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STATE WILL GET ITS HALF

RECLAMATION DIVISION WILL BE MADE RECLAMATION MONEY

WOULD HELP OUT OREGON

Secretary States That He Will Approve the Money as Directed by Law and Not Expediency.

Each of funds was the general sentiment of the officials who attended the conference of the reclamation officials this week. At its close Secretary Ballinger found himself surrounded by a mass of figures from every reclamation district praying for the completion, completion or improvement. It was announced that the project under way and proposed would entail an expenditure of \$26,000,000, and that the funds on hand amounted to only \$11,000,000. What was to be taken by Secretary Ballinger to get around the difference in totals was not divulged, but in his address at the close of the conference economy was the keynote. He closed by saying he was pleased with the personnel of the reclamation service, and that all requests for appointment of the reclamation fund would be taken under advisement.

That Washington is getting more than her quota of the reclamation fund, for projects absorbing more than 50 per cent of the receipts from the sale of public lands, was a statement made by Secretary Ballinger. "It is," he said, "an adjustment which is contemplated whereby each state will get its proportionate share. The law in view will allow every state to get its share of the fund according to the disposition of public lands."

"Being the umpire of a baseball game," said Director Newell, "is a highly respected distributing water. I was originally surprised, however, at the majority of complaints against the service. There were no complaints out of the ordinary. In any community there are soreheads who light fire at one person receiving more money than they, but we were not overburdened with complaints of that nature. Reclamation work like the water system of a city. As soon as a main reaches a road residents living up the street down the street want to be protected with water. We encounter the same complaints, but we are hampered by lack of funds and it is impossible to accomplish \$20,000,000 worth of work for \$7,000,000.

At the conference this morning approval of all contracts in 1910 is required, but to do that over \$2,000,000 will be required, and it is necessary to stop work in order to add another project. The reclamation service has dug as far as the Panama canal, but its

work being distributed the task does seem so great. By the end of 1910 we will have spent \$60,000,000 on reclamation and we have provided homes for 10,000 people."

Director Newell also stated that an attempt would be made in the ensuing year to complete all the larger reclamation projects. These as enumerated by him include the following: Roosevelt dam in Arizona, 70 miles above Phoenix.

Gunnison tunnel, largest in the world, in central Colorado.

Dike at Pathfinder dam in central Wyoming.

Fulton system in Yakima valley, Washington.

Bols system in Idaho.

Minidoka system in Idaho.

Belle Fourche in South Dakota, largest dam in the world.

Dam on Yellowstone in Montana.

Dam on Rio Grande in New Mexico, to be continued.

STEALS AN EMPTY SACK FROM THE MONEY DRAWER

Thief Gets Small Reward for His Dishonest Efforts.

A daring theft was attempted in the store of Crance & Co. yesterday, but the would-be thief only got an empty sack for his pains. While waiting on customers the clerk, after making change, left the money drawer slightly open, out of which protruded the sack in which the change is kept. He went to the opposite side of the store, and while his back was turned the thief reached over the counter and took the sack out of the drawer, which fortunately was empty, the change being all in the till. Mr. Crance was in his private office when the occurrence took place, and there were quite a number of customers in the store at the time.

On a sign in the store is printed the following: "Bring back my money sack," which will not very likely be done, as the thief here this is doubtless thinking of the wisdom of the old saying: "Who steals my purse steals trash."

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 11 VOTES SCHOOL BONDS

Election Is Found to Be Legal and Bonds Will Be Sold at Once.

Superintendent Swan attended a special meeting of the voters of school district No. 11, known as Lone Pine district, called for the purpose of voting on the question of bonds for a new schoolhouse. The vote was unanimous for the bond issue, and the sentiment favors building a new, modern structure, with improved grounds and a good heating plant. The passing of the old Lone Pine schoolhouse will mark another step in the progress of Klamath county.

The clerk, S. E. Feinbece, was in Klamath Falls for the purpose of having Attorney Koykendall pass on the legality of the meeting and have the necessary papers sent to the State Land Board, which, by law, has the first option on the bonds. It is understood that the election was found legal and the bonds will be issued immediately. Plans are now being drawn for the building.

ELECTRIC CAR LINE

K. F. L. & T. COMPANY MAKES IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

BEGIN WORK IN THIRTY DAYS

Advertising for Poles and Have Bids for Transforming Old Car Line into Up-to-Date System

Within the next thirty days work will be commenced transforming the present street car system into an electric line. This is the welcome message that has been given out by E. R. Reames, president of the Klamath Falls Land and Transportation company.

"For the last several weeks we have been hard at work on the plans and specifications necessary for the carrying on of the work of changing our present line to an electric system," said Mr. Reames today. "Our company has made certain promises to the people of this city, and we are going to carry them out. We now have bids for the rebuilding of the line, and within thirty days a force of men will be busy with the work. Mr. Brown will be here the first of the week, when the finishing touches will be applied to our plans, and we will then be in a position to make a definite announcement as to when the service will be inaugurated."

In this issue of the paper appears an advertisement asking for bids for the supplying of three hundred poles, to be used for the stringing of wires. Relative to the source from which they expect to get their power, Mr. Reames said:

"We have as yet closed no contract for the power with which we propose to operate the cars. We are figuring with the Gates company, and if a definite and satisfactory arrangement can be reached with that company we will get the power from it." When asked if his company would put in a plant of its own if satisfactory terms could not be secured from existing companies he replied that "he crossed that bridge when it was reached." His frame of mind was so apparently happy, however, that he taunt have felt quite certain that the necessity for a plant of their own wouldn't exist.

There will be no regret on the part of the city to see the present horse car retired to the scrap heap. There has been no disposition on the part of the public to urge the immediate change, for it is recognized that the investment is not a paying one at this time. The company has had many difficulties to overcome and many unforeseen obstacles to surmount, or it would have made the change before this. Now, however, they are going to make the system one of the best in the state.

The electrification of the line is the beginning of what will be a program of development along other lines. Mr. Reames would not deny or affirm the statement that his company proposed to again turn its attention to the development of the

Buena Vista addition. Since the panic there has been no effort to push this property. Now that the era of prosperity is about to dawn the owners propose to place their holdings in such shape as to make them very attractive to the public.

Tourists and campers will find Libby's small cans of milk just the right size. We sell them, Monarch Mercantile Co. Phone 1051.

PUBLIC WANTS TO KNOW

WHETHER THE FAIR ASSOCIATION IS GOING TO ACT.

SHOULD SET DATE FOR FAIR

Too Much Time Has Already Been Lost—Interferes With Bargain Week Program.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—The Klamath County Fair Association. Information as to its whereabouts will be thankfully received by THE PUBLIC.

For the past month the people of the city have been waiting for the fair association to do something about holding a fair this fall. As it now stands but a few weeks remain in which anything can be done, and unless a start is made at once the county will be presented with the same half-baked old last year. That is one thing that the business men of the city are not going to stand for. The movement to hold a Bargain week has progressed far enough to warrant the statement that it will be a fact. The business men want to hold it during fair week. A great deal of work has to be done beforehand; catalogues issued and mailed and the people of the interior advised fully about what this city has to offer. In order to do this a definite date must be set at once. If the fair association is not going to take hold of the fair it should come out and say so, in order that others may take it up and carry it forward. If it is going to manage it, it should announce the date on which it will be held.

Campers will find Heinz' pork and beans very handy and awfully good. We have them, Monarch Mercantile Co. Phone 1051.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Rose E. Keese et vir to A. P. Hutchens, lot 3 in blk 83, K. F. add. to K. F.; \$1,500.

Selma Malmsten to Carl J. Ringnell, 8 1/2 of NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 of sec 16, tp 41 s, r 13 e, and N 1/2 of N 1/2 and S 1/2 of NE 1/4 sec 16, tp 38 s, r 11 1/2 e, \$400.

Chas. E. Worden et al to Jacob Grobel, lots 11 and 12 in blk 5 Shipplington add. to K. F.; \$500.

Albert E. Dunning et ux to W. A. Watson et al, lot 7 blk 44 in First add to K. F.; \$10.

O. L. Carter et ux to Altha Beach et al, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of sec 16, tp 39 s, r 9 e, \$1,700.

F. A. Carter et ux to Chas. E. Worden, lots 3 and 4 and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of sec 1 and lot 1 of sec 2, tp 39 s, r 11 1/2 e, \$10.

R. E. Ferguson et ux to O. A. Kreamer, 8 1/2 of SW 1/4 of sec 16, tp 38 s, r 12 e, \$440.

Robert Wainock et ux to Howard Shepherd et al in K. F.; \$10.

INDORSED BY THE CHAMBER

THE BARGAIN WEEK MOVEMENT MEETS WITH APPROVAL.

HOLD IT DURING FAIR WEEK

The Business Men Should Get Together and Decide the Question Among Themselves.

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held last night, and the matter of holding a Bargain Week was taken up and considered. The members felt that it was out of their sphere to have anything directly to do with this matter, as it was entirely within the province of the business men of the city. So favorably impressed were they with the movement and the advisability of holding a Bargain Week carnival that they passed the following resolution:

"The Klamath Chamber of Commerce commends the spirit of the merchants of Klamath Falls who contemplate a 'Bargain Week,' during which special prices will be made on merchandise, as a means of demonstrating to people of the interior the advantages of this city as a retail trade center. It is suggested that the date selected be coincident with the exhibit of the annual fair."

While the indorsement of the Chamber of Commerce adds to the merits of the proposition just that much, the merchants of the city should require no such approbation, for the affair is one that should command the consideration of the business man who is desirous of expanding his trade territory. The merchant willing to have his trade remain within the confines of the city or county will, of course, see little good in a bargain week, for the reason he will not care to lose the profit caused by the reduction. But the merchant who is a believer in big sales and small profits, who is desirous of being more than a local institution, who wishes to see thousands of dollars come to the city during the spring and fall months, this man will see the merits of the Bargain Week and be an earnest supporter of the movement.

For Sale—August Only

A Summer Resort on Klamath Lake That is Unsurpassed in America

This is a sporting proposition for men of wealth—it is not a farm. Unequaled trout fishing June to November. Deer hunting on the premises August 1 to November 1. Duck shooting superior to any in the State over thousands of acres of wild celery and rice September 1 to February 1.

Grouse and pheasant shooting on the place October 15 to November 15. Best starting place in county for a bear hunt. Crater lake automobile road will run through the place for a mile and a quarter. Navigable water to the property, unsurpassed drinking water and power to develop the property.

More bottom land and fine garden land than any place on the lake. Thousands of pine and fir trees and thousands of quaking aspens. More varieties of wild flowers and natural grasses and vetches than any place in the county.

If you develop this property as it can be developed there is no resort in the county that can compare with it. No amount of talking will describe it; let us show you. We have been offered more than twice what it cost, but have a price at which you may take it; below which, we will keep it.

J. G. PIERCE at office Buena Vista Addition Conger Avenue, or W. T. SHIVE At Shive Bros. & Co.'s Store.

week should be decided on by the merchants themselves, and for that purpose a meeting should be held. Merchants engaged in the same lines of business should meet and agree on a program of prices. Some have advanced the argument that this agreement will not be lived up to. It seems unlikely that this city is filled with business men whose word is of so little value. If such should be the case the finding out for a certainty of such a fact would be worth the having of the sale. It is simply a show of weakness on the part of the merchant; to advance such an argument.

MISS APPLIGATE WINS SCHOLARSHIP

At University of Oregon—Proves the Efficiency of the Klamath County Schools.

If anything were necessary to testify to the high standard of teaching of the schools of this county it may be found in the winning by Miss Rachel E. Appligate of this city of the scholarship of \$200 offered annually by the Oregon branch of Collegiate Alumni at the University of Oregon. There were fifteen applicants for the scholarship.

The selection is based on the showing made by the applicants in their high school work. Miss Appligate's victory is one of which the county may well feel proud. She is a young lady of untiring energy and ability, and it may confidently be expected that the laurels she now has won will be added to during her stay at the university.

Try our choice hams, bacon and lard once; thereafter you'll use no other. Monarch Mercantile Co. Phone 1051.

Few Huckleberries.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bryant returned last evening from the huckleberry patch, where they had been for their annual supply of this luscious fruit. The abundance of these berries that were in evidence last year is strongly emphasized by the scarcity this season. The quality is poor, and as a consequence they went to the marsh and picked the blueberries to be found there. Wiseacres have a happy faculty of predicting the kind of winter that will follow the crop of huckleberries. If there is an abundant crop the winter will be severe, if a scarcity, the winter will be mild. If all signs do not fall this section should see a very mild winter this year, for the crop is the poorest it has been in years.

Mr. Bryant brought down two bucks and a bear. He is not satisfied with this record, which is the best reported so far this season, and he is going back next month and bag some of the big fellows that are further up in the mountains.

Try Heinz' Tomato Soups, the best on earth. We have them, Monarch Mercantile Co. Phone 1051.

Phone 331 if you have laundry. We have no boys or Chinamen collecting laundry for us. Klamath Falls Steam Laundry.

HOEY SAYS SEPTIC TANKS

THE MODERN METHOD FOR SEWERAGE DISPOSAL

THE CURRENT IS INSUFFICIENT

Injunction, if Granted, Would Tie Up the Entire System—Council Should Move Cautiously.

H. P. Hoey, construction engineer for the California Northeastern, was asked for an opinion on the practicability of the city using Lake Kuwana as a dumping place for the sewage of the city. He said:

"If the current of the Klamath river was swifter than it is it might be all right to use it as an outlet for the sewage of the city; but as it is I do not think that the expense of a septic tank would justify the taking the chance of polluting the river and lake by dumping the sewage therein. The use of septic tanks is the modern method of disposing of sewage." "The modern method" is what the city wants, especially in view of the fact that the additional cost will not be of much moment. The certainty of the city having to come to the bank system should cause the council to pause before it will go to the expense of placing the outfall directly in the lake. This money will be entirely wasted. If the council carries out the proposed program and after the completion of the system an injunction should be granted, it would tie up the sewerage of the city until the septic tanks were installed.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Will Be Held To-night for the Purpose of Considering Sewer Bonds

A special meeting of the City Council will be held this evening for the purpose of considering the question of awarding the sewer bonds to another firm. There has been a hitch with this will be a letter calling the attention of the city to the probability that the bonds may not be accepted, and setting forth the reasons for such a statement.

The question of the installation of a septic tank system or carrying out of the original plan adopted by the Council will not come up for consideration until the question of the sale of bonds is definitely disposed of. In this matter, due to the fact that the financial responsibility of the firm securing the bonds has been questioned. Unless a satisfactory showing can be made the city will reconsider the action taken at the former meeting and give the bonds to the Portland firm making the 5 1/2 per cent bid.

One of the matters that will be presented to the Council in connection with this is the question of the sale of bonds to the Portland firm making the 5 1/2 per cent bid.



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Full one-quarter pint, 25c; full one-half pint, 50c; full pint, 75c; full quart, \$1.25. See samples of different oils at our store.

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