

IMMENSE POWER PLANT IN KLAMATH BIGGEST IN WEST

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 11.—State Engineer Lewis has announced that the preliminary surveys have been completed for a large water power project on the Klamath river below Keno which bids fair to rival the famous Keokuk plant on the Mississippi river. The surveys were conducted in co-operation with the federal government. Discussing the project State Engineer Lewis says:

"A canal 10.5 miles in length, terminating about two miles above the California-Oregon boundary line will afford a fall of 780 feet. With limited storage in Upper Klamath lake 3200 second feet of water can be relied upon during the dry season. This will furnish approximately 100,000 gross water horse power. As the prospects appear favorable for constructing a large reservoir near the lower end of the canal, the low water output of this project will compare favorably with the famous Keokuk plant on the Mississippi river. The plant is considered the largest in the world under one roof and has only 20,000 second feet of water at low stage with thirty-nine feet of fall.

"While the canal will involve considerable rock and tunnel work, the preliminary estimate of \$200,000 a mile will only figure \$21 per horse power for the cost of this feature. The water necessary for this project has been withdrawn from entry under the provisions of law, and in conformity with the state's contract with the secretary of the interior. This withdrawal will not conflict with any of those projects now contemplated near Keno, and the water will be returned to the stream about one-fourth of a mile above the intake of the proposed Shasta valley canal.

"A preliminary report has been made with a view to irrigating a tract of twenty-four miles in length by about twelve in width in Shasta valley, California, by the storage of water in Upper Klamath Lake, Oregon. A five-foot dam at the outlet of such lake would double the water surface area, flooding in all about 120,000 acres. This lake is navigable and is therefore under the control of the United States. Water released could not be recovered from the natural stream, however, without a permit from the state engineer. The laws of 1909, imply that the state engineer should refuse such permits where the water is to be used in another state, unless the laws of such state permit diversions for use in Oregon. As California has a law prohibiting such reciprocation in the use of water, some complications may arise.

"The Southern Pacific company is now building a large power plant on the Klamath river just above the line in California, which prevents the Shasta valley people from diverting the regular flow of this stream. The water right situation is thus quite complicated and can only be adjusted by the closest co-operation between the two states and the nation, or under some federal law paramount to the rights of the individual state in case of disagreement.

DEMOCRAT-G. O. P. COMBINE TO BEAT CURRENCY BILL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Strong inclination of certain democrats to join the republicans in an attempt to postpone action on the currency bill is said to have been manifested today at the meeting of the senate steering committee. The conference of the steering committee was called at the request of President Wilson, who insisted that all work be expedited so that the currency bill may be passed at this session of congress.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma, one of the framers of the bill, asserted that a majority of the senate democrats favor immediate action. He expressed the opinion that the bill would be reported favorably within two weeks and passed by November 1.

FOREST SERVICE TO BETTER M'KENZIE RIVER

EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 11.—A \$10,337 appropriation from the government for the McKenzie river highway into eastern Oregon, to follow the \$6500 granted this year, and now being expended to reduce all grades to 10 per cent, was announced yesterday by Clyde R. Seitz, supervisor of the Cascade reserve, after private subscriptions amounting to \$11,000 were raised in Eugene yesterday. It follows the announcement that the construction of this highway is the principal government road project in the northwest. In view of the success of private subscriptions in Eugene yesterday, the McKenzie road project is to be carried before the entire state.

Plans for a mere feasible mountain automobile road over this pass, connecting the Willamette valley with Klamath Falls, eastern and central Oregon, have in three weeks been changed to the construction of a mountain boulevard, along the McKenzie under the Three Sisters, and into central Oregon. Traffic into California may eventually be diverted over this road.

WILL BOOST FOR MEDFORD IN HIS TEXAS HOME

Mr. J. D. Skinner and wife leave for their old home at Rotan, Texas, today. Mr. Skinner is one of Medford's most enthusiastic citizens, has great faith in the future of the city. He takes with him over one hundred pounds of booklets, maps, pictures, advertising the valley besides samples of fruit to show in a dozen or more Texas cities he expects to visit.

TWO BRILLIANT CONTENDERS FOR THE NATIONAL GOLF AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP



Walter Travis

Walter J. Travis, the old national amateur golf champion, who lost his title to Jerome D. Travers, is an important contender in the national tournament at Garden City, La. In the first round he showed he had a chance to win back his title.

Francis Quimet of Massachusetts, a young player, showed form in the first two days. In fact, he was something of a surprise to those who had made predictions on the result.

JAPS LAND MARINES AT NANKIN, CHINA

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Dispatches from Shanghai today say that a Japanese force of 200 marines with several quick-firers was landed today at Nankin, China, by three Japanese cruisers and a gunboat which have arrived there. The marines are quartered at the Japanese consulate.

The Japanese action in landing marines follows closely upon several assaults by Chinese upon Japanese in Nankin, and the recent tramping of the Japanese flag. Several Japanese also have been killed in Nankin riots. That city is greatly disturbed by revolutionary activities, and public indignation is intense against the Japanese, who are credited with fomenting disorder.

GOMPERS ADMITS LABOR TRIED TO LOBBY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, appeared late yesterday before the house lobby investigating committee, beginning its inquiry into organized labor's efforts to influence congressional legislation. Gompers gave the committee a detailed statement of the aims and purposes of the American Federation of Labor, frankly told of its efforts through the legislative committee to influence congress toward the enactment of legislation favorable to the workers.

He declared the opposition of the National Association of Manufacturers always had been encountered. "The only evidence I and my colleagues ever had as to the existence of the National Association of Manufacturers was the vindictive antagonism to everything we advocated no matter how humane," said Gompers.

KLAMATH SPUDS SELL FOR \$1.50

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Sept. 11.—The potato growers of this section expect to get a fair price for their crop this year. Already the Japanese colony in one shipment sold 10,000 sacks at \$1.50 a sack delivered in this city. It is estimated that the farmers will have at least 10,000 sacks for export this year.

The grain crop is the largest ever harvested in Klamath county. The year has been an ideal one for farmers. The large crops with the prospect of a good market and the fact that those under the irrigation project are sure to get relief from the heavy payments will bring about a much better condition among the farmers. There is much more stock in the country than last year and the indications are that the local demand for hay will be good, while there is a strong market outside, and the railway company has made concessions in freight rates. More stock will be shipped in and driven here to be fed through the winter. Recently one shipment of 1100 yearlings was received from Arizona.

GOOD VAUDEVILLE AT PAGE THEATRE THIS WEEK

A large crowd witnessed both performances at the Page theatre last night and judging from the applause, it was a show that was well enjoyed. Jack Verka, a character singer leads an exceptionally fine bill. The Reilly Sisters sing and dance well, and Verka and Dorothy entertain with some of the latest songs. Delmore and Light of the Orpheum circuit have without a doubt one of the finest acts of its kind every witnessed in this city, entertaining with piano and songs. The Rondas trio are cyclers of great ability. The headline act of the week is Clark and McLaughlin in "Much Ado About Nothing." It is an act brimful of laughter and there is not a dull moment while they occupy the stage for it is a sure prescription to drive away the blues. There will be two performances this evening, the first at 7.30, and the second at 9.15.

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Here are two letters that just came to the writer's desk—only two of thousands, but both tell a comforting story to every suffering woman who will read them—and be guided by them.

FROM MRS. D. H. BROWN,

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken 12 bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others." Mrs. D. H. Brown, 309 North Walnut Street, Iola, Kan.

MRS. WILLIAMS SAYS:

Eikhart, Ind.—"I suffered for 11 years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sautive Wash. I have now used the Sautive Wash for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me." Mrs. Sautive Williams, 455 James Street, Eikhart, Indiana.



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