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Lakeview, Oregon, Thursday, February 2, 1911

THE NEW SYSTEM

As evidence of the great change in the management of railroad companies since Vanderbilt's famous "Public be damned" system was in vogue, the following editorial from the Reno Gazette is interesting. Inasmuch as this section is included in the district referred to the article will be of especial interest to readers of the Examiner:

"Time was when the man who was employed with a great public utility, such as a railroad, thought it was a part of his duties to be discourteous, unaccommodating and sullen. If for no other reason than that he exerted his powerful influence to change that old idea E. H. Harriman deserves the gratitude of everybody, for at one time or another all of us come in contact with the employes of railroads and other great corporations. Harriman realized that, after all, the substantial, enduring success of his railroads was based upon the attitude of the people toward them, and he further knew that the attitude would largely be shaped by the conduct of the men who came in touch with the people. Accordingly he insisted that courtesy should prevail upon his great railway systems, from the men who sit in the high places down to those whose work is of the humblest nature.

"Reno, of late years, has been especially fortunate in this respect, inasmuch as the men who have represented the Southern Pacific here have been high types of the Harriman idea. They have never neglected their responsibility to their road, but they have also realized the rights of the public. They have done much toward eliminating the old feeling of hate that was held against the railroad.

"Such a man is Mr. J. M. Fulton, who is now the representative of the Southern Pacific in this state. Ordinarily, we realize, the public waits until a man is dead before saying anything of his worth, but we have always felt that such a custom was a little bit unfair to the dead man inasmuch as it is rather difficult for him to read the nice things the papers have to say of him and to hear the glowing eulogies that accompany a six-foot hole, covered with sod and artistically decorated with flowers.

"Mr. Fulton is faithful to the trust reposed in him, but he also yields to none in his love for Nevada. He has lived here for many years, and he knows the state from end to end. He knows our needs, and he is ever using his influence to have those needs given attention by his people, for he realizes that the increased development of Nevada means greater prosperity for the railroads of the state.

"It is with pleasure that we write these few words, and to those who take exception to our custom of saying a kind word for the living now and then we leave the task of composing pleasant obituaries for those who have passed on."

With cheers and shouting which showed plainly his triumph over the stalwart faction in Wisconsin, Robert M. LaFollette was on January 25th re-elected United States senator on a joint ballot of the legislature by an overwhelming majority. The opposition was negligible. Never since LaFollette's entrance into political life has he been given such a vote of confidence. It was freely predicted that he would be a factor in the republican presidential nomination in 1912.

A new domestic postal card is being issued by the postoffice department, designed primarily for index, or library purposes, being smaller than previous issues. The size is three by five inches. The card is white with red printing. The stamp is a profile head of Abraham Lincoln looking to the left. The new card will be issued in sheets of 18 when desired in that form for printing purposes.

The acknowledged leader of the national house of representatives on the Democratic side, and the one who will undoubtedly receive the support of his party for the speakership, Champ Clark, is booked for a series of lectures throughout the Pacific northwest, following the adjournment of Congress April 1st.

Henry Cabot Lodge has been re-elected U. S. Senator from Massachusetts.

Davis Creek Items

Lloyd Clarke and "Jinks" Plummer are down from Willow Ranch visiting J. W. Watkins.

Chas. Leonard, the local forest ranger, has been down several days marking trees so people could take advantage of the snow and get logs out of the timber.

Owing to the recent severe storms the N.-C. O. surveyors have suspended work and left Sunday for Reno. They expect to return with a larger force as soon as the weather permits.

Dr. J. T. O'Conner and family left for Alturas Sunday after several weeks stay in Davis Creek.

L. E. Seager and J. O'Neill, of Lakeview, spent Friday in Davis Creek. They came down to look over Davis Creek Orchards Co. dam which has been completed for the winter.

The Measure party given at the church Friday, Jan. 27th, was quite an affair, but many were unable to attend on account of the stormy evening. The proceeds were \$20 as it was and will be used to buy song books for the church.

Mrs. G. S. Ramer spent Sunday and Monday at Joseph Creek visiting Mrs. H. Bowers.

S. J. Dutton has been filling his ice house the last week. We are glad to see our landlord busy for it means ice cold water when the hot days come next July and August.

The M. W. A. boys will give a grand mask ball at Davis Creek hall on Feb. 14th. Everybody invited.

Luke Mulkey and E. W. Garren made a business trip to Alturas Saturday.

Geo. S. Oliver, chief engineer N.-C. O. Ry., has finished moving his camp from Joseph Creek to Davis Creek and will make this his headquarters for a while.

The snow has drifted until some places it is hard for teams to get through.

C. T. Watkins and family and Mr. S. J. Roberts expect to go below by on account of blockades on the N.-C. O. do not know just when they will leave.

Neugent Richardson Co. Co. have suspended work on their contract with the N.-C. O. on account of the weather, but will resume work as soon as possible.

The thaw on Sunday and Monday took the snow off until much of the ground is bare.

C. T. Watkins and family left Tuesday for Myrtle Point, Ore. They expect to drive to Madeline and then take the N.-C. O.

Rev. Samuel Combs' little boy has been ill for several days but is all right again.

UNCLE SAM LOSES OUT

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intended to sell or dispose of the timber when cutting it."

Mr. McCourt explained further that the 100 cords of juniper cut by Mr. Hanley on public domain were for use in his dredge with which he was draining swamp land on the P ranch, of Barney valley. He did not intend to sell or export it when cutting the timber, and hence could not be held criminally, although he had no permit from the Secretary of the Interior. When the case began, a demand was made of Hanley for \$4 a cord for the 500 cords seized and the other wood which had been used. But the Department offered the 500 cords at public sale, and could not get a bid of anything whatever, so the Government compromised the civil claim by taking \$1 a cord. This Mr. Hanley has paid.

The status of all timber cutting cases on the public domain, under this ruling, will be civil. The law provides that any one has a right to cut timber worth \$50 a year for his own domestic use, without a permit from the Secretary. But where a man cuts more than \$50 worth in one year without a permit, he becomes liable for the value of the timber at the point where it is used. In other words, the Government can collect the highest value of the timber at any stage of its movement up to the time of consumption, although the trespasser's own work has given it that value. This is deemed a sufficient deterrent to protect the domain, without the criminal proceedings which have been invoked in the past. J. Frank Adams, of Klamath Falls, who recently was indicted for cutting timber on public domain, estimated to be worth about \$150, also was discharged by Judge Bean on the same rule covering the Hanley case.

Flour, \$1.75 sack or \$3.50 per 100 at Bieber's Cash Store

Teachers Examination

The regular teachers' examination for Lake County will be held at my office in Lakeview commencing at 9 o'clock A. M., February 8, 1911, and continuing three days for applicants for county certificates and four days for those applying for state certificates.

H. B. JACKSON,
County School Superintendent.

SENATOR BOURNE HEAD OF LEAGUE

Reports of Its Being a Political Scheme "Are Untrue"

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—The National Progressive Republican League is creating the greatest sensation. Many are asking if the organization is to fight Taft, or whether it means a third party in 1912. Senator Bristow of Kansas says:

"It is not a movement to organize third party, but merely to further progressive legislation."

Dixon of Montana said:

"The object of the league is to get closer to popular government. These reports of its being a political scheme are all untrue."

Norris, when asked if the league was organized for the purpose of defeating Taft, said:

"If the people want Taft it will help him; if they don't, it will injure him."

The following are the officers of the league:

President—Sen. Bourne, Oregon.
First Vice-President—Norris of Nebraska.

Second Vice-President—Governor Osborne of Michigan.
Treasurer—Chas. K. Craze of Chicago

Congressman-elect Kent of California, and Gifford Pinchot are members of the executive committee.

The articles of declaration say in part:

"The present statute dealing with the trusts, railroads and other interests are very vague, and are partially ineffective. New statutes, based upon sound economic conditions are timely needed."

The league advocates:

First—The direct election of federal senators.

Second—A thorough investigation of corrupt practices.

Third—Direct primaries.

Fourth—Initiative, referendum and recall in all states.

The league plans to cooperate with the smaller state leagues and will start immediately on an active campaign. Governor Johnson was the first to sign the articles.

Storm Stops Applicants

The following applications for lands in Lake County were filed at the local government office during the week ending January 25th:

Mary Anne Pierce, Sec. 32, 32-10.

Edwin D. Gatewood, Sec. 22, 22-15.

John S. Pollock, Sec. 32, 25-13.

Samie O. Olmstead, Sec. 32, 25-13.

Austin H. Olmstead, Sec. 29, 25-13.

Bartholomew Dias, Sec. 20, 30-18.

United in Matrimony

On Wednesday evening of this week, Rev. H. Smith united in marriage Robert L. Benefield and Mrs. Evrena Benefield. The ceremony was performed at the Baptist parsonage, only a few intimate friends of the couple being in attendance. The usual large charivari crowd, including many old acquaintances, waited on them at the Colorado Hotel and made things rather lively in that vicinity for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Benefield will reside at Crooked Creek.

Together with their many friends the Examiner takes this opportunity of extending many good wishes for their future success and happiness.

An attack of the grip is often followed by a persistent cough, which to many proves a great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies have failed. Sold by all good dealers.

Best Nursery Stock

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H. B. Alger, Salesman.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FURNITURE FOR SALE—1 iron bed, springs and mattress; 1 upholstered Dayenport bed; 1 library table; 1 kitchen cabinet; 1 lighting go cart; 1 No. 3 Oliver typewriter. These goods are in first class condition and priced low for quick sale. May be seen at the Planning Mill.

FOR SALE—Bargain, 70 acres level land adjoins Lakeview; creek runs through it; cuts 20 tons hay; rich soil; fenced; small house; shed barn. Also 40 acres 2 1/2 miles from town; 40 cords of wood cut; retail \$4.00 to \$5.00 per cord. Wood alone will nearly pay for the 100 acres. For price and terms write W. F. Paine & Co., Lakeview, Oregon.

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