

GRADING STOPS ON DRAIN RAILROAD

Drain, Or., Nov. 10.—Owing to the recent heavy rains, making it impossible to continue the work of grading on the new railroad to Coos Bay, several hundred mules were taken back this week to Sacramento, near where the Loss Company is also doing some railroad work for the Southern Pacific. Just as soon as the wet season is over in the spring, they will be returned here, along with over 1000 mules from Nevada. It is the intention of the Loss Company to put to work next April an army of 2500 or 3000 men on this new road, and there is no doubt that by this time next fall the iron horse will be snorting well on the way to Coos Bay, or at least as far as the big 3500-foot tunnel at Paradise Mountain, near Scottsburg.

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November 6, 1900, at his home near Springfield, of stomach trouble, John Signor, aged 70 years and 6 months. He leaves a wife, one son, N. H. Signor, and one daughter, Mrs. Alice Thompson, both of Springfield. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon with interment in Laurel Grove cemetery. Deceased was an old soldier.

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