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Equal Suffrage Progress.

(Situated in Boise, Idaho.)

Forty miles to the westward the people are to vote in June on an amendment admitting the women of our bordering state to the ballot. Western people have always kept ahead of older communities on such subjects, and Oregon should demonstrate in the forthcoming election that it can be relied upon to main-

tain the reputation that has been won by the west for progressiveness on all such issues. Oregon men should admit the women of the state to an equality with themselves when the opportunity is presented at the polls two months hence, thus doing justice to the sex and affording such additional encouragement to those who are struggling to bring eastern states to full recognition of the principles involved.

"Dad" West "Sees Things."

As every body knows "Dad" West is a great booster for the Deschutes valley and its products; it is equally well known, that his statements can always be relied on; that is, most always. "Dad" says that there was a 16 foot Oregon pine board lying in his front yard last Sunday when the shower came up. The board had been lying there for a long time and its upper surface was thoroughly dry. The very minute the rain struck the board, with almost human intelligence it commenced to curve and twist and in less than five seconds by the watch "Dad" says it had turned over onto the other side. This shows beyond question that the dry side knew enough to come in out of the rain. "Dad" says he has three reliable witnesses to this episode and further that he had not even passed by O'Kane's since the night before.

WITH THE RANCHERS

Rapid Development of Deschutes Country

FARM HOUSES SUBSTANTIAL

Many Improvements on Desert Where a Few Years ago Only Sage Brush Thrived.

Much new land is being cultivated both north and south of Bend this year. North of Bend lies what is known as the Powell buttes district, one of the richest agricultural communities in the Deschutes valley. The entire district extending from the eastern extremity of the buttes to the old river channel, a distance of eight miles, is one immense plowed field, broken only in a few places. This plowed area is being added to rapidly and inside of a few weeks time all the available and tillable land in that section will be producing.

Three years ago there were only a couple of homes between Bend and Prineville and other signs of habitation were equally as scarce. Now there are many large and substantial dwelling houses, barns and other out buildings, besides a school house. In the last year a stage station, a school and a postoffice have been established in the center of this district.

One of the most important irrigation projects near Bend is the so-called Arnold ditch, constructed by the Arnold Irrigation Company, a corporation. It leaves the river below Lava island near the center of the south west quarter of section 22, township 18, range 11, and passes through a flume about one mile long, six feet wide and two feet deep, and with a fall of one-half inch to the rod. About half a mile of earth construction has been completed. It will be necessary to cut through a number of rock ledges before further progress can be made, after which the work will be comparatively light.

The capital stock of the corporation, which is all sold, is \$5,000, divided into 50 shares of \$100 each. Each share represents 32 miner's inches and one miner's inch per second being the amount of water appropriated to each acre. This allows an amount of water ample to reclaim the land—about one cubic foot to each 40 acres. The ditch is planned to serve two and one-half sections or 1,600 acres.

The present officers of this company are: W. J. McGillivray, Pres. Arthur Ely, Sec., Ed Halverson Treas. and J. E. Reed, Mgr. It is expected that the main canal will be completed this season.

Under this ditch lies a large stretch of level desert land which hitherto has only produced a growth of sage brush and a few scattering junipers. Now many prosperous ranches can be seen scattered over this district.

The settlers here are starting out as though they meant business. They are putting up good substantial houses that would be a credit to many a western town. These are not small shacks as so many houses are, in a new settlement, but are in some instances two stories, being well built, painted and finished inside and out. Fences are being built and new roads and lanes made. These roads are run on section lines, that they may be permanent.

Less than two years ago one could start south from Bend and go from 25 to 30 miles and in all that distance scarcely a house could be found. Now, within 10 miles of Bend, there are some 30 houses, and a great deal of land is under cultivation.

W. J. McGillivray, who went on to his ranch seven miles south of town about six months ago has just completed a two story house 24x34. The house is well finished and painted. Mr. McGillivray has considerable land under cultivation. After leaving the McGillivray ranch coming toward town one comes to the Wilson ranch. Here

is found a small but well built dwelling house, with a large tract of land in grain, mostly rye, which is up and looks prosperous.

Next comes the Ferguson ranch. Mr. Ferguson has a well built house nicely painted and finished, with a barn, chicken house, a well and good fences. He has some 20 acres in grain and is clearing much more land this year.

The McKinnon and Smith ranches are next, where clearing and cultivation of the land is going on rapidly.

Then comes the large Arnold ranch, where about 200 acres are already in grain and much more land is being cleared.

The Moore ranch comes next. This is one of the newest ranches on the road but already substantial buildings are nearly completed and quite a tract of land has been seeded.

Next comes the joint ranches of Francis and Garrett where many improvements have been made and considerable land is cleared and cultivated.

A. G. Ely's ranch is next. Here we find a small house and barn and the land well fenced. Mr. Ely has been slashing down the trees and clearing the underbrush, making ready to plow his land this spring. He will soon construct a much larger house than his present one.

The last two ranches are comparatively new and as yet little improving has been done, although a good start has been made. These are the Ed Brosterhaus and Hunnel ranches.

IS BUYING RIGHT-OF-WAY

LINE UP DESCHUTES TO BUILD AT ONCE

To Build as Far as Madras at Once—Actual Construction Will Begin Not Later Than May 10.

(Madras Pioneer, April 19.)

Central Oregon is going to be tapped by a railroad at once, and that road is coming up the Deschutes river from the Columbia. This is the important information brought on Monday by F. S. Gordon, engineer for the Oregon Trunk line, which is the name under which the line will be built into Central Oregon. Mr. Gordon is here now buying right-of-way for the railway, and actual construction work will be begun not later than May 10.

The Oregon Trunk line is promoted by W. F. Nelson, of Seattle, who built the Dufur road last year, and who was behind the survey up the Deschutes river last winter. Mr. Nelson has financed his railroad project up the Deschutes, and there is no doubt that work will be started at once. Mr. Gordon is emphatic in his statements that this road will be built, and says that Mr. Nelson has already given orders for the removal of his construction outfits to the mouth of the Deschutes, under instructions to begin work by the 5th of May. He thinks however, that it may be a week later before work begins.

At present Mr. Gordon is securing the right-of-way for the line. The first eighteen miles of right-of-way along the Deschutes was secured some weeks ago and the deeds have already been filed for record. Mr. Gordon secured deeds for right-of-way through a number of places lying on Willow creek gorge between this place and the Deschutes river, on Monday. Among those from whom he bought right-of-way are W. J. Cowherd and J. E. Campbell and he has closed with most of the owners on the line along the Deschutes for right-of-way through their lands.

Mr. Gordon says that the Oregon Trunk line will be built up the Deschutes river, coming up Willow creek gorge to tap the immense wheat belt of this section, and that from this point the road will later be extended on southward. Madras is the present objective point. It is not known with what railroad the Oregon Trunk line is affiliated, although it is assumed that Mr. Nelson is building the line independently of either the Harriman

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PRIMARY RETURNS

Cake and Fulton Win for Senators.

COUNTY TICKET STRONG ONE

Western Crook Well Represented—Johnson, of Laidlaw, Wins For Clerk by 8 Votes.

The complete returns from Crook county for the primary election held last Friday, are in, and show that the region south of Crooked river is well represented on the republican ticket, at least. Wm. Johnson of Laidlaw is the nominee for clerk; R. H. Bayley of Laidlaw, nominee for commissioner; Earl Knight of Redmond nominee for county surveyor and Dr. G. W. Newsome of Laidlaw, nominee for coroner. As will be seen by the returns, the republican vote is much in excess of the democratic, indicating that unless the unforeseen occurs the republican nominees are certain of election. Below are the complete returns:

For Representative Twenty-First District, (Crook, Grant, Klamath and Lake counties):

H. P. Belknap, of Crook Co., r.....646
G. H. Merryman, Klamath Co., r.....348

For County Officers.

For Sheriff:

W. W. Brown, r.....92
A. S. Collins, r.....52
Frank Elkins, r.....294
S. E. Hodges, r.....249
B. F. Johnson, r.....103
W. T. E. Wilson, r.....25
Jacob Stroud, d.....430
James Street, d.....100

For Clerk:

J. H. Haner, r.....374
Wm. Johnson, r.....385
Warren Brown, d.....216
W. R. Cook, d.....34
W. F. Hammer, d.....105

For Treasurer:

G. N. Clifton, r.....379
W. F. King, r.....408
M. H. Bell, d.....203

For Commissioner:

R. H. Bayley, r.....394
Fred Fisher, r.....345
T. H. Lafollett, d.....252

For Surveyor:

Earl K. Knight, r.....95
R. W. Bell, d.....119

For Coroner:

G. W. Newsome, r.....97

For Precinct Officers.

For Justice of the Peace:

H. C. Ellis, r.....32
For Constable:

Floyd Lobdell, r.....9

Republican State Ticket.

United States Senator, H. M. Cake, Multnomah county.

United States Senator, for short term, C. W. Fulton, Clatsop county.

Congressman, W. C. Hawley, Marion county.

Congressman, W. R. Ellis, Umatilla county.

Governor, Dr. James Withycombe, Washington county.

Secretary of State, F. W. Benson, Douglas county.

State Treasurer, G. A. Steele, Clackamas county.

Supreme Judge, R. S. Bean, Lane county.

Supreme Judge, F. A. Moore, Columbia county.

Supreme Judge, Robert Eakin, Union county.

Attorney-General, A. M. Crawford, Douglas county.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, J. H. Ackerman, Multnomah county.

State Printer, W. S. Dunaway, Multnomah county.

Dairy and Food Commissioner, J. W. Bailey, Multnomah county.

Labor Commissioner, C. P. Hoff, Multnomah county.

Institute Postponed.

The farmers' institute has been postponed a few weeks to suit the convenience of a number of prominent people who could not be present on the date first considered. An interesting program of music, papers and discussions upon irrigation subjects will be presented. It is expected that the hotels will make reduced rates for the benefit of those attending from out of town and a number will be accommodated by private families. It is the intention of the committee having the matter in charge to make this institute even more of a success than those held at Redmond and Laidlaw earlier in the season.