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Can Spend It's Money.

The U. S. Government has bought out the Klamath Canal Co. for \$100,000. What motive justifies the government officials in paying three times as much for this property as it was considered worth by the same government. We do not know. The first estimate of the reclamation officials of the real value of the Klamath Canal Company's property was \$50,000. The company refused the offer, and without increasing the value of their property were offered \$100,000 for it. The company was then justified in its belief that another raise could be had and still held out. The agents stated that \$100,000 was all the property was worth, and finally gave \$100,000. The Klamath Canal Co. on the other hand, first believed their property fully worth \$200,000, and now \$250,000 less. Without the land change in value of the property, it has increased in value in the eyes of the Reclamation officials three fold, while from the owners view it decreased four fold. Fluctuations in property values are possible, and common, but on such a wide range as this would make a Wall Street stock gambler shudder.

The property acquired by purchase now stands the government nearly \$90,000, and the agents admit that none of the property which cost this enormous sum can be used in the construction of the government irrigation works, unless it be the land purchased from the Carr Co.

Herbert V. Croker, son of former Tammany Leader Richard Croker, was found dead in a chair car when the train on which he was riding reached Newton, Kansas. Young Croker was put on the train at Kansas City, Mo., on the evening of May 15. He is a party porter, and seemed to be in a stupor, supposed to be caused by opium. He slept all night, and when the conductor went to arouse him to assist his driver he found the New Yorker dead. Croker was going from New York to the Mt. Ranch in California, for an outing.

It is stated in British Columbia that the land in the West, which was sold in 1861, is now being sold for \$100,000. The same Indians who have been in every newspaper office in the country for some time, are the "land grabbers."

Governor Chamberlain has issued a proclamation ordering that June first be a legal holiday in Oregon. This is an account of the opening of the Lewis and Clark Fair, which will be on June 1.

President Roosevelt returned to the White House on the 12th from his Western trip, which he means to regard as the most enjoyable trip he has ever taken.

Mormons Go Into Insurance Business.

Articles of incorporation of the Beneficial Life Insurance Company, organized by and under the direction of leaders of the Mormon Church, were filed in Salt Lake, May 10th. Joseph F. Smith is president, Governor John C. Cutler first vice-president, and the other officers are prominent in the church. The company, which will do an "old line" business, has a capital stock of \$100,000, all paid in.

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Girl Badly Burned.

Last Wednesday, that being the last day of the Warner Lake school, a serious accident occurred to Miss Stromburg. Several of the children were building sagebrush fires during recess, when the Stromburg girl's dress caught fire. She is about 13 years old, and being the oldest one in the crowd, there was no help for her till she got to the school house, a distance of about 100 yards. She threw herself to the ground and tried to extinguish the flames by rolling in the dirt, not being able to put out the fire this way, the girl ran for the school house. The teacher met her at the door and grabbed her in his arms and began to whip out the flames, which were by this time leaping far above the girl's head. Her hands and lower limbs were severely burned. A doctor was called from Redwell, who pronounced the burns severe, but not dangerous. The girl suffered intensely from her burns, but at last reports she is getting along very well.

The school teacher received several bad burns about the face and hands while tearing the burning garments from the child.

It was a close call and the girl is fortunate that she was not burned to death.

Queer Accident.

One week ago last Tuesday a man named Frank York, who was herding sheep for Mr. Stiner on the East side of the lake, met with a somewhat serious accident which seems as yet to be enveloped in mystery. On Tuesday evening he came to A. Stephenson's place with a fearfully bruised face and the right arm broken near the shoulder. They did everything possible for him and he left. On Friday morning Arthur Stiner went out to camp and found him and at once brought him to town. He seemed to be in a somewhat dazed condition and is unable to tell how the accident occurred or why. Events immediately previous to it. He says all he remembers is that he picked up a shotgun and started out of camp, and the next he is in a daze. It is thought he either fired the gun off and it burst or else that he fell over some steep embankment and received the injuries. — *Colorado Record.*

New Reserve Created.

The first work of the president, upon his return to Washington, was the signing of the order granting the Chesulamus forest reserve in Washington Territory, embracing about 900,000 acres of land.

Other reserves will be created as fast as the quack-bill gets around to the signing of the proclamations, among those in earlier permanent orders are the Willows, La Grande, Morrow, Mary's Mountain and Warner reserves.

Roughly estimated, the aggregate area of forest lands reserved in Oregon, including the Cascade reserve, when the department is through, will reach near 11,000,000 acres.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at Lee Beall's drug store.

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For further information apply to A. H. FERRY, Acting D. P. & P. A., So. Pac. Co., 2730 Reno, Nev.

Final Proof

Land office at Lakeview, Oregon, May 15, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Lakeview, Oregon, on July 6, 1905, viz: Edward McKee, 44 Acres Sec. 2888 for the S. P. Co. Sec. 15, W. 1/4, N. 1/4, E. 1/4, S. 1/4, Sec. 13, T. 40 N., R. 20 E., W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. P. Duke, Thomas Bernard Metzger, Arthur Florence and George D. McGrath, all of Lakeview, Oregon.

J. N. Walker, Register.

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