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RAILROAD SURVEY

TO BE PUSHED FROM

ROSEBURG ALSO

Reconnaissance to be Completed by August Fifteenth, and Report Made

Portland, May 28—Another party of railroad surveyors will start to Coos Bay in a day or two, going by way of Roseburg, and establishing a base of operations there.

In the party will be First Asst. Engineer Sears, Engineer Diers, and C. A. Schibrede, right-of-way attorney for the company, whose home is in Roseburg.

The work of making a reconnaissance of the route will be pushed vigorously from now on to the middle of August, by which time a report must be made that will determine whether the road will be built to Salt Lake City or not.

MT. PELEE STILL

IN ERUPTION

Panic Caused by Monday's Outbreak and Another Town Wiped Out

Fort DeFrance, May 28—The north end of the island of Martinique is now deserted. The last eruption of Mt. Pelee created a panic, and the inhabitants of Grand Riviere, Basse Pointe and the coast east of Mt. Pelee were brought here.

As a result of Monday's eruption none who remained at Morn Rouge escaped.

New Lodge D, of H.

Imperial Lodge of the Degree of Honor, was organized at Coquille City Monday evening, by Hattie E. McCormac, D. G. C. of H., who went over Monday for that purpose, returning Wednesday.

The new lodge starts off with bright prospects, having 49 charter members and many more in immediate prospect. The evening of the organization was the occasion of a very enjoyable social time, banquet etc.

The officers of the new lodge are as follows: Past C. of H., Marie Slagle; C. of H., Mary Walker; L. of H., Fannie Lyons; C. of C., Nancy M. White; Recorder, Lillian Fordyce; Treasurer, F. A. White; Receiver, G. W. White; S. U., Grace Skeels; I. W., Lester Mansell; O. W., J. M. Walker.

OHIO REPUBLICANS

ADOPT PLATFORM

Cleveland, May 28—In the platform adopted by the Republican convention here, the first plank pays a tribute to McKinley. The re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion act is commended, the isthmian canal favored. Trusts are denounced, and reciprocity with Cuba endorsed, as is the administration Philippine policy. It says our flag is in the islands and there it must remain.

BOER PEACE

CONFERENCE ENDS

London, May 29—A dispatch announces that the peace conference is ended.

Lord Milner left for Johannesburg and the Boer delegates started for Verreniging.

The question of retention of arms is said to have been settled in favor of the Boers.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY

Would Help the Sugar Trust

PHILIPPINES BILL

ABOUT TO PASS

Providing Civil Government for the Islands--Lodge Wants to Bestow Some Benefits

Washington, May 29—Representative Broussard, of Louisiana, who recently returned from Cuba, where he went to investigate the sugar situation spoke before the senate committee on Cuban relations this morning.

He testified that the result of his trip had convinced him that the sugar trust held all but a small portion of the sugar in the island. The only people in Cuba who would obtain benefit from legislation in the United States in reducing the tariff would be those who had worked their own crop with their own money, and they did not exceed two per cent of the whole.

He also said that he found no distress in Cuba, but on the contrary everybody seemed prosperous.

Today marked the actual beginning of the end of the battle which has been raging in the senate for six weeks over the bill providing civil government for the Philippines. The senate met an hour earlier than usual in order to clear up other business.

When the bill was laid before the senate, Lodge offered a number of amendments, one establishing the civil rights bill in the islands, with the exception of trial by jury and the right to bear arms.

COOS BAY GETS

FIFTY THOUSAND

Conference Committee Agree on That Figure in Addition to Amount on Hand

J. W. Bennett Wednesday received the telegram given below from Hon. Thos. H. Tongue. While the conference committee of the House and Senate have cut down the figure in the Senate bill to two-thirds the amount, the fifty thousand allowed will prove in no wise unacceptable. The telegram is as follows:

Washington, D. C., May 28, 1902.
J. W. BENNETT,
Marshfield, Oregon.
Conference committee report Coos Bay get fifty thousand dollars addition to ten thousand on hand.

THOS. H. TONGUE.

MEN MUST WIN

SAYS PRES. MITCHELL

Pennsylvania Operators Talk Big-- Settlement Will not be Made Off-Hand

Chicago, May 30—There is still no change in the strike situation at present.

President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers has announced that the call for the proposed convention, which it is understood five district presidents of the miners have agreed to, is not to be issued at once. Mitchell will give no opinion as to when it will be sent out.

Mr. Mitchell expressed himself vigorously as of the opinion that the men must win, and said he was prepared to fight it out to the bitter end.

SURVEYING PARTY FOR NEW ROAD

As foretold in the Mail a party of railroad surveyors with their outfit arrived on the Alliance from Portland, and the survey for the Coos Bay-Salt Lake railroad will commence at once.

SALE OF REAL PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT STREET ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF MARSHFIELD.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a warrant duly issued by the Recorder or the City of Marshfield, by order of the Common Council of said city, on the 17th day of May, 1902, to me, as Marshal of the City of Marshfield, directed and delivered, commanding and requiring me, as Marshal aforesaid, to forthwith levy upon the lot, or part thereof, or tract of land, upon which the assessment was made as therein and hereinafter described, and which assessment remains unpaid, and to sell the said lot, or part thereof, or tract of land, in the manner provided by law, and which assessment was made for the improvement of that portion of third street in said city (Hall's plat for E. B. Dean & Co.) upon the half of the said street in front of and abutting upon said lot, and was duly authorized and made, and a statement of which was duly entered in the Docket of City Liens, under and in pursuance of Ordinance No. 172 of said city, and that due notice of said assessment was given and more than five days have expired after the expiration of the notice aforesaid before the issuance of said warrant, and the lot, or part thereof, the block and plat in which the said lot, or part thereof, is situated, and the amount of unpaid assessment thereon, and the name of the owner of said lot, or part thereof, are as hereinafter set forth.

In pursuance of said warrant, I have this day duly levied upon, and will, on the 23d day of June, 1902, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. in the daytime, to-wit: beginning at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Council Chamber door of the Common Council of said city of Marshfield, to-wit: at what is commonly known as the Recorder's office of said city, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the hereinafter described real property, which said real property was levied upon by me and upon which the hereinafter mentioned assessment was made, the amount of the assessment thereon and the name of the owner thereof are as follows, to-wit:

Lot eight (8) in block sixteen (16) in the town of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, according to the plat thereof prepared by Wm. Hall for E. B. Dean & Co., which said plat is on file in the office of the County Clerk of said Coos County, and said lot is owned by John Merkle, and the amount of the assessment against said lot is the sum of \$100.00.

WITNESS my hand this 22d day of May, 1902, affixed at the city of Marshfield aforesaid.

J. W. CARTER,
Marshal of the city of Marshfield.
5-24-02

DECORATION DAY

Generally Observed in all Cities

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

SPEAKS AT GETTYSBURG

Ceremonies Were Held on the Memorable Battle Field--Graves of the Blue and Gray Treated Alike.

Washington, May 30—The national capital devoted itself to the observance of Memorial day. The departments were closed and business was generally suspended, while thousands of citizens, veterans of three wars and their descendants, paid tribute to the nation's heroic dead. The most notable ceremony of the day was at Arlington, where thousands upon thousands have their resting places marked with imperishable granite, and where still other thousands are grouped about the single imposing monument with its sad inscription, "To The Unknown Dead." At the Soldier's Home, Congressional and other cemeteries patriotic and religious ceremonies accompanied the strewing of the graves with flowers.

Gettysburg, May 30—President Roosevelt delivered the memorial address today at the annual exercises on Gettysburg battlefield. The ceremonies were held in the national cemetery, where the graves of fallen heroes were decor-

ated with flowers and flags by school children and veterans of the civil war.

decoration of the graves in Oakwood cemetery of the Confederate soldiers who died at Camp Douglas.

Indianapolis, May 30—For the first time in more than a quarter of a century Memorial day in Indianapolis passed without the customary downtown parade of veterans. Owing to the age and increasing infirmities of the veterans it was deemed best to abandon the parade. Otherwise the day was generally observed.

New Haven, May 30—For the first time in its history Yale University today observed Memorial Day as a holiday in all departments. The oration to the students was delivered by Judge Henry E. Howland of New York.

Louisville, May 30—Memorial day was appropriately celebrated by the various Louisville posts of the Grand Army. The principal exercises were at Cave Hill cemetery, where the graves of 5,000 Union soldiers were decorated. The oration of the day was delivered by Augustus E. Wilson.

New York, May 30—Today's observance of Memorial day was one of the most notable New York has had seen for a number of years. Business everywhere suspended and the holiday general. The most notable feature of the celebration was the unveiling this afternoon of the soldiers and sailors' memorial in Riverside Drive.

Chicago, May 30—The Memorial day observance in Chicago today was one of the largest of recent years. The big parade was reviewed by Governor Yates and staff. A feature of the day was the

Dress goods

SPRING IS HERE

And the accompanying demand for serviceable goods has been met at this store. In our showing this spring we have completely outdone all previous efforts to please our trade and unhesitatingly say that our stock is at present the only representative stock of up-to-date goods in every line.

Our Dress Goods, Have all had special attention.

Our Ladies' Furnishings, Our goods are on display and your personal inspection is cheerfully asked. Should you live out of town, samples will be cheerfully sent and any information as cheerfully given.

Our Clothing, Gents' Furnishings.

MAGNES & MATSON, Marshfield's Leading Outfitters and Furnisher.

Hats

Shoes

Clothing