

NO SIGNIFICANCE IN SURVEY WORK SAYS MANAGER

A surveying crew, employed by the Owen Oregon Lumber company of this city, under the direction of General Manager James J. Owen, have been working the territory lying between Butte Falls and Klamath Falls.

They are making a map of the section, also a map of what the engineer considers the most feasible route for a railroad. Members of the surveying party submitted the map to General Manager Owen yesterday.

Asked for the name of the engineer in charge, Manager Owen said: "His name is Bill Smith, and he wears a red hat."

He further stated that there was no significance attached to the survey and that its purpose was to secure data on the general lay of the land, in case we want to get the timber to market.

The Owen-Oregon company for two years has been studying the development of the Klamath county interests, have built logging railroad to Spencer creek for a distance of about 25 miles. This affords a possible rail entrance into the Dead Indian country of Jackson county, where there are several large stands of timber.

Manager Owen said this morning that the engineering crew had been ordered to Butte Falls, to make a survey to improve the grade of the Medford Logging railroad, a subsidiary of the Owen-Oregon company, and standard gauge railroad.

Manager Owen said that the operations of his company were in no wise connected with any other concern, and cautioned the public against placing credence in rumors of railroad development in southern Oregon.

Table Rock, Condol. No. 15, R. & S. M., 7:30 p. m., October 9th. Work in R. & S. M. degrees. Dinner at 6:30. Official visit of the Illustration Grand Master of Oregon. P. E. NICHOLS, Recorder.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank our relatives and friends for their kind and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our son.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Stearns and Family.

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Golden West Coffee

DOUBLE-DECK BUS NITE COACH HERE EN ROUTE SEATTLE

The "Nite-Coach," a new creation of the Wickwick stage system, representing the latest and most spectacular development in motor stage transportation, arrived in Medford today at noon for a stop or two hours while en route from Los Angeles to Seattle on a Pacific coast tour which will end October 18.

The coach was on exhibition in front of the Hotel Jackson and was inspected by several hundred local citizens.

When a display here the public was at liberty to go through the bus and inspect its unique features. When exhibited at the Pacific Southwest Exposition in Long Beach, according to a report, 64,000 people passed through the Nite-Coach. Several times that number viewed the car from the outside.

The car is a radical departure from any previously built. It has sleeping accommodations for 26 passengers in 12 well-ventilated compartments arranged in upper and lower decks. Each compartment has a basin with running water, five electric lights, a thermos jug with ice water, a mirror, and two large drawers for clothing and personal effects.

After visiting a number of scenic cities the coach will return to Los Angeles, where a fleet of the sleeping cars are now under construction. The first regular schedule of the Nite-Coach will be operated between cities on the Pacific coast.

The following were members of the party aboard the car today: M. S. Wren, superintendent of car; S. R. Spencer, pilot; Dan Callahan, lead steward; Truman Reese, 2nd steward; Earl Fields, porter; Josephine Davis, folder clerk; Mrs. S. D. Spencer, folder clerk.

Upon its return to southern California, the car will make a tour of three months of the eastern states. The fares to be charged on the coast will be higher than the regular stage fare but lower than day coach rates on the railroad.

JOHN BUNYAN, AUTHOR OF PILGRIM'S PROGRESS HONORED BY CHURCH

The three hundredth anniversary of the birth of John Bunyan, author of "Pilgrim's Progress," is being celebrated this month at the Baptist church by a review of that popular book, which ranks next to the Bible in its influence on religious thought.

Pictures are shown upon the screen as the story progresses. Sunday night a large audience enjoyed the first installment which was presented as a prelude to the life of Bunyan. Pastor Eaton announced that the review of the book itself will begin next Sunday night.

MICKEY, FOX TERRIER HIT AND RUN VICTIM

"Mickey," the pet fox terrier belonging to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniels and loved by all the courthouse employees, was run over and killed by a woman autoist, in front of the courthouse janitor's home on North Central, this morning. According to witnesses, the driver failed to stop after the accident.

The nine-month-old fox terrier, which was raised from puppyhood by Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, was always kept well guarded. This morning, however, he ran out onto the street for a little frolic with other neighborhood puppies, only to meet an almost instant death. Another pet dog was struck and injured by the collision. The case will be placed in the hands of the Humane society, according to Mr. Daniels.

SWEET PEAS PLANT THE SEED NOW

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JIM SINCLAIR DENIES SELLING CHILOQUIN RUM

Jeff Brophy, police judge of Chiloquin and former resident of the Rogue River valley, testified at the trial of the alleged Chiloquin rum gang today, that a gallon and a quart bottle of moonshine had been brought to him by Jim Sinclair, one of the defendants, for safekeeping. Sinclair claimed that the moonshine had been given to him by Ralph Kelly, a special dry agent, now deputy sheriff of Washington county. Memorandum received for the liquor were also presented as evidence.

They were displayed as evidence, but the moonshine was admitted as evidence. Jeff Brophy underwent a rigid cross-examination at the hands of District Attorney George Neuner. Defendants Lorry and Bailey were called to the stand this afternoon and also entered denials to the charges of the government.

Jim Sinclair, alleged by the government at the trial of Ben Mitchell and six co-defendants, to have been the chief wholesaler of the Chiloquin rum gang, occupied the witness chair in the federal court this morning, as the first defense witness. Sinclair and Mitchell and five associates are charged in an indictment with 21 counts of sale and possession of liquor, conspiracy, and maintaining nuisances under the provision of the national prohibition act.

Sinclair emphatically denied any connection with the purported rum, but admitted an acquaintance with bootleggers and special agents and told of the activities of the first named, that included "a load of gin to Bend," and being present during the transaction that involved the sale of moonshine to "Jacques' Place" in Dorris, Calif.

The witness and defendant also admitted a trip to Dorris, Calif., on which the government charges he purchased 25 gallons of moonshine from the Chiloquin trade, but declared "I wasn't partying around." Visits to a string of road houses the gang is alleged to have maintained in the vicinity of Chiloquin, were also admitted, along with the purchase of two cases of beer for the entertainment of the three dry agents, who represented themselves as "liquor men from California."

Under cross-examination by District Attorney George Neuner, Sinclair was warned of the penalties of perjury. In the trial of Jack Martin of Fort Klamath, Sinclair testified to eating "ham and eggs" with Special Agents Ralph Kelly and Roland Godfrey. Sinclair's memory on the incident was hazy today, and neither questioning by the district attorney or the court, could elicit a direct answer from him.

All of the seven defendants are scheduled to take the stand in their own behalf, and the trial is expected to last well into tomorrow.

Sentencing of Jack Martin of Fort Klamath, and Gus Hirschberger and Cal Callender, found guilty by juries of prohibition law violations, was delayed for this morning, was deferred by the court until a later date.

PUNCTURE PLANT SPECIMEN SHOWN BY COUNTY AGENT

A plant which is capable of such things as puncturing automobile tires and cows' stomachs has been located near Ashland by Robert Fowler, county agricultural agent, and a small specimen is on exhibition at the chamber of commerce.

The obnoxious weed known as the puncture plant and very few have been found in southern Oregon although the plants are plentiful in some sections of California. A war is on to rid the state of the pest.

Because of the sticking quality of the burrs they may be easily picked up by cars and thus transported many miles from where they grow. Local tourists are requested to watch for the weed and to destroy any that they may find. Although the plant shows at the chamber of commerce is small, some of them grow to be very large, the burrs being proportionately strong and dangerous.

Obituary PICKENS—Lawrence Finley Pickens was born March 29, 1885 at Table Rock and passed away at Condon, Ore., October 9th at the age of 42 years. His home was made in Medford until 1914 when he entered O. A. C. at Chiloquin, Ore., after graduating from college in 1918 he went to Portland and entered the dental college, and graduated from the college in Portland and enjoyed a profitable practice. He leaves three sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. A. H. Walker of Portland, Helen Harrington of California and Mrs. F. W. Weeks of Medford, Wm. H. Pickens of Montague, Cal., and John M. Pickens of California. Funeral services will be held in Condon October 9, with interment in the Condon cemetery.

SCOTTSBURG—Work on bridge over Umpqua River makes steady progress.

BERESFORD—Roosevelt highway through city completed and opened to traffic.

GRAND MASTER OF OREGON MASONS COMING MEDFORD

Extensive preparations are being made by members of the Medford Masonic lodge for the entertainment of Rex Davis, most worshipful grand master for Oregon and other members of the grand lodge who will visit Medford Saturday. A big Masonic get-together is being planned and Medford lodge 192 A. P. and A. M. will not only be hosts to the members of the grand lodge, but also will entertain the entire drill team of Washington lodge of Portland.

A sweeping invitation to all Masons to attend Saturday's meeting has been extended by C. C. Furnas, worshipful master of the local lodge and visitors will come to this city from all parts of southern Oregon and from various northern cities. According to word from Portland, over a hundred Masons will come from that city to enjoy the big southern Oregon gathering. The preparations for the meeting will be handled by the officers of lodge 192.

The program for Saturday evening calls for a banquet at 6:00 o'clock, served in the dining room on the second floor of the Masonic hall, by Eastern Star members. Following the dinner the visitors and local members will witness the conferring of the Master Mason degree upon candidates by the degree team of Washington lodge of Portland. The Portlanders will bring their entire paraphernalia and their part of the evening's program will be exceptionally interesting and impressive. There will also be an address by Mr. Davis and other visiting officials of the state Masonic organization.

The following program will be given at the reception to the junior high school faculty by the P. E. A. tomorrow evening, Wednesday, October 10, in the school building. Preceding the program, teachers will receive their friends from 7:30 to 8.

Vocal solo—Miss Melba Williams. Address—Irving E. Vining, "Important Periods in Life's Development." Whistling solo—Miss Dorothy Reynolds. Introduction of teachers. Social hour in the upper hall. The ladies in cordially invited, especially the teachers and parents of the city.

BAKER'S DOZEN PREMIER TONIGHT

"A Baker's Dozen," latest radio drama by Helen Norris will have its premiere hearing over KMED, the Mail Tribune-Virgin station, thru the courtesy of the California Oregon Power company, from 9 to 10 o'clock tonight. This playlet will be especially interesting to local radio fans, who have a weak need for "first nights" in radio-land.

The cast for "A Baker's Dozen" will find some of the old "Madame Q" group of stars back at the helm, including Earl Davis, Harold Forbes, Jo Murray, Rostel and Mary Givner, Fletcher Fish and Miss Melba Williams, talented members of other local musical and dramatic productions will also be heard in the latest Norris play.

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AIRPLANE 'HOP' INSPIRES LADY TRIBUNE SCRIBE

The biggest thrill about going in an airplane is the sensation of feeling like an angel when you know you're not. The second pleasurable sensation is not caring two cents whether it's Al Smith or Hoover in the next election. Which goes to prove that the nearer you are to heaven, the farther away you are from politics.

And the less plane, the better, on a jump up into the clouds—at least so far as thrills are concerned. We were lucky this morning in getting to flap our wings in the tiny Faeor (the firm of its kind manufactured as far, piloted by C. "Shorty" Rittner of the Syracuse airport, New York, who did something or other in the recent air races from the east to Los Angeles).

Shorty was kind enough to treat us to a few loop the loops and things so that when we were looking up we were looking down and vice versa. It was great stuff seeing the "skyline" of Medford and the Hillcrest orchard in Heaven, all in one quick turnover.

And about that time we were dizzy enough to come down to earth.

JOURNAL WRITER VIEWS COUNTY-CITY POLITICS

Ralph Watson, political writer of the Portland Journal, spent yesterday in the city looking over the political situation in this city and Jackson county from a national and local viewpoint. He will spend today in Grants Pass along up the Josephine county situation.

Watson, who has toured most of the state, claims that the Oregon situation is so badly mixed that it is impossible to make any sane prediction. He claims that there have been wholesale desertions from both parties, further complicating the situation.

EASTERN FLIERS LEAVING TODAY; HAD DEER HUNT

A flock of turkeys and a silver dollar are two "sights" which W. Parker Runyon, 26, will try to describe to his New York friends, when he returns home this week. Mr. Runyon, who upon the death of his father recently inherited a \$2,000,000 interest in the dry docks at Perth Amboy, New Jersey, has taken up aviation as a hobby, and entered a plane in the national air derby last month.

Others in his party, who took flight in getting to flap our wings in the tiny Faeor (the firm of its kind manufactured as far, piloted by C. "Shorty" Rittner of the Syracuse airport, New York, who did something or other in the recent air races from the east to Los Angeles).

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Two powerful searchlights, each 15 inches in diameter, were received at the local weather bureau headquarters today and will be installed in sub-stations at Wolf Creek and on Sexton mountain this week.

The lights are run by electricity and are for the purpose of determining height of clouds by projecting the light against the clouds and from the point directly below approximating the distance from one to the other.

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