

SURVEYORS BUSY NEAR LAKEVIEW

Harriman Making Move to Control Goose Lake Pass, It Is Believed.

WOULD BLOCK GOULD LINE

Southeastern Oregon Confident Active Railroad Construction Will Be Under Way in Very Few Months.

LAKEVIEW, Or., June 15.—(Special).—At last it seems that Harriman's \$100,000 bond issue will be applied in part toward securing results from the considerable outlay of money made in surveys for various railway routes through interior Oregon.

Goose Lake Valley Strategic Pass.

When the incorporation of a company by Harriman representatives in California, for the avowed purpose of building a railroad from the mouth of the Klamath to the Nevada, California & Oregon road is steadily building northward, and will be in Alturas before the end of this summer.

May Mean Gould-Harriman War.

Lake County people rather expect to see a struggle for control of the most desirable right of way along the east side of the lake.

Irrigation Companies Active.

In arriving at the belief that construction work will be completed in the near future, the big land companies that are exploiting this section, surveying for irrigation systems, etc.

"BABY BURGLAR" A HERO Saving of Sister's Life Keeps Lad Out of Reform School.

TACOMA, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—Little 8-year-old Fred Shaffer, better known to the Tacoma police as the "baby burglar," who was arrested twice for committing burglary, having robbed a Jefferson-avenue shoe store twice in succession, was today acknowledged by Judge Snell to be a little hero because he once saved his 4-year-old sister from burning to death at the risk of his own life.

PIGEON LONG ON THE WING Reaches Tacoma With Message From Sea, Dated May 17.

TACOMA, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—After being on the wing since the 17th day of last month, one of the carrier pigeons sent out from this city on the steamer Tremont, on the 15th

of May, to be liberated at Capeattery, returned to its roost in this city Saturday evening. When the steamer Tremont left this port it carried four pigeons belonging to Harry Olson, four belonging to Bert Stevens and six belonging to George J. Bredt.

SEEKS TO OUST THE MAYOR

Tacoma Councilman Files Charges Against Lipick.

TACOMA, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—A great sensation was sprung at the city hall this afternoon when charges of malfeasance were filed with the City Clerk against Mayor John W. Linck. The charges were filed by Councilman Reed, of the second ward, and accuse the Mayor of violating the state law by permitting disreputable houses to open and the assessment of a fine against the inmates.

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The Late John M. Hess.

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making the greatest preparations for a celebration on June 4. J. D. Lee, of Portland, one of the Republican Presidential electors, will be the orator of the day, while Napoleon Davis will be the reader of the Declaration of Independence. A Portland band and orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and a splendid musical program has been arranged by Mrs. O. J. Brown, who will have a trained choir of girls to render patriotic airs.

KEPT UP TREE BY BEARS

ALL NIGHT EXPERIENCE OF TWO SPORTSMEN.

"They Looked Real Savage," Remarkd One of the Victims in Relating Story to His Friends.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—Sitting in a cramped position all one afternoon and night on the limb of a tree with a big black bear standing guard below, and a friend in another tree a few feet away with a second bear standing guard under him, was the experience of R. G. Shrader, a clerk in a real estate office of H. E. Orr & Co., on Saturday.

FARMERS' THREATS DIRE

Would Deal Roughly With Men Who Dynamited Irrigation Flume.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 15.—(Special).—Further investigation by the officers of the Farmers' Irrigation Company today has failed to lead to any definite information that would justify an arrest of the parties suspected of blowing up the flume. They still believe, however, that it is the work of persons who have an enmity against the company, and state that a previous effort was made to smash the flume by rolling boulders down on it from the hillside.

BOOZE AT BARGAIN PRICES

Prineville Saloons Closing Out Wet Goods in Gallon Lots.

PRINEVILLE, Or., June 15.—(Special).—Only 10 more days until Cook County enters the dry column, and liquor dealers have begun to close out their stocks at any price. It is estimated there are about 500 gallons of liquors yet in the city, mostly whiskey, and all this will be disposed of before the end of Saturday morning.

LA GRANDE TO CELEBRATE

Fourth of July Observance Will Be Made Memorable.

LA GRANDE, Or., June 15.—(Special).—The selecting committee which is seeking funds with which to celebrate the Fourth reports money coming in freely and that about \$200 more than had been expected will be at the disposal of the committee.

WINGATE CHOSEN MAYOR

Democrat Wins in Hotly-Contested City Election at The Dalles.

THE DALLES, Or., June 15.—(Special).—The most spirited municipal election The Dalles has seen in many years resulted today in the election of E. M. Wingate for Mayor, by a majority of 260, over E. F. Huntington. An unexpected heavy vote was cast for City Treasurer Kurtz, the successful candidate. Councilmen elected were: B. C. Olinger, W. C. Crighton, J. A. Harper, C. G. Blakely, P. J. Stadelman, Water Commissioners, J. D. Kelley, T. J. Seufert, N. J. Sinnott and V. Circlea. The Mayor-elect is a popular young resident of the city, who has been active in the city and in politics a Democrat.

HOME RULE FAR DISTANT

Wrong Class Seeking Favor in Alaska, Says Governor Hoggatt.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—"If all the people of Alaska were to ask for territorial government for Alaska it would be impossible to secure the passage of such a law by Congress. The majority of people in Alaska who are talking home rule are the class that want the dance hall, dives, and open gambling, and these people largely represent the element that is fighting me."

ACCUSED OF KEEPING OPEN SUNDAY.

ASTORIA, Or., June 15.—(Special).—Charles F. Wise was arrested today on a complaint sworn to by Patrolman Houghton and charging him with violating the Sunday closing law, in that he opened his Astor street saloon before 12 o'clock last night. He will be arraigned in the justice court tomorrow.

ROCKWOOD TO CELEBRATE

Plans Now Being Made for Celebration of the Fourth.

ROCKWOOD, Or., June 15.—(Special).—The town of Rockwood, nine miles east of Portland, which was recently the starting and finishing point of the long-distance automobile races, is



"Grown ups" have special outing and vacation clothes and mothers have found out it's wise and economical to provide the same things for the children.

Our specialty: strong, pretty, inexpensive suits for small boys, made of honest cloth, that will stand the wear. \$4.00 Suits now \$2.35. \$5.00 Suits now \$3.85. \$1.00 Trousers now 59c.

Enlargement sale. Savings on everything that boys wear.

THE LION CLOTHIERS

166-170 Third Street.

wack rivers are still rising slowly in the flooded district on Sumas Prairie, just across the British Columbia line. There was a total rise of two inches during the day. Damage to crops and farms will be enormous. Cool weather is now prevailing and it is thought it will cause the waters to recede tomorrow.

STRUCK DOWN BY FIREBUG

First Man on Scene of Woodland Fire Felled by Blow on Head.

WOODLAND, Wash., June 15.—(Special).—Further developments in the fire here Saturday morning go to show incendiarism, but whether by tramps for the chance of loot, or for some personal grievance cannot be said. Ira Hutchings, a merchant, was one of the first men on the scene, pulling one of the chemical engines, and as he turned the corner of second street and Davidson avenue he went to the rear of the Pines & Dion saloon where the fire was started.

Must Explain Bloody Clothes.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 15.—James Moore, colored, was arrested this morning on a charge of having murdered fisherman Pat O'Brien, on Friday night.

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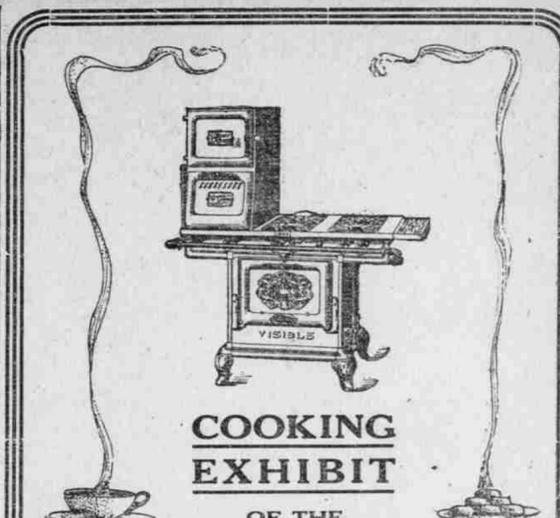
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COOKING EXHIBIT

OF THE "NEW PROCESS" GAS RANGE

Our second demonstration of this modern gas cooking apparatus—of its superiority in cooking and baking—of its remarkable economy and ease of operation. At no season of the year does the need of such a convenience and comfort in the kitchen present itself more forcibly than during the Summer months. To behold the "New Process" in actual operation is to become convinced that its construction embraces the best and most satisfactory features of the modern gas range.

In our cool and spacious Basement Dept. we are serving free to all visitors HOT BISCUITS and DELICIOUS COFFEE, cooked within plain view on the "New Process." Do not overlook the opportunity of witnessing this interesting demonstration. The above is one of the many styles and sizes of the "New Process" which we offer to place in any home on liberal payment terms.

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