

FARMERS TO HOOP WITH CONTRACTS

Klamath Settlers Fight Government Project in Southern Oregon.

LAWSUITS MAY RESULT

Reclamation Service Refuses to Complete Canal Unless 80 Per Cent of Land is Signed—Farmers Make Demands.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Landowners in the upper section of the Klamath Government project have taken steps to annul contracts made with the Government for water to be supplied on completion of the canal system.

PARK FOR BAKER COUNTY

Government Requested to Set Aside Preserve on Eagle Creek.

BAKER CITY, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—With an idea of obtaining for Baker County a National park, the different business organizations of Baker City have begun an effort to interest the Government in a portion of the National preserve on Eagle Creek, about 40 miles northeast of here.

MEAD "TONGS" FOR VOTES

Governor Visits South Bend and Catches Oysters in Bay.

KILLING OFF STAR FISH

Oyster Patrol Keeps Crew of Men Busy at South Bend.

JAPANESE CROSS BORDER

Thirteen Coolies Slip Across at Blaine—Two Are Captured.

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BIG AUDITORIUM BURNS

Lodge Structure at Coeur d'Alene Destroyed—Loss \$17,000.

CAPTURE HOLDUP SUSPECT

George White, Alleged Highwayman, Held at Victoria.

PEDDLING CLAUSE INVALID

Judge Decides City Can't Discriminate Against Outsiders.

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Our big line of Sponges, which includes everything from the delicate silk Surgeon's Sponge, to the tough, durable Mediterranean Sheep-wool—our baled auto and buggy sponges, which are fresh and free from sand, and our "Mandurka" Bath Sponges, in extra forms and large sizes, have been placed on sale for a few days at the remarkable reduction of

ONE-HALF THE REGULAR PRICE

This is an unusual Sponge Sale, as it includes not only sponges taken from American waters, but a choice assortment of IMPORTED MEDITERRANEAN SPONGES as well.

GARDEN HOSE REDUCED ALL THIS WEEK

50 feet Chatham Rubber, 3/4-inch, with nozzle; regular \$5.00, special \$3.98
50 feet Columbia Rubber, 3/4-inch, with nozzle; regular \$6.00, special \$4.89
50 feet Columbia Rubber, 1/2-inch, with nozzle; regular \$5.50, special \$4.48
50 ft. "Woodlark" Rubber, 3/4-in., with nozzle; regular \$7.00, special \$5.59
50 ft. "Woodlark" Rubber, 1/2-in., with nozzle; regular \$6.50, special \$4.98
25 feet Superior Rubber, 3/4-inch, with nozzle; regular \$3.50, special \$2.38
25 feet Superior Rubber, 1/2-inch, with nozzle; regular \$3.25, special \$2.19

NEW LOT FEATHER DUSTERS

Mission Brand, No. 1—Square handle, 200 feathers \$2.00
Mission Brand, No. 3—Fancy handle, 200 white feathers \$2.50
Auto Duster, for autos, carriages, etc., 250 feathers \$2.50
Janitor's Duster, for rough work, 250 feathers \$2.50
Extra Family Duster, with hanging case 85c
"Verisoft" Duster, for pianos and fine woodwork \$1.50
Standard grade Dusters, values 25c to \$1.25
A complete line of Dusters, Sponges, Chamois Skins, Shoe Brushes and Whisk Brooms.

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ASKS \$18,000; GETS \$1800

FAMOUS ONION PATCH SUIT SETTLED AT HILLSBORO.

Oregon Electric Had Offered to Settle With Rosa Rehlto for \$3500 Damages.

HILLSBORO, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—A jury of farmers, after deliberating six hours, returned a verdict at 9 o'clock tonight allowing Rosa Rehlto and her tenants \$1800 damages for right of way for the Oregon Electric Railway through a seven-acre onion patch at Beaverton.

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ELECTED ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF EDUCATION AT UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.



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EUGENE, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Lewis R. Alderman, who was yesterday elected an associate professor in the department of education at the University of Oregon, is one of the best-known educators of Western Oregon.

He is at present Superintendent of the Eugene public schools, where he has just completed the most successful term in the history of the city.

Mr. Alderman is a native of Oregon, Yamhill County being his birth place. He graduated from the University of Oregon in 1898.

Immediately after his graduation he went into educational work, teaching in several Willamette Valley schools and serving as City School Superintendent of McMinnville. After very successful work there he was chosen County School Superintendent of Yamhill County, which position he held for three years, resigning to come to Eugene.

Mr. Alderman originated the county school law, which has been one of the most successful ideas yet carried out in the Oregon public schools. He is a practical man, without sacrificing any of the important theory. In the Eugene public schools he has introduced courses in household economy, including sewing and cooking, with manual training and military drill for the boys and practical agriculture for both the boys and girls. He is also an inventor, a patent catcher being his latest achievement.

The Eugene School Board recently advanced Mr. Alderman's salary, and the city will feel the loss keenly.

Was Student at Willamette. SALEM, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Miss Thelma Stephens, who was drowned yesterday at Portland, was for two years a student at Willamette University, and her tragic death has caused sorrow to a large circle of friends here. It is expected that several will go to Portland to attend the funeral.