

TAKILMA NEWS

Jim Allen is in Klamath Falls, for the potato harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Owens are now living in Takilma.

Mrs. Eva Harris and daughter, Ruby of Marion, Indiana, were guests of C. H. Elliott the past week.

W. E. McElwee, mining in the Siskiyou, saw a big black bear drinking out of the spring near his camp the other day, and him without his gun.

Plans for the winter mining season are getting under way around Takilma. Chas. Johnson and Ed Baisey are planning to mine in Allen's gulch. Homer White will mine at the Esterly again this season.

Been reading your editorials about having "more goats in the valley." Why not "more Goats in the hills," as well. Our hills are plentifully supplied with water and brush. Too plentifully as to brush, and would support many hundred goats at practically no cost. Milk on the hoof beats milk in the can for a prospector's flapjacks, any day.

Mr. Harry Messenger returned a few days ago from Portland, where he had been as a delegate to the railroad convention. Mr. Messenger reports things seemed rather slow up north due no doubt to labor troubles, and anyway, every time he comes home to our Illinois valley, from the outside it looks better than any place he has seen, as a grand place to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Curnow, newlyweds, are living in Takilma, with Mr. Curnow's parents for the present.

The Perennial Prospector.

IT'S NEWS THAT MAKES A NEWSPAPER

Because a dog bites a man, is not news, but if the man bites the dog, that's news, according to the old newspaper philosophy. However, in the country field, anything that happens to our folks is news to us and to the entire valley.

Your neighbors and friends do like to know what you are doing and how you are getting along. Any mention of anyone in the valley is eagerly read by all our readers, and we will consider it a very high favor if you will give us any information concerning our residents and what they are doing. We are still young in the field and do not know many of you, and this little help will materially increase the interest of the paper.

Please send us the news of yourself, your neighbors or a friend, and we will gladly print all the news handed to us. Thanks a million for your cooperation.

Largest Gas Tax Paid In Oregon History

The largest single monthly payment for gas tax collections in the states history was received in September, with an oil company check issued in the amount of \$302,000.05. This amount set an all-time record in the office of Earl Snell, secretary of state.

Collections for the month of September for gasoline sold during the preceding month, reached the high mark of \$1,226,552.20, on a total sale of more than 24 million gallons. On a per capita basis, counting every man, woman and child in Oregon, 24 gallons per person was sold during the month. More than seven million dollars were collected during the first eight months of 1937.

NEW MANAGER FOR SMELTER

Messrs Merrill and Roth of the Precious Metals Recovery & Smelting company, have found they need a manager for the smelter. One who can look after the many details that go with the smelting business, and have given the position to C. N. Daggett, a young man who is coming fast in the mining game and understands business management.

Mr. Daggett will be glad to talk to all miners who have smelter concentrates and anyone else who is interested in the mill. His office is in the smelter building in Cave City.

Deer Creek Grange Giving Box Social

Next Saturday evening, Oct. 23 the Deer Creek Grange will give a box social and carnival at their hall. There will be games and dancing for all with plenty of eats for those who get the baskets.

The ladies and girls are to bring lunches and the men and boys are to bring themselves and those they like to dance and play games with.

It is reported that the fair sex on Deer Creek are experts in the culinary art, so the men should not hesitate to bid in the boxes of food. Everyone is invited and the admission is free. The place—the Deer Creek Grange hall.

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students at the office. These tickets are a very good thing, and though they seem expensive, will prove very valuable when a good game comes along. We feel that the entire student body should get his ticket as soon as possible as this is the means of supporting many activities in the school for the benefit and pleasure of the entire school.

There was some talk of awarding a prize to the person or class selling the most tickets, but no definite action has been taken as yet.

The Girl's League met Wednesday afternoon of this week and discussed various business enterprises, after which dainty refreshments were served by the committee in charge. A short program was also given and the girls had a very enjoyable time.

OREGON FRUITS IN INDIANA

Upon learning that Dr. and Mrs. William A. Brown are making their permanent home in Illinois valley, the wife of a Standard Oil official living in Whiting, Indiana, writes appreciatively of Oregon and referring particularly to our fruits says "We have had some of the Oregon fruits this fall. First we bought peaches from the Bear Creek Orchards, then grapes, and in a week or two will come some pears. We had the pears last year, and thought we would try the other fruits too."

"OLD SAN RAFAEL DAYS"

Early California will live again Saturday and Sunday, October 23 and 24 when Marina Parlor, No. 198, Native Daughters stages its annual "Old San Rafael Days" fiesta and pageant.

Arrangements for the colorful fete are well under way and two days and nights of fun, frolic and unique entertainment are promised for those who attend.

Heavy Demand Made For New Blue Book

"Look it up in the Blue Book" Such advice seems to have become the accepted phrase to answer inquiries about Oregon, according to reports received by Earl Snell, secretary of state, following the recent issues of the state directory.

An unprecedented demand for the new issue of the Oregon Blue Book has been noted since publication of the new volume. Increased orders for schools have been received, indicating the growing use of the state directory as a textbook on civics and history.

"In addition to school use, adult education classes conducted over the state have found the Blue Book a fundamental reference for governmental study and many more orders have been sent in for copies for such purposes," Secretary Snell reports.

Distribution to schools, both public and private, is centralized through the offices of the county school superintendents in order to provide a fair and equitable supply for all schools from the limited quantity of directories available.

Public officials have also increased their orders for the new edition, following its issuance a few weeks ago, and library requests are exceeding past years. Free distribution is limited by statute to schools and officials. Copies of the Blue Book for individual use and general distribution are sold for 25 cents each, as provided by law.

Art Drews and Fred Galeno left for Ashland, last Wednesday, and en route Mr. Galeno stopped in Medford, to visit his daughter who is attending school in that city.

Railroad to Crescent

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years and that citizens of his town were strong for the project.

An array of Southern Oregon citizens attended the meeting, among them were: J. R. Harvey, secretary of the Grants Pass Chamber of Commerce; James Slover, present mayor; George Riddle, dairyman; G. A. Peterson, Kerby; James Pinning, lime products producer; Ben Bones, bulb producer; Victor Boehl, irrigation district member; Harry Messenger, Takilma, miner; and John Allen, iron company representative, were introduced as proponents of the railroad.

A large delegation appeared for Crescent City, including Michael Bassendorff, W. A. Childs, Roy Saltmarsh, Thomas Peacock, Kenneth MacKenzie, Richard Hanson and Glenn Ireland.

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