

VOTERS FAVOR NEW BOUNDARY

LIMITS OF CITY ARE EXTENDED

As Result Scanlon-Gipson Mill Will Probably Be Built on Sisemore Place—Time for Beginning Construction is Not Yet Known.

The election on the question of extending the limits of the city, held last Friday, carried by a vote in the city of 113 to 11, and in the section proposed to be added, seven, there being none opposed.

Immediately following the close of the polls the council met to canvass the vote and formally declare its result, whereupon the section voted upon became a part of the city. The formality of giving notice to the county clerk, the county assessor and the secretary of state was completed by Recorder Ellis yesterday.

The success of the election enlarges the territory under the jurisdiction of the City of Bend by 350 acres and increases its taxable valuation about \$24,000. It is not an immediate addition to the tax roll, however, since the tax for the present year is made up as of March 1. It will go on the roll for city taxation first in 1916 and the first city taxes levied on it will be those of 1917.

It is not because of any relation of its own to the matter of city taxation, however, that the addition to the city was voted on Friday. The addition was voted because it was desired by the Scanlon-Gipson Lumber Company as a precedent to their establishing a large saw mill on the Sisemore place just south of town, the idea being that with the mill property completely surrounded by the city it would be practically impossible to add it to the city, thereby serving to exempt it from city taxation.

That the favorable vote makes it practically certain that the mill of the Scanlon-Gipson Company will be built on the Sisemore place, across the river from the Shevlin-Hixon mill, was stated by J. P. Keyes, local representative of the Scanlon-Gipson company yesterday.

"Now that the election is over," said Mr. Keyes, "I will say what I hesitated to say before, namely, that our people have had under consideration another mill site on which we should have built if we had failed to receive this consideration. This vote undoubtedly settles the matter for the Sisemore place."

When asked when his company might be expected to begin operations Mr. Keyes replied: "Frankly, I do not know. They have had milling plans under consideration for some time and within the past few weeks have had a saw mill constructor here to go over the sites on which they might build. The main thing that is now holding them back is the uncertainty caused by the war. The total impossibility of knowing what the future may be in this connection makes them hesitate."

"They want to go ahead and may do so soon. But on the other hand changed conditions of business may necessitate postponement indefinitely. One or two members of the Scanlon-Gipson Co. are expected to attend the annual meeting of The Bend Co. next week and will investigate local conditions further at that time."

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BOARD HOLDS UP DUBUIS REPORT

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by deferring the project and all concerned, and doing no one good.

"It seems to me this report should not be published for general circulation, but that settlers should have free access to the facts and findings of the engineer who made the investigation. They are entitled to those facts, if they demand them. I believe the board should put the results of the investigation in such form that it will not appear as a thorough review of the project as a whole, but simply as a recapitulation of certain points open to criticism which have been examined and reported on."

According to the Portland Telegram's account of the meeting of the board and report dealt principally with the canal capacities and seepage losses of the project, declaring that the latter were 65 to 75 per cent of the water diverted from the river while in transit to its place of use. It further declared that the company was obligated to furnish more water than the canals can deliver in their present condition. Representatives of the company asserted that it revived the excess seepage question which had been settled by the courts, and also that the question of seepage losses had been settled by the board heretofore.

Water Users' Resolutions. At the meeting of the C. O. I. Co. Water Users' Association held last Wednesday the following resolutions in respect to the report were adopted:

"Whereas the State of Oregon at a great expense, through competent engineers, has gathered data concerning the physical condition of the

Central Oregon Irrigation Company's projects in Crook county, and.

"Whereas this information has been published and

"Whereas this is the only reliable technical information available to the settlers who in a short time through the contracts in effect become owners of the canals in the above mentioned projects;

"Therefore, Be It Resolved, that it is the unanimous sense of the Water Users Association in convention assembled, that the above mentioned report, be circulated among those interested as intended at the time the report was published.

P. J. YOUNG, Chairman,
P. J. PEDERSEN, Secretary."

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PASTURE FORMULA GIVEN.

One of the most interesting details of the address given by Professor Shaw on Wednesday night was a formula for planting pasture on irrigated land. Lack of proper pasture, the speaker said, was a difficulty on irrigated lands. The formula given is

calculated as the best method of supplying the lack. For an acre Professor Shaw recommends planting as follows:

- Common red clover 2 pounds
- Alfalfa 2 pounds
- Alsike clover 2 pounds
- White clover 1/2 pound
- Orchard grass 2 pounds
- Perennial rye 2 pounds
- Timothy 1 pound
- Kentucky bluegrass 1 1/2 pound

LA FOLLETTES HAVE REUNION.

On his way to visit his brother Fred in Crescent, Guy B. La Follette of Helena, Montana, passed through town on Friday. Mr. La Follette was at one time a resident of Bend and is now connected with the Helena Independent. Mrs. E. C. Waterbury, of Los Angeles, is another member of the family who recently arrived at Crescent, coming from the south. Mrs. Waterbury, with Mr. La Follette and the two brothers, Fred and Ralph La Follette, of Crescent, are the only surviving members of a family that a few years ago consisted of nine. The present gathering is in the nature of a reunion.

AGRICULTURIST HEARD IN BEND

PROFESSOR SHAW WAS HERE LAST WEER

Hill Line Men on Agricultural Campaign in Central Oregon—Discuss Crops Best Suited to Farmer in This Section—Many at La Pine

On a whirlwind tour of Central Oregon officials of the agricultural, industrial and development branches of the Oregon Trunk, the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific railroads were in town last week. Talks on farming subjects were given at a meeting at the Commercial club room Wednesday night and on Sunday Professor Thomas Shaw, leader of the party, preached at the Baptist church. Although Wednesday night's audience in Bend was comprised largely of business men with only a few farmers present one of the speakers expressed considerable surprise that more business men were not in attendance.

Professor Shaw's talk here, as in the other places in this section where the climatic conditions are somewhat the same, was chiefly devoted to a discussion of what crops should be attempted by the farmer and what branches of agriculture were most likely to be successful.

Professor Shaw is a firm believer in the dual purpose cow and urged that more animals of this character be raised. In England, he said, the milking shorthorn, a dual purpose cow, is in great demand and gives the utmost satisfaction both as a beef and as a milk animal. For crops he urged a combination of pasture, forage and root crops that would do well in this climate and furnish the maximum for the stock.

The La Pine Meeting. At La Pine on Saturday Professor Shaw gave a similar talk, varying the crop suggestions to conform to the different climatic conditions. The meeting there was held in the afternoon under the auspices of the Commercial Club and was preceded by a dinner served under the trees near town by the ladies of the Fortnightly Club. Over 200 attended, coming from Crescent and the country around La Pine. Four cars went up from Bend.

Besides Professor Shaw, Mr. F. W. Graham, of the Great Northern

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railway spoke, saying among other things that in Central Oregon, was a country of greater potentialities than any other the railroads were developing. Addison Bennett, special writer for The Oregonian, told the audience a number of stories and an invitation was given to attend the coming chautauqua in Bend. In the two days between the Bend and the La Pine meetings a trip was made out to Millican, Hampton and Imperial. From here the party went into Jefferson county and will end at Redmond this week. Those on the trip were Professor Thomas Shaw, agriculturist of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways, A. E. Lovett, county agriculturist, Chas. E. Arney, western immigration and industrial agent, Northern Pacific Railway, F. W. Graham, western industrial and immigration agent, Great Northern railway, D. C. Freeman, advertising agent, North Bank system, J. T. Hardy, travelling freight and passenger agent, Oregon Trunk and Addison Bennett, of The Oregonian.

ports from the city engineer and the city treasurer. Councilman Caldwell was absent from the meeting.

Bills were ordered paid as follows:

C. P. Niswonger	\$ 17.50
M. E. Hawthorne	5.00
Bulletin	96.50
J. P. Johnson	15.00
C. F. Hartwig	4.00
Wenandy Livery Co.	6.50
H. A. Miller	1.52
R. B. Gould	44.15
S. E. Roberts	109.00
Oregon Trunk	23.01
H. C. Ellis	48.91
Electon Boards	30.00
M. E. Coleman	25.00
Colver & Shannon	37.22
R. B. Gould	72.50
R. W. L. & P. Co.	263.15
Miller Lumber Co.	23.45
Standard Oil Co.	19.23
C. O. I. Co.	26.40
Denay-Renton Co.	926.59

JUDGE DUFFY ON BENCH. Circuit Judge Duffy has just finished his first two weeks of conducting cases from the judge's bench, having been assisting the judges in Portland in clearing their dockets. Judge Duffy was sworn in in Salem a short time ago and has been in Portland since. Sunday he returned to Prineville where he will hold his first term of court in this circuit week after next.

See Edwards for good house painting.—Adv.

SALE POSTPONED AGAIN. Manager Pringle of the United Warehouse announces that the wool sale has again been postponed, this time to a date not fixed. The last announcement was that the sale would be held June 17.

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