

## RAILROAD TO KLAMATH

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FILED BY OREGON TRUNK

INCORPORATED \$5,000,000

Several Contracts Let During Past Week—Grading to Continue All Winter.

At Vancouver, Wash., on the afternoon of November 3d, the Oregon Trunk railway filed articles of incorporation, providing for a railway from a point on the Spokane, Portland and Seattle railroad opposite Celilo to a point at Klamath Falls. The articles make the usual specifications concerning the acquirement of rights of way, operation, construction of bridges, etc. The articles further state that from the point near Celilo the railroad will run up the Columbia river to the Deschutes river and up the Deschutes southerly to Klamath Falls. The incorporation is for \$5,000,000, divided into 50,000 shares of \$100 each. The incorporators are A. L. Miller and E. W. Yates of Vancouver. The trustees are John F. Stevens, Jackson Smith, James B. Kerr, A. L. Miller and Geo. Kys.

This is the Hill road now building up the Deschutes canyon. Last week several small contracts for the grading of the right of way up the canyon were let by Powell Brothers, who are in charge of the grading above Madras. The work of grading will probably continue there all winter, and in the spring part of the track will be laid. This road is one of the things which will help make Klamath Falls the central shipping point for

Northern California and Southern and Central Oregon. This city will then be on the main line of two of the principal railroads on the Pacific coast.

Those who have seen the beautiful depot now being erected by the Southern Pacific company know that this little city has a wonderful future. Nowhere between Portland and Sacramento can there be found a depot its equal in architecture, stability and general excellence, and this alone proves that the Harriman people depend upon the future of this city, and intend making it one of the main shipping points of the system. And when the Hill road gets here there will be no power that can stop the development of our wonderful resources and natural growth.

### RAMSBY'S EXPRESS

If you want your stuff moved and moved quick, get Ramsby's Express to do it. Office at Sixth and Klamath. Phone 123.

### ELECTRIC METERS

Patrons desiring to use electric meters may now place their order at our office as we will have a stock on hand in a very few days, either to run at 25 cents per month or to sell at cost.

K. F. LIGHT & WATER CO.

### PIONEER SOCIETY MEETING

At the courthouse Monday evening, November 8th, at 7:30 o'clock, the Pioneer Society of Klamath Basin will have a business meeting and program, followed by a banquet in Red Men's hall. All members of this society and all eligible to become members are invited.

Don't forget the date

Don't wear out your back, broom and carpets when you can get the work done so quickly, thoroughly and cheaply by Mongold's vacuum cleaner.

## PRIZE WAS OREGON'S

C. T. OLIVER SAYS KLAMATH WON THE PRIZE

TO EXHIBIT CARLOAD IN 1910

James J. Hill, the Railroad Magnate, Makes Speech at Congress and Lauds Southern Oregon.

C. T. Oliver returned last night from Billings, Mont., where he attended the dry farming congress, and took an exhibit of Klamath county products. Mr. Oliver paid his own expenses and collected the exhibit unaided and alone. He naturally has a keen sense of satisfaction in having been successful in winning praise for Klamath county products in such keen competition.

The exhibits embraced those from all sections of the West and Middle states, and even Alberta, Canada, showed up with twenty-three delegates and an exhibit from over the line.

The prize for the best state exhibit, a beautiful \$250 silver cup, was first awarded to Oregon by the judges of exhibits, and the award was entered on the minute book for two hours. The delegation from Colorado, whose exhibits embraced products from more than a dozen counties, made a vigorous protest. The result was a reconsideration in their favor. Oregon was represented only by 1,500 pounds of exhibits sent by two counties—Klamath and Crook.

The committee of judges endeavored to place the silver cup to the credit of the exhibit of highest quality, while the congress decided that area and quantity should receive the recognition. Had other counties in Oregon sent exhibits to the number and quantity to equal Colorado the Klamath exhibit would easily have been the winning one to capture the prize for Oregon.

The governor of Montana was present, and took an active part in the congress, delivering a fine address of welcome to the 800 delegates and 3,000 visitors in attendance. Despite the attractions of the Elks' convention in progress, the sessions of the Dry Farming congress drew such immense crowds that standing room was obtained with difficulty.

The most modern badge for a reception committee was significant of the general spirit prevailing among the Billings citizens, being "Ask Me, I'm a Booster."

The exhibition of farming implements and machinery was a revelation of progress indeed. There were exhibitions of plowing and harrowing, together with instructive talks on conserving moisture in the soil, and all the other latest scientific agricultural methods. Modern ideas in decoration had an almost endless scope in variety. One of the most unique features was the forming of letters of signs from corn buttons. Ears of corn were sawed into short lengths and nailed through tin caps making a fine decorative effect.

A Montana man had a house built of potatoes from "Potato Hill" farm. From Colorado came a carload of red apples of different varieties—the rokiest, rokiest kinds.

Far-away Palestine sent a delegate, a Roumanian named Aronsohn who came on missionary work to show the dry farmers of the Occident what dry farming in the Orient was like. He showed them with lantern slides, the rockiest, driest, most forlorn and hopeless tracts of land, and then produced samples of wild wheat and barley slides, showing great fields

of it growing on such land. This wild wheat and barley is highly susceptible to cultivation, and is receiving much attention at present to ascertain its value in this country on dry ranches.

Perhaps the most notable speaker at the congress was James J. Hill. He spent much time among the exhibits, studying and comparing them closely, and when he made his speech to the congress he declared that he had never seen such tall grain as that grown in Southern Oregon.

"Why, if you have seen what I have seen down in that exhibition hall—the tallest grain I ever saw in my life—you would believe what Southern Oregon can produce," he said, referring to the Klamath exhibit, containing the tallest sheaf of grain at the congress. Mr. Hill visited the Klamath exhibit a number of times, escorting visitors whom he particularly desired to show what our country could produce.

Mr. Hill gave \$1,000 in prizes at the congress, and over his railroad system all exhibits, some of them carload lots, were hauled free. In many cases he paid freight and express charges on connecting lines. The industrial exhibit of the Great Northern railroad was placed in an annex to the congress, and embraced products from a number of states through which the railroad operates.

Mr. Oliver promised to attend the next year's session of the Dry Farming congress in Spokane, and bring a carload of Klamath exhibit, which he can easily do.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Last night a masterly sermon was preached, to which three responded for confession and baptism.

Mr. Wirtz's solo, "The Ninety and Nine," was much appreciated and the illustrations thrown on the screen by Evangelist Holmes were exceptionally clear, and being very appropriate, served to add much to the effectiveness of the song. The meetings will close Sunday night.

The Ladies' Aid and Christian Women's board of missions were organized Thursday afternoon.

On Saturday night a lantern program of a mixed nature will be given, which will be a collection of the world's famous paintings, which has been selected with much care and expense. On Monday night "The Passion Play" will be given.

### CASE OF STATE VS. HARRY INGRAHAM IS DISMISSED

At the preliminary hearing of the case of the State vs. Harry Ingraham the case was dismissed. The complaining witness in his own testimony stated that before any guns were shown he had assaulted the defendant with a dangerous weapon and, though a great many witnesses were called, the state's attorney failed to make a case against the defendant. It is rumored, however, that some of the most valuable testimony was not available at the time, and the case will probably come up for trial again in a few days. If such is the case the next trial should be interesting. It seems remarkable that two men cannot live across the road from one another without resorting to gun plays and the law to settle their disputes.

### PURE, CLEAN MILK

After the 15th of the present month I will be prepared to furnish pure milk to the people of Klamath Falls. My cows are young, healthy and well fed, and the milk is handled in a cleanly and sanitary manner. Our aim shall be to give satisfaction. Telephone 825.

JAS. W. STRAW.

## ORGANIZING STATE GRANGE

STATE DEPUTY CYRUS WALKER HERE FOR THAT PURPOSE

FIVE GRANGES FOR KLAMATH

Explanation of the Purposes and the Principles of This Well-Known Organization

Under the direction of the state master and the executive committee of the Oregon State Grange, State Deputy Cyrus H. Walker has come to Klamath county to organize some granges, coming at the earnest request of prominent citizens.

Deputy Walker during the month of September and a part of October organized four granges in Coos county, one being at Bandon "by the sea," the most westerly grange in the United States.

He hopes to do even better in this county, putting in at least five granges, thus entitling the county to two sets of delegates to the state grange, which meets at Oregon City Tuesday, May 10, 1910.

A set of delegates consists of a husband and wife. They are allowed 10 cents per mile traveling expenses and \$1 per day each during the session, which next year will likely take four days, as officers are to be elected.

The cardinal principles of the grange are co-operation, education and sociability. The grange is a farmers' organization, hence the last named often finds its highest success in the rural communities.

Young people over 14 years of age can become members.

Literary programs are a leading feature in grange meetings, and in these the young people receive a most helpful training. Women are admitted on an equal footing with men; in fact, they are given an advantage, for of the thirteen offices all can be filled with women, while there are four that men are not permitted to fill. The grange more and more is looked up to as the exponent of the farmers' opinions, hence public men are asking when important measures come before the people, "What are the granges going to do about it?"

The Linn County Council Patrons of Husbandry, composed of delegates from Linn's fifteen granges and some in Benton county, at its last May session passed a resolution favoring a uniform state rate of 3 cents per mile on all railroad lines in Oregon. This was carried up to and endorsed by the state grange.

Some of the lines that will be affected by this measure, should it become a law, is the C. & E. from Newport to Albany and then eastward to near the summit of the Cascade mountains; the S. P. line twenty-six miles from Marshfield to Myrtle Point in Coos county, and a portion of the S. P. from Weed to Klamath Falls.

The pressure brought through the granges in the several counties most affected might secure the proposed reduction.

Klamath county will find it greatly to her advantage to have strong grange organizations, and getting into touch with those elsewhere in Eastern Oregon and particularly the many in the Willamette valley, secure most helpful legislation.

A canvas is now being made to organize a grange in Klamath Falls, starting with not less than thirty members, a general rule of the state grange executive committee.

Persons desiring to become members of the local grange and who may not be seen by the organizing deputy,

can leave their names and the fee of \$1 for men, 50 cents for women and six months' dues, 50 cents, in advance with J. G. Swan, county school superintendent.

To be a charter member does away with the initiatory ceremonies, persons only being obligated, and this can be done subsequently if not present when the grange is organized.

### NEW PICTURES AT THE OPERA HOUSE

"She Would Be an Actress," but hubby has rather strong objections and decides to break up the show on the night of her debut.

"His Little Girl" is in reality 18 years old, and this fact alone causes a good deal of fuss.

"The Different Rulers of the World" are conjured up by a clever magician and shown in some rather amusing poses.

"Wood-Floating at Morvan" is an interesting and instructive film, showing life in the woods, glorious in their regal splendor.

"The Little Busy-Body" is a mischievous youngster who gets into grandfather's laboratory and has an interesting time.

"The Haunted Manor House" is a spooky sort of place, where all sorts of queer things happen to the chairs and furniture.

W. C. Dalton of the Carr ranch has certainly got one of the best watches out. Last fall he lost it in the field while plowing, and this fall found it again while he was harvesting his crop. Twice since the watch was lost the field has been irrigated and a horse has stepped on the case, yet W. C. Davenport, the watch expert in Heitkemper's jewelry store, told Mr. Dalton that the watch could be repaired and would keep time as well as it ever did. The watch is a 17-jewel Hamilton.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Boyd, vice president, Mrs. Grigby presiding, since Mrs. Price resigned. Mrs. O. A. Stearns was elected treasurer in place of Mrs. Wilson, resigned. They will meet at the home of Mrs. W. P. McMillan next Wednesday, November 10th, at 3 o'clock. The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet at the lecture room of the Methodist church next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

For sale, cheap, piano, kitchen cabinet, chiffonier and other household goods. Inquire at Public Library or Still's store.

Best hot tomatoes at the East End Kandy Kitchen.

## RICH MINER IMPRESSED

E. D. DUBOIS SAYS THERE IS NO SECTION LIKE THIS

WILL INVEST IN REAL ESTATE

Klamath County Has the Greatest Future of Any City in the Northwest

E. D. DuBois of Portland, who left on the morning train for his home, stated yesterday that though he knew Washington from A to Z, and had traveled extensively through other parts of the Union, he had never seen a country with such bright prospects or so promising a future.

Mr. DuBois is a wealthy miner, one of the few who can tell a mine from a hole in the ground, and owns a very valuable placer mine about fifty miles out from Dawson City. Every season for the past eight or nine years he has lived in Alaska, making his winter headquarters in Portland. He had heard a number of his friends speak of this country, and decided he would come down and see for himself.

He was greatly impressed, and though he has left for his home, he will return in three weeks to close the several deals he has made while here. He reiterated several times that when the main line of the Southern Pacific is completed through this city there will be greater opportunities here than in any other section of the country he has as yet seen.

While here Mr. DuBois was the guest of the Home Realty company.

### TOO BAD, BUT WE CAN'T HELP IT

The following letter explains itself: "Portland, Ore., Nov. 3.

Monarch Mercantile Co., Klamath Falls, Ore.:

"Dear Sirs—We are very sorry to inform you that we were unable to ship your fish order today. Owing to a washout on the S. P. the express company will not receive any fish south of Ashland, Ore. Now we will hold your order on file and ship as soon as the road is open. Yours truly,

"PORTLAND FISH CO."

Mr. and Mrs. Claude M. Johns of Portland left on the stage this morning for Lakeview, where they expect to make their home in the future. Mr. Johns is a prominent lawyer, and will become a partner of L. F. Coon of that city.



**Just a Reminder!**

This Store, as usual, will be Santa Claus' Headquarters for

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**Xmas Goods**

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**Our Guarantee with these:**

When we say guarantee we mean just what we say. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded at once without parley or question. Now that is the guarantee we give.

Any Household Remedy bearing a Red Star label or DIKE SHIELD label is positively guaranteed to give entire and absolute satisfaction.

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