

Klamath Indians Get Cash for Modoc Irrigation Plan Ben Selling Hob-nobs with his Old Redskin Friends

RE-APPORTION GIVES \$50,000

CAPTAIN APPLIGATE GETS WORD OF AWARD

Land of Indians in Williamson River District Will Be Under Government Irrigation Ditch—Part of the Project Has Been Completed, But the Work Was Suspended for Want of Funds

The Modoc Point irrigation project is assured. Congress has made an appropriation, without strings, which will insure the success of the original plan.

Captain O. C. Applegate, who was agent at the time the Modoc project was started, and who is familiar with the work already done, says that the \$18,000 allowed by the congressional session just concluded will be ample to complete the project.

About two years ago an appropriation of \$50,000 was made by congress for the Modoc Point irrigation plan, but because the appropriation was not made with some others an objection arose, and the money was not available when it came time for the actual work.

The Modoc Point irrigation project will reclaim from 8,000 to 10,000 acres of land, some of the best in the Klamath country, according to Captain Applegate. All this land belongs to Indians, but they are among the most progressive in the region, and vast good will result in the development of their places.

The work on the Modoc Point project was started about ten years ago, but was suspended because of lack of funds. Subsequently the Southern Pacific paid for some work in return for right of way.

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CAPTAIN MCCAULEY BUYS BOATHOUSE

Captain McCauley has resigned as fleet captain for the Pelican Bay Navigation company, and has bought the eight-room houseboat of Major Worden. He will locate the boat above the straits in Agency Lake.

"At the point I have selected for the houseboat, which will be named the 'Mallard Club,'" said Captain McCauley, "hunters agree more ducks are to be shot early in the season than in any other part of this section.

"The steamer Spray will stop there daily, and will make a special run from this city on Saturday evening, returning Sunday evening.

"I assure hunters good sport, and with no danger of being lost."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.—Colonel Walter Schuyler, army commandant, of California, has been ordered to investigate conditions along the New Mexico and Arizona borders.

WOMEN'S SKIRTS CAUSE DOWNFALL

MINISTER MAKES SENSATIONAL CHARGE FROM PULPIT—VICTIMS ARE IN HOSPITAL AND HELL, HE SAYS

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 25.—"There are men in hospitals and in hell who owe their damnation to the skirts of some bad, beautiful woman," was the way the Rev. G. L. Morrill, pastor of the Peoples' Church, opened a sermon here on the tendency of women of today regarding dress.

"Women," he said, "are trying to get back to the fig-leaf age."

The Rev. Mr. Morrill illustrated his sermon with slides made from photographs of women that he had taken on the streets of Minneapolis.

TEDDY HITS AT SENATOR PENROSE

COMPARES CHARGES AGAINST HIM TO POLICE GRAFT

Former President Declares That if the Pennsylvania Senator Has Been Properly Quoted He Should Be Ousted From the United States Senate—No Direct Denial is Made to the Charge

United Press Service

OYSTER BAY, Aug. 25.—Colonel Roosevelt today declared that Senator Penrose's declaration that he had told or sent word to Archbold that the Standard Oil company had better make an additional contribution to the republican campaign fund of 1904 in order to avoid difficulties from "certain quarters" amounted to blackmail.

"What is the difference between Senator Penrose's statement and the New York police graft?" asked Roosevelt. "If Senator Penrose made such a statement he ought to be ousted from the senate."

NEW BUILDINGS MEAN NEW MOVES

WHITES AND KLAMATH COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY TO MOVE TO NEW WHITE BUILDING, AND FIRST NATIONAL WILL SHIFT

As soon as the G. W. White building on Main street, between Fifth and Sixth, is completed, the offices of G. W. and Wilbur White and the Klamath County Abstract company will be removed from the basement of the old First National bank building at Fourth and Main streets and established in the westerly store room of the new building. This will be some time during the coming month.

As soon as the transfer is made the First National bank will begin improvements on its old building, lowering the first floor to the street level. As soon as this is completed the bank will move from its present corner, in the same corner as the Hotel Hall, into its old home. R. E. Wattenburg, who is contractor for the new White building, has the work of improving the old First National block.

LOSES HIS GRIP; FALLS TO DEATH

PORTLAND MAN IS RUN OVER BY STREET CAR—BOTH OF HIS LEGS ARE CUT OFF AND DEATH SOON COMES

PORTLAND, Aug. 25.—Losing his grip as he tried to board a moving Hawthorne avenue car at East Thirtieth street and Hawthorne avenue, B. B. Screven, aged 34, slipped under the wheels and sustained such injuries that he died at 10 o'clock in Good Samaritan hospital, where he was taken by the Red Cross ambulance. Screven was dragged thirty feet after being knocked down, and both of his legs were severed. Internal injuries were sustained, but despite his condition, he retained consciousness and begged for a drink of water as he lay on the ground.

INDIAN OFFICE IS AFTER DATA

PREFERS NOT TO SELL LAND FOR FISH HATCHERY UNTIL POWER SITE AND RESERVOIR POSSIBILITIES ARE DETERMINED

Captain O. C. Applegate is in receipt of a letter from Edson Watson, superintendent of the Klamath Indian reservation, saying that a letter has come from the commissioner of Indian affairs, with reference to the use of the Hattie Blair allotment for fish hatchery purposes. It appears that this land may be purchased outright, but that the department prefers not to take steps looking to the sale of the land until the question of power site and reservoir possibilities is determined by a field examination. An early determination is urged by the Indian office in the matter.

Captain Applegate, who has been very active in working toward the perfection of plans for a fish hatchery in the Spring Creek district, does not believe that the establishment of one is impossible by any means, and is hopeful that the work may yet be accomplished.

FIRE FIEND IS ON THE TRAIL

FOR SECOND TIME THE ASHLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT IS CALLED TO PROTECT PROPERTY OF G. W. STEPHENSON

ASHLAND, Aug. 25.—For the second time this month, the fire department has been called out in the early hours of the morning to quench a fire in business property on Main street. The man to suffer loss was G. W. Stephenson, a retired capitalist. The latest loss occurred Monday morning, when a wooden block with a frontage of sixty feet was burned beyond repair by a fire of unknown origin. The block is the last of the wooden structures facing on the Plaza, and was one of the landmarks of Ashland. Good & Danford, electrical supply house, are the heaviest losers.

The upper floor was occupied by the Plaza rooming house, operated by C. J. Ferguson and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson came here several months ago for their health. They had about \$600 invested in furniture, all of which was a total loss. They had no insurance. The total loss on building and contents will probably reach \$10,000.

NEW CARDINAL TO LIVE IN ROME

RUMOR IS CURRENT AT VATICAN THAT ANOTHER AMERICAN CARDINAL WILL BE APPOINTED TO LIVE AT CHURCH HOME

ROME, Aug. 25.—A rumor is current here that the pope is about to create a new cardinal from the United States. His headquarters will be in this city. It has been expected here for some time, in view of the pope's favorable attitude to the church in America, that another cardinal would soon be appointed.

NEGROES BARRED BY THE LAWYERS

MORRIS' RESIGNATION SAVES DRASTIC ACTION

Minnesota Colored Man Saves Himself and Brothers From Getting a Hard Turn-Down by the American Bar Association—Recall of Judges is Said by Attorneys to Be Dangerous to Good Government

United Press Service

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 25.—The American Bar Association has saved a decided stand on the negro question here today when William Morris of Minnesota, colored, sent in his withdrawal from membership.

It is expected that the resignation of the other two negroes who have made application will follow. The resignation of Morris was unanimously adopted. J. H. Merrill of Georgia, in presenting the resolution of resignation, commended the "fine spirit" which actuated Mr. Morris' action.

In a special report, a committee has characterized the recall of judges as "dangerous, objectionable and subversive to good government." The report was adopted, as predicted.

Kellogg is favored for the presidency of the association.

BASKET SOCIAL FOR PIANO FUND

MUSICAL AND LITERARY PROGRAM TO BE OFFERED AT THE MILLS ADDITION HALL BY IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION

On Friday evening at Mills Addition hall there will be given a basket social at which a musical and literary program of exceptional merit is offered. Ladies who attend are invited to bring baskets of refreshments, and the proceeds from the door fee will be used toward the purchase of a piano for the Mills Addition Improvement Club.

WHALE RHUBARB PLANT IS GROWN

STALK AS LARGE AS COP'S BILLY AND WITH LEAF, MEASURES ABOUT THREE FEET—APPLEGATE HAS LARGER IN GARDEN

Elmer I. Applegate drove to town this morning with another monster garden sample. This time it was a stalk of rhubarb and the leaf. The stalk was as around as a policeman's club and, with the leaf, stood almost three feet high. The stalk from stem to leaf about 16 inches with the leaf about the same height, while the leaf was probably thirty inches across. Captain O. C. Applegate took the specimen with a view to putting it on exhibition. Elmer I. Applegate said the rhubarb was planted last year from roots which had been taken from another garden and split up. He has another one in his garden which he has not yet decided to pull up, which measures three feet across the leaf. The quality of the vegetable is good, being firm and crisp. The mushiness that often characterizes enormous vegetables is not apparent.

GRAFT CHARGES MAY BE UNTRUE

United Press Service

DETROIT, Aug. 25.—Incomplete returns indicate that the republicans have nominated Amos Musselman for governor; the democrats, Woodridge Ferris; progressives, L. W. Watkins.

Seventeen of the eighteen aldermen accused of grafting sought re-nomination. The indications are that most of them have been re-nominated. The returns are coming in very slow.

Frank McCornack, who owns a ranch on the Upper Lake, about five miles from this city, is here today on business. He says that never before have conditions been so favorable for cattle men as at the present time. "I have not sold any of my stock this year," said Mr. McCornack, "but expect to be in the market soon."

PUGILIST MAKES ROWDIES BEHAVE

PILOT ROCK PICKS A RING GENERAL FOR MARSHAL, AND HE HAS BEEN ABLE TO RESTORE ORDER

PENDLETON, Aug. 25.—Charles Jost, Northwest welterweight pugilist, is now city marshal of Pilot Rock. That little city is infested with a gang of bullies who so intimidated H. H. McReynolds, former marshal, that they did as they pleased, with impunity. An appeal was made to Chief Kearney of Pendleton, and on his recommendation Jost was hired a week ago. His success in restoring order has been so great that Mayor Casteel has given him the job permanently.

Society Woman Up for Gambling

Golden Gate Cities are Shocked at the Arrest of Mrs. L. A. Brink for Keeping Gambling Resort

OAKLAND, Aug. 25.—Mrs. L. A. Brink has been arrested here on a charge of conducting a woman's gambling resort. Mrs. Brink is a prominent Berkeley society woman, and her arrest has caused a terrific stir in social circles. She was arraigned in court this morning, and was released on \$1,000 bond, after being held for trial.

U. S. Troops May Quell a Rebellion

For First Time Yankee Soldiers may go into Foreign Territory to Put an End to a Revolution

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.—The state department has requested President Taft to order the Tenth infantry, stationed at Panama, to sail for Corinto, Nicaragua, immediately. This is the first time that American soldiers have been asked to be sent to Central America to quell a rebellion.

Borden Turns on the Suffragettes

Premier of Canada Declares that the women of his Country are Able to Decide What They Want

LONDON, Aug. 25.—A suffragette delegation called on Premier Borden of Canada, who is here today. The women declare that the premier edged the issue presented. "So far as Canada is concerned,"

Textile Men are Involved in Plot

Boston District Attorney Makes a Direct Charge Against Employers to Dynamite for Purpose

United Press Service
BOSTON, Aug. 25.—District Attorney Pelletier today directly charged that the New England Textile mills had conspired to "plant" dynamite in Lawrence in order to discredit the union strikers. The first intimation of the evidence in the hands of the district attorney came when one of the men who planted the dynamite made a complete confession. This was followed by the suicide of Pitman, a prominent manufacturer, who had been subpoenaed to confirm this confession.