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## CONVENTION IS GREAT SUCCESS

### LAKEVIEW ENTERTAINS ROYALLY

Hudson and Sawhill of Bend Chosen League Treasurer and Secretary. County Courts Appropriate Funds for the Work.

The convention of the Central Oregon Development League held at Lakeview last week proved most successful both in point of attendance and in the accomplishments of the session. That Lakeview made an enviable record as an entertainer is enthusiastically testified by all who had the good fortune to be the guests of the hospitable southern town.

That Bend was actively represented, and that the leadership of the town is recognized by the leaguers, is shown by the fact that two of the most important offices fell to Bend men. C. S. Hudson, cashier of the First National Bank, was chosen treasurer, and J. E. Sawhill re-elected as secretary, as which he remains the salaried manager of the organization.

The other officers elected were: President, William Hanley; vice-president, J. W. Brewer of Redmond; Judge W. S. Worden of Klamath Falls; Dr. Daly of Lakeview; honorary vice-presidents, G. F. Johnson, W. E. Coman, C. L. Smith and C. C. Chapman.

Secretary Appointed. It was decided to have the secretary hereafter appointed by the executive board instead of being elected, as formerly, and to hold office only as long as his work proved satisfactory to the board. The amount of salary for the secretary has not as yet been decided upon. It was also voted to do away with a headquarters for the ensuing year, inasmuch as there seemed reason to believe that the appointment of one place headquarters created cause for jealousy on the part of other towns. Klamath Falls was awarded the next annual meeting, the exact date to be set later.

The most important accomplishment reported at the convention was the action of the county courts of Crook, Harney, Lake and Klamath counties in appropriating each \$1000 to maintain the operations of the league during the year. These appropriations were made under the provisions of a recent enactment of the legislature permitting county expenditure for public purposes. The expenditure of this fund will be made at the discretion of the executive board.

Many Resolutions Passed.

Among the important resolutions passed at the convention was one heartily endorsing the course outlined by Governor West for the completion of the Columbia Southern irrigation project near Laidlaw with state school funds, the latter to be

returned from the later proceeds of land sales.

The Harmony good roads bill was endorsed. A resolution deploring the loss of Charles H. Merriam, and bearing testimony to his great popularity and statewide worth, was spread upon the minutes. The road building and other activities of the county court of Klamath county were endorsed, as was the statewide work of the O. A. C.

State participation in and aid to Oregon irrigation projects was endorsed, while national action along the same lines, or cooperation of state and nation, was censured.

One of the important speeches at the convention was made by C. S. Hudson. Its subject matter will be published next week.

### "BEND SPECIAL" WILL ARRIVE SUNDAY NIGHT

Seattle Excursionists, Near One-hundred Strong, Will Descend Upon Town on Record Sightseeing Trip.

The O.-W. R. & N.—Bend Park Company "Bend Special" from Seattle, Tacoma and Portland will arrive Sunday evening, probably at about six o'clock. Close to 100 excursionists will come on it, and all will remain here until ten o'clock Monday evening.

A slight change of plans has been made, whereby the train, instead of coming through without stops and arriving earlier in the afternoon, will stop for half an hour at Metolus and at Redmond, giving the visitors an opportunity to see the demonstration farms at these places.

Monday will be devoted to seeing the town and adjacent points of interest. A picnic lunch will be served beside the river, near the Boy Scouts' lodge, instead of at the top of Pilot Butte, as at first considered. An opportunity will be given all who desire to scale the butte and enjoy the magnificent view.

In the evening a banquet will be given to all the visitors and a large number of local business men, all being guests of W. D. Cheney. While the exact number of those who will be present has not yet been determined, it is probable more than 150 will participate, thus making the affair the largest of its kind in Bend's history. The meal will be served in the old hall over Lara's store.

The Bend band will meet the train upon its arrival Sunday, having generously offered to contribute its services towards making the reception of the visitors as pleasant as possible.

### MISS BOZELL IS MARRIED

Daughter of Bend People Becomes Bride of Julius Kortman.

Last Wednesday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Helens M. Bozell, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Bozell, to Julius Kortman, at the home of the bride's parents.

The wedding was an informal affair, attended by few outside of the immediate family. The Rev. John Williams of Prineville was the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Kortman will make their home in Bend. Mr. Kortman has been with the Bend Milling & Warehouse flour mill practically since its founding here, and will continue to work for his father-in-law, Mr. Bozell.

## R. R. ENGINEERS IN FIELD AGAIN

### MAY MEAN MALHEUR-CRESCENT LINE

Activity of Harriman Forces Fore-runner of Hill Eastern Road Construction From Bend, is the Prediction.

Friday a large party of 16 Oregon Short Line surveyors arrived in a special car that brought them from Salt Lake City, and the following day went from here south, presumably to the vicinity of Crescent.

The objective work of the engineers apparently is the final location of the Harriman east-and-west line that it has been announced for two years, will come westward from the Malheur Canyon to connect with the Natron Cutoff and the main Central Oregon north-and-south line near Crescent. It is understood that a final location of the proposed road has been completed for some time west as far as The Narrows, in Harney county.

Another engineering party, it is reported, is working westward from The Narrows. A considerable quantity of supplies has been shipped from here recently to Crescent, indicating that work thereabout is destined to continue for some time. It is believed that while one party is working eastward from the Crescent country another is to survey the line north to Bend, here connecting with the Harriman Deschutes road.

Will Benefit Bend.

While such an eastern outlet would be vastly important to Bend, in that it would mean direct connection with middle western lumber markets, its greatest importance locally is that its construction undoubtedly will hasten the building of the Hill eastern line from this point, which has been surveyed for over a year. Men familiar with the lumbering and general shipping business point out that the Hill interests scarcely could afford to allow their competitor to tap the Deschutes timber exclusively, as would be the case if the Harriman line alone supplied a direct eastern outlet. The lumber, all agree, will supply the great and most profitable branch of all the shipments from this region for years to come, and those familiar with railroad affairs predict that activity on the Hill east road from Bend will be announced very shortly.

### HAVING TARGET PRACTICE.

The Second Field Artillery of the United States Army is in camp at the Warm Springs Indian Reservation now having target practice. About 475 men are participating, and they will spend several months there. They arrived last Friday, hiking in. They came from the barracks at Vancouver, Wash.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to all those who assisted in extinguishing the fire in our building Saturday night.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

## NEW CHURCH IS DEDICATED

### METHODISTS COMPLETE BUILDING

More Than \$1200 Raised at Two Services Sunday—Dr. E. H. Todd of Salem Preaches Sermon—Edifice is of the Bungalow Type.

Dedicatory services opening the new Methodist church building were held Sunday, large congregations being present both morning and evening. Subscriptions amounting to more than \$1200 were pledged, assuring the board of trustees enough to pay not only for the building itself but also for excellent furnishings.

Dr. E. H. Todd of Willamette University, Salem, was present and in charge of the services, preaching the dedicatory sermon. The building was practically completed, although pews were not yet installed. These will be put in within the next month, the church officials being in communication with various furniture houses. Until then chairs will be used.

The Ladies' Aid Society has subscribed funds for the purchase of a handsome piano and for carpeting the church. A pulpit has been built by W. H. H. Williams as a donation. The building is located on the hill near the J. N. Hunter home, at the corner of Ohio street and Olympic place. It is of the bungalow type. It is plastered, well lighted and the acoustic qualities are good. The seating capacity is about 275.

The cost of the building itself was about \$1000 and with the furnishings will represent an investment of more than \$1500.

At both services Sunday subscriptions were taken, the total being about \$1225. This with the \$500 previously subscribed gives the church trustees \$1725.

The other Protestant denominations joined with the Methodists in the dedication, there being no services by the Presbyterians or Baptists in the morning.

### BRIDGE WORK STARTS.

Work on the new steel county bridge that will span the Deschutes at Bend was commenced Monday. All the steel for the big structure has arrived. M. J. Danielson, who was superintendent of the construction of the Bend Company's power dam, will be in charge of the erection of the bridge.

### CAN'T HOLD TOWN BACK

G. W. Lorimer Praises Bend's Substantial Growth During Year.

G. W. Lorimer and K. B. Miller, the former of Piquis, Ohio, and the latter from Chicago, were guests of D. E. Hunter here last week. Mr. Lorimer is a stock holder in the Bend Company and Mr. Miller a con-

sulting engineer.

"You people who live here cannot really appreciate the tremendous development that has taken place during the last year," said Mr. Lorimer, who has not been in Bend since last March. "Why, when I was here before the station was not built; there wasn't a house east of the tracks in Center Addition; there wasn't a stone or brick building. And now the tracks are laid, the splendid depot and the big warehouse are operating, and there are scores of homes in Center Addition and elsewhere where twelve months ago there were none. The construction of permanent business blocks also is remarkable. In fact, I never saw a healthier or more promising growth in my life. Nothing can hold the town back now."

## MIDNIGHT BLAZE NEARLY DESTROYS BANK BUILDING

Chemical Engine and Hoses Save Structure, Getting at Flames Early—Dancers Become Firemen.

Fire which was discovered shortly before midnight Saturday in the First National Bank building was prevented from totally destroying the structure only by the prompt work of volunteer fire-fighters. As it was, a damage variously estimated at from \$1500 to \$2500 was effected, a considerable portion of it from water, for as the flames apparently had made their way between practically all the walls it was necessary to turn a lot of water on to get at them. The bank and other occupants lost considerable in the way of stationery supplies.

The fire undoubtedly started in the hall in the northeast corner of the building, upon which the office of C. S. Benson opens. There was a small pile of stove wood there, and, probably, some trash. While no definite theory can be advanced, it seems probable that a cigar or cigarette stump thrown there slowly ignited. The flames seem to have spread into the rear bank room, and up through the walls. So far as is known, no one had been in that part of the building since 6 o'clock.

The chemical engine did very efficient service, and to the prompt work effected with it the saving of the building is probably due. As a dance was progressing at Linster's Hall a lot of men got to the fire quickly.

Sunday morning another little blaze got under way in the south east corner of the second floor, when a window fell down upon a box of matches. Tom Murphy, who was reeling up hose below, saw the flames and got to them before additional damage was done.

The First National Bank owns the building, which is not transferred to C. P. Putnam until the time of the bank's removal to its new quarters, probably in November. The building will be thoroughly repaired as soon as the insurance is adjusted.

### CHURCH TO BE OF STONE.

Final decision has been made by the Presbyterian Church officers as to the material to be used in their new building. It will be of stone. Torkel Swanson's bid of \$1,500 for the stone work was accepted. The walls are to be of Bend pink rock, quarled close to town, and the foundation of lava rock.

## SCHOOL OPENS NEXT TUESDAY

### NEW BUILDINGS ARE READY

Three Grades to be Taken Care of in Them—Eleven Teachers Have Been Employed to Instruct Bend Children This Year.

The 1912-13 session of the Bend public school will open next Tuesday morning, September 3, with a teaching force of eleven and probably the largest first-day enrollment ever recorded.

Three new buildings have been completed on the ground and are ready for occupancy. They are located north of the main building and only a short distance away. They will be used by the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The buildings were constructed at a cost of \$415 each, and at the rate of rent which the school board paid last term for the room it rented, \$15 a month, they will practically pay for themselves in three years. They are well built and comfortable houses, with plenty of light. The district has enough desks to furnish them now, but more furniture will be put in as the enrollment demands.

### Teaching Force of Eleven.

All the teachers for the year have been elected, eleven in all. This is two more than last session. The following is the staff:

- Principal—J. E. Shouse.
- High School—Evel Horden and Dorothy Schoolcraft.
- Eighth grade—Eva Huntington.
- Seventh—Katherine Trautner.
- Sixth—Kathryn Ryan.
- Fifth—Mrs. Clara Allen.
- Fourth—Evel Holmes.
- Third—Mrs. J. H. Bittner.
- Second—Harriet Dolson.
- First—Martha Sidner.

Prof. Shouse and Misses Borden, Trautner, Holmes and Sidner taught here last year and Miss Dolson the year previous. Miss Huntington comes from Kelso, Wash., and Miss Ryan from Grants Pass, Ore. Mesdames Allen and Bittner reside in town.

### Get Another Examination.

Prof. Shouse has sent notice to all the members of last year's eighth grade who failed in their examinations that another trial will be given them on Thursday and Friday of the first week of school.

Mr. Shouse has also issued the following notice:

"High School pupils are requested to call at the school house Friday afternoon of this week to effect registration. Pupils of grades below the High School may call on Saturday to obtain information concerning books or grades to which they belong."

One High School girl may obtain work in exchange for her board in a private family by seeing Mr. Shouse.

## The Golden Rule

A YOUNG FARMER went to his banker a short time ago and asked to borrow \$300.00. After consulting the depositor's ledger and noting the condition of said farmer's account the banker said: "Alright sir, you can have it. I observe that while your account is not large, yet it has been gradually increasing, which shows that you are succeeding. I also note that you are apparently doing all your business with us, which shows that you are our friend, and we always feel like helping our friends." Was the banker's conclusion logical? This bank preaches and practices the Golden Rule.

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## WE STAND BACK OF THE FARMER

—Much of the success of this bank is due to the many friends it has among the farmers of this community. We thank them for their past favors and hope to be of service in the future.

—A good crop year means a good business year. Agriculture and finance go hand in hand and neither can be efficient without the other. We shall try to hold our end up by standing back of our farmers to the full extent possible.

—Whether in safeguarding your funds or in lending money to tide over the "tight" places in the year's work, we shall always treat farmers impartially and with courtesy.

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