

# Newsy Notes from Rogue River Valley Towns

## Butte Falls Items

Will Chambers, while hunting, came across a couple of wildcats and succeeded in killing one and mortally wounding the other, which took refuge under rocks.

Ed Watson, wife and another party went to Geppert and Blue Canon on a hunting expedition on Wednesday, and we expect them to return with some fine specimens of the woods.

Shorty Miles changed his mind and has returned to and gone hunting in the Parker and Geppert sections.

Notices for the incorporation of Butte Falls are posted and the election is to be held on October 5. From the reading of the notices it is evident that the county court has been misinformed and that some very important jurisdictional points have been overlooked and from what we gather from the property owners, the vote will be adverse to incorporation.

It is very quiet hereabouts and there is not as much activity as during the winter months, but we expect with the advent of the railroad, which cannot and will not be more than a month, things will materially change and Butte Falls take a jump forward.

John Allen is gathering up his stock cattle, and it is likely that he and Ben Fredenburgh will make a sale of beef cattle and at a good price.

We predict that the results of the primary will be as your cartoon describes of the battle between the knight and the windmill. The people are not going to surrender what hard won triumphs they have gained and the upheaval which has just started will continue to roll onward and, in a measure, clear the political and moral atmosphere.

Carl B. Neal, forest guardman, reports that just before the rain fires broke out at Lodge Pole, which could not have started from sparks, but must have been set. While in the valley Mr. Fredenburgh sold his stock cattle that were ready for market at a good price.

Your strictures about road working are well timed, for there is a

large waste of money on the county roads, and no permanent repairs are made. It is a sort of make-shift, and the sooner we have intelligent, practical road builders working along scientific lines and with an aim to do what is done for the betterment of the roads the more will the people be satisfied, as the taxpayers every year pay money enough to have good roads.

It is a matter of gratulation to the people that your editorials are so much to the point on the various political issues. Every candidate opposing Statement No. 1, the direct primary, etc., should be snowed under and taught that the lesson that the government is not a mere private concern to be managed in the interest of the big business or to promote the system, but it is for general welfare and should be run with an economical purpose and to serve the best ends of all alike.

J. I. Patten is building for himself and family a nice home on the lots lately purchased by him of the company.

Mount Pitt or McCloughlin is taking on its winter sheen, the top and part of the sides having a mantle of the beautiful enshrouding it.

Mr. Barritt of Medford is here visiting his family, Mrs. Barritt being the kindergarten teacher.

Several hunting parties have left here bent on getting deer. Luther Hughes was successful in getting a very fine buck on Monday, and now all the young sports are out for bear and other big game.

We are glad to report that since the operation by Drs. Seely and Holt, Mrs. Salome Matthews has very much improved and is resting easy.

Elmer B. Boardman and family have returned from their valley trip and were trading with our merchants on Thursday. Elmer says that he has killed two deer this season and that they are coming down from the hills.

Martin Spencer of the unsurveyed section was down on Thursday and reports matters as quiet in his neighborhood.

L. P. Castor of Derby has been attending to some legal business in our town.

There seems to have been a material mistake made in the description of the proposed boundaries of Butte Falls, and several days after the posting of the notices a change was made and tacked on to the original notices. This is not all of the mistakes in the notice and from a canvass made for and against it, it appears that against will carry by about 10 votes. The enumeration is

fatally defective, and the missions are contrary to the statutes.

Hon. William Colvig, assembly candidate for state senator, arrived on Thursday's stage and at night addressed the people and aimed to show why he should be nominated and the people's will over-ridden by voting in favor of returning to the old "machine" policy.

D. V. Austin, who has been looking after business matters in the valley, returned on Thursday and spent several days among his many friends in Butte Falls.

## GOOD PROSPECTS VARSITY TEAM

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Sept. 26.—The total registration of students at the University of Oregon numbers 480. This is an increase of about 8 per cent over last year's registration at the close of the second day of college. Comparing these figures with those of last year, an enrollment of approximately 800 can be expected. The number registered in the law and medical departments in Portland will bring the total up between 1200 and 1500.

Football prospects are very bright. Thirty-eight men turned out the second day, and Coach Warner is exceedingly well pleased at the showing made. With Captain Taylor, Main, Michael, Latourette, Walker, Chanaler and Kellogg as a nucleus, and with Hall, Ferguson, Jones, Cobb and Grout in the freshmen squad, the students believe that O. A. C. is assured of another drubbing. Coach Warner is being assisted by Pinkham, the famous all-Northwest tackle, and Gordon Moores.

### Tommy Leach Weds.

LYNN, Mass., Sept. 26.—Tommy Leach, outfielder of the Pittsburg Pirates, surprised his teammates and friends today by announcing his marriage to Miss Marie Traak, a Brooklyn belle, on Tuesday. This is Leach's second matrimonial venture, his first wife having died.

## WESTERN COAL FRAUDS PROBED

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 26.—A wholesale inquiry into alleged land and coal frauds in the states of the northwest and Alaska is believed to have been quietly started before the federal grand jury in session in Spokane, at the instance of the interior department, acting in conjunction with the department of justice. Special government agents have been very active in Spokane in the last few days and masses of documentary evidence have been sent here from Washington. It is believed that the inquiry will cover some 400 entries of coal, mineral, timber and grazing lands and that some very prominent citizens of the Inland Empire will be summoned to explain.

Among men in touch with federal politics it is believed that the investigation is part of a plan for the vindication of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger prior to the report of the congressional committee. Ballinger was in conference with some of the special agents taking part in the present investigation during his recent visit to the northwest.

Similar investigations are planned to be held at other cities in the northwest.

### Kaufman-Kubiak Mill.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 26.—Just how much Baltimore sports think of Al Kaufman is shown by the betting on tonight's meeting between Kauf-

## Central Point Items

Emil Erickson was down from Medford on a business mission Thursday afternoon.

A. W. Moon of the Moon Lumber Co., has purchased two fine lots in the Oak Park addition, adjoining the lumber yard.

The Jones brothers purchased on Thursday four lots from Pattison & Kahler, in Oak Park addition, which property they intend to improve at once.

G. W. Jeffers purchased Friday three fine lots in Oak Park addition, upon which he will erect a fine modern bungalow.

L. M. Crosby of Carson, Nev., is stopping in town for a few days.

Over \$2000 worth of machinery has arrived for the Bear Creek Cement Pipe & Block company, and Secretary Norcross of the concern announces that work has commenced on the bunkers, which are located on his place just above the Bear creek bridge. The company has much more machinery in transit and will

lose no time in installing it as fast as it arrives. Vice-President Collins of the enterprise, returned from a trip to Puget Sound Friday and brought with him samples of cement brick made by the same kind of machine his company is installing, and all who are in a position to know pronounce it one of the finest they have ever seen. The company is also getting material on the ground for their sheds and shipping depot and expect to be at real business in about 30 days.

The Commercial club held a meeting Thursday night and took up the matter of a new depot for Central Point. The railroad company has placed on its budget a certain amount for the construction of the new station and it will likely be done at once.

Central Point real estate men declare that business is 100 per cent better this month than was expected. Hundreds of eastern men are coming in and many are locating permanently.

## CHANLER FLEES; WIFE TO SUE

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Robert W. Chanler is today speeding toward California, it is said, and Fadame Lina Cavalleri is taking steps to collect the fortune which he signed over to her before they were married. Attorneys for the diva are busily planning the suit to force Chanler to live up to his contract, and it is probable that it will be filed within a day or two.

Chanler will try and conceal himself from New York reporters and process servers by aping landscape

man and the giant Al Kubiak. A flood of money has been offered at 3 to 1 with a Kufman the favorite. There are few takers. The bout will be staged by the Armory Athletic club.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF \$50,000 SCHOOL BONDS, DIST. NO. 49, JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON.

Bids will be received up to October 15th, 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, by Jas. M. Cronemiller, treasurer of Jackson county, Oregon, at the office of the county treasurer, in the town of Jacksonville, Oregon, for the purchase of \$50,000.00 (fifty thousand dollars,) coupon bonds of \$1000.00 denomination, to be issued by school district No. 49, of Jackson county, Oregon, payable in twenty years, ten years optional, bearing 5 per cent interest per annum. Interest payable semi-annually. Bids to be accompanied by certified check five per cent of the amount of the bid. The board of directors of said school district No. 49 reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 17th day of September, 1910.

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