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HEPPNER PENDLETON ROAD

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 Editor Wheatfield:

Having noticed the comments in some of the county papers regarding the Heppner-Pendleton road would like to express my views on this subject. I would like to state that the writer is now and always has been an advocate of good roads, but I do not see the advantages to the entire county of this proposed road to Pendleton. It would be a great advantage to Pendleton and quite a benefit to Heppner, yet to the county at large I cannot see that it is of any benefit whatever. Heppner would not be willing to be taxed to build a road of this description from Lexington to the Columbia river, where the benefits to the county at large would be double what the Heppner-Pendleton road would be. I do not believe it would be just and right to tax the people of the William-

ette valley to build Eastern Oregon roads, neither do I believe it right and just to tax the people of Lexington and lone districts to build Heppner roads. It is claimed that motors would be placed on this road by a company who would agree to keep the road in repair for the privilege of operating their motors over it. I believe that if the county would secure a right of way and build the grade from any point on the river to the interior of the county that steam and electric railways would gladly lay track and maintain the road bed for the privilege of operating their trains over it, but that is not the usual way. Let them build their own grades and buy their right of way. If this company wants to operate a motor line between Heppner and Pendleton, why not let them build their own road? If Heppner wants this road, let Heppner build it at her own expense and not ask us to be burdened with taxes to

build roads that is of no benefit to the county at large. I would be pleased to have others who are interested in this matter to express their views, as there may be some points in connection with this road question that I do not understand.

A Subscriber

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ARTICLE II.

Common conversation shall not be permitted when the use of the line is required for the transmission of business messages, and it shall be the duty of all members to see that the provisions of this article are rigidly enforced.

ARTICLE IV.

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ARTICLE III.

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