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EUGENE WINS FROM MEDEORD

Fine Contest Goes to Willamette Valley Team on a Fluke—Eugene Eleven Superior on Punts, Medford on Team Work—Score, 6-0.

(By Grid Iron.)

In the best football game of the season Medford was defeated by Eugene. Score, 6 to 0.

Eugene's score came in the first quarter on a fluke after Medford had held the heavier team for two downs, on the forty-yard line. Eugene punted. White made a plucky attempt to catch the ball at full speed, but it bounded away from him and squarely into the hands of the fleet left end, Discaux, who had a clear field and but ten yards in front of him to the goal line. Goal was kicked.

Despite this discouraging start Medford outplayed Eugene in the first quarter. The local line held like steel and time and again the Eugene backs were caught behind the line with the ball. The second quarter was the same, Medford having the best of it in everything but the exchange of punts. The third quarter was even up, and it was not until the final period that Eugene became threatening. In the last few minutes they worked their first successful forward pass and two end runs, but when they approached the Medford goal the line stiffened and threw the blue and white back for a loss.

Medford played real football throughout and so did Eugene. Twice the local boys hurried their heavier opponents back for loss when the ball was within the shadow of the goal. The defense of both teams was exceptionally strong and there was an entire absence of any rough or questionable playing. It is to be hoped that the Eugene game will become an annual one, as no more gentlemanly lot of players has been seen on the local field.

For Medford, Isaacs was the tower of strength. He was in every play and on the defense distinguished himself. It is doubtful if there is a better quarterback on a high school team in the state. Ware played his consistently strong game and was one of the mainstays on the defense. The ends, Beveridge and McDonald, broke up everything that came their way and spoiled many an attempted forward pass by Eugene. To each individual member of the line great credit is due. They fought hard all the time, and when the supreme demand came responded nobly.

Ralph Burgess showed great form throughout the game and muffed things up for Eugene regularly. For Eugene, Wagers, Gray, Vieckers and Discaux were stars. Wagers is surprisingly fleet and Gray is a great line plunger.

Summed up, Eugene had it on Medford in the punting and on individual work in the back field. Medford had the best team work and defense. It was a great game and credit is due to winners and losers for sportsmanlike playing.

DICKENS' SON VISITING AMERICA

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 20.—Generously conceding the "possibilities of the new world," Alfred Tenyson Dickens, son of Charles Dickens, hastened today to correct his father's impressions of this country on his visit in 1842.

"My father's only severe criticism of America," said Dickens, junior, "was of its detestable habit of expectorating everywhere. You seem to have profited by it, too, for I haven't seen much of it on my trip."

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SOLVING THE PROBLEM.

EVERY fruit grower as well as every farmer in the Rogue river valley should realize the advantage of irrigation.

It makes no difference how successful the non-irrigated orchard is, or how prosperous the dry farm has been, irrigation increases the success of the one and the prosperity of the other.

Irrigation is a form of crop insurance against failure. Properly applied, it not only increases the yield, but renders the return certain. It overcomes the season's deficiencies and multiplies the soil's productivity.

Most of the more successful orchards in the valley, those that yield year in and year out, which have good crops in an off year like the present, are irrigated orchards. Those that are not would make a more favorable showing if they were.

There are few soils more fertile, few climates more advantageous for fruit and produce production than that enjoyed in the Rogue river valley. But to realize these possibilities irrigation is an essential.

It is perhaps unfortunate that irrigation is not absolutely necessary here, that good crops and money making yields can often be secured without irrigation, and are thus secured. It makes the soil cultivator slow to admit the necessity and value of water. He can and does make money without irrigation, but he would make more with it.

The Rogue river valley must depend upon intensive cultivation. The tiller of the soil must get the most out of it. He must make ten acres yield as much as ten times the quantity of scratched land elsewhere. To do this, he must have water.

Farmers and fruit growers are slow to grasp the situation. Cooperation seems to be a minus quantity with them. They do nothing to improve the situation. Many who have water flowing past their doors refuse to use it, not only injuring themselves thereby, but the valley also.

Growers in each section should unite. While the young orchards are coming into bearing some kind of a crop can be raised to make the place self sustaining. It is in the choice of such a crop and in the marketing of the output that cooperation is essential.

In order to market any such subsidiary crop, it is essential to be able to ship in quantity. Community cooperation supplies this desired quantity, no matter what the crop is, whether of vegetables, potatoes, beans, strawberries or other fruit.

For over a year The Mail Tribune has been clamoring for a public market for the benefit of both producers and consumers. As a result, the city council will establish such an institution. But the farmers themselves have taken no part in the agitation, and have been powerless to take effective part, because they did not cooperate and were not organized. They have to sell their crops in a catch-as-catch-can fashion for the same reason.

Farmers and fruit growers, like every one else, must work out their own salvation. To reap the most from their soil opportunities, they must irrigate, and to harvest their products most successfully they must cooperate. Upon the way they solve these problems depends not only their own success but the future of the valley.

If there is a magic word to unlock the door of prosperity to the producer, it is "irrigate," and if there is another to enable him to reap the result of his industry, it is "cooperate."

And yet how few of our producers pay any attention to either. And yet until these facts are grasped, the balance of trade will be against us, and it will cost us more to live than we make.

TO FILE APPEAL BOND CASE SOON

Attorneys Neff and Reames Expected to Fire Case in Supreme Court Tuesday—Will Try and Have It Advanced.

Porter J. Neff and Clarence Reames, attorneys for Ed. M. Andrews in the suit brought against the \$1,500,000 road bond issue authorized by the voters of Jackson county September 30, and which was lost by them in the circuit court, announced today that an appeal would be filed in the supreme court on Tuesday, and that body would be asked to advance the case on the calendar in order to hasten the rendering of a verdict.

It is now believed that the case will be decided by the supreme court by January 15, 1912, which will allow the road work to begin in the spring if the county continue successful.

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WILL SELECT SITE FOR STATION SOON

The state officials who have to do with the location of state institutions are expected to arrive in the county the first of the week, at which time the definite location of the Jackson county experimental station will be decided upon.

The committee in charge of securing the proposed site near Talent was in Medford Saturday endeavoring to raise an additional \$1000, which amount is found necessary to make up the aggregate amount of \$9000 required to purchase the site.

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JUDGE LOVETT VISIT MEDFORD

Wires Colvig That He will Stop Off in This City for Purpose of Seeing City and Valley—Exact Time of Arrival Not Known.

Judge Robert S. Lovett, president of the Harriman system, will visit Medford on his way south to San Francisco, according to a telegram received by Judge Colvig of the Commercial club, today. The exact hour of Judge Lovett's arrival is not known, but it is believed that he will be in Medford Tuesday.

Accompanying Mr. Lovett is William Sproule, president of the local Southern Pacific lines, and Secretary Stillman, who, by the way, is a close friend of Phil Hamill of this city.

SOCIALISTS' MEETING.

All workmen come to socialists' meeting Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Big time. Held at Smith's hall, 128 No. Grape st. 207

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DEATH VALLEY SCOTTY TO TAKE A BRIDE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 20.—Just to show that he has enough money left in his boots to buy a home, Walter Scott, better known as "Death Valley Scotty," has let plans for the erection of a \$35,000 residence on his \$12,000 lot on the Cleonega hills. This little detail attended to, Scotty intends leaving on a special train for Chicago in a few days to carry out a little scheme "to keep from becoming lonesome." In other words, the Death Valley miner is going east to get a wife.

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STOCK HOLDERS OF TRUST TO MEET

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Directors of the American Tobacco company have called a special meeting of the stockholders in the trust for December 26 to pass upon any amendment to its charter fulfilling the provisions of the disintegration plan. They provided for the closing of the transfer books for the preferred and common stock on December 1. The regular quarterly dividend will be paid January 2. The preferred stock books will reopen January 3 and the common stock books March 4.

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STAR THEATRE AT THE THRESHOLD OF LIFE This film is an aid to noble work HIS GIRLIE In which Cupid gives father the merry ha! ha! RANGONO, INDIA Beautiful Scene LITTLE MORITZ IS TOO SHORT All comedy AL SATHER In New Songs. Rattling Good Comedy. Best of Music and Effects COMING EXTRA "THE COLLEEN BAWN" Produced in Ireland in the exact location described in Boucicault's celebrated play. This picture is in three reels.

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