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"Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we understand it"—Abraham Lincoln

WILL THE NEXT SIXTEEN YEARS MEAN AS MUCH FOR KLAMATH?

Just sixteen years ago yesterday the first passenger train pulled into Klamath Falls, the picturesque mule train became a memory and the stage coach became history. Klamath Falls put on its holiday attire and bedecked the first passenger engine with flowers. It marked the passing of the old order; the stage coach and freight team were to be superseded by the train and the automobile. On that date Klamath Falls had a population of about 2500 people, today it has at least 7,000. Most of the fertile lands in the county were then covered with sage brush. The sage brush is now a memory and the lands are cultivated to alfalfa or otherwise utilized. Dairying was then a subject of remote speculation, today it is coming into its own and promises to vie with other sections that have become prosperous through this one industry. At the time of the advent of the engine Klamath Falls and the Klamath country were practically inaccessible by highway, and a freight team stuck in the mud was not an uncommon sight. Today Klamath county has a system of highways that compare favorably with sections that boast up-to-date road construction. At that time this section was a horse country, the auto was in the offing. The horse has joined the memories of the pack train and the stage coach, and so numerous are the automobiles today that it is difficult to find space for parking on the principal streets of the city.

But looking into the future what may we prophesy for the next sixteen years? It would appear that the period just past has been only a wait for what has now appeared. Klamath Falls today is not looking forward to the coming of one engine, but is expecting a flock of iron horses. No section of the United States can reasonably expect the railway construction that appears to be logically certain to take place in the Klamath country. And the building permits disclose the fact that Klamath Falls, comparatively, exceeds all other towns in the state, in the way of construction. With a payroll of a million and a half dollars a month from its industries, the immediate future promises to double this volume, and the next sixteen years will see it quadrupled. This year will add three thousand people to Klamath's population. Is it too much to predict that at least that number will be added each year to the population of this city and that the rounding out of the next sixteen year period will find a population of at least fifty thousand people in Klamath Falls?

SPURNS TITLES

South Africa's parliament has definitely declared against the granting of titles by the king to subjects of South Africa. The resolution was opposed by several men with titles as trenching upon the king's prerogative handicapping the prime minister.

General Hertzog, the prime minister, however, favored the resolution. He declared that titles tended to create caste and class, whereas in the old republics the ideas of absolute equality had been maintained in such form that the humblest might become president.

For more than a year the Home Endowment Limited of Australia has thoroughly investigated every scheme for financing home building and finally agreed upon a plan that will make it possible for every small man to become the owner of his own home.

President Coolidge is investigating some forty "independent agencies" of the government, but directly connected with the public treasury. There's a reason for the protest against his economy program.

There would be no objection to a state song if attempts to sing it could be effectually prohibited.—Chattanooga News.

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LANGELL VALLEY

LANGELL VALLEY, May 20.—The Langell valley irrigation ditch is running quite a stream of water now. The water was turned in a few days ago.

There has been so many good rains in this section this spring every one is expecting good grain crops.

Frankie Deal is spending a week's visit in Klamath Falls and from there he will go to Hornbrook to visit his uncle Darl Deal and grandmother Deal, of that place for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wilkerson and Wm. Wilkerson motored to the Lorella section Saturday on business.

Syrus Brown made a trip to the Frank Nichols ranch Sunday, returned to his ranch in this section late in the evening.

A. B. Brown motored to Bonanza Sunday on business.

Archie Wishard made a business trip around Langell valley Sunday, returning to his home in Klamath Falls late Sunday evening.

Wm. Fordney made a business trip to Klamath Falls the first of the week.

S. Ruland made a trip out to his ranch east of this section Sunday.

William Sparks and Robt. Sparks made a trip to Malin Sunday while Mrs. Wm. Sparks and children visited friends in Bonanza until their return in the evening.

F. P. Grohs and Arex McReynolds are out on a fishing trip for a few days at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell, of Lorella made a trip to Bonanza Sunday on business and pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McDonald and Louis Pruitt motored to Bonanza Sunday, where they spent the day and enjoyed a chicken dinner at the Hickman hotel.

H. J. Ticknor made a business trip to Bonanza Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kilgore spent Sunday at the John Turner ranch visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ruland, accompanied by Mrs. James Malone made a trip to Steel swamp visiting friends the first of the week.

Everett Malone and Shelly Kilgore delivered some cattle to Olene that Jesse Beckeley purchased from the Kilgore ranch Monday.

Mrs. Fred Hilton and son Fredie made a trip on business Sunday to Clarie's sheep camp to visit Mr. Hilton who is attending to his sheep in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McDonald motored from their ranch home in this section to Klamath Falls Wednesday to attend the golden wedding reception given at the R. A. Emmitt home for Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Emmitt. The home was beautifully decorated in flowers of all the best selections. The afternoon was very much enjoyed. They returned home late the same evening.

J. W. Cockery and Everett Malone made a trip to Malin Monday on business. They expect to return home this evening.

Pete McNeal was a Langell valley visitor Monday from his ranch over Bryant mountain near Malin. He was accompanied home by Jim Johnson of this section.

SPRAGUE RIVER

SPRAGUE RIVER, May 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wann, and children made a business trip to the county seat Sunday.

Rev. Samuel Clinton was taken to the hospital at Klamath Falls Thursday. Rev. Clinton was called to Modoc Point, to conduct a funeral service and while there he was taken sick.

E. E. Holland, the mill superintendent of the Cambell Lumber company was in Klamath Falls Saturday, returning Sunday.

T. J. Perkins, of the Perkins furniture house was a business caller in Sprague river section Friday.

Mrs. Birtha D. Wallace, the field matron, and Mrs. F. A. Hutto, were atending church a Sprague river Sunday.

F. A. Hutto, the stockman, is in Pasley, and Lakeview on business this week.

W. C. Matison, general manager of the Camell Lumber company at this place spent the week-end in Klamath Falls.

Archie Chipp, and Norris George vert people but sometime houses. week. Deputy Sheriff Erskin Beal was the arresting officer. They were taken to Chiloquin for trial.

Miss Annie Young who has taught a very successful school left for her home in Portland, Saturday. Miss Young while here made many friends.

The Clarks have purchased the school house and have converted it into a dwelling, and are now living there. Ministers not only converts people but sometime houses.

Stonie Hacockta has moved his family back to his farm, after the school term was out.

Johnnie Pitts, of Beatty, is living at his place here for a short time. Mr. Pitts is one of our best citizens and we welcome such men to our town.

Judge Levi Walker was in Klamath Falls attending to business Saturday.

Rev. McIntosh, of Beatty, was here Saturday on his way home from the county seat.

The Ladies Aid Society of Sprague river held a very successful meeting with Mrs. B. E. Wolford Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Birtha D. Wallace, and Mrs. Claudie Hood were visitors at Mrs. Grumes last week.

Policeman Duffy, of Beatty, was here on business last week.

The Saddle Mountain mill sold under the hammer last week. The highest bidder was Mr. Cambell of Klamath Falls, and the bid was $6,000.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Rev. Mrs. Clark Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sconchin were Klamath Falls visitors Saturday of last week.

The young people will meet at the home of Rev. Mrs. Clark Friday night of this week.

CHILOQUIN

CHILOQUIN, May 20.—The opening dance, "Cow Boys and Cow Girls" dance which was to take place Saturday evening at The Klamath Indian Convention Grounds at Wiwi-Kse has been postponed on account of the recent rains. Sunday afternoon, May 24th, will be the day for the rodeo tryout of the bucking horses recently rounded up by Cecil Jackson, Francis Silvers and Roland Hicks, well known rodeo riders. The successful horses will appear at the coming Indian convention in June. Several unique Indian races will also be staged by Jess L. Kirk with the aid of his committee. Great interest is being shown by the Klamaths in this tryout of their best bucking horses.

D. V. Elmore, a recent merchant who has built a home and store here will in a few days open up his jewelery store and he is well pleased with location he has bought.

George DuVall, owner of the DuVall hall returned home after a brief stay in Klamath Falls.

Riley Powers, owner of a local barber shop has recently re-fitted his place of business in a up-to-date manner and has an assistant now to help him with the increased business.

Harry Hull, rancher of Modoc Point is in Klamath Falls on a business trip.

Dan Savage, well known milk dealer is in Klamath Falls on business and expects to return home to his ranch today.

Frank Brady, local telephone man has resumed his duties again at the local show house evenings.

Word has been received from F. G. Collett, executive representative of the Indian board of co-operation, inc., of San Francisco that he will arrive at Chiloquin, June 26 at 8:21 in the evening to attend the Klamath Indian convention to be held at Wiwi-Kse. He will address a meeting of all persons of California Indian blood on either Saturday, June 27th or Sunday, June 28th, the date will be arranged by the committee at a later date. Mr. Collett is a well known speaker and worker for the interests of the California Indians and is well regarded by many people here who have heard him and are well versed with his work.

Walter J. Kerrigan, well known publicity man left for Klamath Falls to attend the noon luncheon at the chamber of commerce.

James F. Lopes and R. R. Ross doing business as the L. and R. Motor Co. are being appointed the angencies for the Oldsmobile paris for this district, in addition to their other lines.

Nick Blanos, of the Arcade hotel staff, of Klamath Falls and Mr. Hickerson, salesman for the Balsiger Motor Co. were recently the guests of Chris. Chrones of the Quality Cafe.

Harrison Brown, rancher of Beatty is stopping with his son and is attending the Indian Shakers, which have been held for the past nights at the Jackson ranch.

Walter Ruff, acting as stable in the absence of Shadley has been kept the past week handling violations Volstead act.

A certain woman called cer up on the telephone morning. After she had ly scolded the man who she said:

"And what's more, the der you get from me last one I'll ever give you.

"It probably will, the voice at the other end wire. "You're talking to dertaker."

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The Adventures of Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy

By JOHNNY GRUELLE

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When old Mr. Grabby tied Raggedy Ann to a nail on the wall and left her hanging there while he went to the and to see Mrs. Wungle Witch to try and get some powder, he laughed to himself as he walked down the "Oho!" he said out loud, "won't it be nice for me to the forgetfulness powder from Mrs. Wungle Witch the powder on Raggedy Ann? Oho! Yes, indeed!" swered himself. "Then Raggedy Ann will forget that Raggedy Ann and I shall make her do all the sweeping cooking and everything. Then I shall try and catch Andy and puff the magic powder on him and he will that he is Raggedy Andy and I shall make him be my boy and chop the wood and build the fires while I sit in an easy chair and enjoy myself!"

Now, Mr. Grabby did not know that Raggedy Andy hiding in the bushes and had heard every word he said. Raggedy Andy was much too smart to let old Mr. Grabby him. Raggedy Andy chuckled softly to himself and "Well, anyway, I rescued the nice candy man from Mrs and the candy man has escaped, so maybe I can rescue gedy Ann before Mr. Grabby gets the magic powder Raggedy Andy waited until Mr. Grabby was out of sight ran to Mr. Grabby's door and knocked.

"There's no one at home!" Raggedy Ann shouted her nail on the wall. "Mr. Grabby just went to the He will be back in a few minutes. Won't you come Raggedy Ann was in hope whoever knocked would and take her down from the nail. It wasn't a special hanging there and she wished to be with Raggedy Andy ride her magic scooter through the deep, deep woods of adventures. "Won't you come in, please?" Raggedy asked again. Raggedy Andy tried to open the door. Grabby had locked it when he went out. "I can't!" Raggedy Andy cried through a crack beneath the door.

"Unlock the door, Raggedy Ann, I have come to you!" "I can't!" Raggedy Ann replied. "Mr. Grabby a string to me and hung me on a nail upon the wall."

"What shall we do?" Raggedy Andy asked as he rang hands up through his yarn hair. "Mr. Grabby to Mrs. Wungle Witch to get some magic forgetfulness to puff on you and make you do all the work."

"I know it, Raggedy Andy!" Raggedy Ann replied do not let him see you or he may catch you and do to you!"

"I shall try to rescue you someway, Raggedy Raggedy Andy said.

Then he looked all about the house and saw a open upstairs right above the front door. "Maybe it!" he said to himself as he ran around the house. Andy could not find a ladder to climb up to the window the longest board would not reach there, either. Be ried the board around to the front door and put a brick beneath the center. Then he sat on one end of the it teetered down, and waited patiently.

After awhile he could hear Mr. Grabby come the path, so Raggedy Andy remained very, very quiet.

Mr. Grabby came stomping around the house, was getting quite dark, he did not see the board until stepped upon it and taken a tumble.

Of course, when Mr. Grabby stomped upon the the board, the other end shot up in the air and sent Andy right up so that he could catch hold of the

And, before Mr. Grabby get to his feet, Raggedy had scrambled into the room was running downstairs. him only a moment to in the catch so Mr. Grabby not unlock the door. took the broom and Raggedy Ann until he ed the string and let tumbling to the floor. Raggedys tiptoed upstairs watched Mr. Grabby window. And, because not get inside, the lazy had to sit upon the front steps all night, out in the cold.