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NEWSY HAPPENINGS AT POWELL BUTTE

Powell Butte, April 1. J. L. Gibson was a business visitor to Prineville Friday.

Mr. Buckingham, local traveling salesman for the Shores Remedy Co. was in these parts last week.

Mrs. Guy Sears of Redmond, came out Wednesday for a week's visit with her brother, D. A. Yates and family.

Mrs. A. W. Bayn left Friday for Portland where she will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

W. G. Mustard went to Bend Saturday with a load of oats.

Miss Alma Johnson, the popular daughter of E. L. Johnson, came out from Prineville Wednesday for a few days' visit with her father and brothers.

Guy E. Dobson and G. W. Wells of Redmond, were in this section last Thursday interesting the farmers in a proposed co-operative creamery for Redmond.

The different members of the Lauffare family have been ill the past week with the grip.

Mrs. Mary Orewiler, who has been visiting her grand daughter, Mrs. Joe Shearer, left Monday for Sunnyside, Ore., where she will spend the summer visiting friends.

Several teams are at work under the direction of Joe Shearer cleaning out the big canal to get it ready for the water to be turned down for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Willcox and little Miss Harriette visited Sunday at Geo. Euston's home west of Redmond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hall entertained a few friends Thursday evening at their pleasant little home. The evening was passed with cards and conversation, after which the hostess served a most delicious luncheon.

Seated at the table were Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Alley, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Truesdale, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hall, Miss Maud Shtrum and Merton Shtrum.

Mrs. Wm. Nanny came out from Deschutes Thursday for a brief visit with Mrs. Allen Willcox. Mrs. Nanny, who is somewhat of a walker, left her home at 9 a. m. reaching the Willcox home in time for dinner at noon.

After dinner and a visit of a couple of hours she started on her home tramp, walking the entire distance of 27 1/2 miles in something like six hours.

Merton Shtrum and sister, Miss Maud, returned to their home in Portland Sunday after an extended visit with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hall.

Alex Brown was in this section Monday figuring on a job of tree pulling for Mr. Hamilton.

Mrs. Joe Shearer and Mrs. Geo. C. Truesdale were visitors at the county seat Friday.

A Sherlock Holmes Mystery

Neighbors and friends of A. W. Bayn experienced considerable uneasiness at the disappearance of that gentleman the latter part of last week.

Mr. Bayn took his wife to Redmond Thursday evening to take the Friday morning train, and his whereabouts from that time until Sunday is a Sherlock Holmes mystery.

Preparations were under way to start a searching party Sunday p. m. when the missing man suddenly put in his appearance at the ranch, thereby saving interested parties any further worry.

Mr. Bayn is very reticent on the subject of his absence, however, and so the mystery deepens.

Miss Pauline Truesdale went to Prineville, Monday, where she will spend the week visiting Miss Fay Bussett and other friends.

Want to Catch a Cook

Geo. Hobbs has traded his nifty little black buggy team for a pair of registered trotting mares.

These mares are supposed to throw dust on all other Powell Buttelites who are unfortunate enough to be found traveling the same road with "Spud" and his trotters.

Mr. Hobbs made the exchange in the hope that a swifter team would in some way help him to catch a cook, that being his sole ambition nowadays.

A Big Egg Story

Ed Golden, a Portland druggist, sent his mother, Mrs. N. B. Golden, a copy of the Fairwood Bee, a suburban Portland paper of recent date, in which appears an egg story.

This story has to do with an enormous egg, so the writer says, which measures 7 1/2 inches in circumference one way by 6 1/2 inches the opposite way. Now, if this is the largest egg the

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FEDERAL AID TO

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300,000 acre Deschutes river project, starting immediately on the Tumalo creek unit of 35,000. The state has appropriated \$450,000 for the partial construction of this unit and Secretary Lane has agreed to allot an equal amount for construction of the entire project in co-operation with the state.

The Oregon Legislature has submitted a constitutional amendment for the vote of the people authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of irrigation and power projects.

To complete the Deschutes project will require about \$8,000,000. Secretary Lane stated that he was in sympathy with the entire plan of co-operation and if the state of Oregon would put up \$4,000,000 toward the construction of this project, it was his opinion that an equal amount of money could be allotted from the reclamation fund by that time for this work in Oregon.

The joint construction of the Tumalo creek unit will serve as an experiment in co-operation and will prove useful in perfecting an organization before taking up the larger and more important work.

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SURVIVOR TELLS OF TERRIBLE EFFECTS OF ROAR OF WATER AND ANIMALS

Plymouth, Ind., March 27.—Graphic description of the horrors of the flood that is believed to have swept 200 or more residents of Peru, Ind., to watery graves and made thousands homeless was given today by Gilbert Kessler, one of the heroes of the calamity.

Kessler's most vivid picture was the suicide of several fear-crazed women who leaped from the rescue boats. The roaring current and the terrible sights, he declared, had maddened them.

"It was too awful ever to forget," said Kessler, with a shudder. "It was cold and damp and misty, and the sight of that black water rushing on pitilessly just seemed to take the heart out of most of us, especially the women. I was piloting one of the rescue boats to the court house, and the boat was pretty well filled. One of the passengers was a woman.

"We were moving rather shakily through one of the main streets when all of a sudden I saw this woman rise from her seat and begin to wall. 'Oh, what is the use? We'll all be drowned anyway.' And she leaped from her seat into that boiling, fuming torrent.

"The next moment I found myself in the water and I saw a little arm stick up for a moment. I made a grab for it, but it went down. There was no chance to swim in that Niagara. I struck the stern of our row-boat and seized it with one hand and gradually drew myself aboard.

"Later we were bringing another boatload to the courthouse when a woman lunged out despairingly and all of us went over. Again it was a fight, and I engaged in saving myself. Four times altogether I was thrown out into the water, and I am still wondering how I managed to escape.

"The current swept around street corners with tremendous force, and only the most experienced oarsmen could propel craft with any degree of safety."

Kessler gave a description of the flood on the first night.

"We heard the roaring of lions and neighing of horses, and realized that a circus which had winter quarters

at Peru had been engulfed. The lions and other animals in cages died in the trap, roaring until the water swallowed them. The elephants escaped into the water and started for the shore, and that was the last we saw of them."

DESERT LAND BOARD NAMES ITS ENGINEER

At a meeting held at Salem last week the State Desert Land Board appointed O. Laurgaard as project engineer for the Columbia Southern project, for which the Legislature appropriated \$450,000 for its reclamation. A tentative agreement was also reached whereby the money for the preliminary work is to come out of the Desert Land Fund, and is to be paid when the appropriation for the project becomes available. Mr. Laurgaard is thoroughly acquainted with the project. He it was who submitted figures to the board on which to base the cost of the reclamation project.

She—But how do I know you love me?

He—Why, I don't sleep at nights thinking of you.

She—That proves nothing. Papa can't sleep at nights thinking of you, but I hardly think it is love.

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