WHY HE FAVORS

INTERIOR HIGHWAY

Samuel Hill has written the follow-

to the current report that he is boost-

pose them and until they awaken to

Portland Ore., July 21, 1914.

Good Roads Association, Med-

will have a way out to the south.

to Portland along the south bank

Dalles and Biggs, thence through

nia. I say by way of Biggs because

while the road from The Dalles to

Klamath Falls can and should be

California. You must get in your

mind that I have no property in Ore-

gon, and interested in nothing except

the Home Telephone company, so

needs of the state. The trouble is

each community is apt to regard the

road question in a "pork barrel" at-

titude, and think that all roads should

We do not determine where the

communities that balk at a one hund-

red thousand dollar bond issue are

likely to vote twenty million dollars

in bonds. I do want to see all en-

terprising communities tied in to-

road is finished to Medford you will

nia line, go by way of Crater Lake,

come through eastern Oregon and

come down the Columbia River High-

I spent 11 hours in an automobile

Highway, and I am not going to do it again. I am very plain about these things; what I do I do voluntarily.

If I choose to spend \$20 on a trip to

to criticise my motives or tell m

on. This work is a labor of love.

way to Portland and on to the sea.

together, and when the Crater Lake

Becoming satisfied that the Wil-

their benefits.

ford, Oregon.

# MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE





# REBELS UNREADY

The federal commander at Orizaba some distance nearer the capital, refused to grant the demand of a constitutionalist officer that his men be given an hour in which to sack the

on board, sailed today for Europe by country life to the residents. way of New York.

# BELGIUM ORDERS

strike, as a preventive of a European war, probably will be discussed.

#### NEWS FROM THE MEDFORD DRAMA LEAGUE

After the initial performance of "Omar, the Tentmaker," in San Francisco (booked for Medford August 1st league) a prominent critic saidartistry and in that something finer great. which consists of a poetic apprecia-

tion of points of character." ental story with as aptitude somewhat out of the usual for this western is the original New York company. of children enrolled in the school has duras." Jane Salisbury as the maiden Shireen of the prologue and as the mother in the play eighteen years later, was chief among the supporting company. She was excellent. Indeed the adjective might be used blanket-fashion for the entire cast, with especial emphasis upon John Hunter Booth's vivid work as Mahruss."

"A play to attract all those who liked 'Kismet'....like its predecessor, it is of surpassing beauty."

Two new books have been added to the Drama League shelf in the publie library this week:

"Studies in Stage Craft," by Clayton Hamilton, a very attractive presentation of modern drama problems containing chapters on the moving on the qualifications of a dramatic

"Chitra," a drama by Tagore (Thakura) which commands interest not only by reason of its profound thought and clear style, but serve as an exposition of the prin-

iples of the most modern feminist.

Another play by Tagore, "The the an account of Tagore, may be the rolling pampas for the vultures the cleanly and scientific manner of the Draugh, May number. Boef in Uruguay was so the preparation of the product.

#### A GOOD ROADS GREETING

M EDFORD extends to the good roads advocates of three states now in session here the best possible greeting for good roads boosters-paved streets and high-

With twenty miles of hard-surfaced streets completed in the city and fifty miles of paved county highway in process of completion in the county, connecting Oregon with California on the south by means of a scenic highway of easy grades, a program of actual accomplishment is set before the city's guests unequalled by any community of ing letter to George E. Boos in regard the three states.

Jackson county leads the counties of Oregon in road ing the Central Oregon route to Calbuilding. It was the first county to vote highway bonds ifornia instead of the Pacific highand the first to begin actual construction of state super- way. In brief he asserts that he is intended highways. Three of the cities of the county sistance and that it is useless to try along the Pacific highway are well paved—Medford, Ash-land and Central Point. The streets of other towns are lamette valley when the people op-

The main trunk line of the county, the Pacific highway, will be paved from border to border with hard-sur- George E. Boos, Secretary Tri-State face pavement. Several hundred miles of the county's thousand miles of roads are macadamized. Fifty miles of postal roads are now being improved under direction of Dear Sir: The enclosed clipping

the federal bureau of roads, co-operating with the county.

The program of road improvement has been an extensive one and as yet is only portially completed. It has a standard understand my attitude on

The program of road improvement has been an extended on understand my attitude on the road question. My interest is in eccessitated by the condition of highways in winter and made possible by the progressive quality of the citizenship. At Crater Lake the federal government is spending three-quarters of a million in a system of scenic highways. For seven years the county has unremittently worked in improving the Crater Lake highway, destined some day to be one of the world's scenic drives; but state and federal are not ready to cease fighting. A skirmish occurred at Soledad, where a small federal garrison made a sue-

skirmish occurred at Soledad, where a small federal garrison made a successful resistance.

No part of the world exceeds southern Oregon in natural beauty and picturesque scenery. This portion of the ever, that no set, or faction or locality can stop or monopolize this state will be made the Mecca for countless thousands of fourists—and good roads are the means to the end. At movement, and where one community Ashland, mineral springs are to be developed that will incumbent on us to see the people are acre. Carranza declared no such fleet had been ordered to concentrate attract those seeking recuperation and restored health— served in the next best way. On the and good roads are as essential as the springs.

the command of a federal officer.

The steamship Buenos Ayres, with many political refugees from Mexico on board, sailed today for Ehrope by Southern Oregon realizes the part of good roads in ly permitted, no local interests al-

In brief, good roads go a long way toward making life worth while—so southern Oregon, determined to get the most out of life, insists on having them.

all concessions made by Huerta to the proposed mediation of the powers of Lord Cowdray and other British citicates the proposed mediation of the powers between Austria-Hungaria and Serthal Wonderful Rogue River valley that Wonderful Rogue River valley

#### Canal to Develop Central America

ama canal on the countries of the fold. Porto Rico's prosperity is seen for the time to come when the Wil-BRUSSELS, July 27.—Partial Caribbean is told by Wm. J. Showal- in the sugar fields, where four tons mobilization of the Belgian army was ter in a communication to the Na- of sugar are produced where one was of their way... In other words, no ordered today, raising the total of tional Geographic society, at Wash- a dozen years ago, and where the the active force to 100,000 men. lington, D. C. He describes the won- Porto Rican people receive \$6 for ex-The international socialist bureau has telegraphed to its members to wrought in Porto kico and Cuba only a dozen years before. Coffee feegraphed to its members to wrought in Porto kico and Cuba only a dozen years before. Coffee feegraphy describing his travels in little danger of their mobilization dreadful backache, dragging pains, 1843. government in those islands.

the governing committee pending international developments.

In the governing committee pending inthe governing comm seem to be slow in their develop- perity cannot exist where good gov through the auspices of the Drama ment. Porto Rico is so small that ernment does not." continues the seven islands like it would be requir- writer. important in the evening's ed to cover an area equal to that of triumph was the introduction of a Costa Rica, yet it has a foreign trade untold thousands of acres of the finnew star in the person of Guy Bates five times as great as that of the est tropical fruit and vegetable lands Post. His Omar proved to be a his- banana empire. Porto Rico is less in the world, and vast areas of magtrionic creation to be compared with than half as large as Salvador, yet it niffcent grazing and coffee lands. Otis Skinner's Hajl, both in technical has a foreign trade seven times as Honduras is at our very doors. It is lead to their door.

probable beneficent effect of the Pan- laboring class has multiplied three- the state on other lines, and waiting the part of precipitate as general conflict in WASHINGTON, July 27 .- The increased sixfold. The wages of the beginning of the century. The pro-"It would require six Salvadors to duction of oranges has increased The bourse was ordered closed by make one Honduras, and yet Salva- sevenfold in ten years, pincapples up in 1915 from the Pacific Ocean

"Costs Ries is less than half tween Cuba and the six republics. as big as Nicahagua, and yet it has With an area one-fitth on great, its three times as much foreign com- foreign commerce is three times that merce as Nicaragua. And yet, when of the six. "One might go on with Salvador and Costa Rica are com- these comparisons indefinitely, the pared with Porto Rico, they in turn lesson of them all being that pros-

"With vast deposits of minerals, think I can speak frankly for the 700 miles nearer to Chicago that that "Little Porto Rico is so small that city is from San Francisco; it is roads should be placed; God did that it could be buried in a single Cea- closer to Washington than Denver is; when he made the country, and there "While much of the acting burden tral American lake; it would take 57 it is farther from New Orleans to is never any escape from it. I estifalands of its size to equal Central Chicago than it is from Puerto Bar- mate that it will require to build the der of the company met the many America together. The reason? Be- rios to New York. A stable govern- proper kind of road from Portland and varied requirements of the Ori- cause Porto Rico has an ideal gov- ment for Honduras, and it must be- down through the Willamette valley nearly quintupled since Uncle Sam a principality of poverty. Nicaragua think it would be a good investment coast. The answer to this is that this took possession there. The number is in the same condition as Hon- to build it. I do not believe that

#### Uraguay and the Meat Problem

the beef-eaters of the world are get- day has passed, buty they still have ting somewhat worried, especially cattle enough down there to convert those who happen to be domiciled in some 700,000 head into 113,000,000 the United States. Argentina is sup- pounds of jerked beef in one year, plying some of her product, but when most of which is sold to Brazil, Cuba. consumption is taken into considera-tries. Think of the julcy tenderloins through the Cow Creek Canyon on tion the quantity imported is not of 700,000 head of cattle going into even as much as the proverbial drop jerked beef! more meat? is the all-absorbing ques- Uruguayan cattle annunally contion. In this connection it is interest- verted into extract of beef. Perhaps ing to note an article in the July but few people know that the first Medford, that is a gift to the people picture, Drama League work, and a number of the Monthly Bulletin of great factory for the production of of Oregon, but no man or set of mer most discriminating final chapter the Pan American Union, Washing- beef extract known to the world was in Oregon or elsewhere have the right ton, D. C., in which, under the title of established at Fray Bentos, a little

of South America are given. also from the fact that although it ago the bacendados (ranchmen) of "stand" has grown enormously larger was written 25 years ago it might Uruguay complained to the gove.n- since the time it became the pionee ment that over 450,000 head of cat- in the beef-ten industry. The worldtie were being killed annually for wide reputation of this concern is their hides alone! The carcasses perhaps largely due to the high grade ing of the Dark Chamber." together were thrown to the dogs, or left on of the cattle of Uruguay, as well as to

With Porterhouse steak at 50 cents plentiful that it was something of a pound retail as an imminent fact, nuisance evidently. Of course that be able to drive from the Califor-

in the bucket. Where can we look for Again there are many thousands of "Uruguay as a Cattle Country," some city on the Uruguay river about 100 how my road work should be carried interesting details as to the live stock miles above Buenos Aires, the cosindustry of this rich little republic mopolitan capital of Argentina, and to help those who cannot help themthat it is still doing business "at the selves, and if the Jews will not accept Something over a aundred years same old stand," although the

the enormous total of Uncle Sam's Porto Rico, and other tropical coun-

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Rothschilds, giving in return a grant rupted. of a vast area in Lower California One of the newspapers prints the at a nominal price of one cent an statement that the German high sen does not want to come through it is other hand there will be no monopobankers of the world had been so have been issued.

that Wonderful Rogue River valley and that Carranza returned a post- via. tive refusal.

Foreign consuls paid another visit from St. Petersburg regarding the to Carranza early today, in which a Russian attitude, but hopes are still roads as a whole, it was incumbent discussion of prospects took place, expressed that Russia will abstain on us to further the development of Carranza told them there should be from taking any steps which might

of their way of policy can be disarmed Carranza plans to distrib- There is bardly an American allowed to bleck this game. You ute them without the country to re- woman nowadays who can keep pace will get much valuable information pair the railroad tracks. He hopes with the demands made upon her Geography describing his travels in little danger of their mobilization dreadful backache, dragging pains, There will be a highway opened against him, in case of a counter- headaches, nervousness or the torrevolution.

I cordially approve the effort of Prineville and Lakeview to Califor- every community to build up its own road organization to get the hest results it can. I do not believe any one road could be built better or made, it will never furnish access to more quickly by opposing another road. I am for all the roads all the time and in all places.

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