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PREPARING WAY FOR GOOD ROADS

County Court Takes Time By Forelock

ASKS AID FROM PEOPLE

Supervisors Will Be Appointed On Recommendation of Neighbors

The county court is taking time by the forelock, and if the roads of Lake are not soon made fine highways the fault will be somewhere else than with the court. During the past year road supervisors have been repeatedly directed to improve the roads in their respective districts and now the court requests the people throughout the county to assist in selecting supervisors for the various districts. Nearly every one, and the Examiner is no exception, has an opinion as to how road work should be done, and as a consequence more or less fault is found with the supervisor under whose supervision the work is performed. Therefore in order to secure the services of the best qualified man for the position the county court this week made the following order:

"In the matter of the appointment of Road Supervisors for the year 1911, inasmuch as the great work of permanent road construction will begin next year, throughout the county the services of the most competent man for the work of road building, in each road district, should be secured as Road Supervisor. The court would therefore request that the people of each road district in the county consider the matter of the selection of their road supervisor and recommend to this court, by petition to be filed with the county clerk or before January 1st, 1911, the most competent man that can be found for that position."

By taking such action two months in advance of the time of appointment of road supervisors it gives the people plenty of time in which to select suitable men and recommend

ARTESIAN WATER AT SUMMER LAKE

L. P. Klippel Has Struck Several Flows and is Going Deeper

L. P. Klippel, who is sinking an artesian well on his ranch near Summer Lake, is now down 180 feet. He has already struck fairly good flows, but believes that by going deeper he will strike a flow of water that will answer every purpose.

At a depth of about 120 feet he encountered quicksand which caused more or less trouble until he reached the present depth when he was compelled to temporarily suspend operations. A cement hardpan has been struck and the quicksand seems to follow the pipe and work under it and fill it up, thus preventing further progress with the drill. An attempt to remedy the difficulty is to be made by putting in a smaller casing and by that means prevent the quick sand from interfering with the drill.

Mr. Klippel is certainly to be commended for his enterprise in making a thorough test for artesian water, inasmuch as should he be successful it will be of untold value not only to himself but also to that of the entire community in which he lives, and indirectly of much benefit to the entire county. The cost of the undertaking will be in the neighborhood of \$3000.

Jack and Dave McAuliffe have together purchased a half interest in the Dan Malloy sheep. This amounts to about one thousand head. The price paid was \$6 for the ewes and \$4 for the lambs. Dave McAuliffe is now in charge of the band being assisted by Fleur McAuliffe.

then, for appointment by the county court.

In addition to the supervisors it is planned to have at least two and perhaps three road crews at work next year. It is proposed to have them commence work as early as possible in the spring and to continue the work until late in the fall. The crews will be fully equipped with road building outfits including cook wagon, etc., so that there will be no delays whatever in the work.

Fuller-Ross

J. S. Fuller and Mrs. Anna J. Ross were united in marriage Saturday evening, Dr. Daly tying the nuptial knot. It was generally supposed that Jon was beyond the range of Cupid's arrows, but he was finally compelled to surrender. In common with the numerous friends of the happy couple the Examiner extends hearty congratulations.

Off For Portland

T. E. Hamerley, deputy United States Marshal arrived from Portland last Friday and Sunday morning started on his return having in custody the Greeks who last week obstructed Uncle Sam's mail at New Pine Creek. Sheriff-elect Snider accompanied the party to Portland as guard.

MAKING PROOF ON 320-ACRE CLAIMS

Entrymen Do Not Appear To Understand Requirements of Law

There seems to be a general misunderstanding among entrymen as to requirements in making final proof under the act of February 19, 1908, generally known as the 320 acre homestead law. In many instances an additional 160-acre homestead has been taken under that law by an entryman who made his first entry five years or more ago. In almost every proof that has been submitted to the Land office under the act of Feb. 19, 1908, the entryman has failed to comply with the requirements as to cultivation and also in submitting the proper amount of fees. It is absolutely necessary that an amount of land equal to at least one-eighth of the entire entry be placed in cultivation during the second year and one fourth during the third, fourth and fifth years. Consequently in order to prove up at this time an entryman having filed on but 160 acres in 1905 and subsequently made an additional homestead of 160 acres, would have to have had 40 acres in cultivation in 1907 and 80 acres in 1908, 1909, and 1910. Should the entryman have failed to have in cultivation the required number of acres, then he can make proof on his original entry and file additional proof whenever he has complied with the above set forth requirements.

The fees required under the 160-acre homestead law are practically double those under the 320-acre act, being reckoned at 3 per cent on \$1.25 per acre valuation. Hence on a 320-acre homestead the fee is \$12 in addition to the testimony fee.

After making five-year proof on the original entry further residence is not considered necessary, but the area cultivated must meet the requirements of the act when making proof on the additional entry. Any portion or all of the cultivated area may be included in the original entry, but it must be one-eighth of the area of both entries for the second year and one-fourth for the remaining three years and up to the time of making proof.

Fine Celery

The finest flavored celery that the writer has ever had the pleasure of feasting upon was grown by John Silva upon his homestead in Warner canyon. While the conditions under which the celery was raised were by no means ideal, yet it proves beyond doubt that when soil conditions are favorable the toothsome vegetable can be grown to perfection in Lake county. Mr. Silva planted only a small area this year, but next season he will endeavor to raise enough to supply the local market from which he will no doubt realize handsomely.

N.-C.-O. ON TO LAKEVIEW

Preliminary Survey On West Side Completed to This City

TERMINUS IS NEAR THE WOOL WAREHOUSE

Engineers Return to State Line to Commence Work On Permanent Location of Line--No Time Fixed for Commencing Construction Work

The preliminary survey for the extension of the N.C.O. Railway on the west side of Goose Lake reached Lakeview Tuesday evening, the terminus being located in the immediate vicinity of the wool warehouse. The party was in charge of Chief Engineer Oliver and yesterday the party returned to their camp on the state line and will at once commence the permanent survey for building the line.

After leaving the state line the survey runs due north to Ralph E. Koozer's homestead in section 5, township 41 N., R. 19 E.

From there it runs in a northeasterly course to the Cheney place on Drews Creek, passing between the house and barn. Continuing it runs through the T. E. Bernard place and on across the valley through the O. V. L. addition to Lakeview.

Mr. Oliver gave out no information as to the probable time at which construction work will commence, but it is not likely that anything will be done this winter. However, it is

rumored that a contract has already been entered into and that work will be commenced in the early spring or as soon as the present extension now building has reached the lake.

Ladies Entertained

Messdames Umbach and Schlink entertained at the home of the latter on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 9, 1910, and on the following Saturday afternoon the two ladies entertained at the home of Mrs. Umbach. The two afternoons were spent in playing five hundred, after which dainty refreshments were served. The invitation list for Wednesday afternoon included Messdames Claude Seeger, Farrell Miller, Kuhl, Fitzpatrick, Harrow, Mushen, Reynolds, Johnson McKendree and the Misses Solder, Bridie Flynn, Christina Flynn, Snelling and Foster, and for Saturday afternoon Messdames Cressler, Leslie Seeger, O'Neil, Cronemiller, Wm. Shirk, Moss, Stone, Snelling, Harvey, Combs, Bemis, Dewey, Florence, Thornton, Thompson, Abstrom, Beall and Miss Hall.

BIG INCREASE IN RAILROAD VALUES

Oregon Roads are Now Taxed at Over \$100,000,000

In a statement just issued by the State tax commission it is shown that the total valuation of the railroads operating within the state has increased from \$12,000,000 in 1891 to over \$100,000,000 in 1910. No year 1892 showed an increase over 1891, and 1893 showed a further increase, but the assessed valuation for railroads did not jump above the 1892 mark until 1897. In 1900 the total valuation of the railroad was fixed at about \$45,000,000. In 1905 the state tax commission took hold of the railroads and they increased the assessed valuation from \$36,000,000 to more than \$40,000,000 and in 1907 they added at least another million. The total figure was practically doubled in 1909, when the valuation of the railroad was assessed more than \$8,000,000. In 1909 \$10,000,000 more was added by the commission and in 1910 the increase was close to \$6,000,000, jumping the valuation of the railroads for taxation purposes, in excess of the \$100,000,000 mark which at present is the highest it has ever reached.

Too Big For Us

A counterfeit \$10 note in imitation of the \$10 certificates issued by the First National Bank of Portland, turned up in the hands of Chief Wilkie, of the Secret Service, recently having been detected in New York City. This is one of the Aldrich notes of the 1908 issue, bearing the portrait of President McKinley on its face. It is pronounced by Secret Service men to be an excellent piece of work and above the average run on counterfeit.

Mask Carnival

Maskerade Skating Carnival will be given at the Lakeview Skating Rink, Nov. 22d, from 7 to 12 P. M. 15 years and over, skates 75c per pair. Spectators, 25c. Children's Maskerade Carnival, Nov. 24. Skates 50c per pair. Spectators, 25c. Skates may now be booked.

dance and supper will be given in the hall. No one without a mask will be allowed on the floor before midnight.

M. E. Drake, who was taken to Portland for treatment, died there following an operation. Mr. Drake will be greatly missed as he was one of the most active workers on every Fort Rock enterprise.

Several new buildings are being completed here. The new school house will be ready for use as soon as the painters are through. They are to be nicely furnished and well equipped throughout. J. L. Khoton has just finished a new post office and dwelling house. W. R. New, Ray Nash, A. L. Firestone and H. L. Coonan are putting up large barns.

Bidwell Nugget Items

Dave Chandler, one of the large sheepowners of Lake county, Oregon was a visitor in Bidwell for a few hours last Monday.

Messrs. Anderson and Causey of Lakeview spent several days of this week in making improvements and repairs on the Bidwell-Plush telephone line.

Walter Dent and family of Warner Valley came in from that place last Saturday and spent Sunday visiting with relatives and friends. They came over in Mr. Dent's new auto.

HON. W. C. HAWLEY IS HIGHLY PLEASSED

Appreciates Action of People in Reelecting Him To Congress

Salem, Oregon, November 11.—Congressman Willis C. Hawley left this morning for Denver, Colorado to attend a meeting of the Board of Health Managers, Woodman of the World. He will return to Oregon before going to Washington to attend the closing session of the first congress as he desires to further acquaint himself with a number of problems in this state that will require the attention of Congress.

With reference to the recent election Mr. Hawley said: "I am very grateful to the voters of the First Congressional District for their renewed expression of confidence in me and for the honor to a re-election to Congress, and will continue to labor faithfully in their behalf, advancing their interests and promoting their welfare to the best of my ability. A man is rich only in his friends and to mine everywhere I am profoundly grateful. Their approval of my efforts in the past encourages me to still greater efforts in behalf of my native state and I feel that Oregon will continue to receive the recognition shown her during the recent session of Congress, and I will continue to do all I can for the people of the First District and for the entire state."

Precinct Officers

The following precinct officers were elected throughout the county at the election Nov. 8. In some instances but very few votes were cast for precinct officers and there was no contest in any precinct:

Lake—Justice, Thos. S. McKinney; Constable, Freeman Post.
Silver Lake—Justice, J. S. Martin; Constable, James Wakefield and E. B. Brewer tied.
Fairley—Justice, F. L. Young; Constable, L. A. Moss.
Crooked Creek—Justice, Shorty Loveless; Constable, Robert Holtz.
North Warner—Justice, W. K. Berry; Constable, C. W. Dent.
South Warner—Justice, J. A. Morris; Constable, T. A. Crump.
South Lakeview—Justice, Winslow Bayley.
North Lakeview—Justice, Winslow Bayley; Constable, Mann Whorton.
Goose Lake—Justice, Fred Fisher; Constable J. C. Oliver.
Cogswell Creek—Justice, H. G. Aldridge; Constable, Pete Follett.

Ribs Broken

Mrs. Utley, of Long Valley, was quite seriously injured the forepart of the week by accidentally falling upon a box. Several ribs were fractured and she also sustained numerous other severe bruises and injuries. Dr. Smith was called Tuesday and found her suffering severely, but when he left she was greatly improved.

OREGON REPEATS FORMER STUNTS

Governor Only Office Lost to Republicans

CONTROL STATE BOARDS

Portland Cast Big Majority for Home Rule, and It Won Out

Portland, Oregon, Nov. 11.—With less than 10 per cent of the vote of the state to hear from the home rule liquor amendment to the constitution has a majority of about 3500, but it is expected when all the returns come in this will be cut to less than 1500. The state at large gave a substantial vote against home rule, but Multnomah's majority of 5000 carried the measure. Oregon voted wet on all other measures by good majorities.

West carries the state for governor by about 4500. LaFerty, Hawley, Bean, McBride, Burnett, Moore, and Gatens win by good majorities. The measures which carried are: Eastern Oregon insane asylum, taxation amendment, employers liability bill, month normal schools, creation of new towns and counties, good roads, extending the direct primary, increasing initiative and referendum and changing the judicial system.

The measures defeated were: Woman suffrage, constitutional convention, separate districts for legislators, state construction of railroads, changing methods of taxation, raising the salary of Baker's judges, creation of Nesmith county, creating Otis county, annexing Olakamas strip, creating Orchard county, creating Clark county, prohibition amendment, bill to enforce prohibition, board of commissioners to prepare liability bill, creation of Deschutes county, creation of a board of people's inspectors Weston and Ashland normal schools.

The legislature will have two democratic senators and three democratic representatives.

MUCH WORK DONE IN HOAG DISTRICT

V. L. Snelling Surprised at Amount of Tunnel and Shaft Work

V. L. Snelling expresses much surprise at the amount of work which has been done in the Hoag district during the past season and also at the very excellent showing made. He spent several days in the district and informed a representative of the Examiner that there is now more than 3000 feet of shaft and tunnel work completed and still more under way. In a short time there will be three mills at work crushing the valuable ore, of which there are already thousands of tons on the dump and the first to start operations will probably do so within ten days. Mr. Snelling hopes to be present on that occasion, and is confident that it will be successful not only in handling the ore but also from a financial standpoint.

Lutz-Marsters

Mr. Verne Lutz and Mrs. Eva Marsters were united in marriage at Summer Lake, Wednesday Nov. 2, at high noon, Rev. Young officiating. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Currier, and is well and favorably known throughout the country. The groom is from Vancouver, Washington, and has made many friends during his stay here. The young couple will leave shortly for Vancouver where they will make their future home.—Pansley correspondent in Silver Lake Leader.

Prof. Rice is now attached to the Opera House orchestra, and is sure making good there according to the dancers.