

Laidlaw News

(Special to The Bulletin)

Laidlaw, Aug 5.—That the same of Laidlaw may be changed, and "Tumalo" be substituted, seems the consensus of opinion here, although as yet nothing official has been done. It is pointed out that the name Laidlaw has been connected with all the unfortunate history of the Columbia Southern Irrigation project, and in this connection has received rather unsavory publicity.

Now that the project is officially known as the Tumalo Project, and inasmuch as the old postoffice of Tumalo has been abandoned, there appears no reason why the name of the town should not become Tumalo, and many reasons why it should. It is understood that the matter of effecting the change is comparatively simple, and rests chiefly in shifting the title to the local postoffice, after which consent of the County Court will be necessary in re-naming the filed plat.

Spends \$55,205 for Land.

Practically all purchases of land for the project reservoir have been completed. Below is a list of the property involved, with names of owners, acreage and amounts paid:

G. W. and Carrie A. Horner, 200 acres at \$62.75, total \$12,750; Chas. L. Wimer, 159.25 acres at \$70, total \$11,247.50; Frank V. and Olga Swisher, 19.8 acres, for \$770; Perry A. and Ida B. Woolley, 320 acres at \$42.50, total \$13,600; Millard T. and Cora H. Triplett, 110.75 acres at \$64, total \$7088; John and Sarah J. Byers, 110 acres at \$60, total \$6600; William Roach, 160 acres at \$10.94, total \$1750. This makes a grand total of \$55,205.

Project Items.

In connection with the 6600 feet of steel flume which will be constructed on the project—the largest steel flume work in Oregon—the lowest bidder was the Const Culvert & Flume Co. of Portland. Its price was \$4.08 per lineal foot for a flume 10 feet across the top and 5 feet deep. The next lowest bidder was F. T. Crowe & Co., whose bid was \$5.02. Neither bid will be accepted until after Engineer Laurgaard makes a test of the Const company's flume, as it has not been tried on a flume of this size. The test will be made this week, Mr. Laurgaard leaving for Portland Sunday evening.

A Ford automobile has been purchased by Project Engineer Laurgaard to facilitate his movements in getting over the work.

A carload of groceries arrived last week for the Tumalo project, purchased from Allen & Lewis of Portland on competitive bid.

There are now employed on the project about 25 teams and 127 men. During the week about 25 additional men will be put on. Three camps are now being operated and it is probable one more, camp 1, will be started the latter part of the week.

Proposals for smoked meats and lard will be considered at the project office here August 9 for the furnishing of such supplies for the month of August.

An order for 30,000 pounds of rolled barley and 50 sacks of patent flour was given the Bend Milling & Warehouse Co. on July 28.

The headquarters corral, located in town, for the use of teams carrying engineers and superintendents over the work, was opened this week.

The wives of men employed on the project have formed an afternoon club, which they call the "Q. A. E. Club." The meaning of the letters is kept a secret, but they are generally understood to stand for "Quarrel and Fight Club." Meetings will be held each Wednesday at the homes of its members. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. G. Ed Ross; vice president, Mrs. A. J. Welton; secretary, Mrs. William Schaller; treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Nicol.

Mr. Harter and Mesdames Hanson, Schaller, Wallace, Nicol and Ross visited Bend Saturday in Mr. Harter's car to patronize Bend merchants.

Organize Athletic Club.

The Tumalo Tennis Terrors, at a recent meeting, adopted a constitution and by-laws, and changed their name to the Tumalo Athletic Club, it being the opinion of those present that this club should take hold of all amusements here, organize a baseball team and football team, and that some attention should be given to literary talent at the club meetings.

The officers of the club are: J. B. Wimer, president; Hugo Bibberstein, vice president; G. Ed Ross, secretary-treasurer; William Schaller and Don Mars, trustees; H. J. Gilkey, athletic director. At the outset there were 23 members, with others being added.

All the tennis players who could get away went to Bend Sunday and report splendid entertainment there, and an enjoyable time despite the fact that Bend won all of the eight matches played except one. Those making the trip were E. T. Gross, G. C. Henderson, J. H. Mohoney, R. W. Ferris, Don Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welton, Miss Franc Newman, Miss Bernice Umphlette, H. J. Gilkey, Grover Gerking, Miss Margaret Mock, Axel Bye, L. D. Mars and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wimer.

The boys lost every match they played, it remaining for the girls to achieve a victory for Laidlaw. Miss Newman and Miss Umphlette played Miss Dolsen and Miss Graves and

won, 6-4 and 6-2. After the match the local girls were presented with a big bunch of sweet peas by C. S. Hudson.

The results of the other matches follow:

May and Hudson vs. Henderson and Gilkey, 6-0, 6-1.

Hoffman and Lara vs. Henderson and Gross, 6-1, 6-4.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam vs. Miss Newman and Henderson, 6-0, 6-1.

May and Hudson vs. Gerking and Gross, 6-4, 6-1.

Hoffman vs. Gilkey, 6-2, 6-3.

Hoffman and Gould vs. Welton and Mars, 6-2, 6-2.

May and Lara vs. Gross and Henderson, 6-2, 9-7.

A return engagement will be held here in a few weeks.

Development League Matters.

At a Development League meeting last week it was decided to hold a Laidlaw fair this season, and a board of seven directors was elected to organize an association, those chosen being W. D. Barnes, F. B. Wilson, J. J. Coen, J. W. Brown, George Fisher, J. B. Wimer and J. N. B. Gerking. The date for the fair will be October 1.

Delegates were named to attend the Central Oregon Development League convention at Klamath Falls. They are: R. H. Bayley, F. N. Wallace, W. D. Barnes and J. N. B. Gerking.

Those chosen to go to the La Pine Good Roads meet this Saturday are F. N. Wallace, J. N. B. Gerking, M. S. Bullard, W. D. Barnes, J. B. Wimer, O. Laurgaard, R. H. Bayley, S. R. Brown.

A. F. Ramsay Dead.

A. F. Ramsay died at The Dalles Hospital Sunday, August 3, death being the result of a complication of diseases which have developed very rapidly since last March. He had been in poor health for the past two years but did not realize the seriousness of his condition until he consulted Dr. B. Ferrell of Bend last spring, who advised him to give up work and seek a lower altitude. This he did, entering The Dalles Hospital for treatment in the latter part of June and for a

time seemed to improve. But for the past two weeks he failed rapidly.

Mr. Ramsay was well known in and about Laidlaw as he was cashier of the Laidlaw Banking & Trust Co. for the past five years until the bank sold out last December. He was also secretary of the West Side Water Users' Association and of Laidlaw Lodge No. 166, I. O. O. F., and had always been prominently identified with any movement which tended to improve the business or social conditions of Laidlaw or vicinity.

Aside from a host of friends, Mr. Ramsay leaves a wife and six children. Mrs. Ramsay is at present visiting her mother in California. A sister in Nebraska also survives.

Owing to conditions being unfavorable for moving the body at this time, arrangements were made by the Odd Fellows lodge here for interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at The Dalles.

Laidlaw and Vicinity.

James Tetherow of Tetherow Bridge and sister, Mrs. Mack Johnson of Portland, visited "Uncle" Frank Nichols on Sunday last. Mr. Tetherow came to Crooked river 40 years ago last June, settling at that time near the Frank Forest place. He has lived in the county continuously since that time and says the improvement made by the west side during the past eight years is far more than in the previous 32 years.

Grover Gerking has been cutting his second crop of alfalfa and intends to get another crop if the favorable growing conditions continue during the next 30 days. Becker and Payne will also cut three crops this season, as well as others probably.

Guy Lafollette of the Lafollette Nursery Co. was soliciting orders for nursery stock for fall delivery, last week, and met with good success as the fruit crop on the small orchards on the project during the past two years has proved that fruit can be grown from a commercial standpoint, and many farmers are contemplating setting orchards of several acres.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Crook, N. P. Weider, plaintiff, vs. D. E. Hunter, W. H. Costner and The Bend Company, a corporation, defendants.

Whereas, an execution and order of sale was issued in the above entitled cause on the 25th day of July, 1913, upon a judgment in favor of the plaintiff and against the above named defendants, D. E. Hunter and

The Bend Company, for \$99.33, with interest on \$66.83 at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 5th day of August, 1912, which judgment was docketed in the office of the clerk of this court on the 11th day of July, 1913, and whereas it was further ordered that the dwelling house located upon lot (6) of Block 29 of Center Addition to the town of Bend, Crook County, Oregon, be sold by the sheriff of said county as under execution and the proceeds of said sale, after paying the costs, disbursements, attorney's fees and expenses, be applied upon said judgment and the surplus if any be applied as provided by law.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I have levied upon the property above described and that I will on Monday, the First Day of September, 1913, at three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house in Prineville, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said D. E. Hunter and The Bend Company in and to the above described property, from and since August 5th, 1912, to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs, subject to redemption as provided by law. Dated this 30th day of July, 1913. FRANK ELKINS, 24 Sheriff of Crook County, Oregon.

SUMMONS.

In the Justice's Court for Deschutes District, Crook County, State of Oregon.

H. G. Farris, plaintiff, vs. J. E. Sawhill, defendant.

To J. E. Sawhill, Defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear before me at my office and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before September 4, 1913; and if you fail to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$37.15, together with interest thereon at 6 per cent per annum from June 15, 1912, and the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Hon. W. W. Orett, Justice of the above entitled court, made and entered on July 22, 1913, directing that same be published for six consecutive weeks, prior to September 4, 1913, in The Bend Bulletin, first publication to be July 23, 1913. ROSS FARNHAM, 20-25 Attorney for Plaintiff.

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