This State Has More Than Half Klamath District.

METHODS OF IRRIGATING IT

Huge Reservoirs and Canals to Be Built and Lakes to Be Drained. Construction Will Begin

in Oregon.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 17.-Sixty-two per cent of the land to be reclaimed by the Government under the Klamath project lies in Oregon, the rest in California. In other words, 146,400 acres will be irrigated in Oregon to 90,000 acres in Call-

The report of the engineers who mapped out this project show that the Government can begin delivery of water to irrigable isnds within one year after beginning construction, the irrigated area to be extended from time to time thereafter as more money is made available until the entire project is completed.

Plans for Upper Project.

Kiamath Basin is naturally divided into two distinct parts. The upper project comprises the lands of Langell's Valley, Alka-Il Valley, the upper portion Poe's Valley and Upper Klamath Valley, with a total irrigable area of 48,256 acres. Most of water for this part of the project will be stored in Clear Lake reservoir, which is formed by a dam 30 feet high and 850 feet long across Lost River about two miles below the junction of Willow Creek and Lost River. The reservoir will include the present Clear Lake and the adjacent swamp areas and will have a capacity of 462 256 acre-feet. Below this reservoir Lost River channel will ise used as a waterway to the point of diversion of the main canal, a distance of five miles. Horse Ply reservoir, which is an auxiliary reservoir, is formed by the construction of a dam across Miller Creek, and has a capacity of 125,000 acrefeet. The dam will be 70 feet high with a top length of 450 feet.

Will Drain Lower Lakes.

The lower project comprises lands of Klamath Valley, the lower areas Poe Valley, Lower Klamath and Tule Lakes. In addition to the Irrigation of these areas, it is proposed to lower the water surface of Klamath River be tween Klamath Lake and uncover the marginal swamp lands. It is proposed also to divert the waste water of Lost River to Klamath River, shutting off the supply of water from Tule Lake and alowing this lake bottom to be uncovered by evaporation.

For the drainage of Lower Klamath Lake a cut will be made through a low ridge below Keno through which Klamath River will be diverted. The water for project will be diverted from the head of Link River, about one mile above Elamath Falls, and carried to the lands by two main canals, one on each side of the river. The waste and flood waters of Lost River will be diverted to Klamath River by means of a canal. Water will be diverted by this canal at Olene by a concrete division weir across Lost River. A drainage canal will be carried under the south branch of the main canal by culverts. In addition to the main drainage canal, a system of laterals will cover the December 1.

It is said by reclamation engineers that onstruction will probably begin on Lower Klamath Basin, where more than 65,000 out of a total area of 130,000 acres of private land have already been signed.

NO MORE LIEU SELECTIONS

Hitchcock Holds Law Means What It Says-May Be Amended.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-Ington. D. C., May 17 .- Secretary Hitchenck, in a circular issued today to registers and receivers of local land offices holds that Congress meant what it said when by the act of March 2, 1995 it absolutely repealed the lieu land With the exception of owners of certain lands in the San Francisco and Grand Canyon reserves in Arizona and the Santa Barbara reserve, California who are specifically provided for by a special act, the Secretary holds that all ight to make lieu selections expired March 3 last and local land officers are advised that they are without authority to accept relinquishment of lands within forest reserves after that date and allow the selection of other lands in exchange therefor. The Secretary says, however, that all lieu selections made prior to and pending for adjudication on March 3, 1966, may be perfected and patented and, if in the adjudication of any selection then pending, the same should be held invalid for any reason not the fault of the party making the same, another selection for a like quantity of land may be made in lieu thereof.

The repealing act makes no provision for cases where lands within for est reserves may have been reconveyed to the United States, but no selections may be made in lieu thereof where such selections, if made, were finally rejected and canceled prior to March 3. 1905. There is now no law authorizing selections in Heu of such relinquished

This last paragraph means that, if any persons unaware that the lieu land law has been repealed have relinquished forest reserve lands to the Government subsequent to March 3. they will not only be denied the right to select lands in exchange for those relinquished, but will, in the absence of specific legislation, be unable to recover their original holdings which they have surrendered to the Government. The department recognizes that the equities of the case under these circumstances would be unsettied, but there is no authority of law for restoring such lands to the person who re linquished them. It is expected that Congress next session will legislate on this point and permit persons who relinquished since March 2 to recover their lands within forest reseves, other. wise they would suffer hardship through no fault of their own.

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Cushion Tops of neavy velour velvet, in presty designs; colors in light and dark greens, terra cottas, light and dark reds—Regular price 65c: 44C special at

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