

BIG KLICKITAT POWER DISPUTED

Northwestern Electric Files Condemnation Suits; So Do Rivals.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Goldendale, Wash., June 1.—The Northwestern Electric company and interests allied with the Lyle Townsite company have two crews at work on the Big Klickitat for the purpose of holding down power rights which they claim. Some time ago the Northwestern Electric company made a deal for the interests of Sam Hill and certain Spokane capitalists on the Big Klickitat, and at the suggestion of their engineer obtained rights on one side of the Klickitat river that belong to Emma Davo, an Indian woman. Later interests allied with the Lyle Townsite company and thought to be the Pacific Power & Light Co., made power reservations on the opposite side of the Big Klickitat from the holdings of the Northwestern company. Condemnation proceedings have been filed in court by the Northwestern company for the interests of Hill and of the Spokane parties, and at the same time the Lyle Townsite company started condemnation proceedings against the Indian woman, asking that the deed of Emma Davo to the Northwestern Electric company be set aside.

These power sites are at the rapids of the Big Klickitat, where the fall is about 120 feet. It is likely the legal fight is on in earnest, as each company is trying to fulfill all requirements of the law to obtain a hold on this valuable water power. The Big Klickitat, according to government reports, has more power in it than any other stream in the state excepting the Columbia river. A great deal of this power has been withdrawn. It was the alleged intention of the Northwestern company to install a 5000 horsepower plant for the first unit.

There has been an electric line surveyed from Lyle to Carnas, and power at this point for such a line would be very valuable, while at Lyle manufacturing interests could put in large plants and ship by water. The whole Klickitat valley has many possibilities if electric lines were built to bring the different localities in closer touch. At present there is a road built to Fort Simcoe headed this way. Such a road would connect the rich Yakima valley and the Klickitat basin, aiding to settle a large country which at present is hard to reach. It has been rumored that such a line would carry an electric line owing to the great amount of power available.

OREGON DEBATE FINALS TOMORROW AT EUGENE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore., June 1.—For the third successive year Pendleton High school will send a debating team to Eugene to compete in the finals of the State Interscholastic Debating league, which is yearly held under the auspices of the University of Oregon. Its opponent in the coming struggle, which is slated for tomorrow night, will be the Grants Pass High school, winner of the southern sub-league. The class of debate put up by these schools is said to be exceptional.

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CLAUSE MAY BEAT COMMISSION PLAN

Some Dalles Voters Do Not Want Present Council to Pick New Body.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 The Dalles, Or., June 1.—The coming city election on June 19 promises to be most interesting. A charter amendment will be voted on providing for a commission form of government, which is popular with the masses and would very likely carry were it not for the fact that an unpopular feature got into the petition for the amendment, empowering the present council to name the commissioners. On account of this objectionable feature the amendment will likely be defeated.

The fact that a majority of the members of the council is to be chosen at this election, there being three vacancies in the first ward, two in the third and one in the second, has brought forth a number of candidates. The non-partisan candidates so far mentioned are: For mayor, J. H. Wood, Grant Mays, Councilman first ward, T. A. Hudson, J. T. Rorick, William Moore, Councilman second ward, F. L. Houghton, W. N. Wiley, Councilman third ward, J. A. Sehanno, J. W. Kootiz, J. L. Harper, Joe Kirchoff, J. E. Anderson. The Socialists are the only party that has put out a party ticket. Their nominees are: Mayor, W. H. Taylor, City treasurer, J. W. Elton, Councilman first ward, S. L. Thurman, Second ward, F. M. Baker, Third ward, Harry E. Brown.

There is no vital issue before the voters at this time, except that there is a general demand for a stricter regulation of the liquor traffic and a demand for a cleaning up of the restricted district, and between candidates for councilmen there is some division of sentiment as to how this can and should be accomplished. It is thought by some that the increase in the saloon license, which takes place July 1, when the license will be raised to \$500 a year, will tend to eliminate a number of the most objectionable saloons, while others insist that the council must take in hand the "weeding out" of the objectionables by refusing licenses to the untrustables.

Wasco Cherry-Berry News.
 (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 The Dalles, Or., June 1.—The local Business Men's association is making plans for an exhibit of 150 boxes of Dalles cherries in the windows of one of the large Portland stores during the Rose Festival. The warm weather of the last few days has ripened berries and cherries and a larger crop than last year is expected by fruitgrowers. Strawberries have been ripe here since May 12 and shipping has been going on since then, the markets for Dalles berries being towns of the interior. Cherries have been on the market since May 25 and large shipments are now being made to coast and eastern markets. Several fruit buyers have been in the neighborhood the last few days, contracting with the growers for their season's output of cherries and apricots.

Other fruits as well as grains in this vicinity are looking in the best of condition.

Lewiston People Come by Boat.
 (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 The Dalles, Or., June 1.—A large party of Lewiston, Idaho, people will start from their city tomorrow on the Open River Transportation company's steamer and will stop in The Dalles over night, when they arrive here, and continue their trip to Portland where they will attend the Rose Carnival. While they are in this city they will be entertained. Arrangements are being made now by the local Business Men's association.

NELLIE WHITE CHOSEN QUEEN AT MT. SCOTT

With the closing of the contest for queen of the Mt. Scott Rose Festival float last night, Miss Nellie White leaped into the lead from third place and continued to gain until at the end she was nearly 200 votes to the good. Her nearest competitor was Miss Gladys Forrest, who until yesterday was in the lead, with Miss Lucille Berry second.

The vote at the close of the contest last evening stood: Miss White, 10,095; Miss Forrest, 8,490; Miss Berry, 7,922; Miss Nellie Starr, fourth, 2,874.

The Mt. Scott district will have one of the handsomest floats in the parade and every effort will be put forth by the designers and builders to make it a prize winner.

Newport Graduates First Class.
 (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
 Newport, Or., June 1.—Monday evening the Newport High school held its first graduation exercises. The High school has been established three years, but has had no graduations until this year. The class of two, Miss Hallie George of Newport and Miss Viola Gannon of Toledo, have made good records.

MAN SENT TO ROCKPILE; COUNTY ASSISTS WIFE

While J. W. Witherall is serving six months on the rockpile, the county will take care of his wife and child. The county court agreed to give her \$15 a month toward her expenses, and the husband will begin work this morning. By taking a rockpile sentence, he escaped a penitentiary term on a charge of larceny.

There were three indictments returned against Witherall, but two were dismissed. He pleaded guilty to stealing money. Witherall told Presiding Judge Gantenbein that he came to Portland eight months ago. His first work was on a small salary. Witherall told the judge he was forced to steal.

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