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MORE FINLEYISM

In the Oregonian of September 18, is published an interview with the state game warden, E. F. Averill, in which he states that while in Southern Oregon he "took a trip over the Klamath lake section." He is quoted in the article as saying that he "found 80,000 acres that used to be breeding ground for millions of wild water fowl has been transformed into barren alkali desert. Only about 3,000 acres in one end of the lake bed has been found profitable for agricultural operations."

If Mr. Averill visited the territory in question, no one identified with the extensive agricultural operations in that section saw him, nor did he consult anyone who had first-hand knowledge of what is being done there. One does not have to go far to find an inspiration for his statement. William Finley, recently appointed to the state game commission by Governor Pierce, has an obsession to have the lower Klamath lake re-flooded. According to Finley it is the great nesting place for ducks and geese. As a matter of fact it offers refuge principally for pelican, shag, heron and the like. It is true that ducks and geese do nest there, but in no such numbers as Finley alleges.

Following the Averill interview, the Oregonian makes editorial comment to the effect that "our marsh lands must hereafter remain in a state of nature."

If Averill's statements were true, the Oregonian might be justified in its statement. But the "lower Klamath section" has not "been transformed into a barren alkali waste." Instead, it is being transformed into one of the richest agricultural sections in the west. Recently soil experts made a careful survey of the land in question, and while their report has not been made public, it must show that the land is good for agriculture and free from alkali, for all of the tests made on the ground failed to show alkali. Hundreds of acres of growing grain disproved the statements made by the reclamation service, that the land was worthless because of alkali.

Approximately 50,000 acres of this land has been proven to be capable of being developed into fine farming land, through the actual production of grain and forage crops on over 5,000 acres of land scattered throughout the lake bed. For the information of the Oregonian we are sending photographs that will disprove the statements of Mr. Averill and demonstrate that the lower Klamath lake section is everything that those who know claim for it. The agitation to flood the lower Klamath lake is due to the desire of the California Oregon Power company to use it for reservoir purposes and in its campaign it has evidently enlisted the support of individuals who owe allegiance to a better cause.

FROM MALIN

Evelyn Myers motored in from her home at Malin, this afternoon to shop and visit with friends. She plans to return home this evening.

LEAVITTS IN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leavitt are enjoying a visit with their friends here today, from their home at Rocky Point. Mrs. Leavitt is shopping while in the city.

AT THE PELICAN

George Dillon, G. W. Smith and C. P. Holmes all registered from Portland are arrivals this afternoon at the Hotel White Pelican.

RETURNS TO POSITION

After being unable to attend to his duties for several days, on account of an infected eye, Jack Simpson, this morning resumed his position with the Golden Rule store.

FROM ODELL LAKE

T. M. Miller is transacting business here from his home at Odell Lake today.

TO GIVE PICNIC

The local Knights of Columbus have planned a picnic at the Esterprize ranch on next Sunday for the pupils of Sacred Heart Academy. A program of games has been arranged. A picnic lunch will be served to the students.

MRS. PURDIN IMPROVING

Friends of Mrs. George E. Purdin are glad to learn that she is recovering from an accident in which she suffered a fracture of her right arm. The accident happened at the family home when the family pet dog jumped in front of her knocking her to the ground. In falling she struck her arm upon a log, causing the fracture.

FROM ALL OVER OREGON

Bits of News From Towns Throughout the State WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING

OFFICERS ARE NAMED

The North Bend Yeoman lodge in a meeting Thursday evening inducted six new members, Mrs. T. Osburn, Mrs. Martha Rakes, V. Daly, George Atkinson, Ben Doss and Merle Galahar.

Foreman LeRoy Parker appointed the following new officers: Overseer, Myrtle Johnson; Lady Rowena, Mrs. D. Donig; Lady Rebekah, Mrs. Elizabeth Hakanson; sentinel, Frank Drosch; watchman, Edward Soper; guard, Ben Ross. The new officers will be installed at the next meeting.—Marshfield News.

STAGE FISTIC BATTLE

Considerable excitement prevailed this morning at the city hall as a result of a fistic encounter between Israel Ketch, city marshal, and J. H. Hayes, Rock Creek stage driver. Hayes was arrested last week charged with ignoring a stop sign, and objected this morning to the fine, claiming that he was not exceeding a speed of 5 miles an hour. He and Ketch entered a word battle, and it is alleged that Hayes became abusive. The officer finally became angered and reaching across the counter struck Hayes several times in the face. The battle was assuming serious proportions when it was stopped by City Recorder Whipple.—Roseburg News.

DOG BRUISED

Known for years as a terror to cattle and sheep ranging on the middle fork of the John Day river and often seen but escaping the rifle of those who had attempted to slay him, a big brown bear, often described as being as big as a Hereford bull, was killed a few days ago by C. L. Larceni and son Charles after a very exciting chase through forest and over fallen logs.

The animal weighed 400 pounds and was the largest specimen of the kind ever seen in this country.—Baker Democrat.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Dr. J. Franklin Haas, pastor of the Methodist church, who has been seriously ill is reported to be slightly better, according to reports from the Eugene hospital where he has been confined for the past several days.

Owing to his illness Dr. Haas has been relieved of all duties in connection with the meeting of the annual Oregon Methodist conference here this month and Dr. S. A. Danford, superintendent of the Southern Oregon district of the church, has taken charge of the conference arrangements here. It is announced.—Eugene Guard.

PRIZE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The prize winners in the cooked food department of the county fair and the names of firms donating the prizes are as follows:

Mrs. O. D. Frazee, Medford, aluminum pan donated by Weeks & Orr; one pound coffee donated by Hardy Brothers, Ashland; one bottle vanilla from Acme Flavoring company Portland.

Mrs. J. L. Burger, Central Point, three silver spoons from Reddy's, Medford.

Mrs. George Martin, 24 pounds Crown Mills flour from Rogue River Milling company, Medford; vase from O. H. Johnson, Ashland.

Miss Rosina Gallatin, Talent, cups and saucers from the Jap Art Store, Medford.

Mrs. L. H. Gallatin, Talent, ten pounds Cherro Graham flour from Weaver's Store, Central Point; two packages cake flour from Sperry mills, Medford; one pound Enders' Blend coffee from Hardy Brothers, Ashland.

Mrs. H. Weagent, Talent, pastry set from Medford Furniture & Hardware Store, Medford; package cake flour from Sperry mills, Medford; baking powder from Service Store, Inc., Medford.

Mrs. C. H. Christner, Medford, 49 pounds Cherro flour from Weaver's store, Central Point; one knife from Thomas Simpson Hardware company, Ashland.

Miss Dorothy Florey, Medford, purse from Shields, Medford.—Medford Tribune.

MANY DEER

With the deer season on in full swing, many modern Nimrods have armed themselves with dangerous weapons and gone to the timber to bring back unwary deer. A total of fourteen or more have been out over the week-end.

Among those who made hunting trips were H. G. Holland, Berthold Monroe, John Seaver, G. C. Wilcox, D. A. Wilkinson, Orlando Hollis, Wallace Wintler, Earl Smith, Hobart Campbell, W. A. Blackburn, Edward Foster, Earl Simmons, A. C. Shipps and Kenneth Taylor.

With the deer season open until

October 20, it is expected that all hunters will be taking their turn at it with even larger crowds out when the bird season opens October 15.—Eugene Guard.

HOO-HOO HEADS COMING

National officers of the Hoo-Hoo, an organization of lumbermen, may visit Bend soon, it was made known with the return to Bend last night of the four delegates from the Bend Hoo-Hoo club who attended the national convention in Spokane September 14 to 17. The delegates from Bend were Frank R. Prince, E. P. Brosterhouse, J. C. Rhodes and K. B. Weil.

Officers of the Hoo-Hoo club who may come to Bend to hold a conclave after visiting Vancouver, B. C. Sunday and Monday, are Allan Hager, snark, or president; H. R. Isherwood, secretary, and Parson Simpkins, chaplain. The national officials were invited to hold a conclave in Bend by the delegation from this city which visited Spokane.

There were approximately 400 delegates, from the United States and Canada, present at the national convention. Prince and Weil were members of the committee which assisted in making out the program for the Tuesday night conclave. Pictures of Shevlin-Hixon logging and lumber manufacturing operations in Bend and vicinity were shown in Spokane by Prince.

George Gove is vicegerent of the Hoo-Hoo in Bend. H. A. Miller is president and Prince is secretary.—Bend Bulletin.

MUST LEARN TO SWIM

Superintendent G. W. Ager has announced that no student may receive a diploma from high school until he has completed a swimming test. Every physically fit boy or girl must learn to swim.

The various classes will compete in diving, racing and stroke form contests. A life saving class has been organized by Miss Boone, who hopes eventually to form a life saving corps among the students.

FROM ROCKY POINT

Mrs. R. J. Jester is here today from her home at Rocky Point, shopping and visiting with friends.

LEAVING FOR IDAHO

Mrs. C. R. Clendinning is leaving within a few days for Boise, Idaho, to join her husband who has been ill for some time past. Upon his complete recovery they expect to return to Klamath Falls where Mr. Clendinning is in the contracting business.



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STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

By CHARLES F. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—Of all the men this country sends, on various missions, into foreign lands, the experts whom our big agricultural implement houses dispatch, as field representatives, to tinker with the farm machinery they have sold abroad, average the highest type.

Our mechanic, on foreign service, is well paid but not on a scale to put up at the leading hotel—where he might just as well be at home—on reaching his destination. He finds quarters in a native boarding house and associates with the people of the country.

He sees something of urban life but most of his time is spent in the "provinces," learning the country's innermost life and language and thoughts—which the average American never does.

A few years of this and that mechanic knows the land of his sojourn as he knows his own—inside out.

Once every winter or two he gets a couple of months in the United States, to keep him up-to-date and in touch with home, but invariably he's shipped away again. A specialist, by this time, in foreign fields, he's too valuable to be spared from them long.

Then maybe he's transferred to another country, which he learns, too, as thoroughly as he did the first one. I've met these mechanics who have lived in most of the Latin American republics, in Germany and Spain, in the Balkan state, in North Africa, in European and Asiatic Russia, who speak half a dozen languages with considerable fluency and who understood world politics and conditions as mightily few so-called authorities do—not from formal study but at first hand.

Of course not every mechanic any more than every man in any other calling, is made of the raw material to profit by such advantages, but some of them are—men who would fill an ambassador's post with a credit mightily few ambassadors have a right to claim. Ambassadors, however, are not picked that way.

OBITUARY

BERNICE EVELYN LOW

Funeral services for Bernice Evelyn Low, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Low, of Kirk, were held this morning at 10 o'clock in Whitlock's funeral parlors. The Rev. T. D. Yarnes officiated at the ceremony. The remains were interred in Linkville cemetery. The girl succumbed from a serious illness last Sunday morning in a local hospital.

EDD SMITH

Funeral services for Edd Smith, a well known resident of Klamath Falls for the past 10 years, were to have been held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Whitlock's funeral parlors. The Rev. A. P. Simmons was scheduled to conduct the funeral services, after which the body was to be taken to Linkville cemetery for burial. Mr. Smith died Monday at 1021 Main street following a serious illness.

WILLIAM HOLT

The remains of William Holt, Shaw-Bertram logging locomotive engineer who died Monday from the effects of burns received in an explosion in the locomotive two weeks ago, were shipped this morning to Salem where funeral services and interment will take place. The Masonic lodge will conduct the funeral services in Salem. The wife, children and sister of the deceased left yesterday by car for Salem to attend the funeral services.

Literary Digest explains how the coal strikes the public. We explain it strikes it in the pocketbook.



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HICKMAN RETURNS
C. E. Hickman, northwestern division manager of the Pacific Telephone company, returned north to Portland this morning after transacting business here with the local manager, F. Ray Dunn.

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