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Feb. 21.	Joe Henghet to W. S. Farris	10,500
Mar. 10.	J. W. McCready to H. P. Coburn	97,750
Apr. 18.	Mercer & Clark to E. S. Hammond	10,500
Apr. 20.	W. S. Farris to C. B. Chapman	46,000
May 5.	Lining to W. S. Farris	10,000
May 11.	R. E. Harbison to W. S. Farris	22,000
May 13.	Radloff to Hanigman	6,450
May 20.	J. W. Shipley to E. O. Hall	15,000
June 10.	Shrum Bros. to Frank Fenwick	7,500
Aug. 5.	Clapp to McCann	17,000
Aug. 24.	Cutler Bros. to W. H. Johnson	30,000
Aug. 26.	Wilson to J. L. Carter	2,190
Sept. 2.	W. S. Nichol to F. X. Arens	14,500
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\$2500—House and lot on corner close in, on Cascade Ave. Easy terms.

EXCHANGE

Modern Bungalow in town for small ranch close in. Full bearing ranch in Pine Grove improved with buildings, want land in Upper Valley.

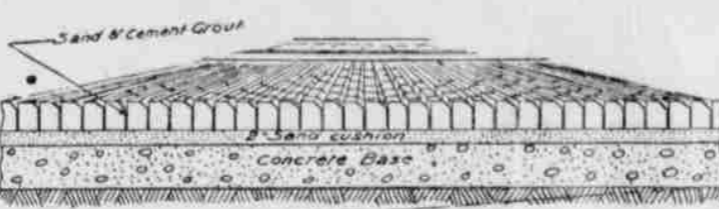
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CLUB ENDORSES MOUNTAIN ROAD

RECOMMEND LARGE APPROPRIATION

Secretary Kauffman Turns in Resignation—State Game Warden Will Deliver Address on Birds Here Soon.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Commercial club held Tuesday afternoon, the secretary of the club was instructed to communicate at once with the Oregon representatives of Congress the club's endorsement of the proposed appropriation of \$150,000 to be used toward the completion of the road that has been surveyed from near Lost Lake in the southern part of this county to a point near the terminus of the Sandy road.

The government spent the sum of \$10,000 last Summer in clearing a trail over the proposed route. The way is said by all who have seen it to be one of the most beautiful for a scenic highway in the vicinity of the wonderful mountain. In no place will the grade be above seven per cent. The government crew of men cut a trail six feet wide over the entire distance. Numerous citizens have recently discussed the way and the conclusion has been reached that the route should be opened by the National government.

At a meeting of the directors, a communication was presented by Secretary Horace G. Kauffman, who stated that on account of ill health, he found that he was unable to attend the duties of the club and asked that his resignation, effective, March 15, be reconsidered. The board accepted Mr. Kauffman's resignation. He will return to his former home in Illinois. No decision has as yet been reached as to the appointment of a successor for the position of a publicity manager. It is understood that Ray Scott, of the East Side, who at present is in Portland, will be among the applicants for the position.

A great portion of the time of the directors Tuesday afternoon was taken up with a discussion of financial matters.

It is probable that at a near date W. L. Finley, state game warden, will deliver an illustrated lecture before the club members on Oregon birds. Mr. Finley, one of the foremost ornithologists in the country, has written several books on American birds, and his lecture will prove decidedly interesting both to the older members of the business organization as well as the children of the city.

It is reported for the year ending House—E. C. Smith, Newton Clark and R. W. Pratt; manufacturing—N. C. Evans, C. H. Sprout and W. M. Stewart; judiciary—A. J. Derby, J. M. Wright and G. B. Thompson; financial—H. Heilbronner, G. R. Castner and A. J. Graham; entertainment—P. S. Davidson, E. O. Blanchard and C. H. Vaughan; transportation—C. T. Early, F. A. Cram and C. P. McGee; real estate—G. Y. Edwards, C. R. Bone and H. T. De Witt; roads—Albert Sutton, W. L. Clark, A. D. Moe, W. E. King and C. K. Marshall.

BIG CROP PREDICTED FOR EAST WASHINGTON

While the temperature of the past week was decidedly warm for fruit, no damage has been done, says a dispatch from Walla Walla, and unless it holds for another week or two, the crop will not be hurt. But with two or three weeks more of weather such as those just passed, the fruit would be farther advanced than safe at that time of the year. Buds on the trees are swelling in all parts of the valley, but cooler weather probably will hold them back until the danger point is passed.

Work in the orchards has been going on in good shape in all parts of the valley in the last week, pruning and budding being the main operations. The trees are looking better now this year than ever before, and if all indications hold, the branches will be in much better shape to hold a big crop.

Spraying will be taken up within a fortnight, and already five carloads of spray have been shipped in for the operations. More will arrive as it is needed, and the fruit inspectors will see that there is no slighting of this work this year.

So far, everything points to a big fruit crop for 1912, and only untoward weather conditions would change this.

LAFAN BILL RE-APPEARS IN CONGRESS

Western horticulturists must prepare to defend themselves from injury to their apple industry as a result of the reintroduction of the Lafan apple bill by Congressman Sulzer, of New York. Until recently it was believed no attempt would be made to secure this legislation, but pressure from Eastern growers was brought to bear on the New York Representative to introduce the bill.

The measure has been referred to the interstate and foreign commerce committee this session instead of to the agricultural committee in hopes it will be more favorably received by the first named body. The agricultural committee would again refuse to report the bill, it is understood, but the majority of the interstate committee is believed to be favorable to the Sulzer measure. Hearing will be had on the bill early in March, and unless Western apple growers take concerted action it is believed strong influence of Eastern and Southern people will be exerted to pass the measure.

League Team Elects.

The baseball fans of the Lower City met Monday evening and organized the Hood River Baseball League. The officers of the organization are: Carl Keot, manager, William Baker, secretary; Frank Meyer, treasurer.

COUNCIL DELIBERATES ON SEWERS AND WIRES

The greater portion of the deliberations of the city council at the Monday night meeting was taken up with discussions as to methods of controlling the construction of the wires of telephone and wire companies in the city and as means of remedying the incapacity of the sewer system to care for waste water of the city.

Councilman Mayes, chairman of the Judiciary committee, announced to the council that he considered it advisable for the committee to hold a meeting and invite representatives from all the different companies to be present and offer suggestions as to the most feasible methods of reconstructing the present systems of wires.

However, Councilman Robertson stated that in case such were done, the committee would be no further from an actual beginning than at present. All the companies would devise methods most feasible to themselves, he said. "The clauses of an ordinance controlling such wiring," said Mr. Robertson, "should conform as near as possible with the State Employers' Liability Act. The companies themselves should be willing to comply with this law; for if any one were injured under existing conditions, the cost of indemnifying the injured person under existing conditions, would be three times as much as the cost of a reconstruction of the lines."

An ordinance, which Councilman Brosius, chairman of the Fire and Water committee had caused to be drawn, passed first reading. This ordinance provides for measures, conforming with the existing state laws, to control the extension of wiring in the city limits. The ordinance providing for the construction of lines has been referred to the people and will be voted upon at a special election, March 2. An ordinance will probably be introduced providing for the wires in the fire limits of the city to be placed underground.

The sewer discussion arose, when it was announced that the pipe leading across the flats below the city was not of sufficient capacity at certain times of the day to carry the waste water from the city. City Engineer F. M. Morse stated that he thought the sewer of ample size to carry the ordinary sewage but that it was choked by water from water motors making use of the Hood River Apple Growers' Union power. The Health committee was instructed to continue its endeavors to find some remedy for the incapacity of the pipe line, and to determine what right the owners of the power company's water had to discharge it in the sewer.

The street committee reported that the work on the East Side Grade was rapidly going ahead. It was decided to purchase a small strip along portions of the highway, in order to prevent the necessity of building an expensive concrete wall.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION IS GIVEN BOOST

That the teaching of music should have a place in the public schools of the country was the opinion of a great many of the members of the Home and School Association, which met in the room of the High School building Monday evening, when a lecture on music in the public schools was delivered by J. H. Jeffrey, of Portland, but formerly of Indiana. However, others thought that musical training should not be instituted in the schools until courses in manual training were established and the schools had well equipped gymnasiums. It was the sense of the meeting that the board of directors should provide for musical training as soon as the financial arrangements of the district made it possible. The evening was made very pleasant by a musical program rendered by Culver K. Osgood, Hans Horlein and the Misses Shrum. It was decided that the members of the organization should each be assessed a yearly due of 25 cents, to be paid to the treasurer, F. A. Cram.

Another speaker of the evening was Prof. C. D. Thompson, who outlined the plans of the School Fair to be given here in September.

MASSEE PREDICTS MANY COLONISTS.

Frank A. Massee, who with Mrs. Massee and his son returned home Monday from a visit with relatives in Madison, Wis., declares that many colonists will pour into the West this Spring from the states of Wisconsin and Minnesota. "The past winter, colder than it has ever been before, has been too much for them, and they are going to try the Northwest," said Mr. Massee. "Scores of them are disposing of their property and will be ready to take advantage of the low colonist rates. However, many will wait until summertime, when they will come out and look the different regions over in leisurely fashion. The greater portion of the colonists from these two states, I think, will come to Oregon."

SMITH CANDIDATE FOR ATTORNEY

The office of the Prosecuting attorney for the Seventh Judicial district of the state, comprised of Hood River, Wasco and Crook counties, now has three aspirants. Ernest C. Smith, of this city is the latest candidate to announce his intentions to make the race. Mr. Smith, who has been a resident of this county for the past three and a half years, was the country's first superintendent of schools, having been appointed that establishing of the county, by the governor. He is a graduate of the Law School of the University of Michigan.

Mr. Smith's opponents are Carlton L. Pepper and Wells A. Bells, both of The Dalles.

SCHOOL FAIR CREATES INTEREST

MERCHANTS CO-OPERATE HEARTILY

Big Prize List Raised From Subscribers of Merchandise—Date Probably September 14th.

The School Fair to be held to promote the interest of the Grammar Grade children of the Hood River County public schools this fair to be one of the most successful of any to be held in the state. According to the plans of the committee, seventy-eight premiums will be awarded for the best specimens of the thirteen articles on which the children will compete. Three prizes, of \$5, \$5, and \$2, will be awarded on each article in both classes in which the children are to be divided, those under and those above 12 years of age.

The committee appointed by the Commercial club has interviewed the greater number of the merchants of the city. The business men have approved of the Fair and subscriptions of merchandise have been given freely. The list of subscriptions up to date are as follows:

First National Bank, \$20; Butler Banking Co., \$20; Hood River Banking & Trust Co., \$10; Chas. N. Clarke, sofa pillow, \$5; Frank A. Cram, mchd., \$10; E. A. Franz, \$5; R. G. Yowell & Co., \$2.50; Carl A. Plath, \$3; V. E. Fosberg & Co., \$2.50; Blowers Hardware Co., \$2.50; Kinnaird & Kinsey, \$2.50; Stewart Hardware & Furniture Co., \$5; Morlan & Lathrop, pair shoes, \$3; Paris Fair, \$5; J. C. Johnson, \$2.50; S. E. Bartmess, furniture, \$3; Hood River Abstract Co., \$3; Waggoner's Music House, \$2; J. H. Heilbronner, \$2; Crookshank Co., \$2; Gilbert Implement Co., \$5; C. K. Marshall, \$2.50; Arthur Clarke, \$5; H. P. Dalton, \$5; C. A. Hall, \$5; Hood River Mercantile Co., \$5; Y. Edwards, \$2; Oregon Mercantile Co., \$5; Keir & Cass, \$5; Geo. L. Slocum, \$3; Perigo & Son, can Sanborn Seal Brand Coffee, \$2.50; Bailey & Cully, electric iron or shak lamp, \$5; O. P. Dalbey & Sons, \$2.50; J. M. Culbertson, \$2; Electric Wiring & Supply Co. 2 electric toasters, \$9; Piper's Book Store 1754 page Webster's dictionary, \$3.50; W. S. Nichol, \$2; D. McDonald washing machine, \$5.50; J. M. Wood, \$5; Hadlock & Steinhoff, \$2; W. J. Baker & Co. \$2; Reid & Henderson, (inc.), \$2; B. E. Duncan, \$2; Hubbard Taylor, box of Diamond Seratch food for best Plymouth Rock-chickens \$2.50; Smith & Imbler, \$2.50; A. L. Carmichael, \$2.50.

The list will probably be completed next week when it will be given in full.

The Fair will probably be held on Saturday, September 14.

INSPECTOR AFTER FALSE BRANDERS

An alleged misbranding of cull and lower grade apples shipped from here to Portland may lead to prosecutions, County Fruit Inspector W. H. Lawrence left yesterday for that city to confer with the inspector of Multnomah county in an effort to secure incriminating evidence against the alleged violators of the law.

It is reported that hucksters from Portland have canvassed the Valley, purchasing cull and low grade fruits, which were placed in misbranded boxes in Portland and sold as fancy grades. It is said that in cases the names of fictitious orchard companies have been stamped on boxes in which the fruit was offered for sale.

COLUMBIA RAISES VERY RAPIDLY

The Columbia has risen seven feet during the past month. The rise in the stream has been made during the past week, because of the unusual warm weather melting the snow in the eastern part of the state and on the headwaters of the stream. The heavy rains over the eastern part of Oregon and Washington have also added to the waters of the stream. At the first of the year the Columbia was lower than ever known here.

New Real Estate Firm for Upper Valley.

The Ingram Mercantile Co. will begin this Spring the handling of Upper Valley Real Estate. The firm is composed of W. G. Ingram, who came here the first of last year from Penitentiary, and W. M. Rhodenhiser, a pioneer orchardist of the Upper Valley. Mr. Rhodenhiser will have charge of the real estate part of the business. He is well acquainted with Upper Valley conditions and has great faith in the success of the region as a fruit district.

The Upper Valley is fast developing. Each year sees a great progress made in the community. Large clearings will be made during the coming season.

West Side Will Form Improvement Club.

The citizens of the West Side, residing in the Oak Grove district, met last Friday evening and decided to form a club for the improvement and progress of that community. The name of the organization will probably be the West Side Improvement Club. The members will use their efforts for securing that portion of the valley every possible improvement.

Big Hog Slaughtered.

While Hood River does not raise very many hogs, it produces a few top notchers. Warren Miller sold a two year old grunter to the Hood River market the first of the week, which tipped the scales, when dressed, at 503 pounds.

Mrs. D. G. Jackson, Mrs. Croighton and Mrs. C. H. Stittan entertained at what last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Jackson on Sherman avenue. The honors were won by Mrs. W. H. McClain and W. L. Stewart. The consolation prize was won by Mrs. H. M. Huxley. Delightful refreshments were served. The home was decorated tastefully with red hearts, appropriate of the Valentine season.