

IMPROVEMENTS IN TOWN NOTICEABLE

From The Irish News

Those of you boys who have not been in town for some months will find considerable in the way of improvements when you do visit us. A cement walk has been extended from Bieber's corner to the First National Bank building and on the east side of the street from Bailey & Massingill's to the Thornion Drug store. The new brick front building erected by Doctor Daly on the site of the old City Restaurant is now completed and is again in full charge, although in much improved quarters. The First National Bank have about completed a two story addition to the rear of their building, the lower floor of which will be occupied by stores, the upper floor by offices. The Heryford building, three stories in height, on the site of Mike O'Sullivan's old red barn is nearing completion, although slowly owing to the enormous amount of work for a building of that size. The grounds about the new High School have also seen considerable improvement of late, and are surrounded on several sides by a fine cement walk. There are also many minor improvements to be seen, a description of which would take up too much space in these columns.

Seeing the Sights

From The Irish News

Dennis O'Connor, who is known to us all, was among the many visitors to this city during the forepart of the past month. He came in from Lava Beds and after a two week's visit in town during which time he attended a Picnic, left for Madeline, California to take a number of bucks out to be shot for the winter. Dennis is in business with his brother, Hugh, and Charles Sherlock. His postoffice address is Straw, California.

NEWS OF THE MONTH

From The Irish News

Sometime the latter part of this month a celebration will take place at Plush, during which time horse races and games of the Gaelic football will be on the list of events. The Lakeview and Plush teams will compete, as well as teams from South Warner and Surprise. The program has not as yet been completed so that it is impossible to give more details.

Jerre Egan, who has been a resident of this county for several years past, has just acquired a three year's option on 1400 head of ewes belonging to Michael Barry, Sr., who is now in Newmarket. Mr. Egan has been herding for sometime past for Michael M. Barry, and has proven himself an expert in the business which he has just entered. He has our best wishes for success in his new venture.

IRISH BOYS AFTER LIQUOR LICENSE

From The Irish News

Michael M. Barry and Con Fitzgerald, prominent among our local residents, have just succeeded in securing the necessary number of signatures to a petition requesting the County Court to grant them a license to conduct a saloon in North Warner precinct. They will occupy the building formerly used by Pat Murphy in North Plush. A new bar with the necessary fixtures, chairs, etc. has been ordered, and a contract has been let for remodeling the entire building. Mr. Barry states that he will have one of the most up-to-date saloons in Southern Oregon when completed. The News wishes them all sorts of good luck and success in their new venture and hopes to have the pleasure of visiting them at some future date.

After Lake County Sheep

From The Irish News

Jake Prout, a sheepman of Camala Prairie, Washington, was in town last week with a view to purchasing sheep locally. Mr. Prout has had considerable experience in the business and has been connected with some big Washington concerns devoted to stock raising. He made the trip through Lake county from the north, coming in via Bend, Crescent and Silver Lake. He is particularly impressed with the possibilities for a sheep man in this country, and greatly pleased with the manner in which the Forest Service regulations as to stock are being administered by the local Forest office.

SNAPSHOTS AT NOTABLES

Carmi A. Thompson, President Taft's Secretary.



Carmi Alexander Thompson of Ohio, who succeeds C. D. Hillis as secretary to President Taft, was formerly a coal miner and got his first start in life as a welder of the pick. Since that long ago day, however, he steadily moved upward and for many years has been a prominent figure in Ohio politics.

A native of West Virginia and forty-two years old, Mr. Thompson has spent most of his life at Ironton, O. By working in the mines he earned enough money to get a high school education and then took an academic course in the Ohio State university. Two years of teaching and more saving enabled him to take a law course at the same institution. In 1895 he was admitted to the bar, and he began practice at Ironton. After a term as city solicitor he went to the legislature and was speaker of the house in 1906-7. Then he was elected secretary of state and re-elected two years later. At the close of his second term he was appointed assistant secretary of the interior at Washington, from which post he resigned to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Hillis to become President Taft's campaigner.

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MEASURES TO BE ON NEXT BALLOT

(Continued from last week)

A bill for an act revising the inheritance tax laws among the other changes, reclassifying rates, highly increasing same, placing certain estate matters relative thereto with the State Tax Commission but leaving collection to be made by the State Treasurer. Vote YES or NO

356 Yes

357 No

A bill for an act fixing the per centum that freight rates on low train car load lots shall bear to car loads and to establish minimum and maximum freight and providing penalties for violation of this act. Vote Yes or No

378 Yes

379 No

For amendment of Section 19 Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon empowering the court of any county to issue and sell bonds or other securities to build and maintain roads within the county when authorized by a majority of the voters of the county, and empowering the county court to present the question at any general election or to call a special election for such purpose, and repealing all constitutional amendments and acts in conflict with the proposed amendment, including those submitted to the people at this election. Vote Yes or No

360 Yes

361 No

For an amendment of Article IV of the Constitution of Oregon abolishing the State Senate; providing one but not less than five members to be chosen by the voters; increasing State and municipal referendum powers; House of Representatives to consist of sixty elective members, and the governor and lieutenant governor to be elected for four year terms, annual sessions; proportional election of members; proxy system of voting on bills, and those introduced after twenty days to go to the next session; control and restriction of franchises. Vote YES or NO

362 Yes

363 No

For amendment of Section 2, Article IX, of the Constitution of Oregon providing for specific graduated taxes, in addition to other taxes, upon all franchises and rights of way, lands and other natural resources in excess of \$50,000 under one ownership and assessing water powers in the counties where situated; exempting from taxation all personal property of every kind, and improvements on, in and under land, except a county may enact a county law to tax the same. Vote YES or NO

364 Yes

365 No

A bill for an act to abolish Capital Punishment in the State of Oregon. Vote YES or NO

366 Yes

367 No

A bill for an Act prohibiting boycotting or picketing any industry, workshop, store, place of business or factory or any lawful business or enterprise and prohibiting enticement, persuading or attempting to persuade or induce any person working therein from continuing such employment and providing a penalty for violations of the act. Vote YES or NO

368 Yes

369 No

A bill for an Act prohibiting the use of the public streets, parks and public grounds, in any city or town of a population of 5000 or over for holding meetings for public discussion or speech making purposes without a written permit from the mayor thereof. Vote YES or NO

370 Yes

371 No

Referendum Ordered By Petition of the People

An Act appropriating \$125,000 for building and equipping an administration building and extending heating plant to same, for the University of Oregon, and also appropriating the further sum of \$150,000 for the purchase of additional land, equipment and apparatus; making repairs, additions, and improvements to buildings and grounds; paying salaries of instructors and employees; paying a rent assessment; and for additional maintenance of the correspondence study department of the University of Oregon. Vote YES or NO

372 Yes

373 No

An Act appropriating \$125,000 for the construction, equipment, and furnishing a modern fire proof library building, and the extension of the heating plant to the same, for the use of the University of Oregon. Vote YES or NO

374 Yes

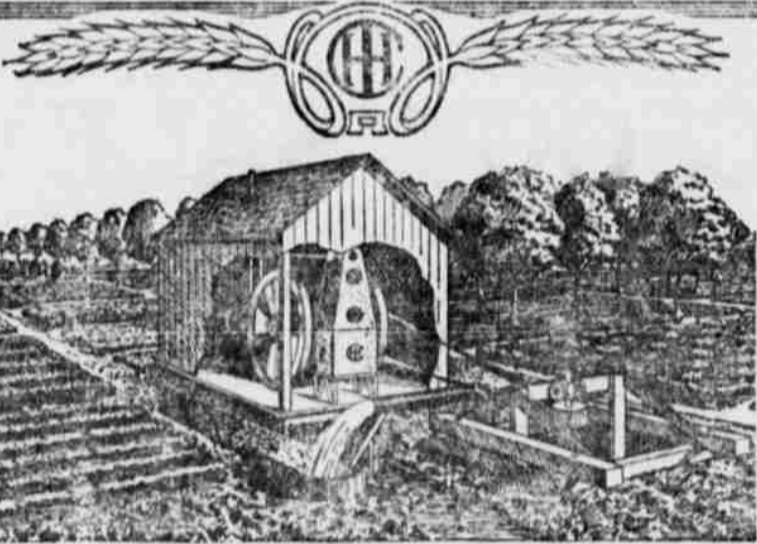
375 No



EDMUND B. DILLON.

In the state, and in a brief speech to the convention accepting the nomination he said, "I will give to the party and the people of the state the best that is in me."

On the bench Judge Dillon has won an enviable reputation and is now serving his third term in the court of common pleas. He is a native of the Buckeye State and is forty-three years old. His education was acquired in the schools of Portsmouth, O., and at Ohio Wesleyan university. He studied law at London, Ky., and was admitted to practice in 1881, hanging out his shingle at Columbus. Before his elevation to the bench in 1902 Judge Dillon was for several years attorney for the dairy and stock department of the state of Ohio.



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