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Build Your Own Bridge.

It would be a paying investment for the citizens of Bend and surrounding country to dig down in their pockets and contribute towards a good, substantial bridge across Crooked river at the Forrest ranch, or Carmichael crossing, as it is commonly known. The Crook county court should attend to this matter, but it seems to be influenced mainly by Prineville people, who are naturally averse to anything which will tend to divert trade or travel from their city. But this is an age of "every man for himself, and the devil take the hindmost," and we should waste no time petitioning the authorities for this piece of public improvement and benefit. Several of the business men of Bend have signified their willingness to contribute their share in money, material or labor, and with some one to take the lead, the completion of this bridge would be a certainty.

This will give us a straight route to Shaniko, cutting off the Hay Creek hills, the adobe at Willow creek, and the grades over Grizzly mountain and out of Crooked river valley. Now that the Columbia Southern has decided to push Bendwards, we will need a direct route to the various termini, and the bridge across Crooked river will solve the problem.

Don't wait for the consent of Prineville; you won't get it, and the only way to accomplish this is for the people here to get in and build it regardless of the sentiment of neighboring settlements.

The editor of the Prineville Journal, in one of his lucid moments, accuses the editor of the Bulletin of a woful lack of what he terms "newspaper etiquette." Among other keen remarks he issues the statement that he is insulted. We recently heard from the other paper in Prineville to the effect that its editor also was insulted. Now, anyone with a trace of worldly experience knows that it is impossible to insult a confirmed country newspaper man, hence we pass up the portion of his editorial referring to insult. We have great respect for the Journal man and his family, and if he or his have contracted the smallpox on account of anything we have published we will be pleased to settle with the family physician. We do not care to place the Journal man in the same category of mental scavengers as the editor of the Prineville Review has been for so long, and on account of which he has changed his residence so often in the last three or four years; but we would like to offer a suggestion to the Journal man: that he investigate the source and the spirit of articles which he does not like, and then if he thinks that there is a large-sized kick coming, to get in and kick to his heart's content. Otherwise his ranting will avail nothing. We admit that in the line of experience the Journal man might be able to give us lessons in "newspaper etiquette," but as charity begins at home we suggest that he turn his attention to a man in his own town by the name of Billholder, whose education in that respect seems to have been neglected from his youth, and whose associations in recent years

do not seem to have improved him to any noticeable extent.

Too Much Reserve.

The land department of our government has ordered about one million and a quarter acres of land in Southwestern Oregon to be withdrawn temporarily from entry pending the creation of the tract as a forest reserve. Not counting the proposed Blue Mountain reserve, this forces upon Oregon about six million acres of forest reserve.

It seems to us, as helpless onlookers, that the government is riding a free horse to death in the matter of Oregon forest reserves, and in view of the great flow of immigration which is increasing so rapidly day by day, it will work a great hardship upon some of the people who come this way seeking homes. Oregon timber, the finest belt in the United States, will suffer a great set-back on account of this reserve. There is undoubtedly a great percentage of sugar pine, Port Orford cedar, and other valuable timber in this proposed new reserve which will be tied up for years.

When Binger, the grafter, was holding down the general land office we had suspicions that some of these reserves were created by reason of his rake-off in the lieu land business, as it has been carried on at Salem for a number of years; but now we are at a loss to locate the graft, unless the Southern Pacific has worked it. Binger may be able to work at some of the tricks of his trade after he is elected to congress in June, but his influence with the Roosevelt administration is so nearly microscopic, and as the president uses only honest men, we fear that Binger's emoluments will be limited to the extent of his salary. It seems too bad.

But anyway, this perpetual reserving of our forests is a graft and should not be tolerated.

Meteorological Summary.

1902	Mean	Mean	Max	Min	Prec.
Mo.	max.	min.			in.
Jan.	38.6	16.9	54	-19	.315
Feb.	48.4	27.8	62	28	2.05
Apr.	54.5	27.9	68	14	.83
May	62.7	35.0	80	17	.90
July	78.1	37.5	97	28	.303
Aug.	81.6	38.7	95	28	.12
Sept.	75.5	35.1	92	13	.26
Oct.	62.9	35.5	77	22	1.19
Nov.	46.3	25.8	60	11	2.83
Dec.	39.6	23.1	55	4	3.83
Jan., 1903	40.9	24.1	57	5	3.46
Feb.	49.7	18.7	66	-10	.023
Mar.	46.6	25.0	66	15	1.02

It will be seen from the foregoing summary of the weather for the past year that we have a very equable climate, and that in the summer, even though the mercury may rise above 90—although this is rare—the nights are always cool and comfortable.

During the past winter eight inches of snow fell on December 7, and no more of any consequence fell until January 26, when about 6 inches of the beautiful was measured by the weather man here, and the last snow was about one inch, which fell on February 22, remaining on the ground in the shady spots until about the middle of March.

The Next Platform.

The combination of Bryan and Hearst is positively the greatest Democratic show now on the road. More than that, they seem to have the only active organization and are likely to capture the national convention next year. In order to know what the platform is to be, in addition to the sacred creed of 1896 and 1900, it is only necessary to read Mr. Bryan's speeches and Mr. Hearst's letters. After emphasizing the Socialistic doctrines affirmed in the last two campaigns, the platform will run something like this:

Wherefore, Grover Cleveland deserves to be d—d; therefore

Resolved, That Grover Cleveland be d—d.

Resolved, That all the trusts in which Mr. Hearst is not interested are speculative, and therefore bad.

Resolved, That the copper trust is not a speculative trust.

Resolved, That the national democratic party favors department stores, and will trade at no other.

Resolved, That there are only five Democratic daily papers in the United States, and that three of these belong to Mr. Hearst.

Resolved, That Mr. Hearst is requested to always sign his name William Randolph Hearst, and that it is the opinion of the party that he should some time mention himself in his three-fifths of the Democratic dailies of the country.

Resolved, That Mr. Bryan and Mr. Hearst be requested not to permit gold Democrats in the party, as the silver Democrats wish to sleep nights, and not sit up to watch pickpockets.

Resolved, That we are in favor of that old Jeffersonian Democratic principle, department stores, as we said before, and of William Randolph Hearst as the heroic champion of that time-tested, tried and honored doctrine of the party.

Resolved, That Grover Cleveland be d—d.—S. F. Call.

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South bound	STATIONS.	North bound
NO. 2 DAILY PASS.		NO. 1 DAILY PASS.
LEAVE P.M.		ARRIVE A.M.
1:30	BIGGS	11:25
1:50	Gilsons	11:50
2:10	Sinks	12:10
2:30	Wasco	12:30
2:50	Klondyke	12:50
3:10	Summit	1:10
3:30	Hay Canyon Junction	1:30
3:50	McDonalds	1:50
4:10	De Moss	2:10
4:30	Stora	2:30
4:50	Irskaville	2:50
5:10	Grass Valley	3:10
5:30	Bourbon	3:30
5:50	Keat	3:50
6:10	Wilson	4:10
6:30	SHANIKO	4:30
ARRIVE		LEAVE

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1915. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, April 27, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1915, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by Act of August 4, 1902, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:
John J. McGuigan,
of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No 286, filed April 24, 1903, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 29, T 12 S, R 10 E, W 10.
John Howe,
of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No 287, filed April 24, 1903, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 29, T 12 S, R 10 E, W 10.
Peter McGuigan,
of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No 288, filed April 24, 1903, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 29, T 12 S, R 10 E, W 10.
That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on Friday, the 10th day of July, 1903.
They name as witnesses: Michael Connor, John Howe, Frederick W. Smith, Peter McGuigan and John McGuigan, of The Dalles, Oregon, and James H. Lane, of Minneapolis, Minn.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the 10th day of July, 1903.
MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

Desert Land, Final Proof. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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OVID W. R. BILEY, of Bend, Oregon;
H. E. SUTTS, for the SW 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, and Lot 3, sec 18, T 12 S, R 10 E W 10.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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Notice is hereby given that Lueta B. Sparks, of Sisters, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on her desert land claim, No 24, for the SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 NW 1/4, sec 1, and NW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec 2, T 12 S, R 10 E, W. M., before J. J. Smith, County Clerk, at Prineville, Oregon, on Friday, the 10th day of June, 1903.
She names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: Will Warawetter and Alexander Thomson, of Prineville, Or.; W. F. Fryar, Harry Carlson, A. G. Allingham and Frank Bolyfeld, all of Sisters, Oregon.
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