

ROAD COMMISSION 'LOST COUNTIES'

Highways Promised to Lake and Klamath.

LINKS TO NORTH IS PLAN

Efforts to Be Made to Knit Bonds Between Isolated Section and Rest of Oregon.

LAKEVIEW, Or., July 15.—(Special.)—Oregon's "lost provinces," Klamath and Lake counties, have occupied the attention of the state highway commission for the past three days.

These counties demand transportation and are dealing with California rather than Oregon. The highway commission has notified the people in these two counties that, while they cannot give them railroads, they can supply roads.

It is the mission of the highway commission to knit these remote counties to the rest of the state and to that end they have held a series of hearings in various towns, having definitely agreed on some new projects and have under consideration others.

California Affiliations Claimed. "We belong geographically and commercially to California," was the statement made to the commission last night by County Judge of Lake.

Some sentiment was uncovered which craved road building toward the California line rather than the one which would connect the two counties to the rest of the state.

Accompanied by the county court of Klamath, the highway commission left for Klamath on the morning of July 15.

Supreme Court Hearing Set. SALEM, Or., July 15.—(Special.)—Final hearing of cases by the supreme court prior to the annual vacation of the body, which starts August 13, will be held on Monday.

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DIAMOND FAKIRS ENDANGER GEM MARKET BY TRICKERY

British Scientist Declares Original Man Was Black—Policeman Waters Whisky Flowing Down Gutter.

London, July 15.—(Special.)—One of the most serious problems facing the gem world at the present time is the extraordinary extent to which imitations of precious gems are insinuating themselves into the world market.

The raw material for the imitation diamond is found in ugly brown and yellow sand which is treated by radium treatment made now white, while gray gems can be infused with the peculiar bluish-white tint of the costly natural diamonds.

Before the war there was in Paris a German gem dealer who could stain a gem to any desired color. He could stain light blue a colorless garnet, or a faded off as a costly color sapphirine.

A natural gem which so closely approaches a diamond that only experts can tell the difference is the white zircon, which is found in great abundance in Queensland.

Man evolved from a common stock which embraces the anthropoid ape that made its habitation in the miocene period, say 4,000,000 years ago.

The silver lake project is now completed and working and the Summit Lake dam is in course of construction, to take its waters from Anna spring, which bursts unbridled from the ground through an immense fissure.

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Klamath county recently voted an issue of \$500,000 road bonds, and this is probably the only county in Oregon which would do so at present.

PORTLAND RAILWAY FILES ANSWER TO HOUSEWIVES.

Case's Dismissal Asked

ALLEGATIONS IN COMPLAINT DENIED IN PAPERS SENT TO SALESMEN

Company's Lawyers.

ANSWER TO AND PRAYER FOR DISMISSAL OF THE COMPLAINT OF THE HOUSEWIVES' COUNCIL THAT THE PORTLAND RAILWAY, LIGHT & POWER COMPANY IS CHARGING EXCESSIVE FARES AND OTHERWISE CONDUCTING ITS BUSINESS IN SUCH A MANNER THAT THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION SHOULD TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION WAS MADE BY THE COMPANY YESTERDAY IN PAPERS FILED WITH THE COMMISSION IN SALEM.

In making answer to the charge of the plaintiff that "eight cents is too much for a five-cent ride," the company admitted the allegation, but stated that "eight cents is not too much for a ten-cent ride."

The charges of the Housewives' council that the accounts of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company were not kept in proper form were answered by the statement that they are kept in strict accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed by the interstate commerce commission and the public service commission.

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BISHOP SUMNER SPEAKS AT CHURCH CONFERENCE

Clergy and Laity Convened at Park Near Gladstone for First Annual Meeting.

Oregon City, Or., July 15.—(Special.)—Bishop Walter, of the Portland diocese, spoke upon the origin and development of the conference in church work at the opening of the first annual conference of the Oregon Episcopal church.

Reciprocity Causes Worry. In many quarters here the hope is expressed that Mr. King will not broach the subject of commercial reciprocity.

British Method Slow. The British ambassador and his staff would be capable of dealing in a fashion with these problems, but obviously they could be more speedily and efficiently handled by a direct representative of Canada.

LOVER OF DOGS PARDONS THOSE WHO DON'T PAY TAX

KENTUCKY GOVERNOR GRANTS 600 ORDERS OF FREEDOM TO PERSONS BUT RECENTLY ENFORCED

CHICAGO, Ill., July 15.—(By the Associated Press.)—Governor Morrow of Kentucky has pardoned more than 600 persons indicted on the charge of failure to pay a dog tax.

MOVIE OF NORTH HERE

HUSBAND HELD SLAYER

Garage Manager Is Accused of Murder of His Wife.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Henry Wilkens, garage manager, appeared in police court today to be arraigned on a charge of murder in connection with the shooting of his wife, Mrs. Wilkens, by an automobile bandit on the evening of May 30.

It's easy to learn something new about the United States by reading the English paper. The discovery is that traffic regulations in America have been changed so that automobiles are being run in strings like freight trains, and the traffic is being used in place of airbrakes.

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CANADA TO SOUND U. S. GOVERNMENT

International Problems to Be Taken Up.

CHICAGO CANAL ISSUE

Recent Visit of Premier to Washington Believed in Relation to Controversial Matters.

DAM PROBLEM UP

Next year the problem of the dam which the Canadian government allowed the American Aluminum company to construct during the war years at the long Saute Rapids in the St. Lawrence valley will be faced, and there are problems about co-operation for the better enforcement of prohibition and fishery regulations.

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FLYING BOATS IN USE

AEROAQUAPLANING IS NEW SPORT IN HAWAII

SAM KAHANAMOKU TRAVELS 70 MILES AN HOUR; STUNT IS FULL OF THRILLS

HONOLULU, T. H., July 15.—(Special.)—Honolulu, long famous as a paradise for swimming, boating and surfing, is to be the setting for a new aquatic stunt.

For a number of years the "dare-devils" here and on the coast have engaged in the pastime of aquaplaning, a sport which was considered the last word in thrills. The ingredients of the game are a fast motorboat, a short board board with a bridge and a rider. The boat is a 20 to 30-horse power motorboat with a 10 to 100-mile an hour airplane flying from the motorboat.

When it comes to thrills aquaplaning has all other sports checked, says Sam Kahanamoku, who is regarded as one of the greatest of surf riders at Waikiki beach, besides holding the world record for 100 yards breast stroke.

CAPTAIN IS SHIFTED

Commander of Arizona Ordered to Asiatic Station.

BREMERTON, Wash., July 15.—Captain George R. Marvel, U. S. N., commanding the battleship Arizona, was instructed in orders received today to proceed to the Asiatic station for duty as commandant of the sixteenth naval district.

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