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## WORK SOON TO START ON NEW CRATER HOTEL

Will G. Steel and Alfred L. Parkhurst Arrive on Their Way to Lake to Get Work Under Way Immediately.

## STANDING ON BRIM OF LAKE: NEW WATER SYSTEM

Vast Improvements Planned for Resort This Summer—Will Reassemble Tent City.

Will G. Steel and Alfred L. Parkhurst arrived from Portland Friday morning on their way to Crater lake, where they will at once get the work of improving the resort under way. They will make all the needed measurements for the new water system, as well as block out the plans and pick the site for the building, which is to stand on the brim of the lake. This structure will be in reality a small hotel, partaking of the nature of an inn.

Many improvements are planned for the resort this summer, which will include a new water system, electric light plant and more buildings. In the groves will be arranged many tents on board floors, providing comforts for the campers. Crater lake is to be made a true resort with all conveniences furnished.

Mr. Steel expresses himself as confident of the final outcome of the Crater lake road case, believing that the supreme court will decide in favor of the road.

Mr. Parkhurst is financially interested in the Crater lake company, and he, with Mr. Steel, is now undertaking an active part in the affairs of the company.

## FOUR HUNDRED MEN AT ELY, NEV., STRIKE

ELY, Nev., July 2.—Four hundred men employed by the Cumberland company of this city struck today. The men demand \$3.50 a day for underground men and \$4 a day for wet shaft workmen. The Cumberland employees were working under a contract system. They claimed that under the terms of their agreement it was impossible to earn a living wage. It is thought the strike will be settled by this evening.

## OCEAN LINERS TO HAVE A ROGUES' GALLERY

NEW YORK, July 2.—It is intended by several ocean steamship lines to adopt a plan of having a rogues' gallery of professional gamblers and ocean gamblers, with the photographs of such men in conspicuous places on steamships, as a warning to passengers. Photographers will be assigned to snapshot gamblers whose pictures are not already posted. Whether the work of taking photographs will be entrusted to the stewards or just what system will be followed has not been made known.

## STRIKE IN STEEL SHOPS IS STILL MAINTAINED

PITTSBURGH, July 2.—Over 8000 men, including members of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and unorganized day laborers, are idle today as the result of a strike yesterday against the United States Steel corporation. The company is not trying to fill their places with strikebreakers.

Miss Ina Cochran of this city leaves today for a visit with her

## PLACER MINES ADD TO THE WEALTH OF SOUTHERN OREGON



VIEW OF THE NOTED STERLING MINE.

The Total Production of This Famous Placer Mine is Said to Exceed \$5,000,000.

## LOCAL MINES ARE THEME OF U. S. BULLETIN

Noted Mines Throughout Southern Oregon Described in Bulletin Just Issued by Department of the Interior.

## STERLING MINE IS DISCUSSED AT LENGTH

This Famous Old Placer Has Produced Over \$3,000,000—Champion Mine Described.

The department of the interior has just issued a bulletin relating to mining in Southern Oregon, in which the mines in Jackson county are described as the result of a geological survey. The bulletin is replete with valuable information, giving as it does a history of all mines in the neighborhood of Medford.

The pamphlet first deals with the gold quartz mines, from the description of which the following is taken:

"The most productive gold quartz mines which were in operation in this area during the summer of 1908 were the Braden and the Opp. The Granite Hill and Mountain Lion mines, although not now being worked, have also been fairly important producers within the last few years. There are many mines and prospects on which work is not now being done, some of which have never produced, some of which have produced values of a few hundred dollars, and a few of which have produced values of several thousand dollars. At present some development is in progress on new prospects and on mines which were until recently closed. The total gold production of the gold quartz mines of the area in 1907 was about \$70,000.

"Many of the veins and veinlets have never produced important bodies of ore, but only 'pockets,' some of which, although filling but small spaces, were remarkably rich. In general, the main part of the gold in these pockets has been taken from depths less than 25 feet from the surface.

"The veins and veinlets run in all directions. However, a comparison of the more persistent of them showed that more lie in an east-west direction than in a north-south direction. The dips of the veins vary greatly; most of them have fairly high dips, but some are nearly flat and some are vertical. The width of the veins are usually less than one foot; a great many are considerably less, and in some places they form an intricate network of stringers. On the other hand, there are veins with widths of more than 10 feet; in such veins either 'horse' ores are present, separating the vein into several parts, and there is a decided brecciation of the materials."

Following this introduction is a description of the Braden, Granite Hill, Mountain Lion and other mines. In regard to the placer mines, the pamphlet says:

"The placer mines of Jackson and Josephine counties produced in 1907 gold to the value of \$229,575, of which \$107,722 came from Jackson county and \$121,853 from Josephine county. More than 75 per cent of the production of Jackson county and more than 30 per cent of that of Josephine county came from the area described in this report. The chief districts contributing to this production are the Gold Hill, the Foots Creek, the Applegate and the Jacksonville districts, in Jackson county;

## PROFESSOR LEWIS HERE TOMORROW

Will Address Rogue River Horticultural Society on Orchard Fertilizer.

Prof. C. I. Lewis of the Oregon Agricultural college will address local fruit growers on the subject of orchard fertilizers Saturday afternoon in the Commercial club rooms at 2:30 p. m. The subject is an important one and one that will become more important. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Rogue River Horticultural society. A full attendance is urged.

Prof. and Mrs. O'Gara will leave Saturday evening for Gold Hill, from which point they will visit Crater lake, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pelton. The professor will then leave for an extended trip in the east.

## DOG'S FIDELITY TO THIEF IS MAN'S UNDOING

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 2.—His capture brought about by his pet fox terrier, Frank Bilderman confessed to the police today that he was guilty of the Dougherty diamond robbery in this city in 1908, and that he also stole several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry at a dance at the Hotel Vendome several months ago. The confession of Bilderman dispels the theory held by the police that a clever society "raffles" was working among the 400 of this city.

A small fox terrier that was always seen about the scenes of the mysterious robberies was Bilderman's undoing. The little dog was seen in the Vendome the night of the disappearance of the jewels and yesterday when it again appeared it was followed to Bilderman's home. The man was arrested yesterday. The dog followed him to police headquarters.

G. L. Pankey of Central Point was

## FIRST CAR GETS THROUGH BY LAKE

San Francisco Machine Arrives Via Crater Lake—Road Is Rather Rough.

Messrs. Williams and Hill of San Francisco arrived in Medford Thursday evening by way of Klamath Falls and Crater lake, thereby breaking all records for traveling over that road in a machine so early in the season. The car was not driven clear to the lake, but the party walked up to the brim and viewed the wonder of Oregon.

Never before has a car been driven over that road in June. The travelers report heavy snow yet in the passes and many logs across the road. They succeeded in getting through, however.

The party are on their way to Seattle and are enjoying all of the side trips along the way. They have wonderful stories to tell of the marvelous beauty of the lake.

The funeral of Mrs. James Bates was held Friday afternoon from the residence of C. B. Gay.

## 1200 PERCENT GAIN, 6 YRS., FRUIT LAND

T. B. Goodpasture Has Sold Property Near Central Point for Sum of \$10,000.

Six years ago T. B. Goodpasture of this city purchased 80 acres of land near Central Point for \$3000. On Thursday he sold one-half of it, or 40 acres, for an even \$10,000. In other words, land he purchased for \$37.50 an acre has been sold for \$450 an acre, an increase of nearly 1200 per cent. Thus the land has increased at a rate of nearly 200 per cent a year. Not so bad after all. The increase in value has been at least 100 per cent a year, after a person has figured in the cost of improving the property.

Mr. Goodpasture disposed of his property to W. W. Norman and D. L. Taylor. Thirty acres of the tract is planted to 2-year-old apple and pear trees.

Dr. Henry Hart of Quincy, Ill., has purchased the Johnson orchard near the Kaiser tract, paying \$20,000. The tract consists of 109 acres, of which 10 acres are in fruit.

## PRINTER DODGING IRATE PILL JUGGLER

Central Point Convulsed With Laughter All On Account of Little Advertisement.

No, Arabella, those smiles which adorn the face of Central Point residents are not there because the high priced orchard land is bringing in that vicinity, neither is it because the new city well is completed—and no, though the fruit trees are loaded with fruit and bumper prices are sure to obtain—that is not the cause of the merriment.

It is worse than that. The whole town is laughing at the result of a real life joke.

It happened thus wise: Recently a doctor came to town—a new one—and in the course of his professional career he needs must have some prescription blanks printed. So he led himself to a local print shop, not to the Herald office, by the way, but to a new one which has just been started. He told his needs. The print shop needed a little advertising. A bargain was made between the printer and the M. D. In consideration of the privilege of printing an advertisement on the bottom of the prescription blank, the party of the first part was to furnish the blanks free of charge to the party of the second part, the same being the pill juggler.

In the due course of time the blanks were completed and delivered. The doctor opened them. One glance and then—x ! ! x ! ! x — ! !

It is reported that the printer is still frequenting the allies and by-paths of the city to escape the wrath of one irate M. D. And the M. D. is vowing vengeance, although he has been tearfully informed that the advertisement was not a joke, but was done in good faith.

For the advertisement that appeared on the bottom of the prescription blank, was:

## STANDING OF CONTESTANTS IN THE CONTEST

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Remember, you can take the trip any time you choose, and that all subscriptions carry votes.		
Miss Hazel Tiee.....Medford	.....	31,989
Miss Eva Patterson.....Medford	.....	16,603
Miss Lee Williams.....Central Point	.....	4,258
Miss Hazel Messenger.....Central Point, R. F. D. 2.	.....	515
Miss Lucile Humphrey.....Central Point	.....	3,639
Miss Donna Bell.....Brownsboro	.....	4,260
Miss Anna Spicer.....Jacksonville	.....	1,390
Miss Cordelia Reuter.....Jacksonville	.....	1,407
Miss Martha Price.....Hlabe	.....	5,195
Miss Winne Jones.....Gold Hill	.....	520
Miss Elmira Sharp.....Ashland	.....	3,611
Miss Margaret South.....Grants Pass	.....	505
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