

DELAY ROAD NO MORE

Southern Pacific in Hurry to Get to City of Klamath Falls

ADVANTAGE IN HOLDING OREGON

Roadbed Between Klamath Falls and Marsh May Be Sublet to Nevada Contractor—Investigations Indicative That Line Will Be Extended to Natron

There is to be no unnecessary delay in the extension of the California Northeastern to this city, and the visit of Mr. Harriman to Klamath may be said to be directly responsible for the fact that the road is to be rushed to Klamath Falls. Aside from the orders he has given to rush the road to the water there are other indications which lead to the conclusion that the road is to be built to this city at the earliest possible date.

Erickson & Peterson have been awarded the contract for the construction of the road to Klamath Falls, but it is generally understood that they are now to sublet the grade from the edge of the marsh to this city, and Tom Bayers, who has just completed thirty miles of the Western Pacific roadbed through Nevada, working as a sub-contractor under Mauey Brothers & Co., is now on the ground at the request of Chief Engineer Hood, making an estimate of the road into Klamath Falls. Should Mr. Bayers secure the contract he would move his large outfit here from Nevada and early this fall his camp would be established in the outskirts of Klamath Falls.

It is known that Mr. Harriman is very anxious to have the road completed to this city, as it would be a decided advantage in controlling the rest of the state that is now without transportation facilities. Harriman officials have made thorough investigations of all parts of Interior Oregon. The men who have been in the field making the observations have been practical railroad men and upon their reports rests the fate of this part of the country so far as Harriman is concerned. It is very evident that he is favorably impressed, or else he would not order the completion of the road to this city at the earliest possible date. The fact that he has consulted with a number of

his Western officials is evidence that he has plans for this state and that the extension from this city to Natron is no longer an idle dream. The investigations made of the Klamath basin is also strongly indicative of the fact that there will be branch lines to look after the produce from the irrigated lands of this section when they are once subjected to intensified farming.

Very Successful Engagement.

The Pavilla company closed a very successful engagement at the opera house last night. It was the intention of the company to show in this city but two nights, but the patronage was such as to warrant a stay of four nights, and the attendance was good every night, showing that the company was fully appreciated by the people of this city. The performances by the Pavilla company are on the line of city vaudeville, but every feature is one of merit and the company is deserving of patronage everywhere it goes.

W. T. Shive and family returned last night from Lake o' the Woods. They report berries very plentiful, and say that O. A. Stearns who is camped there made an estimate on-day of the amount picked, finding it to be 400 gallons in round numbers. It is also estimated that not less than 5000 gallons will be picked during the season. Mr. Shive states that berries will be plentiful for the next month as large quantities have not begun to ripen.

Miss Lyle Watson is again performing the duties of deputy county clerk after a three weeks' vacation which she spent at Ashland with her parents, in San Francisco and at Odessa. She reports a very enjoyable time.

The dance at Odessa last Saturday night was a highly enjoyable event and was largely attended by Klamath Falls people. Odessa resort is very lively these days and the hotel is well filled with guests.

Showman Godfrey Navigating the Air

Tom Godfrey, who will visit this city the last of this week with a first class show, will be remembered by the old residents of this city as the man who made a balloon ascension some eight years ago in which he injured his leg very severely and dropped in the lake in order to avoid striking the ground with his injured leg, which he thought was broken. He was rescued from the lake by a row boat, there being no gasoline launches on the Klamath waters at that time. The ascension was made when the wind was blowing and Mr. Godfrey was dragged into a wire fence before he had time to raise from the ground.

Those who remember Mr. Godfrey's sensational aeronautical experience in this city will remember that his attraction at that time was genuine and will feel secure in getting something good for their money if they attend the performances that his company will give in this city on Thursday, Friday and Saturday night of this week.

Water Company Improving Dam

The Light & Water Company has had a force of men at work for several days on a wing dam in Link river. The water is getting so low that the old dam did not turn enough of it into the flume to operate the plant. The water is lower in the river at present than it has been since the light plant was built. The improvements in the dam will turn enough water to keep the power up to what it has been.

The company is going ahead with its improvements on the new reservoirs. Concrete work will begin on the one in the Hot Springs tract about Thursday and within a few days a force of workmen will begin the rock work on the one on the west side.

Officials at Pelican Bay.

Reports from Pelican Bay are that a number of the officials who have been expected there for a conference with Mr. Harriman have arrived and are now the guests of their chief. Some of the party passed through this city and others came in by way of Medford. These reports cannot be confirmed by inquiring of local Southern Pacific representatives. They profess ignorance as to who is at the Bay and as to who is expected. It is said by parties who have just returned from the Upper lake that Herrin, Schwerine and a number of others visited Crater lake Sunday and that Krutchnitt and Hood were expected there at any time.

Visited Crater Lake.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman, daughter Miss Carol, and son Roland, together with a number of the other guests at Pelican Bay went to Crater lake Friday and remained over night at the Steel camp. They made the trip in an automobile.

Herald Office Moved.

The office of the Evening Herald is now located in the room occupied by the Klamath Republican, in the Republican Block.

New Pictures Tonight.

Doctor's Reformation, The Poacher's Daughter, A Drama in Mid Air, The New Errand Boy. New songs, all for ten cents.

Launch Wrecked on Crater Lake

Will G. Steel is in the city from Crater lake. He says travel has been very lively for the past few weeks. He now has accommodations at his camp for about twenty people and says his place has been taxed to its utmost capacity every night during the past few weeks and that aside from this hundreds of people come and go, bringing with them their own camp equipment.

He now has a large shipment of bedding coming in from Medford and within a few days he will be in a position to accommodate a much larger number of travelers. Many more people are visiting the lake since they can get accommodations there and the travel is much heavier this year than it has been during any past season.

Mr. Steel reports the loss of his small gasoline launch. Quite a severe storm occurred on the lake one night last week during which the launch broke loose from its moorings and was dashed against the rocks, wrecking it so badly that it cannot be repaired. The engine was removed from the wreck and will probably be used in another boat or in the old one if it is rebuilt.

NOTICEABLE IMPROVEMENT.

Removing Weeds and Cleaning Up Better Looks of City.

During the past few weeks a number of property owners of this city have cut down the weeds in front of their holdings and have removed many of the unsightly objects that have detracted so strongly from the appearance of the city as a whole. The improvement is a very noticeable one. The mowing of the weeds in front of the Hamaker property on Main street has been a decided help to bettering the looks of the property. E. B. Ramsby has made a splendid improvement in the appearance of his home on Pine street by cutting down the growth of weeds along the fence and sidewalk.

Parties owning property in this city that is almost hidden from view by tall weeds should look at some of the places that have been cleaned up and they would delay no longer in making a thorough cleaning.

The Hoag District.

The stamp mill, being operated by Mr. Grigsby in the Hoag district, goes on grinding out gold. We are informed that a few days ago a \$240 brick was sent in. There is nothing like gold to make people "sit up and take notice." You may tell all your friends that you have a good prospect, good ore, but although you reiterate it and swear to it they will not believe you until they have seen the gold, not in the rock but in the brick, or in twenties. The Hoag district is sending down a few gold bricks.

It is said that a recent ten ton run milled \$830. Eighty-three dollars per ton is mighty good ore, and will pay a very handsome profit.—Lakeview Herald.

Killing Many Snipe

Deputy Game Warden G. W. Gibson came down from Odessa Saturday to find out about the killing of snipes at this season of the year. He found that the birds were not protected and that the parties who are slaughtering them cannot be prosecuted. Mr. Gibson has been trailing deer hunters in the vicinity of the lake o' the Woods, but he found no illegal hunting and he finds all of the

WORK LARGER FORCE

Additional Ditch Camps Add to Number of Men Employed

CONTRACTORS IMPORT WORKMEN

Shortage in Help Due to Demand for Laborers in Hay and Harvest Fields—New Work on Reclamation Project Will Make Room for Many Men

Nimrods equipped with the necessary license.

Warden Gibson says that snipes are very plentiful and that the way they are being slaughtered is shameful. There is no limit on a days' hunt, in fact, he finds that the birds have no protection whatever. He complains that he has no launch in which to get about in. A few years ago the Audubon Society paid one half the cost of a launch, while M. E. Hutchison, who was deputy game warden at that time, paid the other half. The launch still remains in his possession and the present warden is left with no means to get about.

Chas. Martin succeeded in killing a three hundred pound bear while camped at Seven Mile. Tom Kinney went hunting in the hills near there and got lost. Charlie went out to find him, but instead found a big bear which he killed and brought to camp. Tom wandered about in the hills for twenty-four hours and finally wound up in the valley near Fort Klamath.

The Bishop house boat is deserted for the present. The entire party came down last night and it consisted of the following: B. St. George Bishop, Judge Geo. T. Baldwin, F. H. Mills, Alex. Martin, Jr., Mayor John R. Stilts, C. F. Stone, A. J. Wells, George O. Brandenburg and a Mr. West.

District Attorney D. V. Kuykendall has appointed J. D. Venator, of Lakeview, as his deputy for Lake county. Many of the Lake county people desired the appointment of W. Lair Thompson, but he was not a candidate for the position.

Burge Mason, Don Zumwalt and W. J. Bryant and family started for the north end of the county this morning. They will be gone several days and expect to do considerable hunting.

E. W. Smith, who has had his force at work on the Doak ranch for the past few weeks, has completed the ditch and canal which will divert the waters of Rock creek and will irrigate a portion of the ranch, and he is now moving his outfit to the South French canal where he will begin work at once on the W. H. Mason contract. He will have his camp pitched tomorrow and will make dirt fly just as soon as he is established. Other forces on the Mason contract will begin work at once so that the next few days will witness the establishment of three camps on that portion of the canal.

The establishment of the new camps, together with the camps of Mauey Bros. & Co., and Campbell & Huffman, the fume contractors, makes quite a showing in that part of the project and has created a demand for laborers. Mauey Bros. & Co. have been forced to send out for workmen and only Saturday they imported a small shipment of laborers from Dorris. The shortage in help is largely due to the fact that haying is still on and that a large number of men have gone to work for the ranchers throughout the county.

The close of the haying season and harvesting will make labor more plentiful and the canal contractors will experience no difficulty in putting a large number of men on the work so that they will finish their contracts on schedule time.

The government is still working a considerable force on the Keon canal, putting in spill ways and constructing the dam at the head of the canal. Probably forty men are employed on this part of the irrigation system.

John Ellis and two sons want to Crystal creek where they will pitch camp for a few weeks.

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