

NORD ORGANIZES SCOUT TROOP AT KLAMATH AGENCY

Harry Dobbins is Elected Scout Master of Newly Formed Body

Everett O. Nord, Scout Executive, while in the northern part of the county last week, organized a troop at Klamath Agency with 13 Indian boys and some white boys in attendance. Harry Dobbins will be the scoutmaster. The troop committee is composed of L. D. Arnold, Agency Superintendent; B. A. Sanders, in charge of Agency school, and Orville Elliott. The Indian boys have no trouble at all with their outdoor scout work, and it is hoped that the Agency troop will progress, and should with the leadership that it has.

Nord and Poindexter, the deputy scout commissioner, also called at Fort Klamath. Not being enough boys there to organize a regular troop they will be admitted into the movement as pioneer scouts and will do most of their scout test passing by correspondence with headquarters, having the privilege of visiting any Scout troop that is handy to them, as often as they are able, and also with the privilege of spending their summer vacations at scout camp. Any boy in the county that is unable to become a part of a scout troop is asked to correspond with Mr. Nord, Chamber of Commerce, Klamath Falls, Ore., and full particulars of the Pioneer Scouts and the scouting program will be sent him.

Troop No. 1, Chiloquin, held its second meeting Friday night, December 11, with Frank Bell, Assistant Scout Master, in charge. The scout executive inspected the troop, gave a talk on knots, taught the boys several good scout games and contests, and helped them out on their scout work. The troop is going ahead in fine shape.

Sunday afternoon the Scout Executive, in company with three Merit Badge Scouts, drove out to Bear Wallow, on the west side of Klamath Lake, and there they passed cooking and camping merit badge subjects. Each scout made an omelette, hunters stew, rice pudding and coffee over an out-door fire place, also made by the scout. They also baked a loaf of bread at home, which was inspected. They then picked out an ideal location for a camp, placed their garbage pits, latrines, kitchen, sleeping quarters, made a bed out of woods material, pitched a tent and are lasting together a miniature raft. The scouts who went on the trip were Merle Swanson and Elmore Wilkerson of Troop One, and Ross Hillman of Troop Four. They arrived home at 5 p. m., after putting in a busy, but happy day.

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Big Future In Klamath, View Of Store Head

R. A. Pilcher Leaves For Eastern Headquarters

Klamath Falls is one of the busiest and fastest growing little cities he has ever seen, says R. A. Pilcher, head of the Pilcher system of stores, who left yesterday for New York, following a brief visit with Manager McDonald of the local Pilcher store.

"Every town I visit is, of course, different from the others, but Klamath Falls seems to hold a special appeal to me, and I would like nothing better than to remain here indefinitely," he said. "But I must leave Mr. McDonald on the job, who will be here as our permanent manager."

"I want the people to know that it is our policy to help build up any town or city where we locate, and we will be anxious to play our part in the steady development of Klamath Falls. We are a Klamath institution, always interested in the welfare of Klamath and her people."

Mr. Pilcher came here following a conference of Pilcher executives in Portland last week.

"Health Christmas" Seal Sale Going Over

On every letter or package we mail during the remainder of the Christmas holiday rush we should remember the little gummed sticker, the Christmas Seal, which is sold each year to fight tuberculosis throughout the United States.

The seals are being sold in all the hotel lobbies and public places, such as cigar counters, news stands and other public places.

The local committee in charge of the Klamath county campaign is making every effort to have the seal sale go over the top and the remaining days before Christmas will find people in all sections of the city urging you to buy the little seal which means, "Health Christmas, 1925."

Educator Picked to Speak Before County Chamber

E. F. Carleton of Eugene, one of the leading educators of the state, will address the Klamath county chamber of Commerce Wednesday, December 16, according to Linn Nesmith, chairman of the



chamber forum committee. Educationally, Mr. Carleton is one of the best known men in the state, having served an apprenticeship in the rural schools as teacher, later holding principalships and superintendencies, then serving for thirteen years as assistant state superintendent, three years as superintendent of the Eugene schools, and two years as field representative of the University of Oregon. He is spending this year in writing and lecturing at various educational meetings.

Note: Mr. Carleton, scheduled to arrive this afternoon, will be unable to speak because of the ban placed on meetings by all local civic organizations today.

VISITING IN SOUTH
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cook with Mrs. W. B. Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Barnes and Zed Barnes, left this morning for southern California where they plan to spend the Christmas holidays. They made the trip by motor.

MRS. CRAMBLITT BETTER
The many friends of Mrs. E. L. Cramblitt will be glad to learn that her condition shows steady improvement, after several days of serious illness with an attack of la grippe.

SPARK LAW IS SHATTERED BY CITY COUNCIL

Powell and Goddard Are Turned Back by Other Four Councilmen

Four councilmen last night presented an impregnable defense against the spark arrester ordinance which was supported by the fifth councilman, Z. J. Powell and Mayor Goddard.

As a result the new legislation which would force the Klamath Heating plant to establish adequate spark arresters or other devices to eradicate the nuisance of flying cinders, was killed for want of a second to Powell's motion for adoption.

Alderman Balsiger thought it was discriminating to leave out oil burners, in the new law. He also thought that too much power was left in the hands of one man, when it came to the enforcement of the law.

Alderman Roberts thought the spark arrester would not accomplish any good, anyway.

Alderman Cofer and Stuckey were silent but indicated that they stood behind Roberts and Balsiger.

"I move the adoption of this ordinance," Councilman Powell cut in. "There is a provision there that if spark arresters are not satisfactory other devices will be just as good. The people want this menace eliminated."

After three or four minutes Judge Gahagen turned to Mayor Goddard:

"Well, I guess we will have to hold a post mortem on that ordinance."

The council moved on to the next order of business.

Fred Hendricks Leaves for East

Although Fred Hendricks, Klamath Indian, left here yesterday for Washington, D. C., to lobby for the \$5,000,000 loan for Klamath reservation Indians, his Indian friends are still soliciting funds among the merchants and business men of the city in order that he may remain on the job and fight the bill through to a finish.

Hendricks left here with \$250, although it was estimated it would take at least \$500 to finance the trip. His friends are hoping that they will be able to procure the needed funds so that he may remain in the national capital.

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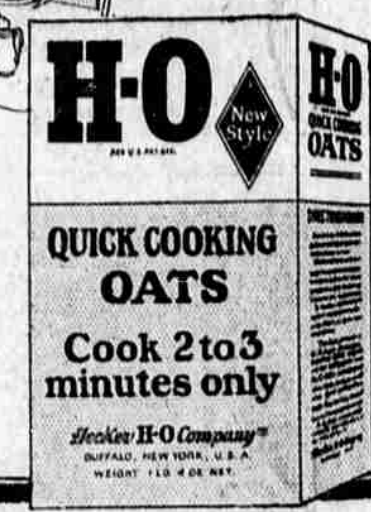
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