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Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Wilderville Irrigation Company will be held at the residence of Jacob Wagner, Thursday, January 7, 1909, at 1 o'clock P. M. to elect officers and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

A. E. SHEHAN, President,
JOHN H. ROBINSON, Secy.

Holiday and Other Rates.

Retail Hardware and Implement Dealers' Association, Portland, January 19-20.

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" "L" " " 35-40 " Limousine	3800.00
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" "T" Two Cylinder Com'l Delivery Car, Closed Panel Body	1700.00

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T O U R I S T

IS INTERESTED IN THIS SECTION

The following letter received this week from H. C. Rich of Coolidge, Washingon, will be of interest to onr readers. There is food for thought in it and, should anyone desire to write Mr. Rich, he will undoubtedly be glad to receive the correspondence.

Coolidge Wash., Dec. 24th, 1908.

A. E. Voorhies,
Prop. Rogue River Courier,
Grants Pass, Oregon,

Dear Sir:—Two issues of your paper at hand for which kindly accept thanks. The writer saw an exhibit of the fruit from your section at National Apple Show, Spokane, and are now trying to get posted as to advantages and facilities of your section.

This particularly as regards the road conditions that lead to your city from outlying districts. Since arriving from the east two years ago the writer has been investigating the needed improvements for lands that are somewhat remote from a market and finds the most urgent is transportation facilities, above that of team haul of three or four miles per hour under load.

Owing to the strong demand for eastern capital from sections that are well developed and have tonnage at hand the financial element east only will listen to the parties representing the most favored localities and when a deal is made on bond basis (the established custom) the deal is such that not only the capital advanced is paid back but as bonus the cream of the profits of the transportation line remains in the hands of the eastern faction for all time to come.

If these lines are profitable to the eastern element is there any reson why the same would not aply to local capital provided it was within reach of such capital. Again, sparsely settled districts, while having just as productive and valuable land as that close to market, finds no attraction in the eyes of the eastern capitalist or settler, as the first demands tonnage at a profit before investing a dollar and the second refuses to settle far from market with no transportation method outside of his wagon equipment.

This I find applies to districts from 10 to 20 miles from a market center of market facilities and presume you have roads leading from every direction into the interior of your county.

The ideaof the writer has been and is, (who is an engineer by profession) to convert the common highway or such ortion as may be necessary into a motor way for power equipment and at the same time allow automobile travel over the same.

This can be acomplished in a practical way for about $2000 per mile and make the motor way of cement top coat with macadam sub base and which is acknowledged the only road surface that will withstand the wear and skidding of power vehicles.

Tests are on record where this type of road way wears for years with no expensive upkeep and under very heavy traffic.

On a motorway of above type a schedule of 20 miles per hour can be maintained and 40 tons at each haul. This in applying to sparsely settled districts would fill the bill as an outlet as the settler could get to market 20 miles away in an hour and return in same length of time while with team haul of a couple of of tons would require all day and far into night for return if not the next day.

Telephone and rural delivery would follow a line of this kind when settlers enough were in the district to justify a modern up-to-date electric no trouble would be had in securing capital, and the owners of motor way would be in an independent position to dictate terms, etc.

As an advertising feature to draw settlers do not know of a more valuable one than a transportation outlet going right by the doors of the place where the intending settler is proposing to locate.

Are there any roads or roads that have 20 miles out good productive land and the grade of road not excessive. Also are there progressive men in your territory who would be in line with a project of this kind after they had fully investigated and found all satisfactory?

The writer is also looking for a locality to make a home as he has not as yet made a selection for one. Am at present in charge of this place, having 1600 acres of sage brush land under water from a 3000 gallon per minute Gas Producer plant. This is all irrigation from start to finish and a slip in water means injury to crop and personally prefer more natural moisture where irrigation is not required constantly, although do not care for excesive rainfall, where one is drowned out most of the time.

Addressed a letter to your commercial club some few days ago but presume they have overlooked same or are rather slow in correspondence.

Would be pleased to receive your views and in case it is desired, can run down and see your city and have a personal conference.

Yours very truly,
H. G. RICH.

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To get an antiseptic strong enough to kill catarrh germs and not destroy the tissues of the membrane at the same time, has been a problem which was never solved until the discovery of Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me).

Hyomei is prepared from eucalyptus, the most powerful, yet healing antiseptic known. Breathe it thru the inhaler over the inflamed and germ-ridden membrane four or five times a day, and in a few days the germs will disappear.

The inflamed condition will go, too, and the snuffling, hawking and offensive breath, and the discharge of mucous and crusts in the nose will cease.

Then why should any catarrh sufferer hesitate, when Demaray has such faith in Hyomei that he offers to return your money if after a fair trial Hyomei does not cure catarrh.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including the inhaler, costs $1 and extra bottles, if afterwards needed, cost but 50 cents. Hyomei also cures asthma, croup, sore throat, coughs, colds or grip.

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Realty Changes.

Roetta M. Stevens to Edward Burke, lots 3, 4, 5, blk 17, town of Kerby.

Merlin Townsite & Development Co to A. L. Edgerton, Lots 1 and 2, Center Ad of Town of Merlin.

George Maurer et ux to Charlotte Johnson, Lot 2, block 4, Town of Takilma.

H. M. Abbott et ux to James M. Boker, Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 39, O. T. S., Grants Pass, $2500.

Or Brown, et ux to F. C. Wilson W½ of NE¼ and E½ of NW¼ of Sec 4 Twp 37 S of R 6 W, contaning 157½ acres $1300.

Banks A. Williamson et ux to Chas. E. Short, NW¼ of SW¼ of sec 3, Twp 35 S of R 6 W, containing 40 acres.

Lavina A. Bull et al to L. E. Kerley, lot 12, block 76, O. T. S, $700.

George H. Griffin et ux to Nanne Griffin, lot 4, block 69, R. R. ad, city of Grants Pass.

J. L. Engle to Chas. C. Bower NW¼ of SW¼, sec 29, Twp 36 of R 6 W, $2200.

Allen L. Swain et ux to J. M. Johnson, Lot 11 and Lot 12 and part of lot 9, block F, Bournes add to city of Grants Pass, $1100.

L. R. Murray to M. J. Sturges, S½ of NE¼, Sec 2, Twp 36 S of R 7 W, $1500.

Maude A. Varner and Jos. Varner to Andrew Gigler lot 2, block 42 R. R. add, $200.

James Farren to Nancy J. Thoss lots 5 and 6, block 82, O. T. S. City of Grants Pass, $100.

Lottie D. and Wm. Lewman to H. L. Truax & H. C. Kinney, lot 5, blk 9 Miller Ad.

C. G. Ament to S. F. Sums, 15 acres in Twp 36 S of R 5, $1800.

Anna T. Perry and W. T. Perry to R. L. Parsell & H. N. Starr, 20 acres, sec 8, Twp 36 S of R 5 W, $1500.

Mary C. Geyer et al to Whitney Adams, 25 acres sec 21, Twp 36 S of R 5W.

Louis C. Kemer et ux to Ione Hartle & Marie England, SE¼ of SW¼, sec 32, Twp 35 S of R 5 W, $3000.

A Common Cold.

We claim that if catching cold could be avoided some of the most dangerous and fatal diseases would never be heard of. A cold often forms a culture bed for germs of infectious diseases. Consumption, pneumonia, diphtheria and scarlet fever, four of the most dangerous and fatal diseases, are of this class. The culture bed formed by the cold favors the development of the germs of these diseases, that would not otherwise find lodgment. There is little danger, however, of any of these diseases being contracted when a good expectorant cough medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It cleans out these culture beds that favor the development of the germs of these diseases. That is why this remedy has proved so universally successful in preventing pneumonia. It not only cures your cold quickly but minimizes the risk of contracting these dangerous diseases. For sale by M. Clemens

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Your grocer will grind it—better if ground at home—not too fine.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

Gathered from all Sources Throughout the State And Nation.

Edward Hugh Martin, convicted of manslaugater for the killing of Nathan Wolff of Portland at the latter's pawn shop on First street, May 1, has filed notice of appeal to the Supreme Court. Martin's attorneys were alowed 30 days in which to file a bill of exceptions. Following his conviction Martin was sentenced to 1, years in the penitentiary and fined $1000.

According to the Mail, the tax levy for the ity of Medford upon the current year's assessment roll amount to 17½ mills, aportioned as follows: general fund for city purposes, 4 mills; interest fund, 7½ mills; park fund, one-half mill; general sewer fund, one mill; street and road fund 4½ mills. The total assessed valuation of property within the corporation is $2,481,135.

Dr. James Withycombe, head of the O. A. C. experiment station, says to the dairymen: "Oregon is destined to be a great dairying state, probably the greatest in the nation but before we can reach this distinction the dairy herds of Oregon must be characterized by a larger percentage of special-purpose dairy cows."

The Charter Commission at Eugene is considering the advisability of suggesting the Des Moines plan of government. In brief, this plan calls for five departments of business, the council reduced to five members, all elected at large, and all paid a fair salary. Each councilman would be at the head of a department and held responsible for the work in that department.

President L. M. Gilbert of the Northwestern Prune association, the new organization of growers, reports that practically all of the association's pool, 40 carloads, have been sold at a price netting the growers better than 5 cents a pound for the 30-40 size.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are for weak back, backache, rheumatic pains and all kidney and bladder troubles. Soothing and antiseptic. Regular size 50c. Sold by Sabin's drug store.

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