

WILL BORE FOR WATER IN KLAMATH AND LAKE COUNTIES

**Immense Machine Has Arrived for Dave
Edler, the Sheep King--Weights 2200
Pounds and Will Bore 2600 Feet**

The land owners of Klamath and Lake counties, especially of the dry areas, will watch with interest the movements to be made this summer by Dave Edler, the sheep king of Oregon, in drilling for water. George T. Baldwin, the hardware merchant, has just received for Edler one of the No. 27 Star portable drilling machines, and it is now being loaded in this city and will be unloaded in a few days.

The machine and equipment occupy an entire car and exceed 22,000 lbs. in weight. The No. 27 is the largest machine manufactured, and it is considered one of the best machines on the market. The machine will drill to a depth of 2600 feet, and the manufacturer states that with the Star machine they will drive more pipe, drill a hole and spud a deeper hole in four hours than any other machine made. On account of the immense size of the machine, it is expected to arrive here in a few days with teams to remove it, and it is probable that it will be drilled well by the end of the month. Mr. Edler is expected to arrive here in a few days with teams to remove it, and it is probable that it will be drilled well by the end of the month.

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of forest fires has been increased 15 per cent for the ensuing fiscal year. This will enable the forest service to keep 250 men actively in the field during the summer months as against probably one-half that number during the winter months, when the danger of disastrous conflagrations is reduced probably 50 per cent. With this increased assistance, the forest service expects to reduce to a minimum the loss from forest fires, which originate largely from the careless acts of thoughtless campers.

CALHOUN JURY IS DISCHARGED

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The jury in the Patrick Calhoun case failed to agree and were discharged. The jury stood one for conviction and eleven for acquittal. Marking the end of a trial that will go down in western history as the climax of a great municipal scandal, the case of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads of San Francisco, was submitted to a jury just before the noon hour Saturday.

An unbroken silence had prevailed in the crowded auditorium of Carpenters' Hall during a period of three hours, which ended the seventeen-hour argument of Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney, and had permitted Judge William P. Lawlor to charge the jury.

The first disorder in the heated chamber was when the twelve men who decided the charge of bribery against the street railroad magnate fled out of the jury box at 11:45 under escort of two deputy sheriffs, just sworn anew to keep them safeguarded.

A few moments before the jury's retirement Judge Lawlor formally discharged from service aged Michael Murphy, the alternate or emergency juror, who heard the evidence from his place by the side of the jury box. The Court warned Juror Murphy not to discuss the case with any person, thus dashing the hopes of several enterprising interviewers who had hoped to secure an expression of his opinion on the evidence.

At 4:50 the jury called for the Court and asked to have certain parts of the evidence of Supervisor W. W. Sanderson read to them.

At 6:15, when the reading of evidence was concluded, court adjourned until 9 o'clock.

At 10 o'clock the jury asked for the Court a second time and again called for the reading of more of Supervisor Sanderson's testimony.

The Calhoun trial began January 12th, five months and one week ago. The Ruef trial, the longest before this, lasted 75 days. Six members of the jury were sworn March 9th, four others have been away from their families and business since March 21st and the others since April 14th. It is estimated the cost of the trial to the city is \$20,000.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Editor Evening Herald: In your issue of Saturday I notice an article under the heading "The Grand Jury Will Meet" which seems to insinuate that there are "blind pigs" in Klamath Falls, that you were cognizant of it, also that the grand jury would "investigate" them.

Now, Mr. Editor, I do not know about the "blind pigs." It is not necessary. I keep "mine" at home, and can carry it with me if I feel so inclined. Nor do I know what the Grand Jury will do, and I wonder how you know. But I do know that there are other things that need investigating which are much more serious than the corruptive sale of a little very bad whiskey, and if the county has money to prosecute "boot-leggers" they most certainly should have it to prosecute perjurors, more particularly so, as in the case of the former the proof may be expensive and difficult to get, whilst in the case of the latter it already exists upon the criminal records of the county.

I have no idea who will compose the Grand Jury, but have confidence enough to believe they will "go after" all law breakers alike, dealing, of course, with the more serious cases first. If the county lacks money to properly prosecute the most notorious law breakers (which, by the way, is quite popularly believed), then I shall be pleased to subscribe to a private fund raised to help the county out. But if there should only be sufficient money to prosecute minor offenses, and none to prosecute the element that is a real menace to the good name and material welfare and progression of our county, then I shall take great pains to see that that fact is fully advertised so far as I am able to make it apparent through the medium of the newspapers and magazines from New York to San Francisco and from the Pease River to the Gulf of Mexico. I am fired.

Thanking you for the courtesy of the publicity which I trust you will accord this letter, I am, yours truly,
R. E. BORD.

SHALL THE PEOPLE RULE?

Has a taxpayer and a citizen no rights of franchise?
Has the president of the school board the power to close the polls within twenty minutes after opening same?

Such was done to-day at the school election in this city. The election was called for 2 p. m., and was closed at 2:20 p. m., and but nine votes were cast. Mr. Stills and Mr. Melrose protested against closing the polls, and asked for one hour's continuance, as many were then on their way to vote, myself included, our opinion being that the polls would be open a reasonable length of time—at least long enough to give the people

ESTABLISH A BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION HERE

**Western Loan & Savings Company, of Salt
Lake City, Will Put In Branch With Local
Board of Managers**

CHAS. E. WORDEN.
June 21, 1909.

GRAND JURY IS SELECTED

The following men were drawn at the opening of the June term of Circuit Court this morning as members of the Grand Jury:

L. J. Bauman, William Griffith, B. E. Hawkins, G. H. Carlton, C. H. Kester, Fred Beck and F. L. Applegate. Judge Noland appointed L. J. Bauman as foreman of the jury and, after instructing them in the law and their duties, placed them in charge of Balliff J. W. Bryant.

Judge Noland stated in his instructions in regard to the violations of the local option law that offenses committed within the City of Klamath Falls was as much within their jurisdiction as those committed elsewhere in the county, and that they were not to consider it the special duty of the city officials to prosecute cases within the city, as the enforcement of the law was up to the county officials and the prosecuting attorney. The Grand Jury met this afternoon at 1:30 in the office of the prosecuting attorney, and it is not known what cases will be considered first, but they will probably be ones which are already on the docket and are awaiting the action of the jury.

COLONIZATION AGENT HERE

J. C. Waite, colonization agent for the Reclamation Service, is in the city from Chicago, where he has his headquarters. Mr. Waite is visiting the reclamation projects of the West and is very much impressed with the conditions here. He will make a thorough investigation of every section of the project while here, so as to become perfectly acquainted with the conditions.

Mr. Waite states that he is receiving thousands of inquiries from homeseekers about the different government projects, and that he will be able to send a large number of farmers to this county during the summer. After his visit he will be better able to know the class of people most needed here, and he is of the opinion that people from the Middle West would be better satisfied with this section than those of the Southern States or farther east. Mr. Waite has been meeting the directors and members of the Chamber of Commerce and the Klamath Real Estate Association to-day, and he will probably work with these bodies through Project Engineer Patch.

THE ALTURAS SURVEY.

ALTURAS, June 21.—The Southern Pacific surveyors who are engaged in making a survey between Klamath Falls and this place have completed their survey as far south as Lookout, and are now engaged in locating the line from that place up Pitt river to Alturas.

The line as located follows substantially the preliminary line as far south as Timber mountain. From that place it continues almost due south through the heart of the vast timber holdings of T. B. Walker to Egg Lake. Here the line turns in a southeasterly direction, leaving the timber about six miles west of Lookout and continuing in the same direction to Lookout. Here they "went back on themselves," turning up Pitt river in the direction of Alturas. Running the line to Lookout before turning up the river can mean

one thing; a junction at the point where the turn is made, one line going north to Klamath Falls and thence to Portland, another up Pitt river to Alturas and thence to an eastern connection, while a third will extend down Pitt river to the Sacramento valley to connect with the present line to San Francisco. It means also great milling and allied industries at the junction, hence the selection of a location suited to such works, and where a suitable water supply can be obtained. From Lookout the most direct route to Klamath Falls will open all the timber of the western part of the county, as well as vast tracts in Siskiyou county. It is, moreover, a country well suited to logging by rail owing to the level character of the land, making the building and operating of logging roads easy, and the absence throughout the timber of good mill sites.

Keep your eye on the western part of the county, and especially on Lookout. There will be things doing down there in the not very remote future.

SCHOOL ELECTION.

At the school election held this afternoon F. T. Sanderson was re-elected director and J. W. Siemens clerk. A number of votes were also cast for C. B. Crisler for clerk and H. T. Chittwood for director.

Wanted—Woman for general housework in family of three. Address L. R., care of Herald office.

Wanted—Woman to do small washing at home. Call at Herald office.

L. R. Cardwell and wife of Gold Hill arrived in the city last evening and left to-day with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Adams for a visit at their ranch near Merrill.

Virgil Noland, son of Judge and Mrs. George Noland, returned home last evening from Fairbank, Minn., where he has been attending the Shattuck Military College.

Cement—Imported cement just received; carload Alisen cement in iron barrels. Baldwin Hardware Company.

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ALOHA CHAPTER, L. O. E. S.
All members and visitors are requested to be present Tuesday evening, June 22d.
By order of the Worthy Matron.
LULU STRAW, Secretary.