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## SILVERTON COVERED WITH GLORY

### Development League Promotes Good Roads, Alfalfa, Tile Drainage, and Dairying

### Resolution Giving Hearty Endorsement to the Improvement of Rivers, Free Locks and Deep Harbors

The people of Silverton covered themselves with glory in the hearty manner in which they supported their board of trade in its entertainment of the Farmers' and Shippers Congress. That bright little city was well advertised and put on the map of development and progress to stay there. A good roads movement has been started, and an alfalfa farm will be located right near the city, and the Harriman managers announced that they would establish 20 or more alfalfa farms in the Willamette valley. They also announced that a comprehensive system of co-operation with various localities to haul road material. Mr. Shoop said if there was any quarry of rock that could be opened anywhere on their lines, they would haul the material to any point on their lines at a nominal price, and more than do their part to make good roads possible. The same plan to apply to gravel. All these movements are being backed by a heartiness and sincerity that leave no room to doubt that the Harriman lines mean business for the opening up and improving of Western Oregon. Dairying and fruit growing also received an uplift.

**Plenty of Politics.**  
While it was kept decently off the program there was plenty of politics in the air, from the address of Governor Chamberlain, which was an adroit appeal for general popularity, although no man can meet the demands of such an occasion, and leave himself less open to the charge of talking politics than the governor, to the conclusion of the banquet, where all the political leaders of the district and state who were present got a chance to blow their horns. Justice Halley, of the supreme court, made a very clever response to a toast, and Walter Towner had the floor among his friends. Young Galloway was also heard from in a very pleasing speech. The Hawley leaders from Salem were in evidence in the persons of Senator Croisan and Alderman Gomer, but that community, almost regardless of party or factions, is friendly to the Woodburn statesman, who happily remarked that his town and Silverton did not have any marriage ceremony performed, as they had always been united in friendly interests, and in support of each other's candidates. Brother Wilhoit, of Mt. Angel, made a happy hit, by offering to stand up with Salem and Silverton as being one.

**Alfalfa, Tiling and Dairying.**  
Three men gave practical talks and

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read papers and statistics and gave actual facts and experiences on the above industries. Geo. W. Weeks had boiled down into 15 minutes the knowledge gained in a lifetime devoted to establishing and making money at dairying. Gideon Stolz, who has had great experience in the adaptability of tile drainage, read letters from men who have tiled from five to 35 acres on all kinds of lands. Such presentation made a deep impression on the large audience of farmers. J. E. Murphy, the well-known Salem tile man, surprised all by his enthusiasm and intelligent treatment of the subject. He handled the drainage on farming lands, on roads and for culverts, and his talk was a great awakening. The alfalfa section was strongly represented, and before leaving the city arrangement was made to put in an alfalfa farm in the vicinity of Silverton. Col. Hofer endorsed George Cassiter's proposition for a county fair at Silverton annually, as one of the best means of developing any community, and made a plea for the development of the interior of the state and the west coast, independent of Portland, and paid a glowing eulogy to the west coast harbors, and pictured a large city in the near future at Coos Bay.

**Good Roads Talks.**  
Judge Scott and John H. Albert and H. B. Thielson upheld the cause of good roads, and there has been arranged a meeting at Silverton for Saturday, February 18th, at 10 o'clock, at which a movement will be started to unite the Silverton business men and the farmers of that part of the county in a good roads movement. A broken rock road is to be constructed from Silverton to the Mt. Angel and Scotts Mills macadamized road. The above three gentlemen are a strong trio on this, their favorite subject. Judge Scott, talking organization and cooperation; Mr. Albert handling legislation, and Mr. Thielson, the engineering problems to be overcome. The banquet in the evening was followed by little love feasts among the various bunches of politicians that kept them up into the small hours of the morning. While the farmers are interested in better highways, the coffee seekers are seeking to travel along the line of the least resistance to soft places in the state house and the court house, and the whole process is one of civilization and uplifting the masses of the people.  
The committee on resolutions reported the following, which were adopted:

Your committee wishes to congratulate the people of Silverton on their great enterprise in making provision for this assemblage in the interest of the greater development of our beloved Western region. The crowds and enthusiasm for the cause of progress have surpassed any previous demonstration and proved to the world and to our own people that Oregon has entered upon a new era.  
To our honored governor, George E. Chamberlain, and the public-spirited gentlemen who have come long distances to attend, and who have prepared addresses on good roads, dairying, tile drainage and on the upbuilding of Oregon in general, this committee extends its thanks.

We wish to place on record our conviction that Western Oregon has before it the greatest opportunity for expansion for rapid increase of population, for establishing of profitable industries, for building new towns and cities, for construction of steam and

electric railway lines, of any section of the great Northwest, and we believe no obstacle should be placed in the way of development.

"We deplore the sluggishness of the Portland city council, amounting almost to an attitude of hostility to the development of this part of the state, in not taking action to grant franchises on reasonable terms to the Willamette Valley Traction Company and to the United Railways Company. These corporations are ready to construct modern electric railways south from that city into the Willamette valley and should not longer be subject to a hold-up.

"We endorse the demands of the demands of the McMinnville, Woodburn, Albany and Eugene conventions of the Willamette Valley Development League for the deepening of the Columbia river and opening up the Coos Bay harbor, and other west coast harbors. Four feet of water the year around in the Willamette river as far as Corvallis, free locks and canal at the falls at Oregon City, and 40 feet at Coos Bay be our united and continuous campaign cry.

"On behalf of the commercial bodies of the Willamette valley we accept the invitation of the North Bend chamber of commerce and Coos Bay board of trade to hold a Farmers' and Shippers' congress at North Bend May 23 and 24, and pledge ourselves to assist in every way in the success of that convention. (Signed)

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is alleged, for work done. The defendant makes a defense to the effect that the contract has not been carried out; that only 34 cords of wood were cut; that a roadway was not cut out to give access for hauling away the wood, and that the brush was not piled as agreed to by the plaintiff. John Bayne appeared for plaintiff and W. E. Richardson and C. Charlton for defendant. Justice Turner took the case under advisement.

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