

## GOOD ROADS MEETING MOST SUCCESSFUL

**Judge Scott of Salem Explains Movement--- Tells How to Build Good Roads---Local Men Join Movement--Excellent Program.**

Renewed interest in the cause of Good Roads is one of the results of the coming to Condon of Hon. John H. Scott, former county judge of Marion county, who spoke at the court house Monday afternoon to a large and appreciative audience. Gilliam county farmers and Condon business men have always been interested in better highways but the address of the Willamette Valley good road enthusiast, has put the subject before them in a new light and has brought words of encouragement to those who have been keeping the movement alive. J. E. Hunt acted as chairman and introduced Judge Scott. In his address Judge Scott complimented the school authorities for declaring an intermission and the business men for closing their stores during the session. "I am glad to see so many wo-

men here today," said Judge Scott. "The women are the best boosters I know of, when they take interest in a cause and I do not doubt that many of them are deeply interested in the cause of good roads." Some people raise objections to our movement because it is a big proposition. It is a big movement to be sure. It appears so at first sight; but it is not so large that an effort can not be made to bring about its realization. A start must be made sometime and the state association has made a start. I have been employed to arouse interest in the cause of better highways all over the state. This is why I am here today, not because I wish to criticize what has been done here but rather to explain the aim of the association." In brief Judge Scott

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## INTEREST IN EXPERIMENTAL FARM GROWS

**Mayville Grange United in Working for Establishment of Station in this County. Successful Farmers See Need of Such Guide.**

The letter printed in The Globe last week telling of the establishing of an experimental "dry farming" station in this county if the farmers were willing to lend their support, has received the good will of the majority of the best ranchers. The Mayville Grange has discussed the proposition and the members are united in helping the movement. The experiment station is to be located either in Gilliam or Sherman counties, it is to be carried on by experts in dry farming, men who say the soil of this county is adapted to yield immense crops every year if farmed in the right way. From the experiments in this very section the farmers would gradually learn new methods and farm to better advantage. In the fruit growing section of the Willamette Valley the model orchard farms have proven valuable to the success of fruit growing, in the same way will these experiment farms benefit the farmers.

Here is the opinion of a few of our successful farmers:

W. A. Campbell of Ferry Canyon says: "I think it would be a great thing for the farmers of this county as we cannot learn too much about farming. Also as an advertisement for the county, it could not be beaten. The farmers of this county need an organization and this station would help to get one started."

County Judge Dunn when asked by a Globe representative for his opinion said: "I am heartily in favor of the experiment and the farmers should all take hold of this proposition and push it along. There should be no half-way measures."

M. J. Lynch of Gwendolen remarked a few days ago, "I certainly think an experimental farm would be the finest thing for this county that could happen. I am willing to rent these people any amount of land they may need, land lying right along the railroad, and in every other way help it along all I possibly can.

I think the farmers should get busy and pull together."

Geo. Gibbons, one of the most successful farmers this county has had and who sold his fine ranch near Mayville a few weeks ago, says, "I am sure that the experiment farm would prove a source of great and lasting benefit to the entire county. Not a few of the farmers go at things in a haphazard way and blunder along, where, if they had a successful guide they would save hundreds of dollars. We talked this matter over at the Grange meeting last Saturday evening and decided there that this farm is the very thing that Gilliam county needs."

Wm. Looney of Ferry Canyon and a pioneer of this county and state, said, "I have not given this matter much thought but from what I have heard of it, I think it would mean much to the county and the farmers here."

Lloyd Parman, one of our large ranch owners and successful farmers said when asked for his opinion, "This experiment farm would undoubtedly be a fine thing for the county. These people have made a science of farming and the experiments they would conduct right here in our own county with the native soil would prove of untold value to our farmers."

Geo. B. Dukek of Mayville--"A meeting of the farmers of this county should be called at once in order to secure this experiment station if possible. I think it would prove a great thing for the farmers over this county. Sherman county wants it and is working hard for it, so we should attend to it without delay."

J. A. Richmond of Ferry Canyon said, "I would very much like to see the experimental farm located in this county and furthermore I think it should be located as near the county seat to be in the center of the population. It would be a grand thing for the farmers of this county and therefore for every one else in the county."

## GLOBE'S EFFORTS APPRECIATED---GIVEN BLUE RIBBONS

The members of The Globe force were presented with Blue Ribbons this week by the Mayville Fair Committee for being the best general "boosters." With these badges of honor were given the thanks of the committee for all the favors accorded through the pages of the Globe in advertising widely and boosting the fair in general. It is with pride that the Globe points to these badges of honor and the appreciation of its efforts, and it is now ready to boost for a "Greater 1909 Grange Fair."



C. J. QUINN, of Mayville

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