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The Grant-Harney Country Covers an area of 6,428,800 acres of land

AT HARNEY COUNTY SPARSELY SETTLED AND UNDEVELOPED.

it Writes of Religious and Social as to an Eastern Publication, Gives Other Information.

is the name of one of counties in Oregon. It is eastern and southern state. In size it is larger than the whole New Jersey, having 10,000 square miles of land. There are about 5,000 people in this immense county.

He grappled with the situation with the devotion of a man of God and in the splendid spirit of his Master. He "made good" as we so often say.

He now has broken in health, and we are looking for some one - not to take his place, but to give him six months' vacation so he can rest preparatory to again taking up his work.

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A lady came from another part of the county for medical treatment. She learned there was a minister in the town and went to call.

True, the county is sparsely populated. But our own people have gone there to build up their homes and open up the country.

It is a well known fact that persons living in the Pine Forests do not suffer from kidney diseases.

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have been in the ministry, and I am willing to spend it all to get to Harney county."

On he came and he had to spend it all to get there, for it is a long ride from Iowa to East Oregon.

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SUMPTER VALLEY TO BUILD PLAN TO EXTEND BOTH FROM AUSTIN AND HOOD RIVER.

Will Tap Central Oregon but Not Pass Direct Through the Harney County--Surveyors Are in the Field.

A recent special from Hood River to the Oregonian says: If preliminary plans being promoted by wealthy capitalists of Salt Lake City, who own the Mount Hood Railroad extending up Hood River Valley and also the Sumpter Valley running out of Baker City, materialize, Central Oregon may have a railroad in the near future that will open up its many resources.

Early last Fall a large surveying party headed by Mr. West, was taken into the Central Oregon country from Heppner Junction to determine the feasibility of building a railroad on that side of the mountain and his report is said to have been favorable.

An extension of the Mount Hood Road has already been commenced. A big gang of men with a steam shovel was put to work yesterday at Dee, the present terminus of the line, and will build as soon as it can be pushed through the six miles of road toward Mount Hood that has been surveyed and staked.

This would provide the big lumber plants of the Oregon Lumber Company, which are also owned and controlled by Mr. Eccles, and the capitalists interested in the new railroad project, with an immense additional supply of timber.

The school fund has now reached in the neighborhood of \$300. Over 100 persons attended the school benefit dance at Mr. Dawson's on Friday 21st inst.

The next dance will be held at the Narrows on Friday, March 6th. The Sunset Orchestra will furnish the music, this string band is composed of 2 violins, 1 bass viol, 1 mandolin, 1 guitar a banjo and piano and is supported by the best musicians in central Oregon.

Two games of base ball were played last week at our grounds and a most interesting exhibition of clever work was witnessed by a very large crowd of enthusiasts.

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Pacific coast and if a league is found we will give Burns a run for the P. that will make the editor smile. We are now in condition to accept a challenge anytime.

I think that if a League of 4 or 5 teams would enter the field say Harney, Burns, Lawen and Sunset and each would donate enough to make a purse and buy a pennant or club cup to be played for and at each game a collection taken up or charge made for admittance to witness the game then the winning team take 65 per cent and the losing team 35 per cent.

Get busy fellows and don't let your Country Cousins say they can put a Base Ball in the field and you can't.

OREGON LEADS IN STOCK.

Oregon is the leading cattle state of the northwest; in fact, all lines combined, it is the leading live stock state of that section says a Washington dispatch to the Oregonian.

The total live stock in Oregon on January 1, 1908, was valued at \$57,739,000; in Washington, \$49,188,000. A closer study of the tables shows the details on which these totals are compiled.

TAINT SO, SAYS MR. SCOTT

Mr. Lincoln Steffens, the magazine writer, has written an article for the American Magazine for March, on politics in Oregon, of which advance sheets have been received.

In case I receive Jonathan Bourne, Jr.'s support for United States Senator at the joint session of the Legislature tonight, I hereby agree to use the full power of the Morning Oregonian and the Evening Telegram to defeat John H. Mitchell at the next Senatorial election, and elect Jonathan Bourne Jr., in his place.

I further agree that if I receive the support of Jonathan Bourne, Jr., for United States Senator in the joint session of the Legislature tonight that if elected I will turn all the Federal patronage over to Jonathan Bourne, Jr.

I hereby further agree in lieu (view?) of receiving the support of Jonathan Bourne tonight at the joint session of the Legislature that whether elected or not I will pay to Jonathan Bourne \$25,000 in United States gold coin.

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TAX EXEMPTION ANALYSIS EXPLAINS PRESENT CAMPAIGN OF TAX REFORM ASSOCIATION.

Communication on the Subject Published by Special Request in Hopes of Bringing Out Discussion and Comment.

The following communication published in the Portland Sunday papers, is copied by request: Answering requests, the Oregon Tax Reform Association submits this analysis of the tax exemption amendment: Its general aim is to release industry and improvements from the repressive pressure of taxation.

1. Exempts dwellings. Every new home strengthens our state. The present law encourages gambling in home sites until a good site costs as much as a comfortable dwelling.

2. Real estate agents will find plenty to do bringing together the "land-poor" man who finds holding vacant land unprofitable, with the homeseeker, who can and will gladly pay the tax when the speculative value has thus been squeezed from the purchase price, and the house he builds and everything in it will be exempt.

3. Exempt Farm Production and improvements--The farmer insists on taxing everything, always pays taxes on everything of his own, while the bulk of the wealth drained from farms to cities eludes the Assessor. Farm belongings are not of the nature to be concealed.

4. Manufacturing Exempt--Manufacturers everywhere agree that manufacturing will be stimulated, thus creating a "home market" for Oregon farmers, not in Massachusetts, but in Oregon.

5. Workingmen's Tools Exempt--Increased competition for workers, in factory, farm and building trades, will reverse the present order where the only competition is that of workers against each other for jobs.

6. Benefits Merchants--Vacant lots and land grants buy no drygoods and groceries. With raw material worked up at home, freights would be saved, workers would have more wages to spend, and there would be more workers, and producing farmers would take the place of idle sections, reflecting their prosperity in that of business in general.

7. The Banker--It will give our bankers a chance to loan our millions of deposits on legitimate enterprise instead of on speculative schemes, discounting the future. In short, will give money to industries and not to speculation.

8. It will discourage the grabbing for holdup purposes just ahead of industry, of our unsurpassed natural resources, and make more profitable the employment of the able brains of our public service corporations in their proper business as common carriers.

9. Thus the amendment is opposed only to his interests who fences natural opportunity away from labor, and to such a one it opens the pleasing prospect of getting down from the fence and becoming a useful citizen.

H. D. WAGNON. For the Oregon Tax Reform Association. Job printing--The Times-Herald

It stems from the following clipping from the Fairview, Ohio correspondent to a local paper there that the Wilsons have been sick since arriving there on a visit to relatives and friends.

The New Windsor Bar, under the management of Leo Caldwell, is one of the most popular resorts in Eastern Oregon. Drop in when you have a thirst.

It comes up in a collapsible tube with a nozzle, easy to apply to the soreness and inflammation, for any form of Piles; it soothes and heals, relieves the pain, itching and burning.

NO TRESPASSING. Hunting is forbidden upon my place adjoining Burns. Trespassers will be prosecuted. C. H. VOEGTLY.

NO TRESPASSING. Notice is hereby given that hunting and shooting upon the enclosed lands of the American Land & Live Stock Co. is strictly forbidden.

Being unable to give our personal attention to the collection of the accounts due us, the same have been placed with Mr. C. H. Leonard. A year having elapsed since the dissolution of co-partnership a prompt settlement of the same is requested. MARSH & GEARY.

Religious Services. First Church Christ Scientist 8 p. m. Sunday. Sunday school 2 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. Meetings are held in McMillen's Studio.

Rev A. J. Irwin will preach at Harney the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every sabbath at 2 p. m.

The Harney Sunday school meets at 2 o'clock each Sunday and a cordial invitation is extended to all who can attend to meet with us.

At the Presbyterian church Burns, Rev. A. J. Irwin pastor. Devine services the third and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. every Sabbath morning.

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