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"We are interested in the upbuilding of Pendleton and Umatilla county," said Dr. Henry Waldo Coe to the East Oregonian this morning before leaving for Portland, "and expect to put engineers in the field soon to investigate the feasibility of an electric line between Pendleton and the west end of the county."

The irrigation belt in the west end of the county is one of the richest sections in the west, and is directly tributary to Pendleton, and our object shall be to make it easy for people to reach the centers of settlement and to ship out their products.

"We want to know just what the conditions are, and in order to ascertain we will start out engineers, perhaps within a couple of months."

"We expect to build to Pendleton, and when we get under way and are sure that we can and will build and where and when we are to build, we will need franchises in Pendleton and sincerely hope that there will be no difficulty in securing them."

"We do not expect to interfere with any other electric line project. All of them are needed. But we expect to promote ours and expect to complete it, and will need the cooperation of Pendleton and Umatilla county, and we hope to merit it."

Dr. Coe, accompanied by D. B. Costuma, manager of the Columbia Land company, is in the city from Portland this morning, after a visit to the summer home of W. J. Furnish, near Wenaha springs. Mr. Costuma will remain in Portland for several weeks, after which he will re-

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### BURNS CLEANS HOUSE

**Sunday Closing Ordinance Passed and "Red Light" District Removed.**

The Burns city council at the regular meeting last Wednesday evening had quite a business session, says the Baker City Herald.

The Sunday closing ordinance was passed over the vote of the mayor, but the midnight closing measure was allowed to stand at present, with the idea of modifying it later. An ordinance was passed limiting the speed of automobiles to six miles an hour within the city limits, but there is talk of amending this and setting the limit at eight miles. The council also talked some of a city park, but there was no action taken. That would certainly be an improvement that would be much appreciated. It was also ordered that the "red light" district be cleared out at once and its denizens be sent to some more favorable clime.

### No Stage for Early Train.

J. A. Borie, proprietor of Wenaha springs, announces that the stage will not meet O. R. & N. train No. 6 hereafter, owing to the early hour at which that train arrives at Bingham springs station. Hereafter "people going from this city to Wenaha springs may go on the evening train unless they have private conveyances from the station to the springs. Large crowds continue to stay at the Wenaha springs resorts and all pronounce the service simply unsurpassed in the northwest."

### Mrs. James P. Navin Injured.

Mrs. James P. Navin, who resides in the extreme north part of the county near Touchet postoffice, over the line in Washington, was severely injured yesterday morning near her home, by being thrown from the high seat of a wheat wagon. One bone in a lower limb was broken, and one arm and one finger were broken and she was otherwise badly bruised. She was brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. McAtee, in this city last evening. Although her injuries are quite serious, they are not necessarily dangerous.

### Enjoying Wallowa Weather.

Mrs. N. E. Despain and daughters, who are now at Wallowa for the summer, write the East Oregonian that they are enjoying a delightful outing. The valley is going ahead rapidly in expectation of the coming of the railroad, and when the road is completed into the county, which will be about October 1, there will be great rejoicing. Already a number of people are planning on a summer resort at Wallowa lake.

### Feasting on Crickets.

Parties coming in from the Klamath reservation, says the Klamath Falls Republican, state that the Indians have, during the past week, been enjoying cricket feasts. Swarms of large brown insects have been crossing the reservation, and in many sections the entire Indian population has been out catching them. They are considered a rare delicacy by the Indians and are cooked in various ways. Large feasts are held to devour the insects.

### Costly Alaska Drought.

Fairbanks, Alaska, Aug. 4.—The most costly drought in the history of the Tanana district is holding back the annual gold output. There have been only two-tenths inches of rain since fall. This is 35 per cent worse than was experienced last year. The merchants are suffering, being unable to collect from their customers until the dumps are sluiced. Not a dollar's worth can be sluiced on account of the lack of water.

### Mrs. Adams Improving.

Mrs. Walter Adams, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever at her home on the south hill, is greatly improved today and it is hoped she will be able to be out in a few days.

### No Cases in Police Court.

There was absolutely nothing doing in police court today, not even a near beer drunk having violated the city ordinance.

### When Will It Hit the Earth?

The giant fixed star Arcturus, which has been apparently traveling straight for the earth at a speed of 269,999 miles a second for ages, seems to get no closer.

The star is almost directly in line with the sun and infinitely farther away, so much farther that the sun's distance of 92 million miles seems but a step. When Arcturus comes in collision with the solar system the latter, including the earth, will disappear in the twinkling of an eye, to become mere particles of cosmic dust.

Arcturus is many times the size of the sun, and his eight planets combined and his habits are well known to astronomers. By the term "fixed" is meant that the star has no orbit, but travels on a tangent, which line it will follow until some body larger than itself halts it.

### Put Out Forest Fire.

A small fire in the woods has been burning for a few days between Easton and Lake Kachess, according to J. T. Handsaker who has just returned from the lake in his auto, says the Yakima Republic.

The road between Easton and the lake was impassable for a few hours, but campers were in no danger at any time. The fire, while doing considerable damage to cordwood and some logs belonging to the Cascade Lumber company, did not get close enough to Easton to cause any alarm. H. E. Shands observer for the reclamation service at Easton, got together 25 or 30 men, and after an all night's fight succeeded in extinguishing the fire so that there is no further danger of its spreading. It is supposed that the fire originated through the carelessness of some employe at work on the new state wagon road.

### STARTING NEW RAILROAD.

**Surveying to Begin on Central Oregon Line.**

A question that has been asked the Bulletin with considerable persistency during the past week is whether the Central Oregon Railroad company will at once put a crew of surveyors at work to run a survey for the new railroad.

And the Bulletin is pleased that it can answer that question in the affirmative. Surveyors will be put on the line as soon as arrangements can be completed, which the promoters say will probably be within ten days, asserts last week's Bend Bulletin.

Tents and wagons and other paraphernalia necessary to the men who are to run railroad surveys are now being assembled, and the crew will be put to work as soon as the outfit is complete and the engineer who is to have charge of the work arrives. As has been stated before, the survey for the proposed extension of the Columbia Southern, made five years ago, was a god one, and the Oregon Central crew will follow the line quite closely.

U. A. Wynn, the company's right-of-way man, is still busily engaged securing contracts for right-of-way along the survey of the Columbia Southern extension above referred to. He is meeting with most gratifying success, and says that wherever he goes he finds the people enthusiastic over the project and ready and willing to do all in their power to secure railroad transportation for Central Oregon.

### SETS FAST MARK.

**To La Grande From Joseph in Four Hours and Ten Minutes.**

Doctor Phy and his auto party, including several La Grande people, returned last evening from Joseph, Ore., having set a fast record for the return trip, says the Observer. Running time from Joseph to this city was four hours and ten minutes, coming up the Wallowa hill the machine was run from ten to fifteen mile an hour. The entire trip was highly enjoyed by the party and Dr. Phy is waiting for some one to establish a better mark. In the event that any one does, the doctor will clip at least 40 minutes from his time yesterday. The party consisted of Dr. Phy and Mr. Alton of Hot lake, Thomas Wright of Union, J. J. Carr and L. C. Smith of this city.

### Ice Water Dangerous.

The ice water habit is about as dangerous as any other habit that is worked to excess this warm weather. When passenger train No. 5 pulled in last night it had several on board who were ill, and one man had loaded his hide full of the company's feed beverage until he took cramps. The fellow was suffering all kinds of pain, according to trainmen, and when reaching Ontario a doctor was taken aboard to look after him and care for people traveling who do not have enough judgment to keep away from the ice tank on a very warm day. After all, there is not one man in a thousand who knows anything about himself. Too many people study their neighbors when they should be finding out something of their own nature.—Baker City Herald.

### Harvest Begun in Wallowa.

John McDonald started a binder on his fall wheat south of town Monday. He has a good crop, much better than was expected a few days ago. Timothy haying is in full blast and on irrigated lands the yield of hay is much better than was predicted, being almost a full crop. On the hill lands the crops are far short of being a failure, but the lack of rain and the lateness of the season have cut the results far short of the average yield. Both haying and harvest are later than usual this year, owing to the late season.—Wallowa Sun.

Bryan's speech of acceptance is only 3,500 words in length, less than half as long as Taft's by a thousand words.

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See Corner Window

### Roosevelt's Boston Store

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### Has Waited 18 Years for Railroad.

"Uncle" Frank Nichols of Laidlaw, was in Madras last Friday, this being his first visit into this section since the town of Madras was located, says the Madras Pioneer. Mr. Nichols was the first pioneer settler upon land on the Deschutes river in the Laidlaw country, having filed a pre-emption on 160 acres at Pickett's island 18 years ago. At that time there was talk of railroad extension into central Oregon, and Mr. Nichols says that when he filed the pre-emption near where Laidlaw now is, he felt quite sure that the C. & E. would build through there in two or three years. He selected what he thought would be the most likely crossing on the Deschutes and filed there. After these 18 years of waiting the prospects for the extension of the Corvallis & Eastern are no brighter than they were then. In Mr. Nichols' experience there is a world of suggestion to some of the settlers of this community who are withholding their support from the proposed Central Oregon railroad, in the belief that "Harriman will build in soon, anyway."

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