

THE DESCHUTES RANGER

FOR MAY

The Deschutes Ranger is somewhat late in coming out for the month of May, the issue having been made last week.

For a frontispiece The Ranger carries a photograph of timber burned in last summer's Fort Rock fire "for the benefit of all those who have the problem of fire protection as their chief occupation." According to The Ranger, "the picture shows also that the timber is not rejuvenating. It is sometimes contended that Yellow Pine, if not too severely burned, will throw out a new mast of needles the first or second years following the fire. Experience in this particular burn would indicate that trees once stripped of their green foliage do not recover. The picture shows also that the ground was evidently covered by a dense mat of debris and a thick stand of dead grass and brush. Such conditions make a severe fire when once under way. The greatest possible protection we can ever hope to gain for the large tract of excellent Yellow Pine timber in the Fort Rock country is to secure through proper range development the beneficial effects of heavy grazing."

Other extracts follow:

On April 15, Supervisor Hastings, Deputy Supervisor Harpham and Ranger Vincent met with the stockmen of the Sisters and Metolius Grazing Districts, at Sisters, and helped to organize the association of these ranges into what promises to be one of the wide awake associations of this part of the state. About thirty stockmen were present and considerable interest was shown in the work to be undertaken. Among the things which will be handled by the association for the present grazing season is the collective purchase of salt and distribution of it by the designated members. It was also agreed that a reward of \$250.00 would be paid by the association for information leading to the conviction of any person on a charge of cattle stealing from any one of the association members.

Mr. Harpham spent the greater part of the month of May assisting

Ranger Mahn with road and telephone maintenance work. During the first half of the month the road from near Masten's sawmill across the mountains to Davis Lake was cleared of logs and brush, also the road along the east side of the lava between Lava Lake and the Wickup Ranger Station was improved and changed so that it is possible to use it as an emergency road for fire suppression.

With the exception of the roads and trails still under snow all the roads are passable to automobiles and are in shape for the fire season. Approximately 356 miles of roads have been repaired and 135 miles of telephone line put in shape.

The Land Classification work of the Deschutes Forest is rapidly nearing completion. The fragmental areas which were left after the task of extensive work is now being covered by Assistant Ranger Joe A. Brinkley. Mr. Brinkley will be assisted by District Rangers in whose district the small areas lie and it is expected that the entire work will be completed as far as detailed examination on the ground is concerned by July 1st. It is expected also that the intensive reports now in preparation by Mr. Sprout will have gone to the District office for review and criticism by July 1st.

The request has reached the Supervisor's office for an expression from the Forest Service relative to the value of Lodgepole Pine for railroad cross ties. It is believed that should the Strahorn railroads, which are planned to extend south and east from Bend, ultimately be built that a considerable portion of the cross-ties used will be hewed from Lodgepole Pine.

Following are the grazing permittees who will run stock on the Deschutes Forest this season. The individual permittees are arranged alphabetically and by class of stock as well as by range.

Permittees on Tumalo C. & H. Range

Name and address Cattle

Couch G. N., Tumalo 21

Couch, J. L., Tumalo 35

Dencer, P. H., Bend 15
Elkins, C. M., Prineville 25
Gillett, E. W., Tumalo 22
Horner, G. W., Tumalo 15
Hoskins, C. F., Lower Bridge 27
Johnson, Hans A., Tumalo 14
Livesley, Carl B., Deschutes 13
McGuire, Harry, Tumalo 15
Merchant, T. C., Bend 29
Mock, Chas. J., Tumalo 5
Moore, Geo. L., Bend 17
Neff, Almus, Bend 12
Park, J. T., Cline Falls, Oregon 13
Pneet, R. A., Bend 5
Ramey, A. J., Bend 2
Sandel, W. E., Tumalo 17
Scoggin, H. A., Tumalo 50
Slack, G. H., Bend 4
Sotting, H. J., Bend 28
Trent, S. P., Tumalo 25
Walker, A. O., Alfalfa 25
Wilson, Fred B., Tumalo 10

Permittees on Crane Prairie and Upper Deschutes.

Elder, John, Alfalfa 80
Davenport-Stanley Ranch, Bend 265
Mayfield, M. S., Prineville 400
McCain, J. S. & W. H., Culver 50
McCain, N. F., Prineville 50
Pilot Butte Ranch Co., Bend 230
Stearns, S. S., Prineville 350
Vandever, T. W., Bend 60

Permittees on Fort Rock and Pine Mountain Range.

Evans, C. L., Bend 17
Heitt, Thos., Fort Rock 10
McCall, Henry, Prineville 18
Millican, Geo., Millican 160
Morrison, Harry, Millican, on & off 23
Potter, John S., Fremont 17
Raber, Matt, Fort Rock 23
Raber, Peter, Fort Rock 23

Horses.

Millican, Geo., Millican 50
Morrison, Harry, Millican 86
Potter, John S., Fremont 2

Sheep Permittees.

England, Dan, estate, Silver Lk 1200
Angland, Mike, Silver Lake 1200
Harvey and Abern, Silver Lake 1400
Brogan, John T., Antelope 2000
Conally, T. A., Maupin 1000
Dealy, C. H. & Son, Alfalfa 1850
Fisher, J. W., Shaniko 4200
Graham, E. B., Grandview 1250
Hinton, J. E., Shaniko 5400
Jamison, W. J., Prineville 1150
Jones, L. L., Mitchell 1200
McLennan, Ewen, Shaniko 6000
Osborne, Marion, Mitchell 1200
Patjens, Henry, Shaniko 2800
Riley, Patrick, Antelope 1250
Wilson, W. M., Redmond 1200

Permittees on the Metolius C. and H. Range.

Name and address Cattle
Bettis, J. C., Gateway 50
Black Butte, L. & L. S. Co., Lower Bridge 700
Chapman, F. V., Lower Bridge 14
Fullerton, W. S., Sisters 32
Glover & Sellman, Grandview 35
Helsing, Dan, Sisters 22
Hinrichs, W. J., Geneva 16
Howard, Joe, Jr., Lower Bridge 25
Jordan, Robt. E., Geneva 35
McNary, Wm., Grandview 40
Montiel, John T., Geneva 10
Webber, Albert, Grandview 15

Permittees on Sisters C. & H. Range.

Atkinson, Evison, Redmond 12
Black Buttes L. & L. S. Co., Lower Bridge 40
Chapman, W. B., Redmond 3
Clark, W. D., Tumalo 15
Cobb, W. M., Sisters 30
Combs, Wm., Sisters 7
Dennis, John W., Sisters 30
Lonovan & Whitaker, Bend 6
Eby, E. N., Redmond 10
Edgington, E. H., Sisters 10
Elkins, C. M., Prineville 10
Harris, E. W., Sisters 50
Harris, Harvey J., Redmond 125
Hartley, H. T., Tumalo 50
Helmholtz, H. A., Cline Falls 10
Johnson, Clyde, Sisters 6
Knickerbocker, M. W., Glat 22
Krug, Robert H., Sisters 12
Landis, M. E., Redmond 6
Lawson, Wm. R., Redmond 8
McElfresh, J. J., Redmond 6
McKinney, J. O., Sisters 50
McLallin, C. R., Redmond 20
Parsons Bros., Tumalo 20
Templeton, Arthur, Sisters 20
Skolton, R. J., Sisters 5
Tone, B. L., Sisters 40
Van Matre, W. W., Sisters 15
Walse, Fred, Sisters 75
White, C. P., Glat 45
Woodworth, R. D., Cline Falls 41
Woods, C. S., Sisters 75
Wright, J. W. & J. L., Cline Falls 80
Wyman & Knapp, Sisters 25

STRAHORN ENGINEERS EXPECT TO CELEBRATE IN BURNS

Now Are Nearing Gap Ranch and Hope to Be At Burns on July 4—Prospects Bright.

(Harney County News.)

The Strahorn railroad engineers working east from Bend are now within five miles of the Gap Ranch beyond Silver Creek and have sent word to the people of Burns that they expect to be here to celebrate with them on the 4th of July.

Should this be accomplished and they find a feasible route over Sage Hen and there is an indication of immediate activities toward the construction of the line from the west

to Burns it will certainly be an incentive to celebrate and this party of engineers will meet with a hearty reception.

It is rumored that Mr. Strahorn expects to visit us in the near future but we are unable to get this story confirmed by any one of authority. However, should he come and have anything more encouraging to offer he will find Burns ready to meet any reasonable demand provided there is no delay in bringing his road into this city. The writer finds that Mr. Ross of Chicago is still on the job to build us a line from Crane Creek Gap to Burns if the people of this city show a disposition to meet his demands. The matter is being considered by business interests.

Railroad prospects continue bright as the items enumerated above indicate and we are still hopeful of accomplishing something definite in the way of a road to Burns this season.

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