

RAILROAD CREWS BUSY

MINUTES LINK STARTS LAYING TRACK IN CANYON

TWO LINES APPARENTLY RACE

Oregon Trunk Busy Blasting Tunnel in Canyon, Grading and Bridge Building.

A dispatch from Deschutes to the Portland Review gives some interesting information concerning the railroad activity in Central Oregon: With track-laying commenced on the Harriman road on the east bank of the Deschutes canyon, and the Oregon Trunk line contractors working at night on the grade on the west bank, a race to determine what railroad shall be the first to reach Central Oregon is apparently under way.

All day long blasts touched off on one side of the canyon or the other reverberate from side to side and across the Columbia to the gaunt hills beyond and back again. Blasts from the Oregon Trunk line work are heard at all hours of the night at the mouth of the Deschutes canyon.

The opinions have even disturbed the wild geese which in other years have roosted at night on Miller's Island in the Columbia opposite the mouth of the Deschutes in almost countless thousands. The geese have now transferred their roosting ground to the far eastern end of the island and have ceased flying up the draw of the Deschutes to the wheat fields.

Railroad transportation of its own and the earlier establishment in the field of contractors at this point has

given the Harriman line an advantage in commencing track-laying.

Last Friday a track-laying machine was put at work at the material yard, one mile east of this point, and where the Deschutes road leaves the main line of the O. R. & N.

The track is now laid for a distance of one and one-half miles and the track men say that ten miles will be laid by the first of the year.

In the material yards are rails now on hand sufficient to lay thirty-four miles of track, and ties are piled up in sufficient numbers to correspond, while kegs of spikes, angle bars, galvanized iron culvert, bridge timbers and other construction material are scattered in piles over several acres of ground. The track-laying machine designed by L. C. McCoy, the engineer in charge of the steel construction, was built in the yards here, and the workmen are now installing a hoisting engine on a derrick car, to which will be added a derrick for heavy bridge building.

The track-laying machine, which is the first of the McCoy design ever built, as has been demonstrated already, is a success.

It is much cheaper of construction than the other machines now in use in railroad work and requires fewer men to operate it. With a gang of 35 to 45 men a mile of track per day can be laid. The Roberts or Harris types, while faster in operation, require about 100 men to work to their capacity.

The principal advantage claimed for the McCoy machine is the small number of men required to operate it. In the event track-laying overtake bridge-building or grading, the number of men held on pay is not so great.

The material yard equipment also includes a machine for curving rails, which is operated by a gasoline motor.

Ten miles of track will carry the

Harriman line's work to a point where some of the heavier bridge work begins and will permit the shipping in of material by rail and promote faster construction in that locality.

For both roads the work near the mouth of the Deschutes is light compared with that farther up the canyon. The Oregon Trunk line, in rounding the bluff into the Columbia River canyon, has a rock tunnel to construct, on the approaches of which work is now under way. Between the mouth of the Deschutes and Celilo a great part of the construction is in rock.

The Harriman road is laying rails of the continuous joint type, which is now the standard type of rail on the O. R. & N. main line. The main line of the O. R. & N. is built of 75-pound rails, but for the heavier traffic between Portland and The Dalles it is said that the track is to be relaid this winter with 90-pound steel. On the Deschutes road 75-pound steel is being laid.

PRIZES OFFERED
The president of the Pioneer Society offers a cash prize of One Dollar for the most acceptable motto for the Pioneer badges now being made. This motto is to consist of not more than five words. The emblems represented on the badges are a gun, an axe and a log cabin.

WOODMEN ATTENTION
General Organizer F. B. Tichnor will be here on Tuesday, Nov. 30th. All members of Ewauna Camp are urged to be present at Woodmen hall on evening of that date.
C. K. BRANDENBURG, Clerk.

TRIPS AND SHIRTS
Left uncalled for at my place will be sold at a discount on original price. Call on O. A. Stearns, West side.

Ladies' scarfs, sweater coats, wrappers, kimonas at Goodrich's Cash Store.

CANDIDATES NOMINATED

SIX YOUNG LADIES ENTER THE HERALD CONTEST

MUCH INTEREST MANIFESTED

Contest Will Prove One of the Most Popular Ever Held in Southern Oregon.

The Herald's contest is now on in deadly earnest. The names of the young ladies entered are published today for the first time. Probably no other contest has had such a representative list of candidates. The young ladies entered are among the most popular in the Klamath country, each has a host of friends who are determined that their favorite shall have the honor of representing this community in the Oregon Booster Girls' party.

How to Secure Votes
The candidates will be furnished with receipt books and will have authority to collect for subscriptions. Friends desiring to help either of the contestants can do so by paying their subscription in the office or to the young lady whom they wish to help. By paying a year in advance you are not only giving your favorite a large number of votes, but making 30 per cent interest on your money. Votes are issued on old and new subscriptions. Candidates will not collect rearranges in the city; all arrangements must be paid in the office. Candidates may secure subscriptions anywhere. Reports must be made to Contest Manager twice a week. Work hard for yearly subscriptions—a few of them will give you a large vote. The names and standing will be published again on Monday. Remember, you only have a short time to secure votes; start working now.

Not Too Late to Enter
If your favorite hasn't been nominated, call her up and if she desires to enter fill out the nominating blank and mail it in at once. Do it now; a few days' delay will make it much harder for her to win. The nominating blank is good for one thousand votes. Only one will be counted for each candidate.

Standing of the Candidates
Following is the list of candidates. The vote of each is the same in this issue, as only one nominating blank was counted. Next Monday the votes will be published again; put your favorite in the lead.

- Olive Faught 1,000
- Grace Nicholson 1,000
- Miss Flora Manton 1,000
- Helen Harris 1,000
- Hazel Livermore 1,000
- Lucille Allison 1,000

VOTE SCHEDULE

	Votes.
Daily Herald, 3 mos., \$1.25	300
Daily Herald, 6 mos., \$2.50	600
Daily Herald, 1 yr., \$5.00	1,000
Daily Herald, 2 yrs., \$10.00	2,000

NOMINATING BLANK
One Thousand Votes

Name.....
Street and No.....
Nominating your favorite today.

See the new swan-neck Edison phonographs at Winters'.

Don't wear out your back, broom and carpets when you can get the work done so quickly, thoroughly and cheaply by Hoagland's vacuum cleaner.

CITY BRIEFS

August Biehn came in on the stage from Lakeview last night.

J. T. Alexander came up from Dorris Friday evening to attend to some business matters.

R. M. Bolter stepped on a nail Friday evening and is now confined to his home, suffering a good deal.

Jack Cunningham is putting the finishing touches on the house at the Hannan ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Patty of the Model bakery left this morning for Corvallis, where Mr. Patty will take a position.

The trapping season has started, and there are a dozen hunters with traps set out along the borders of the two lakes.

The ducks and geese have commenced going into the grain fields, and the ranchers are out in full force hunting them.

George C. Hill of the Holcomb Realty company is confined to his home, but expects to be out and around again before long.

The Presbyterian church will give a fair December 10th. Refreshments will be served and you are cordially invited to be present whether you buy or not.

Miss Rosa Shive, who recently returned from Portland, where she has been attending college, has taken a position as bookkeeper in Shive Bros' grocery store.

Do not forget the Presbyterian church fair, which is to be held on the evening of December 10. It will be an excellent opportunity for you to purchase your Xmas presents.

Attorneys Manning and Smith are moving their office from the Whitrow-Melrose building into the E. F. White building, where they will have larger rooms fronting on Main street.

Miss Ruth Newton, who has been in the city for the past ten days under the care of a doctor, who recently set her broken arm, left for the ranch this morning with her father.

The fair to be given by the Presbyterian church December 10th will be an interesting one, and you want to visit it. There will be a fine opportunity for you to purchase your Xmas presents.

The laying of the sidewalk around the Jacobs block has been completed. In the early spring Mr. Jacobs will take up the wooden sidewalks and put in cement walk. He is unable to do this now on account of frost.

The regular monthly social of the members of the Presbyterian church was held last evening at the home of O. B. Gates and was largely attended. A most delightful evening was spent, organ music being played and refreshments served.

Two new civil suits have been filed at the County Clerk's office. J. T. Bradley vs. J. E. Rostick. Suit for the recovery of money. John H. Matney vs. Oliver Kinsey, Ada Kinsey

and A. Kinsey. Suit for the recovery of money. H. W. Keese, attorney for plaintiff.

New—Mossaline silk waists. K K K Store.

W. H. Wall of Keno was in the city Thanksgiving day.

Newest styles, ladies' tailored waists. K K K Store.

If you want the most beautiful calendar of the year, call at K K K store.

Send your suggestions to the secretary, Mrs. E. V. Cogswell, Klamath Falls, at once.

Everybody can have a chance for the \$25.00 suit to be given away by K K K Store.

Fifteen hunting and fishing licenses have been granted in the past week by the County Clerk.

Get your carpets, rugs, curtains, etc., cleaned by Hoagland's vacuum cleaner; rates reasonable.

Sherrig Barnes was over in Merrill Friday subpoenaing jurors for the coming session of the County Court.

Have your automobile tires vulcanized at the Baldwin Motor and Supply company. Phone 551.

Miss Edna Houston returned from Merrill, where she has been visiting Mrs. Robert Dalton, who was Miss Hazel Burris.

R. Madson, the piano tuner, is in town for a short time only. Leave orders for tuning at Virgil's furniture store or ring up 735.

Mr. Lathrop of Reno, Nev., is the guest of the rising young attorney, Horace Manning, whose father he knew in the early days.

The roll book of the Pioneer Society is at the County Clerk's office, where all pioneers who have not already signed it are requested to do so at their earliest convenience. 55 1-2

The Odd Fellows lodge will hold their regular semi-annual election of officers Saturday evening. The second and third degrees will also be conferred. All members are earnestly requested to be present. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

There will be an entire change of program at the Opera House tonight. A stirring drama, "Liberty for an Hour," being one of the chief attractions. Little Miss Marion will sing a new song and give one of her clever dances. After the show there will be a dance given by the Baldwin orchestra. Tomorrow there will be shown 2,000 feet of entirely new pictures never before seen in Klamath Falls. The orchestra will play several concert selections between the pictures.

RAMBO'S EXPRESS
If you want your stuff moved and moved quick, get Rambo's Express to do it. Office at Sixth and Klamath. Phone 122.

BIGGER AND BETTER
We have recently moved into our new store in the White building on Main street, next door to the First National Bank. We are now better prepared than ever to offer you first-class service and first-class goods.

Call and see our new quarters. You will be extremely treated regardless of your situation.

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The Portland Store
Sent Dear to the Postoffice.

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