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ROCKEFELLER IS AFTER EAGLE RIDGE

Mrs. Griffith, However, Refuses to Consider Offers Made

WOOLEN MILL WILL BE TALKED AT MASS MEETING TO BE HELD AT THE COMMERCE CHAMBER TONIGHT

WILL NAME A COMMITTEE TO GO TO STAYTON AND SEE PLANT RUNNING

No Bonus or Free Site Is Asked for by the Owner of the Mill—According to State Treasurer Tom Kay, He is a Man of Limited Means, But an Expert Textile Worker—Local Men to Help by Taking Stock

is Klamath Falls to have a woolen mill?

This is the all absorbing topic for discussion at the mass meeting to be held tonight at the Chamber of Commerce, Seventh street and Klamath avenue. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

At this session, all who are interested will discuss the proposition made by John P. Wilbur of Stayton, Ore., to move his woolen mill from there to this city. A big attendance is expected.

Local business and professional men have subscribed a fund to be used in defraying the expenses of a committee to go to Stayton and see the plant. The members will be appointed at this evening's meeting.

As the report tendered by these men will govern the action taken by local people in the matter, it is the desire to appoint two men who are thoroughly capable, so all are urged to attend who feel interested in the project. In addition, the matters to be ascertained by the committee will also be outlined.

Mr. Wilbur recently purchased the woolen mill at Stayton, but although he is a textile expert, he is handicapped by lack of funds. In coming to Klamath Falls, he does not ask a free site, or a bonus. Instead, he asks that if the committee finds things satisfactory, a stock company be formed to finance the moving of the plant and the commencement of operations.

As woolen goods are in demand at all times, there is every reason to look for success. The nearness of the Klamath and Lake county wool growers is another advantageous matter. The Stayton plant is a three-set mill. It has twelve looms, which turn out blankets, Indian robes, dress goods, mattresses, mackinaw cloth, and can be used in making any kind of woolen goods. According to State Treasurer Tom Kay, who has known Mr. Wilbur a long time, he is a thoroughly capable textile worker, being familiar with every feature of the work.

Women Jurors Weep

When the first women's jury in Cook county, Illinois, heard testimony in a number of cases of women and children in the court for the insane at the detention hospital, they broke down and sobbed. At times the jurors were moved to smiles, in spite of the pitiful details.

Five times as many earthquake shocks are recorded on the Pacific Coast of the United States as on the Atlantic.

THUNDER SEEMS TO HAVE QUITTED MEXICAN LANDS

AMERICANS SAY THEY WILL RETURN SOON

Party Reaching San Diego Say They Came Only Because of the Appeal Made by President Wilson—Will Return South as Soon as They Can. Blame Administration for Their Departure—Message Encouraging.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 17.—Declaring that they are sorry they left their ranches in Mexico, and believing that there is no reason for a fight from that country, a party of 139 American men, women and children arrived here today on the cruiser Buffalo.

"We have not been molested in any way, and came north only because of the appeal made by President Wilson," said one of the ranchers. "We will return to Mexico just as soon as we can, too."

All of the party blamed the administration for their departure.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 17.—President Huerta's message and the absence of any anti-foreign demonstration at the opening of the Mexican congress yesterday, has aroused hope of a peaceful solution of the Mexican situation.

Men Who Introduced the Currency Bill



Above is Senator Robert C. Owen of Oklahoma, who introduced in the senate the currency reform bill, one of the administration measures.

Simultaneously with its introduction in the senate the bill was brought into the house of representatives by Congressman Carter Glass of Virginia (below).

Both men were instrumental in framing the measure.

DIGGS GETS TWO, CAMINETTI YEAR AND HALF; FINES

PARENTS OF GIRLS SCORED BY VAN FLEET

Society's Laxity Is Excoriated by the Judge—Men Are Sentenced to Serve Time in San Quentin—Defense Asks for Service of Time at McNeill's Island—Stay of Proceedings for Ten Days Is Granted

United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—Because of their relations leading to convictions under the Mann white slave law, Maurey F. Diggs was today sentenced to two years' imprisonment and \$2,000 fine, and Drew Caminetti to eighteen months' imprisonment and a fine of \$1,500. They will serve the time in San Quentin.

In pronouncing sentence Federal Judge Van Fleet scathingly denounced a condition of society which winks

FRIENDS OF WEALTHY FAMILY HAVE BEEN CORRESPONDING IN HOPES OF SECURING THE PLACE

IS ONE OF THE PRETTIEST RESORTS ON THE WHOLE PACIFIC COAST

Charmed With the Delightful Summer Retreat on Upper Klamath Lake, Friends of the Wealthiest Man Have Worked Hard, But All in Vain, to Secure the Popular Establishment for Private Resort

The fame of Klamath county's ideal summer climate, its scenery, fishing, hunting, etc., has spread so far that even John D. Rockefeller, head of the Standard Oil company, and the world's richest man, has turned his eyes toward Klamath with a view to spending the summers here.

That representatives of Mrs. Rockefeller and family have been striving for some time to lease Eagle Ridge Tavern, the beautiful summer resort on Eagle Ridge, overlooking Upper Klamath Lake, is a fact that became known here today. So far, though, their efforts have been fruitless.

That the Rockefeller interests have been negotiating for some time was admitted this afternoon by Mrs. Mary Griffith, under whose ownership the tavern has become known all over the West. She expressed much surprise at hearing it was known that negotiations were under way, but declared that she has closed no deal with the people.

"Friends of the Rockefellers have visited the tavern at different times," said Mrs. Griffith over the telephone today, "and they seemed much impressed. They spoke something at the time of trying to lease the property, but I did not take them seriously."

"Since they returned East, however, I have received letters from them and from agents for the Rockefeller family, seeking terms for a lease on the Tavern for use as a summer home. However, I cannot consider these offers at all."

Rockefeller is not the first multimillionaire to seek the Klamath country as a summer home, for it has not been many years since the late E. E. Harriman, "railroad wizard," purchased the beautiful Pelican Bay Lodge property at the head of the Upper Lake, and built a commodious summer home there.

The Harriman family spent one of their most enjoyable summers at this resort, and they would have returned to it had it not been for the death of Mr. Harriman.

Knows From Experience
Miss Mary Barlowe of Chicago, assistant to the judge of the juvenile court, says that if any one could be with her in this court and hear girls of 14 and 15 tell of troubles that came to them through men whom they met at dance halls, and whose names they did not even know, they would see how necessary it is that these halls should be supervised.

Molten zinc instead of cement was used to bind together the stones in a bridge recently built in France.

PELICANS ARE TAME

Mrs. Bath Has Some Very Unique Pets in River

The White Pelican has long been a bird of prominence in the Klamath country. For generations it has been nesting on Lower Klamath Lake and summering in the Klamath country. A magnificent hotel is named after it; its name and photograph graces the labels adorning the bottled product of the local mineral springs; and its cognomen is affected by garages, motor boats, and baseball teams galore—but now it comes forth as a household pet.

Oh, no, not a household pet in the dyed-in-the-wool sense of the word. Pelicans are rather large little birds, and their awkwardness would result in the upsetting of many things, and it cannot be said that the piscatorial aroma surrounding them would be particularly desirable in a house.

The domesticated pelicans are four in number, and during the summer they have become regular visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bath, in the Navigation building. They will even get out of the water and follow Mrs. Bath around the dock.

Mrs. Bath has long been interested in the hundreds of birds that spend the summer around the bridge, and in order to prevent any molestation, she was some time ago appointed a deputy game warden. Several times she has been called upon to show her authority when the birds were in danger from inhumane people.

For a long time the four pelicans have been swimming to the vicinity of the dock to get whatever food could be found, and they were never disappointed when Mrs. Bath saw them. Becoming cognizant of this fact, they now make regular visits, always sure of getting fish and other pelican dainties.



HORSE KICKS; ARM FRACTURED

SUCCESSFUL HUNTING PARTY HAS UNPLEASANT ENDING, WHEN PACK HORSE INJURES THE GUIDE

J. V. McTimmonds, who for several seasons has guided hunting parties back into the hills from Fort Klamath and vicinity, met with a painful accident Saturday afternoon. As a result, he is here receiving medical attention.

McTimmonds, with his pack horses, etc., had taken a party of Southern California people back into the hills, and they were returning from the outing after a very successful hunt. While McTimmonds was behind one of the horses it kicked him.

The animal was heavily shod, and striking the left arm, the hoof caused a compound fracture, besides penetrating the flesh. McTimmonds was brought to the Blackburn hospital, where the fracture was reduced by Dr. Hamilton.

Hans Nylander is in the county seat on business from his ranch in the Merrill country.

SULZER IS CONFIDENT

Impeached New York Governor Anxious to Talk



ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 17.—"I thank God that the political bosses are about to hear from the people. They have dominated the politics and government of this grand old state too long."

upon the eve of his formal arraignment before the state supreme court on the impeachment charges preferred against him by the legislature. Sulzer appears to be very confident of disproving the charges made against him. He evidently wanted to talk on the subject, but his attorneys, fearing the effect, directed him to remain silent.

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