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Lakeview to Silver Lake

Telephone System to be Built—Corporation with \$5,000 Capital Stock to Handle the Enterprise—Prominent Men Interested.

E. Burke, the telegraph operator and telephone and telegraph promoter, visited Paisley last week, and found the people of that section enthusiastic on the subject of building a line from Lakeview to that town. Mr. Burke says that the business men of Paisley will all support such an enterprise liberally. After returning to Lakeview Mr. Burke interviewed some of the prominent stockmen of Lakeview upon the subject, with the result that the matter was immediately taken up here and backed liberally. William Harvey, the Summer Lake and Lakeview capitalist and stockman, has for a long time been interested in a proposition to have quick communication between Lakeview and the north, and that gentleman at once set to work to put the matter in tangible form. The result was that Mr. Harvey, S. B. Chandler, Heryford Bros. and Charles A. Rehart met and agreed to subscribe \$300 each toward the construction of a telephone and telegraph system from Lakeview to Silver Lake. This \$1,200 toward the enterprise from four leading stockmen is an excellent start and insures the success of the system. Articles of incorporation have already been drawn up and signed, and the matter of incorporating will be proceeded with as soon as one-half of the stock is taken. The articles of incorporation, in brief, provides that the duration of the corporation shall be fifty years; the purpose of the corporation is to engage to construct and operate telephone and telegraphic lines from Lakeview to Silver Lake, via Crooked Creek valley, Paisley, along the west side of Summer Lake, as well as branch lines to various other points in the county, to Silver Lake, and to send and receive telephone and telegraphic messages and communications thereon; the principal office or place of business is to be Lakeview; the amount of stock is placed at \$5,000, divided into 500 shares at \$10 per share, and said shares to be unassessable.

As soon as one-half the stock is taken a meeting will be called and directors and other officers of the corporation will be elected. The proposition is to put in a good substantial line, and it is believed that \$5,000 or less will be sufficient. All the farmers and stockmen, between Lakeview and Silver Lake, who live off the main line of this system, are expected to put in their own branch lines to connect with the main line, and all stockholders will have to put in their telephone instruments at their own expense.

In a short time the business men of Lakeview will be called upon to take stock in this enterprise, and it would seem to be to all their interests to support the enterprise enthusiastically, as the men most deeply interested in the matter are big patrons of Lakeview merchants. And so it will be all along the line from Lakeview to Silver Lake—every rancher and stockman on and off the line will be called upon to take a certain amount of stock. It is understood that V. Conn, Dr. Witham, George Conn, Innes Bros., George M. Jones, John Coughlin and other business men and stockmen of Chewaucan will support the enterprise liberally, and that F. M. Chrisman, J. C. Coun, Small Bros. and other business men and stockmen of Silver Lake are enthusiastic on the proposition. The matter will be thoroughly explained to the people of the county who are interested in the system, and The Examiner can safely announce that the success of the enterprise is already assured. This is one of the best and most important enterprises that was ever started in Lake county.

The funeral of Queen Victoria will be held next Saturday.

U. S. Senator.

No Material Change in the Balloting Since Examiner's Last Report.

Latest Special to The Examiner:

SALEM, Jan. 29.—In joint session today results on U. S. Senator were the same as yesterday. There has been no important change since balloting begun last week. Some radical changes are expected yet this week.

State Tax Raised 1 Mill

SALEM, Or., Jan. 30. William Gunther, County Clerk, Lake Co.:

Legislature passed the bill, approved by the Governor, to-day, raising State tax one mill.

Lake county's state tax was .005-7-10. The additional one mill will make Lake county's entire tax this year .026.95.

Mrs. Carlyle.

Unfortunate Woman Committed to the Asylum For the Insane.

Last Sunday Deputy Sheriff Charles E. Campbell of Paisley arrived here, having in charge Mrs. R. J. Carlyle, the unfortunate woman of whom mention was made in The Examiner last week. For a long time she was a county charge, and she and her family have received the best care the authorities of Lake county could give them. About three weeks ago it became noticeable that the poor woman's mind was giving way, and she was taken in charge by some of the good people of Paisley until word could be sent to County Judge Tonningson, who ordered that Sheriff Dunlap request his deputy to bring her to Lakeview. On Monday the woman was examined by County Physician F. E. Smith, who adjudged her non compos. Judge Tonningson at once committed Mrs. Carlyle to the asylum for the insane at Salem, and on Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cheney took charge of the patient, and started with her for the asylum. The unfortunate woman imagines that she is soon to be crowned Queen, and that certain parties are trying to kill her. It is learned that her former husband, a brother and two of her sons are in the asylum, so the poor woman's future looks very dark.

Five children accompanied her to Lakeview. The eldest is a young woman, aged about 18, the second daughter is aged 16, a boy of 13 and two smaller children. The eldest daughter has found a good home with Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey in Lakeview, and the second daughter has been equally fortunate in securing a good home with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Jones. Judge Tonningson has taken a great interest in the case of this unfortunate family, and has done his full duty. He is now awaiting the receipt of a permit from the state authorities to place the remaining three children in the Orphans' Home; in the meantime they are being cared for by Mrs. Ruth Penland.

IS PAT CROWE IN TOWN? AN OPEN

SEASON

Lakeview Sportsmen Ask Amendment to Law.

Reports From All Over Lake County are to the Effect that Mountain Quail are Plentiful and Sportsmen Want to Kill Them.

Some time ago The Examiner had occasion to call to account certain "pot hunters," who were slaughtering quail in the canyons adjacent to Lakeview, and the attention of State Game Warden Quimby was called to the fact that these birds were being killed in great numbers, despite the fact that the state law prohibited the killing or trapping of quail. Word comes from every section of the county that quail are surprisingly numerous now, no doubt owing to the mild winters of the past ten years. Some people are led to believe that these birds have emigrated to the canyons of Lakeview, so numerous have they become in this vicinity. It is thought by some of our sportsmen (not "pot hunters") that it would be well now to have an open season for quail in Lake county, in order to give the true sportsman a fair chance with the man who has no regard for the law, but kills these birds whenever or wherever he finds them. Another good argument in favor of an open season in Lake county is the long-anticipated hard winter in this section, which is apt to come at any time, and should a particularly severe winter befall us, like the season of 1889-90, these birds would all die of starvation. During the mild seasons they propagate very fast. We understand that in Summer Lake, Chewaucan, Crooked Creek, New Pine Creek and Warner sections quail are very numerous. They are the regular mountain quail and are beautiful birds. As they are being killed anyway by non-observers of the law, the game law should be changed so as to make an open season in Lake county, in which these birds may be killed—say from September 1 to December 1.

Several local sportsmen have interested themselves in the matter, and a letter has been addressed to representative R. A. Emmitt, requesting him to have such an amendment made to the game law. The Examiner hopes that our Representative will be able to have the amendment made to the new game law which will be introduced at this session, and that when the law takes effect we will not find anyone in this neighborhood so reckless and contemptible as to pursue and kill these birds wantonly and by the bagful, just to be killing, but that all hunters will observe the rules of the true sportsman, and only kill a reasonable number at one shooting.

BURGLAR GETS \$250.

George P. Clark Secretes His Money While an Alert Burglar Watches Through a Window

Several weeks ago George P. Clark left Lakeview for his cabin on Cottonwood creek, taking with him about \$250, the sum total of his hard-earned savings for the summer and fall. He placed the money in the bottom of a barrel which was filled with old rags, in his cabin, and believing it safe started for the timber after a load of wood. Evidently somebody watched him cache the money, for upon his return the cabin door was found broken in and his money gone. Tracks in the snow at the window was evidence that the robber knew where to place his hands on the money. The facts were in the possession of The Examiner two weeks ago, but were kept secret to give the officers an opportunity to work on the case. They are still on a warm trail and may land the guilty party at any hour.

Paul Kruger, President of the Transvaal Republic, who is on a tour of the European countries in the interest of the Boer war against England, and who expected to visit the United States soon, is dangerously sick at Paris, and will probably die. It would, indeed, be a strange coincidence were Paul Kruger to so soon follow Queen Victoria to the unknown land—each the great central figure of a warring nation.



From rogues' gallery photographs.

PROFILE AND FRONT VIEW OF PATRICK CROWE, THE SUSPECTED CUDAHY KIDNAPER.

Not for many years has a kidnaping case excited such widespread attention as that connected with the abduction, ransom and return of young Edward Cudahy, son of the Omaha millionaire. The search for Patrick Crowe, the alleged kidnaper, has roused the police authorities of almost every city in the country. These two views of the suspected man are from photographs in the rogues' gallery at Omaha.

Wool Market. New Railroad

Sales Light Because Dealers Will Not Make Concessions.

BOSTON, Jan. 23.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow:

It is a pretty monotonous state of affairs which one finds in the Boston wool market at present. Two weeks ago the wool Company opened its lines of overcoatings and took good orders. The other houses followed with their overcoating lines. But the wool dealers are as yet not able to see any amount of new business on this account. Now they are waiting for the improvement of the heavy-weight lines the first part of February. A week ago the London sales opened at an advance. This, too, has not caused any great amount of business to be transacted. A little better tone, perhaps, but trade waits this time to see how prices hold in London. Prices are not at all well and whatever the apathy of the market may be, however small the quantity of sales, the fact remains that the dealers and farmers alike are not letting up one bit in their opinion in the value of their commodity. That is one reason why sales are so light, because the dealers will not make concessions.

The sales of the week in Boston amounted to 1,170,000 pounds domestic and 115,000 pounds foreign, making a total of 1,285,000 pounds, against a total of 1,715,000 pounds for the previous week and a total of 3,120,000 pounds for the corresponding week last year. The sales since January 1 amount to 6,159,000 pounds, against 13,155,600 pounds last year.

West Side Rabbit Drive.

Ira G. Moshier, the West Side farmer, was a "spondulix" caller at The Examiner office this week. Mr. Moshier is making great improvements on his ranch near the Union school-house—laying off his land into agricultural tracts and fencing it substantially. He is one of the men who believes that the West Side has a good future. The rabbit drive near his place last Sunday was a failure, as only forty of the pests were killed. Moshier says the rabbits have taken to the hills in great numbers. The nets will be moved this week from the scene of the recent drives to Drews Creek, where the rabbits are said to be more numerous. Next Sunday there will be another big drive, and it is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to assist. The people of Lakeview are invited to attend in large numbers.

LATER:—Since the above was placed in type we have been informed that the Sunday drive has been postponed.

An Engineering Party Reaches Klamath Falls From the North.

A party of railroad surveyors from the north stopped here a few days during the recent heavy storm, says the Klamath Republican. There were four in the party, which was under charge of Chief Engineer Henderson. By a gentleman who interviewed the party we are informed that they started from Ontario, Ore., some time in the fall for the purpose of making a preliminary railroad survey, gathering data, etc. From Ontario they ran the line westerly to Prineville, and from thence southerly along the east side of the Cascade mountains. The line touched Fort Klamath and Klamath Agency and from there along the east shore of Big Klamath lake to Klamath Falls. From this place they continued southerly to Bald Mountain Pass. From there they returned homeward, but were caught in the storm and remained here a few days as above mentioned. They stated that the route they followed from first to last was excellent and easy to build a road over. Bald Mountain Pass is said to be easy to get through to the west. In connection with this, we will mention that the Oregonian, under the head of "A New Railroad Project," mentioned the proposed extension of the railroad now built from Montague to Yreka in a southerly direction, for the building of which the money is ready. If that report is correct, then an extension from Montague northeasterly would strike Bald Mountain Pass, and the connection of these two roads seems possible, and indeed probable.

Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner.

From the Polk County Observer, published at Dallas, this state, we take the following complimentary notice of Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner:

Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner leaves today for Lakeview, Oregon, where he may decide to locate, as flattering inducements have been offered him to establish himself at that place. He will make no definite arrangements for leaving Dallas, however, until he has thoroughly investigated the situation in Southeastern Oregon. It would be with a feeling of deepest regret that our people would part with Dr. Steiner and his estimable family. During their three years residence in Dallas they have endeared themselves to everyone, and they would be greatly missed in our social circles. The Doctor is a talented physician and a skilled surgeon, and has built up an extensive practice in Polk county, where it is yet hoped that he will decide to remain.