

FINAL COST OF LINE ESTIMATED AT \$1,400,000

Last Unit of Telephone
Line to Be Complete
June 1st.

Final cost of the new Klamath Falls-Bend-The Dalles line of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., now under construction, will be \$1,400,000, according to an article in the Bend Bulletin, which continues:

The last unit of this new line, between Bolter's ranch and The Dalles, will be completed by June 1, 1930. Work at present is under way between Dufur and The Dalles.

The first and second units of the Central Oregon circuit, between Klamath Falls and Bend and north from Bend to Bolter's ranch, were completed in 1929 and were given their first real test recently when the Pacific coast circuit between Grants Pass and Canyonville, were out of commission. The Central Oregon line was immediately connected with the California carrier system and press and brokerage leads and national broadcasting system traffic were routed through Bend. The new system stood the test in an excellent manner.

Work started in 1928. Actual construction work on the Klamath Falls-Bend unit started in September, 1928, and was completed in May, 1929. Previous to the completion of this lead, telephone calls from Bend to Klamath Falls traveled some 700 miles, north to Portland, south through Eugene and Medford and east over the mountains to Klamath Falls. The second unit, from Bend north to the vicinity of Willowdale, in north Jefferson county, was completed later in 1929.

Immediately following the completion of the second unit, listed as a reconstruction job, work started on the last unit, north from Bolter's to Maupin, through a virgin territory so far as telephone lines are concerned, and from Maupin to The Dalles.

While work is under way on the new line north from the Bolter ranch to The Dalles, the Klamath Falls-Bend-Bolter units connect with the older system through Antelope, Shaniko, Grass Valley, Vesso and Higgs.

To carry Radio Programs. In the not distant future, probably within two years, all of the radio broadcasting for release by northern stations will be carried on the Central Oregon line, according to information from the local telephone company manager. Work will soon be started on the construction of an underground conduit from Portland south, but, because of the expense involved, the broadcast wires will not be placed in this conduit. This will necessitate the use of the Central Oregon line.

Data presented revealed that the cost of the Klamath Falls-Bend unit of the new system was \$528,000. One million pounds of wire will be used by the time the circuits are finally completed and 11,000 poles, specially treated, will be in place. A total of \$10,000 labor hours will be required.

Features never before used in telephone construction work have been applied on the new line. All poles of Oregon fir, have been chemically treated their entire length. It is estimated that the poles will last for 18 years. A new type of insulation, capable of bearing up under great extremes of temperature, is being used. The type of wire is larger than that previously used and, it is believed, will withstand weather breaks. The system of wire transposition used on the Central Oregon line is a marked improvement over the former system. The transposition of wires, made on the cross arms, eliminates parallel induction.

ATTORNEYS TO ASK CHANGE

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left them, and demanding an enforcement of the laws requiring the taking of fingerprint record of all prisoners, were passed at the joint session of the state's sheriffs and district attorneys, which concluded the convention of the two groups. It was declared that 95 per cent of crimes committed have the assistance of automobiles, while 97 per cent of the automobiles involved have been stolen.

SPEARS SIGNS WITH OREGON

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In two weeks, Dr. Spears' departure clouds the Minnesota football situation. No steps have been taken to fill the vacancy, the committee on athletics having decided to wait until receiving the coach's formal resignation before acting.

Dr. Spears came to Minnesota five years ago from West Virginia university, succeeding Bill Spaulding, now coach at the University of California at Los Angeles. During his term as coach at Minnesota, the Gophers have won 28 games, lost nine and tied three.

The Gun Store for skates and sleds.

Billiard Players Organize League at Klamath Recreation

Eight of the cream of the three-cushion billiard players formed a league last evening to play a round robin schedule at the Klamath Recreation beginning Monday evening.

Chas. Weber, the local daddy of the game, has been selected as official handicapper.

The schedule for the first round is—Monday, Jan. 20th: T. A. Braddon vs. A. E. Adams, R. E. Howard vs. S. R. Norin. Tuesday Jan. 21: Jas. A. Perry vs. C. R. Smith, D. W. Hayless vs. A. T. Totten.

Fraternal Bowling Scores. The Fraternal Bowling League started its season last evening at the Klamath Recreation with the following results:

Moore	Total
Ord Mitchell	188 92 129 409
H. Hyland	160 109 124 393
Win Baldwin	103 145 110 358
L. L. Baldwin	133 139 119 441
Pete Peterson	129 132 136 447
Total	693 717 618 2028
Red Men	Total
E. D. Jones	147 138 144 429
R. Beers	161 131 128 420
E. Norin	185 182 165 532
C. Chapman	107 126 148 391
A. Sherman	164 207 210 581
Total	764 794 798 2353
Lions Club	Forfeited
Elks No. 1	Total
Watters	167 149 151 467
L. Houston	159 177 166 502
C. Moore	124 146 202 572
Crosby	140 168 169 477
Hayden	192 200 189 581
Total	782 840 877 2499
Amer. Legion	Total
A. Bussman	161 175 156 492
F. Van Ash	145 149 133 427
J. Argaves	120 134 162 406
J. Glover	144 178 149 510
F. McMillan	135 155 156 446
Total	795 791 748 2334
Elks No. 2	Total
C. Schaal	148 120 103 361
J. Farmaleo	112 116 145 373
O. Ellis	181 158 188 475
R. La Prairie	159 132 146 437
O. Lorenz	165 175 122 462
Total	765 699 704 2168

EIELSON NOT SEEN BY FLIER

NOME, Alaska, Jan. 18. (A.P.)—Efforts to confirm the reported finding of Carl Ben Eielson and Earl Norland near the Anguema river, 120 miles from North Cape, Siberia, have failed. Pilot Joe Crosson, who has been flying over the Siberian territory from the icebound fur trading vessel Nanuk radiobed Alfred J. Lomen, director of the Eielson rescue operations, today:

Flies Over District. Crosson yesterday flew over the district described in the Moscow dispatches and reported finding no trace of the men who left Teller, November 9 and were last heard over a reindeer camp back of Ekasura, near Cape Serdze.

The flight from the Nanuk yesterday was the seventh made in the so far unsuccessful effort to obtain traces of the lost fliers by air. Crosson flew over the Anguema river Delta yesterday, up the valley and returned to the ship at North Cape after flying over the deer camp near Ekasura. The district previously had been covered by plane and dog teams.

Circles Mountain Range. Pilot Ed Young yesterday circled the entire Sawtooth mountain range inland from Teller, Alaska, while flying on two round trips to Nome. His flight was made as the result of a report received that a plane had been heard over Igloo and Pilgrim Springs about midnight November 9. The flight, made on the theory that Eielson and Norland were forced back to the Alaskan coast by a storm and missed Teller in the night, failed to reveal any clues to the mystery.

WINTER GRIPS WHOLE NATION

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Wellington, 17 below, the coldest in more than 30 years. Zero weather penetrated Arkansas and snow covered the western half of Dixie. The snow fall ranged from 5 to 7 inches deep in Arkansas and Memphis and Nashville, Tenn., reported a steady fall. Sleet pelted Atlanta and North Georgia as the temperature slipped through the low twenties.

New York Moderates. The cold brought added suffering to marooned families in flood districts of the Wabash and White rivers in Indiana. The storm out of the west brought snow and rain to New York. The temperature, however, was well above the zero mark.

From San Francisco came reports that the cold weather had begun to retreat slowly from some parts of the far west.

TEX GOES SOUTH

Tex Bickerstaff left this afternoon with San Francisco as his ultimate destination. With the departure of Willie Feldman it is up to the local matchmaker to round up some new material for the balance of the boxing season.

Feldman will go to Ashland for a week or so, after which he will go to the Bay district. He announced before leaving that he will be back about June to enjoy the fishing around Klamath Falls.

SNOW MAROONS ARIZONA FOLKS

Cars Stalled In Snow
People Seek Refuge
In Tiny Shack.

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of Phoenix, tapped a telephone line with a portable phone set which he carried in a camping kit and layed a message to Phoenix through Tuba City.

A rescue party, with snow-plows and tractors set out on receipt of Hildreth's message and are trying to beat a path through drifts blocking the Flagstaff-Tuba City highway.

Many Cars Stalled. Other travelers reaching here reported many automobiles stalled along an eight mile mountain section of the highway north of here. Eleven persons are reported to have taken refuge on the ranch of C. R. Munro until the roads are opened.

F. A. Sterne of Los Angeles, driving through with a chauffeur, reported finding a Mexican family of four lying in the snow alongside of their stalled truck on Deadman's Divide. They apparently had reconciled themselves to die. Sterne took them to a ranch house, where their condition is serious. It is believed, however, they will recover.

Pelicans Win In Game With School Quintet

The Klamath Union high school first string hoopers took a beating last night at the hands of the Pelican Bay quintet when the score stood 43 to 22 at the finish. The game was played in the high school gym.

By considering the fact that the Pelicans have made a winning reputation for themselves and usually chalk up extremely one-sided scores, the boys did not feel badly over losing the game.

Howard Wakeman, Klamath center, again proved himself a player of note by making four baskets and one free throw for his team. High point man for the Pelicans was Peterson, Pelican center, with six baskets and one free throw to his credit.

The Pelicans easily kept the lead throughout the game, but the Klamath boys fought gamely and managed to keep near the half-way score.

Lineups:
Pelican Pos. Klamath
Chet Sealer RF Palmer
Milt Sealer LF Grove
Peterson C Howard
L. Anderson RG Wakeman
Herman Wakeman
W. Wakeman LG Robustelli
Tonight at the high school gymnasium, the Klamath Wildcats will play the Chiloquin team.

Sportsmen Meet Monday Evening

The regular meeting of the Klamath Sportsmen's association will be held at 8:00 o'clock Monday evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

The subject for discussion, and one that is very close to the hearts of all sportsmen of this vicinity, will be the decision of the California authorities to prohibit bringing birds across the state line. This discussion and the fact that nomination of officers for the ensuing year will take place should induce a full turnout to the meeting.

District Governor Of Lions to Speak

Carl Crosson, of Seattle, district governor of the northwest territory for the Lions club, will be the speaker at the Chamber of Commerce Forum on Wednesday noon, January 22. Mr. Crosson will also be the speaker at the joint Service club banquet on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. R. Gillenwaters and Mrs. L. R. Hyatt will sing a duet, accompanied by Mrs. Thorne at the piano.

Tom Richardson will preside as chairman.

Legs and Voice Win Her Stardom



JUNE CLYDE in "TANNED LEGS" AT THE VOX

A new slant on the younger generation that will cause many an American parent to both ponder and smile is presented amid dazzling beauty in Radio Pictures "Tanned Legs," which opens at the Vox theatre Sunday for one week.

The screen at last seems to have caught the spirit of the Twentieth Century youth in this effervescent drama which features Ann Pennington, Arthur Lake, Dorothy Revier, Sally Blane and June Clyde, a refreshingly new and youthful star whose smile and voice promise to carry her far.

Mason-Ehrman Co. Purchases Enders Wholesale Grocery

"Negotiations for the purchase of the Enders Wholesale company by the Mason-Ehrman Wholesale Grocery company of Portland were completed today according to an announcement made by Harry Enders, manager of the local company, and Chas. Clary, manager of the Medford branch of the Mason-Ehrman company," says the Ashland Tidings.

"The new owners of the local concern take possession of the stock of the Grants Pass and Ashland warehouses on Feb. 15, according to the announcement. The purchase price is understood to have been in keeping with the successful business which the local concern has done."

The merger leaves the Mason-Ehrman company as the only wholesale grocery concern with

A sweet singing voice, discovered when she played a bit in "Street Girl" and a pair of perfect legs won June Clyde the leading femme role in "TANNED LEGS," the screen's first Gorgeous Outdoor Girl and Music Revue, opening Sunday at the Vox Theatre.

Songs, dances, bathing suits and girls are the elements out of which Director Marshall Neilan builds his just-serious-enough drama. There is serious legs to give Ziegfeld night-mares, but its the rhythm and the wise-cracking that put the show in the hit class by a good wide margin.

Five new song-hits by Levant and Glare promise to outbid their "Street Girl" numbers for popularity. Two of these are "With Me, With You" and "You're Responsible," are already familiar to radio fans. Don't miss "Tanned Legs." Opening Sunday for one week.

branch houses in southern Oregon.

"Mr. Enders said he has not yet decided in what type of business he would engage and had no plans for the immediate future. He has been manager of the concern since the death of his father."

"Mr. Clary said he could not yet announce any definite plans for the local warehouse, but believed for the present at least, it would be continued."

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18. (A.P.)—The \$12,000 home of Dr. O. Marcel, instructor in the University of Oregon medical school, was destroyed by fire today which originated in the walls of a residence which was one of Portland's outstanding homes.

CAMDEN, N. J., Jan. 18. (A.P.)—The case of Gladys May Parks, charged with murder in the first degree for the death of two motherless children, was given to the jury shortly before 4 p. m. today.

LA GUARDIA'S MOTION LOSES

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the allotment for prohibition enforcement, the committee had carried out the provisions of the constitution as it now stood. The house, he said, was not the place for the consideration of such a question because it could not pass on the legality of the constitution. The supreme court, he said, was the body before which the question should be brought.

Wood Supported. The position taken by Chairman Wood was supported by representatives Moore, democrat,

Virginia, and Ramseyer, republican, Iowa.

Representative Black, democrat New York, upheld the position of Laguardia.

Validity Ratified By Court. Representative Moore said that the United States supreme court had passed on the validity of the amendment, and "that means that it is valid for all time."

Questioned by the Virginian, Laguardia said, "there is no room for construction here; the amendment declares itself inoperative."

"It occurs to me," Chairman Wood interposed, "that the gentleman from New York set up a straw man with some little difficulty and then he tore it down."

PLEADS GUILTY. SALEM, Ore., Jan. 18. (AP)—Felix A. English, until recently

employed in the office of the secretary of state, pleaded guilty in circuit court yesterday to the larceny of \$1237 in state funds. Judge Percy R. Kelly ordered that English appear Saturday, January 25, for sentence.

Corrections To Errorgrams

(1) The town is missing from the address on the envelope. (2) "Miss," the abbreviation for Mississippi, should be Mo., on the envelope, as the girl indicates the letter is going to Missouri. (3) It would take at least five cents to send the letter by airmail, so the man is wrong in saying that two two-cent stamps will do it. (4) Mail boxes are marked "U. S. Mail," not "U. S. A. Mail." (5) The scrambled word is obvious.



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