, was 82 years old today. Mr. Mills, though a native of New York, laid the foundation for his colossal fortune in California during the days of the gold fever and he still retains large interests in that state. For a man of his years he is unusually vigorous both mentally and physically. Recently he returned from England where he attended the wedding of his granddaughter, Miss Jean Reid, daughter of Ambassador W. G. Blair, to the Hon. John Ward.

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- No. 8—1 X Tin Wash Boiler, with copper rim and copper bottom; regular price \$1.75, Saturday special.....\$1.00
- No. 8—14-ounce Copper Wash Boiler; regular price \$3, special.....\$2.00
- No. 9—14-ounce Copper Wash Boiler; regular price \$3.50, special.....\$2.50

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