

### PERMITS ISSUED FOR IRRIGATION OF 5259 ACRES

State Engineer John H. Lewis issued 110 permits to appropriate water and ten permits to construct reservoirs during the quarter ending September 30, 1917. These permits cover the irrigation of 5259 acres, the development of 5116 horsepower, the construction of 102 miles of ditches, and an estimated cost of construction totalling \$155,475.

During this period twenty-seven permits were issued in the Rogue river drainage area, as follows:

To C. & O. Lumber company of Brookings, to construct a reservoir on Ferry creek.

Roy Nichols of Central Point, to irrigate 28 acres from Bear creek.

George N. Davis of Central Point, to irrigate 26 acres from Bear creek.

DeWitt Van Ostrand of Phillips, Wis., to irrigate 5 acres and develop 5 horsepower from Waldo creek.

Clay Ramsey and Charlotte Johnson of Takilma, to irrigate 3 acres from Waldo creek.

George W. McDougall of Kerby, to irrigate 10 acres from Gravelly Slough.

W. J. Howard of Grants Pass, to develop 20 horsepower from Savage creek.

G. E. Hollenbeck of Prospect, to irrigate 40 acres from Bear creek.

John Isell of Butte Falls, to irrigate 10 acres from a spring.

George H. Peass of Placer, to irrigate 15 acres from Grave creek.

Mary Carlotta of Grants Pass, to irrigate 11 acres from Soldier creek.

J. N. Hoekersmith and Alice Cottrell of Beagle, to irrigate 40 acres from east fork of Evans creek.

Mrs. Fannie E. Carlos of Ashland, to irrigate 1 acre and domestic use.

R. M. Congle of Williams, to irrigate 10 acres from Powell creek.

J. M. Madden of Grants Pass, to irrigate 35 acres from Rogue river.

James R. McCracken of Talent, to irrigate 40 acres from Myers creek.

A. Grissom of Climax, domestic supply from a small spring.

Rogue River Public Service Corporation of Grants Pass, to develop 5062 horsepower from Rogue river.

DeWitt Van Ostrand of Phillips, Wis., to develop 7 horsepower and domestic supply from west fork of Waldo creek.

Henry G. A. Steger of Merlin, to irrigate 40 acres from Jump-Off side creek.

F. H. Osgood of Seattle, mining and domestic use from east fork of Illinois river.

F. H. Haslay of Grants Pass, to irrigate 3 acres from Bushy Hill.

A. H. Schmidt of Grants Pass, to irrigate 20 acres from Shorthorn creek.

Carrie P. Anderson of Selma, to irrigate 70 acres from unnamed stream.

William Lichtenberger of Wolf creek, to irrigate 10 acres from Wolf creek.

T. J. Wilkinson of Williams, to irrigate 5 acres from springs.

### FIRE FIGHTERS RUSHED TO ELK CREEK FIRE ZONE

No word was received at the local forestry office today as to the status of the big forest fires raging at Elk creek on the Umpqua divide, but in the absence of information it was thought that the fires were still uncontrolled.

Arrangements were made to rush more firefighters to the scene to aid the already large force fighting the fires there under the supervision of Forest Supervisor Erickson.

W. B. Osborn, deputy United States forester in charge of fire fighting, arrived in the city this forenoon with 30 men fire fighters from Portland, who were rushed in autos, together with equipment and supplies, to the Elk creek fires. Mr. Osborn accompanied them and will aid Supervisor Erickson in directing the fire fighting.

This morning J. T. Payne, who hires fire fighters locally for the forestry department, took eight more men and lots of supplies to Superior Erickson.

No word was received at the local forestry offices today as to the status of the many forest fires burning in the county outside of the forest reserve.

### IDEAL WEATHER AT CRATER LAKE

Judge Glenn O. Taylor and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Taylor of Rogue River, returned Tuesday afternoon from a several days' trip to Crater Lake. "The weather, air and scenery at the lake were ideal," said Judge Taylor today. "In fact we had shirt sleeve weather all the time we were there. Why, it was so balmy up around the

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lake that last night and night before there was not even a frost at Anna Springs camp, where we stayed. We drove around the rim road at the lake and without any doubt it is the most

magnificent scenic drive I have ever seen. I have visited Crater Lake a number of times, but from my experience on this last trip I can truly recommend this time of the year as the

best to see that great wonder. We were the only visitors there, and the only other people in that vicinity were a small group of laborers working on the trail.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 10.—In addressing the reichstag, Foreign Secretary Von Kuehlmann said, according to a Berlin dispatch, that as far as he was able to view the world sit-

uation, there was no impediment to peace, no question which could not be solved by negotiations except for the French demand for Alsace-Lorraine.

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Striped and Figured Jap Crepe at <b>19c</b>	50c and 60c Union Suits, <b>39c</b>	\$2.50 grade Gaberdine and Empress Cloth, <b>\$1.69</b>	Men's Triangle Linen Collars <b>12c</b>	Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts <b>69c</b>
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MEDFORD, OREGON, OCTOBER 8th, 1917

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts..... \$ 389,235.96	Capital Stock..... \$ 100,000.00
United States Bonds..... 183,049.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits..... 20,348.83
Bonds, State and Municipal, etc..... 92,504.94	Circulation..... 99,997.50
Banking House and Real Estate..... 138,038.89	<b>DEPOSITS..... 781,861.54</b>
<b>CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS..... 199,379.08</b>	
<b>\$1,002,207.87</b>	<b>\$1,002,207.87</b>

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