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BIG EXCURSION

Pendleton Business Men are Coming to
Heppner on December 11

LET US GET TOGETHER AND PULL

Umatilla and Morrow County Development
Leagues to be Consolidated--Vital
Questions at Issue.

There will be a big railroad excursion from Pendleton to Heppner
on Tuesday, December 11. The special is scheduled to leave Pendle-
ton at 9:15 in the morning and will arrive in Heppner at 4 o'clock in
the afternoon. Stops will be made at Echo, Umatilla, Irrigon, Ione
and Lexington to pick up delegations.

Heppner and Morrow county people are greatly interested in the
object and outcome of this excursion.

Umatilla county has a development league. Morrow county also
has a development league. Both need some ginger. The object of the
excursion is for people of the two counties to get together, consolidate
the two leagues, exchange views, get better acquainted, get a better
working organization to be known as the Third District Development
League, for the upbuilding of the two counties and for the promotion
of allied interests.

For the kindly feeling of our sister county, Morrow county is not
only ready and anxious, but enthusiastic in preparations to meet
Umatilla half way on the proposition.

This is a movement not only of vast importance to Umatilla and
Morrow counties, but is a start in the interest of the entire Inland
Empire.

On the special train there will be speakers and boosters not only
from Pendleton, but from Walla Walla and Portland.

The subjects of irrigation, open river, jute mill and other questions
of vital importance to the people of Eastern Oregon will be discussed
and handled by people who are making a study of those questions.

The Pendleton contingent is coming loaded not only with busi-
ness, but the rough edges will be taken off with entertainment. The
Eagles band, composed principally of soloists, will accompany the
delegation.

Heppner people are certainly getting busy in making prepara-
tions to entertain the visitors.

The Morrow County Development League held a meeting Tues-
day in Secretary Woodson's office and the ball was started rolling for
the big event on December 11.

Attorney S. E. Van Vactor will deliver the address of welcome.

Attorney S. E. Notson will deliver an address on the "The Bene-
fits of Co-operation."

The different committees appointed are as follows:

RECEPTION COMMITTEE—Frank Gilliam, R. F. Hynd, C. C. Patter-
son, E. L. Freeland, W. S. Wharton, W. P. Dutton, O. E. Farnsworth,
S. E. Van Vactor, S. E. Notson, S. P. Garrigues, Jas. Thompson, M. D.
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A. Woolery, T. J. Mahoney, W. T. McNabb, F. B. Carter, J. W. Blake,
C. T. Walker, C. M. White, W. E. Leach, W. G. Scott, W. B. Mc-
Allister, S. A. Thomas, J. C. Owens, John Adams, Alfred L. Ayers,
Geo. Bleakman, Hutchinson, C. L. Roadrick, A. C. Morgan, Harry
Sitton, C. E. Jones, J. L. Howard, John Hays I. R. Esteb.

ACCOMMODATION COMMITTEE—E. C. Maddock, C. C. Patterson, F.
P. Farnsworth, T. W. Ayers, E. M. Shutt.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE—C. O. Huelat, Percy M. Garrigues,
L. E. Bisbee, E. L. Freeland, Frank Roberts, C. E. Redfield, Fred
Warnock.

ADVERTISING COMMITTEE—Fred Warnock, A. J. Hicks, C. C.
Patterson.

SPEAKERS—S. E. Van Vactor, "Welcome," S. E. Notson, "Bene-
fits of Co-operation."

C. C. Patterson, manager was authorized to take such steps as
may be necessary to advertise the visit of the Umatilla County
Delegation.

EXPERTS REPORT

Of the Books of the Various Officers
of Morrow County.

To the Honorable County Court of Mor-
row County, Oregon:

We beg to submit to your Honorable
Court the following report as the result
of our investigations of the books, re-
cords and accounts of the various officers
of Morrow County, Oregon.

The task of this investigation has been
long and very hard, as is generally the
case where records and accounts are so
long neglected, and denied the correction
of an expert accountant or the supervi-
sion of one skilled in the line of the mat-

ter in question.

We have taken this matter up system-
atically, yet not to that extreme that
would require a complete diversion from
the general course taken by the officer
in carrying on the regular duties of his
office as he saw them, but we rather
aimed to follow as far as was consistent
his footsteps, approving that part appear-
ing right, and discovering errors, irregu-
larities and inconsistencies.

We recognize the fact that municipali-
ties in general, and especially counties,
are apt to elect to their offices, men
whose regular occupations, in the indus-
trial world, have not fitted them for the
responsibilities of the honored position
to which they are called.

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be in his regular occupation, to expect
him to suddenly assume the duties of

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any of the important offices of a county,
which involves the principles of account-
ing, certain legal formula, etc., and to
perform such duties accurately and in
form, is unreasonable, without first
having been sufficiently instructed to
acquaint himself thoroughly with the
peculiarities of his new undertaking.

Therefore to do justice to those men
who have occupied the offices of this
county for the past six years we have
not disregarded the above facts. Nor
have we ceased to diligently guard the
interest of the county. The volume of
business done, moneys collected and
disbursed is quite large, and though a
leakage be small at first, it would natu-
rally increase with time, until eventually
it would result in a great calamity.

Our labor would be shorn of its fruit-
fulness had we taken either extreme
course, being too exacting with officers
on the one hand, or too loose with the
county's interest on the other.

We have aimed to give each officer a
square deal in every particular without
fear or favor, remembering at all times
that they were the paid servants
of the county, to which they were
responsible.

OFFICE OF COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
We carefully examined the accounts
of the School Superintendent and found
them to be correct and all moneys
received by them duly accounted for.

The indebtedness of this county is
approximately \$45,000.

REPORT ON COUNTY ASSESSORS.
J. F. Willis.
Stub show collection of polls \$50.00
Turnover to Co. Treasurer
May 9, 1900.....\$5.00
Turnover to Co. Treasurer
Oct. 13th, 1900.....11.00

16.00 16.00

Balance \$34.00

W. L. Saline.

Collection of tax on roll of 1902. \$ 77.66

Stub show collection of polls..... 121.00

\$198.66

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