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## NEW SPRING STYLES LADIES' HATS AND TRIMMINGS.

To the Ladies of Bend:--I have opened up a new millinery on Wall street, first door north of the B. M. store, carrying a full line of new and up-to-date goods. Call and inspect them.  
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## LOOKING FOR TRAFFIC

Railroad Men Examining the Bend Country.

### SIZING UP OUR RESOURCES

Corps of Harriman Officials Come in From Shaniko and See a Great Country.

W. W. Cotton, to be United States judge for the judicial district of Oregon; now counsel for the O. R. & N. Co.  
 J. P. O'Brien, general manager of the Harriman railway lines in Oregon, Washington and Northern Idaho.  
 R. B. Miller, general freight agent of the same.  
 R. C. Judson, industrial agent of the same.  
 G. W. Boshke, chief engineer of the same.  
 E. E. Lytle, president of the Columbia Southern railway.  
 H. P. French, president of the University of Idaho, at Moscow.  
 F. R. Stanley, secretary of the Deschutes Irrigation & Power Co.

This is a notable party that arrived in Bend last evening and will spend two or three days looking over the locality and examining its resources and possibilities of development. The men are experts in their business and their collective judgment of the country will determine the question of an immediate railroad advance to Bend.  
 The party left Shaniko Wednesday morning and spent the night at Madras. Its conveyance was the big automobile of the Central Oregon Transportation Company. Yesterday forenoon was devoted to the inspection of Agency plains and the Haystack region. In the afternoon the run from Culver to Bend, by way of Forest and Redmond, was easily made, the party reaching Bend at 7:30 after a comfortable ride through a country fairly throbbing with new life. The visitors found comfortable quarters at the club house of the D. I. & P. Co.

This morning the party drove up to the Pilot Butte flume and examined the head works. This afternoon a visit will be made to the D. I. & P. Co's experiment farm. Tomorrow it is likely the Columbia Southern irrigated lands will be viewed.

Two or three days will be spent in an examination of the country about Bend--timber, agriculture; present and prospective. Everything possible will be done to make their stay pleasant and to give them the information they seek. Probably there will be a public reception for them at the B. M. hall Saturday evening.

Riddle cleans women's skirts. If

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chapman and Mrs. C. A. Chapman spent a part of this week on the former's homestead near Powell buttes.

### RELIC OF ANCIENT TIMES.

Indian Mortar and Pestle Found Under Big Juniper Tree.

While clearing land on the R. B. Mutzig ranch near the Swalley bridge the other day the Lucier boys unearthed a fine old Indian mortar and pestle. It was under a juniper tree that was three feet in diameter, and the roots of the tree were twined about the mortar and held it tight until they were chopped away. The mortar, the cavity of which was filled with earth, looked so much like other stones that no attention was paid to it at first, but when it was thrown aside and the soil shaken out of it its unusual character became apparent. The pestle was found near by.

These articles are perfect specimens of their kind. Both are of a rather fine-textured lava rock. The mortar is about seven inches in diameter and stands eight inches tall. The pestle is about seven inches long. They are worn very smooth, evidently by use in crushing seeds and berries for Indian palates.

The age of the articles may be guessed from the fact that a three-foot juniper had grown above them. The tree was probably more than 250 years old and it is not likely that the juniper began growing immediately after the mortar was deposited there. The preparation of food by these implements is unknown to the present generation of Indians, even by tradition.  
 Mr. Mutzig values these relics

of a bygone age and people as among the choicest products that have yet come from his ranch.

### ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Officers Chosen, Financial Statement of the District.

At the annual school election held in the school house last Monday afternoon Dr. W. S. Nichol was chosen director for three years, to succeed L. D. Wiest, whose term expired, and L. D. Wiest was chosen clerk for one year, to succeed Dr. Nichol, term expired. Only to voters were out at the election and none of them women. The proceedings were entirely routine.

Chairman Wiest called the meeting to order and the minutes of last year's meeting were read. The financial account of the clerk was presented and showed the following for the year:

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year	\$117.51
Special district tax	1,159.74
County school fund	23.43
State school fund	588.97
Total receipts	\$1,890.65

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' wages	\$840.00
Janitor services	61.25
Rent	84.00
Supplies, fuel, repairs, incidentals	124.95
Old warrants and interest	117.70
Notes and interest	546.79
Laidlaw school district	101.71
Total disbursements	\$1,876.45
Balance on hand	\$22.55

So notwithstanding the division of the district the floating debt has been reduced by \$664.49 in the past year, leaving outstanding only \$240, with enough coming from taxes not yet paid to extinguish that.

### FULL FIRE PROTECTION.

No Half Way Service Satisfactory--What City is to Pay.

At the adjourned council meeting Tuesday night there was considerable discussion regarding the charges to be paid by the city for the use of water for fire protection. The weight of opinion was in favor of \$25 a year per hydrant if service is to be given by the hydraulic ram only and about \$35 if there is to be a steam pump attached for emergency occasions. The reservoir is estimated to hold water sufficient to run two streams about an hour and a half. For all ordinary fires this would suffice, but the council is of the opinion that the water service should be able to stand any call made upon it and to that end there should be a steam pump in connection and a reasonable price should be paid for the extra efficiency. The committee was instructed to report further at a meeting Thursday night.

Mayor Goodwillie was instructed to appoint a committee of 10 councilmen and citizens of which he should be one, to attend to the reception of the railroad party on the way to visit Bend. He named A. M. Drake, John Steidl, C. A. Chapman, E. F. Batten, Hugh O'Kane, R. B. Mutzig, W. E. Guerin, jr., F. C. Rowlee and J. M. Lawrence.

The council allowed \$22.50 for special police service nine days. For advertising ordinances since the organization of the city \$97.80 and for legal notices for the incorporation of the city \$34.70 were ordered paid. The P. B. D. Co. was paid \$16.97 for lumber and \$4.18 was paid for 100 dog license tags.

There was no quorum present Thursday night and an adjournment was taken to next Monday night.

### KILL FISH.

John F. Circle, who this week, with a party of fishermen, was up the river about 16 miles, near the Hunter place, reports that some one has been killing fish by the use of dynamite, or some other explosive. At one place the shore was strewn with dead fish of all sizes. This is a deplorable state of affairs, and if our fish laws are not enforced there will soon be no fish in the Deschutes where now they are so plentiful.

### Laidlaw Mail Bids Rejected.

But two bids for carrying the mail between Bend and Laidlaw were submitted on the first advertisement, but both were rejected as "unsatisfactory." New bids are called for, to be in by July 18. The schedule calls for mail to leave Laidlaw at 11:30 and Bend at 3 every day but Sunday, which leaves no room for Bend bidders.

## TO COMPLETE FLUME

Construction Crew Again Near Headworks.

### WATER IN THE LARGE CANAL

Men are Brought in from the North to Push Extension of the Central Oregon.

The capenter force that has been employed on the D. I. & P. flumes, on the desert southeast of town finished their work there the first of the week and were transferred to the big flume at the head of the Pilot Butte canal. They are engaged now in completing that work.

Two flumes on the desert are about 1,200 feet long. They are about nine miles southeast of Bend. By their completion the big canal is enabled to carry water 12 miles out. This will make it possible to resume work on the Central Oregon canal, and the force that has been building laterals in the country between Bend and Forest will be put on the Central Oregon extension at once. Work was suspended on the big canal because it was too expensive to haul water so far, but now the water is carried out in the canal itself.

There will be several short interruptions in the Pilot Butte canal service while the flume is being completed. Water will be turned out a few hours at a time when absolutely necessary to the progress of the work, but it is not expected there will be any material interruption at Bend or points to the northward. The lumber is now all on the ground for completion of the big flume.

The D. I. & P. Co. wants more men than it has been able to get lately -- carpenters and laborers. Carpenters receive \$3 a day and laborers \$2, but buying and harvesting lures many men away. The company has its own teams. A score of the horses that escaped last fall were recently caught and Mr. L. E. McCord is breaking them for service.

## MONEY FOR THE FOURTH

\$500 FOR BEND'S BIG CELEBRATION

Everybody too Busy to Blow Much but the Preparations go Forward.

The real work of organizing a Fourth of July celebration was set on foot this week by a subscription list of \$500 to pay the expenses. This money is to be expended in prizes for games and contests--baseball, races, etc.--and in providing an immense dance pavilion. This has awakened great interest and a fine list of events is assured.

F. Milo Lobdell this week sent over from Paulina a large cartoon of Bend's Fourth of July celebration which is a clever caricature of numerous Bend institutions and personalities. Everything is in it, from Dr. Coe's band to The Bulletin. It is exhibited in Chapman's window and arouses no end of amusement.

### Perry's Bluff Was Called.

"Humph! Got another railroad craze over here have ye?" quoth Perry Poindexter, who was over from Prineville to point out the latest faults in this locality yesterday. "Say, I'll bet \$100 the Columbia Southern railroad will not be extended 15 feet from its present terminus at Shaniko in 10 years. This railroad talk's all bosh. It's tommyrot and nonsense and I've got money that says so."

"Here's \$100 that says the Columbia Southern will begin building out of Shaniko within 90 days," said Hugh O'Kane.

Perry didn't put up; he shut up. For the first time in history Perry Poindexter shut up.

On Monday night, at Prineville, fire did damage to the amount of about \$400 in the O'Neill Bros.' building, in which Harvey Cyrus kept a jewelry and watchmaker's store. The fire originated from burning trash, which Mr. Cyrus had swept up and set on fire. The loss is not covered by insurance.