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THURSDAY..... Aug. 22, 1907.

## MINERS ARE OUT OF WORK

1000 Men Lying Idle in Nome Subsisting on Charity.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 18.—Fully 1000 miners, many of whom are existing in miserable quarters, are out of employment at Nome and the discouraged men are returning to the States as fast as they can secure money enough to pay their passage. Nome is taking care of a number of foreigners who are in destitute circumstances. They are living in temporary dug-outs along the beach and the city is providing them with necessities in the food line.

The above report concerning labor conditions in the Far North was brought to Tacoma today by the captain of the steamer Elish Thomson. The list of unemployed is not caused by strikes, as is the case at other places in Alaska, by an over supply of labor.

Employment companies rushed men through to the North, promising wages of \$5 per day and when the men got there they found if they wanted to work they would have to take \$3.50 per day. There are more men getting \$3.50 per day than are drawing \$5. The cost of living is not as great as it was and there has been no serious labor troubles during the season.

According to the officers of the Thomson the salmon catch is much larger than usual this season.

## OREGON MEN HAVE WEIGHT

New Delegation to Congress Weighs Over 500 Pounds.

Newport, Or., Aug. 18.—"Oregon will have the heaviest delegation in Congress next session of any state in the Union," said Judge W. R. Ellis, of Pendleton, Congressman from the Second District, who is now recreating at Newport. "I am confident that no other state will have a delegation with as great an average weight per member as Oregon. Whatever the people may charge us with, they cannot accuse us of being deficient physically."

Congressman Ellis weighs 255 pounds and is sometimes a little heavier. Congressman Hawley, of the First District, weighs from 249 to 245 pounds. Thus Oregon's two Congressmen weigh 500 pounds, an average weight for the delegation of 250 pounds.

"In my former term in Congress," said Judge Ellis, "there was only five or six men in the House as heavy as I. Judge Cockrell, of Texas, was the heaviest Representative. He weighed 325 pounds. Speaker Thomas B. Reed was also a heavyweight, tipping the scales at 290. Both Reed and Cockrell are now dead. Other men in the House then who weighed in the vicinity of 250 were Representatives Henriksen, of Illinois; Oates, of Alabama, and Sereno E. Payne, of New York, present chairman of the ways and means committee."

A farmer near Laidlaw tells of the presence of dew on crops where in previous years there was none. On his field of rye, high above the irrigating ditches and where there has been no water artificially applied this season, the dew is so heavy each morning that "you could wash your hands in it." Which shows that irrigation is filling the air with a great amount of moisture.

A young Bonanza rancher on arriving in Klamath Falls fell into the hands of three of Klamath's popular young ladies, each of whom laid claim to the gentleman by right of discovery, and they settled proprietorship by drawing straws, the winner matching him off exultantly says the Express.

Lewis Hall, who recently resigned as auditor of the Payette & Idaho Northern, has been succeeded temporarily by B. E. Bonney of Atlanta, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will later move to Vancouver.

Wallawa county is becoming a great fine stock region.

## SHEEP MARKET DULL.

Little Doing in the Umatilla Markets.

Although this is the season of the year for sheepbuyers to flock here for the purpose of buying lambs for fall delivery, there is little doing in the Umatilla county market, and apparently but few sheep will be sent out this year. At present Howard Stevens, of the firm of Stevens & Rust, is the only buyer in the field. He is in the market for lambs for shipment to their ranch in Nebraska and has already purchased 2500 head of Joe Connelly. The price paid has not been made public, but is understood to have been a high one.

Owing to the fact that there is abundant winter range for all of the sheep now owned in the county, there is little desire to sell on the part of growers. Prices asked for lambs range from \$3 to \$5, which is a decidedly high figure compared with prices in the past.

According to Mr. Stevens, there is such a strong local demand for lambs that an outside buyer has little opportunity. Parties having winter range may buy lambs in the fall, run them through the winter and then sell them after shearing. By such a course the grower derives the benefit from the growth of the sheep and from the wool clip. Eastern buyers sell the sheep as mutton after running them through the winter. But as there is no scarcity of winter range in this section now the growers here are doing the same thing in many instances with the result that the price of lambs is elevated.

As the federal quarantine has now been practically raised in this state, it is much easier for sheep to be sold out of the state. At present all sheep must be inspected by federal men, but unless actually found afflicted with scab the sheep do not have to be dipped.—East Oregonian.

## Uncle Sam's Navy Second.

New York, Aug. 17.—The annual issue of F. T. James' fighting ships in 1907, one of the recognized authorities on navies, puts the United States second among the naval powers, and Great Britain first. The book says that both in ships with high-powered guns and armor impervious to vital injury at long range the United States fleet is superior to any other navy in the world. James characterizes the American Navy as an extremely good second.

Ontario is taking out coal from a prospect on Dry creek, 16 miles from the town, 20 tons having been taken out of a 22-foot tunnel. It is said to burn freely and emit great heat.

Some Gilliam county barley is reported to have yielded 75 bushels an acre.

T. J. Kirk of Athens, is said to have harvested a field of wheat that yielded 69 6-19 bushels an acre.

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People all over the state are hungry for more details of the colonist rates. Letters are arriving from all sections of the state, asking for exact rates from different points throughout the United States, to Oregon. From Kansas City and other Missouri River points, St. Paul, Duluth and Winnipeg, the rate is \$25, from Oklahoma City and St. Louis \$30, Chicago \$33, Buffalo \$42.50, Cincinnati and Louisville \$38, Des Moines \$29, Indianapolis \$35.85, Boston \$40.00, New York \$50, Pittsburg \$42, Memphis \$37.50, Birmingham, Alabama \$44.50. Each ticket is \$2.50 less than when bought to points east of Umatilla. The rates given above about cover almost the entire country, and are the same proportionately from all smaller stations. Keep in mind that tickets must be bought reading to your station.

In the case of the state against Frank W. Neal of Bear Lake, Idaho, convicted of assault with attempt to commit rape, and sentenced in the lower court to a term of 10 years, which was carried to the supreme court, a motion for a new trial was denied by Judge Sullivan.

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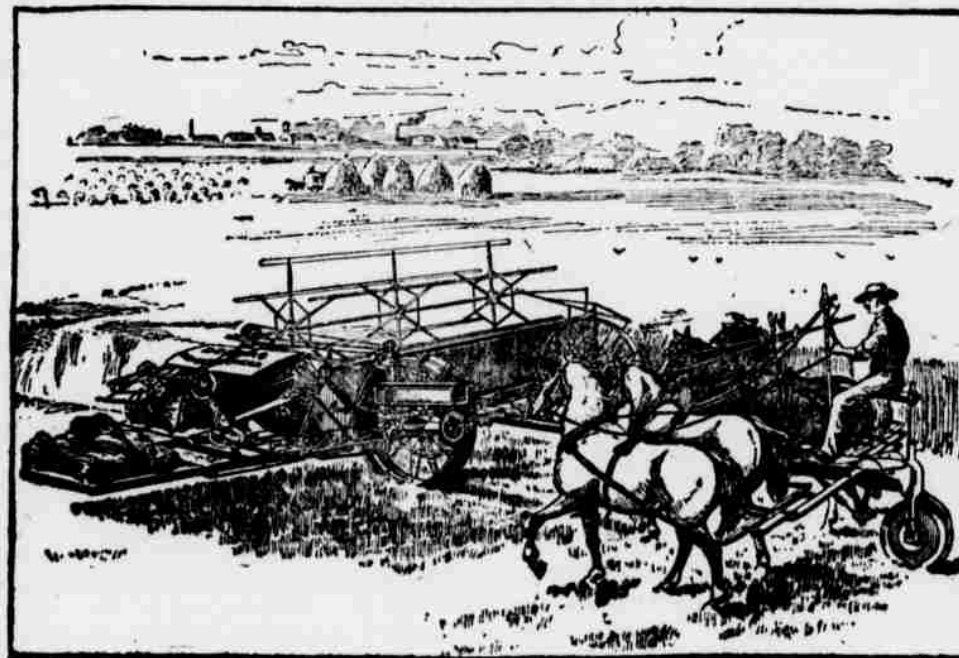
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