

Midland Empire News

TULELAKE TO LET BIDS FOR WATER SYSTEM

TULELAKE—The third week in October has been definitely set as the date for letting of final bids on the water and sewage systems which the city will install after selling bonds to finance the dual installation project. Decision on the date was reached at this week's council session attended by City Attorney Charles Lederer, Alturas, who conferred recently with Attorney Fosterthwaite, and Edward K. Hussey, San Francisco, city engineer. Lederer advised the council to accept the plans and specifications for the water system and plans for the sewer system are expected momentarily.

The council adopted a formal procedure leading up to letting bids on construction and resolutions necessary to the actual sale of bonds and letting of bids will be read and adopted at each meeting until the project is under way. Weather permitting, construction will continue during the winter, it is announced.

Members of the council will meet August 6 with the Siskiyou county board of supervisors to wind up the last details relative to the city's official map.

Councilman J. W. Carlisle was authorized to make a request for the purchase of more water for city irrigation from the reclamation bureau, the first \$100 apportionment having been exhausted.

Cascade

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Deery of Portland are spending their honeymoon at Summit lodge at Lake Odell. They were married July 20 in the library of the St. Mary's Cathedral in Portland. Mrs. Deery was Lucile Adams before her marriage. Deery is with the Safeway stores in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Meredith have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Fields of Chico, Calif. Mrs. Fields is Meredith's mother. Mrs. Meredith's mother,

Mrs. Tracy Devore of Portland, also spent several days with her daughter and son-in-law.

Among other guests of the Merediths are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sprawkins and two children, Patricia and Phyllis of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Hale Detrick of Chico, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sommer and daughter of Portland.

Meredith is electrician for the Southern Pacific company at the tunnel project here and they spend their summers here each year. They entertain extensively while here. They occupy the Roy Temple cottage on the west end of Lake Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein have opened up their summer home here.

Malin

Mrs. G. A. Krause, Klamath Falls, was the guest speaker at the last meeting of the Malin garden club held at the home of Mrs. Anton Petrasek. She spoke on the culture and care of iris.

Members present were Mrs. Everett Jones, Mrs. Lillie Meyers, Mrs. Nannie Van Meter, Mrs. Perry Haley, Mrs. Joe Halousek, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Mrs. Donald Dod, Mrs. Ben Pickett, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Liggett, Mrs. Mervyn Wilde, Mrs. A. E. Street and Mrs. Baker. Mrs. Teresa McComb was co-hostess. At the next meeting to be held in the basement of the Presbyterian church, Mrs. E. D. Lamb, Klamath Falls, will show a series of colored pictures of gardens of the Klamath basin, and summer flowers.

Mayor and Mrs. A. Kalina, en route to Portland to buy Christmas goods, were present Tuesday for the opening of the new Willamette highway. Invitations were extended by Governor Charles A. Sprague to Everett Jones, president of the Malin chamber of commerce and to Irving Capek, secretary of the chamber.

D. W. Morrison is the new manager of the Junction Service station operated by Irving Capek.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kalina returned this week from a visit to San Francisco and Treasure Island.

As the stars have it, Hitler has had his last lucky day for some time. Thus there is nothing left in the sky to aid the nazi cause except Goering's air force.

SISKIYOU SCHOOLS MAY HOLD OPENING

TULELAKE—While Siskiyou Union high school teachers' contracts call for the opening of the fall term of school on Monday, August 26, it is possible that the opening date may be delayed until after the teachers' institute which will be held in Yreka, August 29-31, inclusive.

The Tulelake high school will greet seven new instructors this year of a teaching staff of nine, including a new athletic coach. It has been announced. Don Smith, who for the past two years has guided boys' athletic activities has accepted a position in Dunsmuir.

His successor has as yet to be decided upon.

C. W. Elmore, Santa Rosa, will teach music and science; Miss Marie Chiarucci, McCloud, will instruct in languages; Miss Doris Benson of Hollywood, in commercial subjects; Earl Gillespie, Marysville, English, and Richard Nottle, San Jose, will teach shop work.

Holdover members of the faculty are George Reiben, principal, and Clarence Holst, agricultural instructor.

The elementary school opening date coincides with the high school but grade school officials are holding decision until the date is definitely established by the high schools of the county.

A first day enrollment of 175 is anticipated which will be slightly above last year's daily attendance average of 165.

Painting and minor repair work on the buildings is under way.

SACRAMENTO MEN BUY BIEBER HOTEL

BIEBER—Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Boston, formerly of Sacramento, have bought from Mrs. Carrie E. Kramer of Bieber the 28-room Riverside hotel here, built ten years ago. Boston said the purchase price for the ground and building was \$20,000.

Mr. Boston and his father, Silas Boston, came to Bieber a month ago and took over the Riverside business from C. A. Kaiser and Jean Boulede of Alturas, former owners and operators of the hotel.

MOOSE TEAM PLACES FIRST FOR MERRILL

MERRILL—The Merrill lodge ritualistic team, Loyal Order of Moose, placed first over the entire northwest in the ritualistic contest at the annual convention of northwestern states held in Eugene last weekend, according to delegates from Merrill and Malin who were in attendance.

The team was accompanied by a number of Women of the Moose, Merrill chapter No. 18. In addition to presentation of a cup, in recognition of their work, to be held for the coming year, the team had the attending honor of conducting the initiation of a class of 81 candidates at the convention ceremonies before an audience of 700 members of the Loyal Order of Moose.

The same group will also initiate the conference class at the next state conference to be held in July, 1941, at Astoria.

J. W. Reeder of the Merrill lodge received the honorary fellowship degree during the conference and John Williams, Merrill, was inducted into the Legion of the Moose.

Mrs. Reeder, ritualistic chairman, won acclaim with cleverly designed caps worn by the team, carrying out the colors of the order, red and purple, and bearing the emblem of the organization and on the opposite side, a golden Netted Gem potato. The Merrill organization was the only lodge represented which advertised a product representing a home community. The idea was enthusiastically applauded.

Through this medium the Merrill team congratulates Klamath Falls on the state honor of bestowal of the signal conference presidency on Clyde Thompson, who will fill that office in 1941.

Members of the Merrill ritualistic team are L. B. Schriener, governor; J. W. Reeder, junior governor; Claude McCormick, past governor; Jack A. Sevey, orator; Marlon Grant, prelate; Ray Aubrey, sergeant at arms; Ray Van Meter, musician.

Other Malin and Merrill delegates to the convention were Mrs. L. B. Schriener, Mrs. Ray Aubrey, Mrs. Ray Van Meter, Mr. and Mrs. John Stolt, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ienbeck, Mrs. J. W. Reeder, Mrs. J. A. Sevey, John Williams, Roy Van Meter and Paul Lewis.

her daughters, Opal Palmer and Dora Boye.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodson are away on a week's vacation. They are visiting in Ashland and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Dice Crane of Klamath Falls visited in Beatty on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Lundy of Langell valley visited at the Frank Schmitz home on Sunday. House guests at the John Simons home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wickham, Mrs. Charles Wickham and Harold Ingerhorn, all of Los Angeles, Calif. They, together with Mrs. Grace Berry and Percy Petz, made up a party that visited Crater lake on Sunday.

Vard McNair ran into a cow owned by Towey Brown on Saturday morning, badly damaging McNair's automobile.

Figg and Pearman, carpenters, have nearly completed a new home for Mrs. Sarah Foster, across the river. A home for Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis, being built by R. V. Gardner, is also nearing completion.

Mrs. Jack Harrison and Mrs. Lea Stone took their children to Shady Rest on Monday afternoon for a swimming party.

Mrs. B. V. Bradshaw attended the B.Y. Ladies Aid which met with Mrs. Ruth Obenchain on Wednesday of last week.

Funeral services for the late baby Marylee Crain were held from the Beatty Methodist church on Wednesday. Interment was in the Piute cemetery.

Hager

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erbes and two sons from San Bruno, Calif., visited a few days with Louis' mother and sister and family, Mrs. T. Erbes and Mrs. Dale Stebbins last week at Pine Grove.

The hay chopping crew at the L. Miller and son ranch finished the first cutting of hay Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hayes and Pete Hayes of St. Francis park in Klamath Falls visited at the Barton ranch in Poe valley Sunday and had a very enjoyable time seeing the buffalos.

The service station here has a new manager, Mr. Hayes from Pomona, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes have rented the Lola Beck residence and moved in Monday.

Miss Edith Reagan was home again Sunday.

Laura Crumrine is carrying her arm in a sling now, having sprained it.

Laura Crumrine is entertaining Miss Hazel Johnson, who is visiting here for a few days.

Alice Crumrine spent Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger.

Pinehurst

Patsy Wangerin has returned home from her visit with relatives in Klamath, Calif.

Mary Lou Oliver arrived at Pinehurst after a two week visit with her parents in Klamath Falls.

Mrs. V. V. Beler was in Ashland Wednesday having some dental work done.

Lloyd Miller of Chehalis, Wash., is visiting his parents at Pinehurst Inn.

Mrs. Leora Summers and son and Mrs. Goldie Abbott of Talent visited with Mrs. Ella Abbott of Pinehurst Friday.

Mrs. Grace Ferguson is visiting the Ottis Cogswells at Pinehurst.

Imogene Willis of Chiloquin visited David Thorne over the weekend.

Duron Thorne visited his brother, David, at Pinehurst Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha McKinney of Lincoln was a caller at Pinehurst Wednesday morning.

Mrs. C. W. Decadod and Ella Hunter called at Jessie Millers in Ashland Saturday.

David Thorne is ill at the Hillside hospital. He is much improved at this time.

The Pinehurst PTA will hold their next meeting Friday evening, August 2, at 7:30 at the Pinehurst school. Cake and coffee will be served, a full evening of fun following the business meeting being promised.

Beatty

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pool spent the weekend in Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Lea Stone and daughters, Jo Ann and Janet of Pullman, Wash., have been house guests of Mrs. Jack Harrison for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Klamath Falls visited Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Edith Risley, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Gardner and daughter Joanne spent the weekend in Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heidenreich and daughter Shirley Lee shopped in Klamath Falls on Monday.

June Harrison, who has been attending the Camp Fire Girls camp at Lake o' the Woods the past two weeks, returned to her home Sunday evening.

Haying operations are in full swing in Beatty and vicinity.

Mrs. Pearl Boye, who has been visiting at the Beatty store, returned to Klamath Falls on Friday. She was accompanied by

Stopping Over

A column of chat about Klamath visitors.

By BOB LEONARD

Commander Scott, who each Sunday morning by the grace of Signor Marconi, the Mutual Broadcasting system and the Greyhound bus company tells you tales of "This Amazing America," is proud—and we say justifiably so—of never losing a bet.

You'll agree to his pardonable pride after reading of this, his closest escape from the eight ball of wagerdom.

Scott had been in Chandler, N. M., many times and had all ways stopped at the Chandler hotel, the finest hotel in the town. One day, years after his last stay there and on his way back, he got into an argument with a bus driver as to what was the finest hotel in Chandler.

The driver, making the run every day, knew another inn had been built, known as the Chandler Heights, and so backed his stand with a fistful of the long green. The issue was to be decided by the first policeman they saw in Chandler.

Scott was worried by the apparent unconcern of the stage pilot and the pilot was figuring what to do with the cash when they rolled into town. Hailing a gendarme on a corner, Scott asked him what was the best hotel in Chandler.

The bobby replied the Chandler hotel was the best hotel in Chandler.

"Yeah," said the traffic general, "the Chandler Heights—was up until last night. It burned down."

The commander is very proud of never losing a bet.

Scott was a commander in the British navy, and both in the service and out, has traveled 'round the globe seven times. He has friends in Singapore, Java, Odessa, Hong Kong, and Omaha and his greatest kick comes when one of them has heard his broadcast and writes from some out-of-the-way spot to tell him.

His mind, like many travelers', picks up and stores away a full catalogue of information on

many different things, none of them apparently related to the job he's doing, but which furnish the highlights and sidelights that make the interesting Commander Scott the interesting Commentator Scott.

MERRILL COUPLE ANNOUNCE BIRTH

MERRILL—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley, Merrill, announce the birth of a nine pound, ten ounce son at the Merrill hospital on July 30. The little boy, who has been named Roy Thomas, is the first son and third child in the family. He is also the first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stukel, pioneer residents of Merrill. Grandparents of the new boy are Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kidwell and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Beasley, all of Merrill.

The sheer vulnerability of great cities may force us as a matter of public policy to decentralize.—Tracy B. Augur, TVA planning staff.

The doves are worn out. I care more for their health than my own.—Rostia Royce, "dove dancer" at the N. Y. World's fair, in refusing to give an extra performance.

Tulelake

John Ross, district manager of the state employment service, was here Tuesday in the interest of opening of the Tulelake branch of the state service which for the past two years has registered hundreds of transient harvest hands during the hay and grain harvests. No definite date for the opening has been set.

Rev. and Mrs. Merie Ramage and children are vacationing this week at Medicine lake.

Mrs. Almo Newton, accompanied by Mrs. John Sigenthaler and Mrs. Lucy McKay, both of Los Angeles, made a trip last week to Portland where Mrs. Newton visited her daughter, Miss Ruth Newton. Her fellow travelers, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Tom Newton, also visited relatives. Mrs. Sigenthaler is Mrs. Tom Newton's mother. The party went north via the new Willamette highway and commented upon returning of the magnificence of the country traversed by the new road and of the excellence of the highway.

It has been well said that a selfish and greedy people cannot be free.—President Roosevelt.

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