

Newsy Notes from Rogue River Valley Towns

Eagle Point Eaglets

—By—
A. C. Howlett.

P. W. Heley, who bought a part of the old Stow farm of the Lofland brothers and has spent some time this summer in the neighborhood of Gresham, Multnomah county, returned the first of the week to look after his interests here. He expects to bring his family here this fall and make this neighborhood his permanent home.

Tuesday noon there was a company of five, viz: Charles Magley, G. W. Priddy, O. D. Magley, E. Warman and J. B. Smith, drove up in a rig for dinner on their way to Crater Lake. They were aiming to go as far as the Big Butte bridge that afternoon and have a good time fishing in that beautiful stream. They had started with the calculation of seeing and enjoying the route. They obtained special directions from me how to go so as to see all the wonders along the route, and said that they were in no hurry.

D. W. Day of Butte Falls was a pleasant caller Tuesday on his way to Medford. He reports everything quiet in his town.

Professor P. H. Dattoy since his return from Elk creek has been finishing up his well, building a woodshed and in having things fixed up generally and gotten ready to commence school again in September. We are making calculations to have three teachers this fall and winter and will soon have a school that will compare favorably with any school in the county outside of the cities, and they will have to get a move on to keep out of the way, for we are getting some of the progressive element among us.

Miss Rose Ayres, who has been assisting Mrs. Howlett and daughters in the Sunnyside, went home Tuesday to take a vacation for a couple of weeks.

I noticed as I came out from Dudley the first of the week that John Allen was making some improvements in the way of building, and that Mr. Sevilleau, both of Derby, was building a new barn; that Lee Edmonson was making some improvements; that Mr. Castor was putting up a neat wire fence in the place of his old one; that Mr. Baker was clearing off his homestead and all together they along the road are having a general improving spell.

Rev. Frederic of Soms Valley held preaching services here the latter part of last week and on Sunday. He had the honor of holding the first service after the bell was hung in the church belfry.

Mr. Howe moved his family to Medford last Monday, vacating the old Moomar home, and on Thursday Henry Childreth moved into it.

Elmer Spencer came out from his home on Wednesday, met his wife at the Sunnyside and Thursday morning then went to Medford. Mrs. Jesse Spencer, who came out from Dudley last Sunday with me, started home today, Thursday, with John Hignbotham, who came out to take up a load of fruit, etc., for the two above named Spencer families.

C. V. Cooper, a civil engineer in the employ of the Rogue River Electric company, and Mr. Willis stopped here Tuesday night and took the Prospect stage for that section of the country.

F. W. McKnight and Boyd Tucker were pleasant callers last Wednesday. Dr. McKnight has his family camped on Rogue river near Trall and reports having a fine time fishing, hunting, etc., and Mr. Tucker is keeping the Allen hotel at Trall and reports that he is doing a good business.

There were five railroad men came in Wednesday and reported that they have all the grading done this side of Butte Falls and that further work was suspended in that line on the road, but that they were pushing the work right along so far as the laying of ties and steel was concerned.

Mr. Killingham, a traveling salesman for Lang & Co. of Portland, and another gentleman of Medford, whose name I have forgotten, came out in an auto Wednesday and sampled the dinner at the Sunnyside.

K. R. Glenn, wife and little daughter of North Yakima, Wash., who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Barnes of Butte Falls, and had the misfortune to lose their baby while there, came out Wednesday on the stage, took dinner and supper with us and took the train for home. Mr. Glenn is delighted with our country and especially with our climate.

M. C. Briggs of Butte Falls came out Wednesday on the stage and left our house in the afternoon for Medford.

Mr. Cowden of Butte Falls came

out Wednesday for a load of goods for Mr. Hughes.

Dr. W. B. Power of Redlands, Cal., and Samuel C. Hall of Los Angeles were here Wednesday and took the train for Wednesday, where they went to spend a while fishing. They are out to look at the country, see the sights, etc. They had been to Crater Lake and pronounce that one of the grandest sights on the continent.

Mrs. Henderson, who lives on a homestead on the north fork of Reemee creek, spent the night here Wednesday and Thursday morning and went up home with our teams.

Mr. Wheeler of the firm of Wheeler & Caspell of Butte Falls came out from Medford last Monday night and took the stage for home Thursday evening.

Lew and Roy Smith, who live near here went up Little Bueet creek about seven miles to put a roof on a barn for Marshall Garrell and while they had quite an experience with rattlesnakes, as they report that the snakes are exceedingly vicious.

LARGE SUM IS ASKED IN FRISCO LAND SUIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—Rising out of an alleged breach of contract for the purchase of land, a suit praying for \$1,830,411 damages is on file in the county clerk's office today. This is the largest amount that has ever been asked in a civil suit brought in San Francisco. The plaintiff is the South San Francisco Land and Improvement company, and the defendant the Selby Smelting and Lead company.

Haskins for health.

NOTE-BOOKS DEMANDED IN ARMOURED TRIAL

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—United States Judge K. M. Landis has resumed his examination of the attorneys and representatives of the Armour Packing company cited for contempt of court in connection with the packing trust cases.

Attorney Harmon, for the packing company, was directed to produce stenographic notebooks demanded by the prosecution.

The grand jury is comparing the evidence given before the jury, and it is said a number of discrepancies have been found. It is expected that indictments will follow.

Four stenographers were ordered before the grand jury on August 3. On August 5 the jury asked for the notes of correspondence. The jurors were told that the books had been destroyed. It is alleged they were destroyed after the first summons was issued.

CITIZENS GREET FIRST WESTERN PACIFIC TRAIN

KEDDIE, Cal., Aug. 19.—Enthusiastic over the final opening of traffic over the Western Pacific transcontinental railroad, 200 citizens of Quincy, the county seat of Plumas county, yesterday greeted the first eastbound passenger train to pass over the line.

Accompanied by a brass band, the reception committee conducted the railroad officials, newspaper men and their guests, who are traveling over the road for the first time, from Hartwell to Quincy via the Quincy & Western.

The new road opens the fertile agricultural regions of the American Indian and Genesee valleys. A celebration to commemorate the event is being held at Quincy. The party of railroad and newspaper men will re-

main here several hours as the guests of the town.

FOREST FIRES RAGING IN NORTHERN IDAHO

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 19.—Despite reassuring reports given out by officials that forest fires are being brought under control, no such condition obtains in the Clearwater district of northern Idaho, where the flames are gaining headway hourly.

According to advices received here today, a fire 20 miles long and nearly 10 miles wide is sweeping over the district adjacent to the south fork of the Clearwater river. Two hundred men are working to stop the progress of the flames. While a vast amount of timber has been consumed a large part of the burned over area was mostly second growth timber and brush.

The reports that several persons had been burned to death have not been verified. It is not known that any person perished.

POSSES CLOSE IN UPON WASHINGTON DESPERADO

COLFAX, Wash., Aug. 19.—After a week's pursuit by three posses, the alleged murderer of Dell McConnell is in the neighborhood of the Catholic mission of Desmet, 12 miles of Tekon, Wash., today.

He had attempted to disguise himself with a beard of bear hide and a wig of horse hair, according to Charles Elliott, a rancher near Desmet, who was forced to feed the fugitive Tuesday at the point of a revolver. The man, generally described as the "freckle-faced" desperado, appeared suddenly from the underbrush and levelled a gun at Elliott. The later states that the fugitive showed signs of fatigue and that his clothing was torn from climbing through the underbrush. He did not boast to Elliott of the McConnell killing or of the murder of a girl in Oregon, as he had done previously.

FIRE RAGING IN THE DES CHUTES FOREST

PRINEVILLE, Ore., Aug. 18.—Supervisor Ireland, with several assistants, left Prineville today to fight a forest fire which is in the Des Chutes National forest. The fire is not considered dangerous and will soon be gotten under control, it is believed.

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