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FEW BETTERMENTS

THE RAILROADS WILL BE ECONOMIC THIS YEAR.

No Expenditures Will Be Allowed That Are Not Absolutely Necessary—Most Extensive Improvements Along the O. R. & N. Will Be the Rebuilding of the Heppner Stock Yards.

The railroads are not to spend so much money on betterments this year as during the past year or two. It seems to be the opinion of the managers of the different systems that money will be harder to get, and that the income will not justify those expenditures which are not absolutely necessary for the equipment of the trains and track. This may be because it is a presidential year, and it may be because wise ones near the center of trade know of some causes which will tie things up for a time. Over the mountain division of the O. R. & N., and clear into Portland, in fact, nothing big will be done in the way of improvements. At Heppner new stock yards will be put in, but this is caused by the destruction of the old ones by the flood. The new yards will be larger than the old, and will be built to accommodate the large sheep shipping trade of that district.

At Echo the yards will also be improved, and reconstructed in part. New fences will be built in place of those now dilapidated, and the general condition of the place made better for the convenience of the shippers. The grounds of both yards will be graveled and drained, doing away with the mud.

PROHIBITION ANECDOTE.

Story of a Lone Prohibitionist in Union County Precinct.

Speaking of the coming prohibition campaign in Umatilla county, an old settler of Union county, who has lived in Summerville precinct for 30 years, and who was in Pendleton yesterday evening, on his way home from a visit to Walla Walla, tells an interesting story of the beginning of the prohibition movement in his county.

He said that Summerville precinct had always had the name of being a hard locality, from the prohibition standpoint. It was one of the strong democratic precincts, and the old gentleman, who had voted that ticket for 45 years, says the democrats did not stampede to the prohibition idea.

When the first prohibition ticket was nominated in the county, Summerville precinct cast but one prohibition vote. The second, and the third election, in which a prohibition ticket was in the field, found that one solitary vote in Summerville, solid for the straight prohibition ticket.

By this time Summerville was thoroughly aroused and began a search for that lone prohibitionist in the midst of such a rousing democratic majority, and he was finally located.

It proved to be Clark Oliver, a prominent farmer and reformer, who subsequently became a leader in the populist movement in Union county and also one of the foremost reformers in the state.

Finally the prohibition movement spread, even in Summerville precinct, and while it never was carried by that party, it made a good record for its advocates there.

SWEDISH REPUBLICANS.

Five Hundred Have Met in Convention at Moline, Ill.

Moline, Ill., March 9. — Upwards of 500 delegates representing all the northern counties of the state were assembled in the Skinner Annex this morning at the opening of the 11th annual convention of the Swedish-American Republican League of Illinois. Addresses of welcome and responses, reports of officers and committees, and other business of a routine character occupied the greater part of the day.

Public interest centers largely in the annual convention banquet tonight in industrial Home Hall, for which elaborate arrangements have been concluded. Nearly all of the candidates for the republican gubernatorial nomination will be heard and there will be addresses also by a number of over party leaders.

California Maccabees.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 9. — The California state commandery of the Knights of the Maccabees assembled in annual convention here today and will continue in session until Friday. Local tents throughout the state are represented by delegates. In addition to the transaction of routine business relating to the affairs of the state organization the meeting will elect delegates to represent the state at the supreme convention of the order to be held in Detroit next July.

In Session at Norriston.

Norriston, Pa., March 9. — The Pennsylvania State Association of City and Borough School Superintendents began the largest convention in its history here today. The sessions will continue two days during which time a large number of questions relating to the duties of the superintendents will be discussed. The program provides also for papers and addresses by a number of educators of wide reputation.

Kentucky Miners in Session.

Louisville, Ky., March 8.—The Kentucky district of the United Mine Workers began its annual session in Louisville today to formulate the scale and conditions next week. The miners expect to reach an amicable agreement with the operators without much difficulty.



Martha—"Am I the first woman you ever loved, George?"
George—said—(the cherry tree incident wasn't a marker to this)—
"Don't ask me, my love, such a foolish question."

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WASH GOODS

One lot of last season's goods, consisting of colored organdies, plain and floral designs, colored dimities, plain and floral designs, challies, polka dot piques, satin-striped colored waistings and zephyr gingham, former price up to 35c, to close 9c

One lot of wool dress fabrics, plain, plaid and figured, worth up to 35c, to close 10c

BABY RIBBON

68 pieces of Baby Ribbon, to close, per yard 1c

SHOES

One lot of ladies' vici, in button and lace, in off styles and odd lots, former price \$2 to \$3.50, to close 98c

We will also continue sale in lots advertised at opening as follows:

Men's 98c

Misses' and children's 69c, 29c

SHIRTS

One lot of men's white and colored, soft and stiff fronts, former price \$1 to \$1.50, to close 63c

SILKS—We will continue the sale on Silks as advertised at opening at special prices of 19c and 39c

We will have many new arrivals of spring goods on sale during this week, consisting of Ladies' Tailored Suits, Woolen Dress Fabrics, Wash Goods, Artistic Neckwear and the latest ideas in artistic Trimmings.

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