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ANOTHER BAD FLUE

Causes C. E. Hadley Loss of About \$8000.

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By Hard Work and Great Good Fortune Flames Were Kept From Spreading.

Another defective flue caused the second fire loss in Bend last Sunday morning when C. E. Hadley's saloon at the corner of Minnesota and Bond streets burned to the ground, with all the contents. The loss was between \$7,500 and \$8,000 on which there was \$4,000 insurance—\$1,000 in the American, \$2,000 in the Fire Association of Philadelphia and \$1,000 in the London, Liverpool & Globe.

The saloon was closed between 1 and 2 o'clock Sunday morning. The night was rather chilly and there had been a brisk fire in the stove, but everything seemed normal when the place was locked up. About 3 o'clock Mrs. Hedges was awakened by a flickering light through her window and when she looked out she saw a building afire. She aroused Mr. Hedges, who lost no time in spreading the alarm, which was greatly assisted by the church bell.

Hadley and Stevens were among the first to the fire. The roof and much of the interior was then ablaze. They managed to get the safe out and the piano was got as far as the door when the flames drove them away. An attempt to secure the cash register was also futile.

Water was running in the ditch alongside the burning building. The Overturf boys on their way down to the fire turned on a full head of water and the bucket brigade soon threw water on the fire and adjacent property. No impression could be made on the fire but the flames were confined within the building where they had origin. Wet blankets protected the Whitsett building, 70 feet away, and saved the Hadley ice house, only 20 feet from the burning building. Had the icehouse gone the Chapman barn was next in line and the Sather oil storehouse would probably have conveyed the fire to the Wall street stores of Chapman, Sather and Caldwell & Satchwell. To prevent such havoc, when it seemed impossible that the Hadley icehouse could be saved, the work of demolishing the Chapman barn was begun. Two sides of that building were badly wrecked when the last burning end of the saloon building was pushed over into the fire and the danger was past. It was hot work pushing that threatening end over, and several men were scorched in the operation.

The showers of the day before left everything out of doors pretty well drenched. The full ditch also gave plenty of water for use so far as buckets could use it. There was very little movement of air, and that in a favorable direction. Fire-fighting apparatus would have saved a large part of the saloon.

The saloon was built last winter. It consisted of a main building 26x80 feet and an addition 14x30, all one story in height. The interior furnishings were very fine, the bar and back-bar alone, with large French plate mirrors, having cost over \$3000. There were three slot machines and a piano in the saloon and a large stock of liquors and cigars in the adjoining ware room. A gasoline plant lighted the building, but the tank was removed from danger before the fire reached its location. It was in all respects a first class establishment,—by long odds the finest in Central Oregon.

There seems to be no doubt that the fire caught from a defective flue. The flue was built in cold weather when it was impossible to do a good job and the location and circumstances of this fire indicate that it caught somewhere in the space between the ceiling and roof.

CHANGE ON POLICE FORCE.

E. R. Lester, to be Superseded by C. M. Weymouth.

The only business out of routine which the city council did at the regular meeting last Tuesday night was to discontinue the service of E. R. Lester as regular policeman. The council expressed itself in

favor of the appointment of C. M. Weymouth as regular policeman but that appointment will be made by the mayor. It is assumed that he will act upon the suggestion of the council, though he is not bound to do so.

There was no attempt to remove Lester from the marshalship. But his pay as marshal is only \$1 per year, while he has been receiving \$75 a month as policeman. For a time there were two policemen. But the shift in ditch construction forces made the matter of policing the town much lighter and the force was cut down to one. Now an efficient watchman is all that is required and it is expected to get this service for \$65 a month. Mr. Weymouth is absent from the city and will not return until next week.

NONE AS GOOD AS BEND.

C. A. Chapman Returns from a Trip to Portland and Upper Country.

C. A. Chapman returned Monday from a journey to Portland and Idaho. He had business in Eastern Washington and Idaho and returned to Bend filled with enthusiasm for Central Oregon. When he left Bend he thought business comparatively dull but he finds it so much duller in the upper country that he is glad to get back home. A lot of new goods arrived the same day he did.

Mr. Chapman was a passenger on the Mountain Gem, which carried a historic excursion from Lewiston to witness the driving of the last spike on the portage railroad last week, and he brought home a souvenir of that excursion in the shape of a leather ticket specially printed for the occasion and duly punched in actual service. It is somewhat bigger than a banknote and quite as significant for the prosperity of the Upper Columbia valley.

A number of people whom Mr. Chapman came in contact with will come to Bend soon. He was able to give out much valuable information of this locality and found general eagerness to receive it.

OLD MAID OR WIDOW.

Here's a Chance of a Lifetime—Tobacco Also Wanted.

Postmaster Grant is much hurt at the tone of a letter he received this week. It was addressed to the Mistress Postmaster and its contents were of interest chiefly to the gentler sex. To show that the writer of it was not effeminate, however, he started out with a request for good old Kentucky tobacco. The letter follows in full:

Lamonta, Or., June 4, 1905.—Mistress Postmaster—Will you please hand this note to sum old tobacco raiser. I want 5 dollars worth of home made tobacco from old K. Y. for chowing. I want to pay what it is worth and would like if it was twisted. Whoever gets this note answer at once.

I used to live in K. Y. in Livingston Co. and if there is some good old maid or a widowed lady a bout 35 or 40 tell them to write to me if they want to change their name to a better one. I was married once in K. Y. I got my license at Smithland. Was married at Love's Chapel close to Cayville. I got a fine lady. I want a nother one from old K. Y. They are the people and most respected. Believe me Your Friend,
 S. R. Dew, Lamonta, Or.

P. S. Say lady if you do write send me your picture. I am this way quick sales and good profits, my wife has bin dead seven years. I have no children.
 By By.

THE INDIANS WILL COME

HAVE PART IN BEND'S CELEBRATION

Ball Team, Band and Race Horses from the Warm Spring Reservation.

Charley Johnston and Charley Bilyeu returned last night from Warm Spring, where they engaged Indian attractions for the Fourth of July celebration at Bend. The reservation brass band, the Indian base ball experts and a delegation of bucks, squaws and papooses, will come to Bend on the 3d. They will establish camp here and participate in the festivities, not forgetting the gentle art of horse-racing. Distinctly Indian sports will also be introduced.

The organizing of several other features of amusement is in progress and will probably be announced next week. This is sure to be the greatest celebration ever known in Central Oregon.

CROPS GROWING FAST

Late Planting Best for Deschutes Country.

SWIFT GROWTH WHEN READY

Work at D. I. & P. Experiment Farm—Report of Excellent Crop Prospects.

At the D. I. & P. Co's experiment farm everything is making gratifying progress. For a time early in the season the crops were not so promising, the mistake of planting too early having been made there as elsewhere in this country. Now that the proper time for growth here has arrived the crops are climbing along surprisingly, are entirely healthy and promise big yields.

The grain stands well, has a good color and is growing fast. Alfalfa is all that could be desired. Peas are in blossom, potatoes are six inches tall, beets, onions, lettuce, etc. are some inches tall and can almost be seen to grow. The tank experiments are also doing well and the season's developments there will be of great value in showing the best adjustment to be made of water and temperature. The field irrigation is completed, and the effects of different methods on different crops may already be seen.

The record now being made at this experiment station will, when completed next fall, go a long way toward shaping agricultural development in the Deschutes country.

T. Casey, of Powell, Buttes, was in town this week making arrangements to supply this market with chop. He brings in the whole grain and runs it through the big chop mill of Steidl, & Reed. He says the crop prospect of his section was never better and everything promises to give a bumper yield.

Road Supervisor Ovid Riley was in town yesterday. He reports grain up to his knees as he rode through his field on horseback on his way to town. All farm crops are growing prodigiously and give every promise of big yields.

Married Men Second Best.

The ball game last Sunday between the married men and the single men resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 11 to 12. As agreed, a banquet was given the winners, on Monday night, at the Pilot Butte Inn. Another game has been arranged for some future date at which time the defeated team will make a strenuous effort to win back the lost laurels.

Oh, get your mother's leather bed,
 A bag, a broom, a maul;
 Go weep and pray and soak your head
 When { Vancy } pitches ball.
 { McDouald }
 { Powell }
 { Moore }

And when the others go to bat
 It makes the pitchers sore!
 To see 'em flog about their hat
 And multiply the score.

But when it comes to setting up
 The feed that pays the fine,
 The married men make four-base hits
 That's where the married shine.

Killed Two Big Bears.

J. L. Keyer and Billy Brock were on a hunting expedition above crane prairie last week and brought back the pelts of two big bears as trophies. Brock got a big brown bear estimated to weigh over 600 pounds. The bear refused to climb a tree until he had been mortally wounded. Then he went up and when he reached the branches collapsed totally and fell to the ground, falling from such a height that the flesh was loosened from the ribs and the body was otherwise considerably crushed. Keyer killed a black bear, that being the variety against which he has a special grudge.

The hunters say there were tracks about that locality of a bear much bigger than the big brown fellow slain. There are plenty of bears in the region at this season.

Cheap barley chop at Merrill building.

Give your family a rest and take Sunday dinner at Pilot Butte Inn.

At the Merrill building, furnished rooms for rent, inquire at drug store.