

LABOR CELEBRATION IN EFFECT

Cattlemen Preparing to Combat Rustlers

Klamath, Harney and Lake County Growers to Talk Shop in Lakeview Two Days

In an effort to devise some means of curbing the cattle rustlers which are reported to have been operating extensively in Harney, Lake and Klamath counties, stockmen of southern Oregon have called a mass meeting to be held in Lakeview today and Monday, according to Dr. W. H. Lytle, Salem, state veterinarian, who passed through here yesterday en route for the big conclave.

A few years ago, when the price of beef made a material drop, the rustlers became inactive on the range and many of them turned to the higher profits of moonshining," said Dr. Lytle, who is in close touch with the stockmen of the state. "But now they are coming back and a great trouble with the cattle thieves is being reported from many sections, including Bend and central Oregon."

While reports of stolen cattle have been extant for sometime, few people outside of the stockmen themselves, have paid much attention to them, Lytle said, as they think cattle rustling was relegated to the limbo of the Old West, along with two-gun men and stage coaches. (Continued on Page Two)

Siskiyou County Man Likes Display At Tourist Bureau

"The Southern Oregon Tourist Bureau established by the Klamath county chamber of commerce at the junction of the Klamath Falls-Ashland highways, is doing this county a lot of good, and is one of the best things of its kind I've seen," declared Robert Russell, proprietor of the Siskiyou water camp near the summit of the Siskiyou in California, who was in this city yesterday.

"We drove past the booth on our way to Klamath Falls," he said, "and I can tell you that the display of Klamath county vegetables and produce, together with the literature passed out there, is diverting a lot of traffic through Klamath Falls which would otherwise not come." Ashland feels the efficiency of the booth, Russell stated, and will probably come out with an individual advertising feature of her own.

Russell was in town looking for a steam boiler and engine to run the electric generator which he installed at his camp recently. "Our business has been exceptionally good this year," he said, "and tourists are still going."

Tire of Ashland Klamath Men Back Here to Remain

Al Panzer and Lloyd Low have sold their Star automobile agency at Ashland and will return to Klamath Falls to resume business activities, it was stated by Low, former county sheriff here, who was in this city yesterday. The men have not decided as to what business they will engage in, but the activity of this city is irresistible, Low said, and they came back to get into the swim.

Panzer is expected to arrive here tomorrow with his wife, to establish his future home. Both men are former residents of this city.

CORNS HURT; TRIED TO BEAT STORM TO HIS SILENT REST

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., Sept. 4.—(United News)—"My corns were hurting," was Phillip Tohi's alibi when he was arraigned in court for speeding. "What has that to do with the case?" asked the magistrate. "I knew it would rain and tried to beat the deluge home, but it didn't rain until the next day."

"Your mistake," said the magistrate. "Twenty-five dollars."

Pelican Teachers Home From 11,000 Mile Auto Journey

Four Popular Klamath Teachers Carry Designs from Numerous Cities of East, West, North and South

They've been north, east, south and west, but the best place they've found is home.

This was the sentiment given out by Anna Mae Johnston, Freda Klack, Rena Goers and Hazel Noble, who returned to Klamath Falls late yesterday afternoon in their Pelican, Ford sedan, after a trip of over 11,000 miles in which they visited in 34 states and hundreds of cities, villages and hamlets.

They didn't present the usual picture of "tired but happy." They were far from tired. Everyone of the quartet had gained in weight, some 8 pounds, and one a pound and a half, of which she was justly proud. Their faces are sunburnt, from the suns of Old Mexico and (Continued on Page Four)

General Manager Copco Company to Leave Corporation

Word has just been received from the office of The California Oregon Power company that Paul B. McKee, who has been connected with the company since 1914 and who has served as vice-president and general manager for the past seven years, has decided to leave the Copco organization to move to San Francisco for the purpose of taking up various business activities in which he is interested. It is understood from McKee that it has been his desire for some time to make this move and that this seems to be the logical time for putting into effect a plan which he has had in mind.

Under his direction the Power Company has been built up from a relatively small concern having investment in physical properties of about \$4,500,000.00 to its present investment of in excess of \$21,000,000.00. In the same period the revenue of the company has increased from about \$400,000 per year to in excess of \$2,500,000 per year. The property has now passed from the construction stage into an operating status and is more than capable of taking care of the needs of the territory in which it operates.

It is understood that no steps have yet been taken to choose a successor for McKee but it is thought probable that some person will be named in the near future to assume his obligations and responsibilities.

Roskamp Awarded Contract to Erect Daggett Home

H. E. Roskamp, well known Klamath Falls builder, was given the contract for the new \$30,000 home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Daggett, which will be erected on Washington and First streets.

Excavation for the house was completed this last week, according to Howard R. Perrin, architect, and actual construction will start this week.

The Daggett home, which will command an excellent view of Ewauna Lake and the city in general is of Georgian architecture and when completed will be one of the most attractive in the city.

Prisoners Worrying Warden of State Jail

State Troops Guarding Inmates in Fear That Attempt at Escape Is to Be Made

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 4.—(United Press)—National guard troops, deputy sheriffs and prison guards began another all night vigil tonight to keep the 962 prisoners in the state penitentiary from making a break for freedom.

By six o'clock this evening 700 of the men, who were marched into the prison yard when an incendiary fire swept the main cell block Friday night, were again under lock and key.

Guards armed with rifles and tear gas bombs were prepared to resist any attempts to set new blazes. Finger prints were obtained by prison authorities today in the hope that they can fix responsibility for the three fires which broke out last night.

Announcement was made that a guard saw five of the convicts as one of them lighted a match to ignite oil soaked sawdust in the automobile license plate mill, where two fires were started.

Names of the suspected inmates will not be announced until it is proved they set the blaze. Olaf I. Olsen, state director of business control, who is at the prison, said.

National guard tents were expected to arrive from camp Murray tonight for the use of the prison. (Continued on Page Four)

Refund Tax Must Be Claimed Soon, States Official

Klamath county must prepare claims for the refund of money from the O. and C. land grants, within two weeks, according to Senator William H. Gore of Medford, who spent several hours yesterday afternoon with the county court explaining the necessary procedure that body must take before the refund is granted to Klamath.

According to Judge R. H. Bunnell of the county court, the assessor's office under the direction of Bill Lee, county assessor, will prepare the refund claim to be sent to Washington.

It is not yet known the exact amount which Klamath county will receive as the result of the recent act of the United States Congress.

Indian Veteran Of War to Show Points of Interest

Captain O. C. Applegate, veteran of the Modoc wars and one of the early pioneers of southern Oregon, is preparing to conduct a party of Klamath Falls citizens, teachers and school children over the lava beds and around the historic Tule lake country, one week from today, he stated yesterday.

"We will leave in cars from the chamber of commerce at eight o'clock sharp next Sunday morning," the captain declared, saying that during the trip which is to require almost a full day's time, he will point out historic points along the route of the caravan. Upon arriving at the lava beds, the veteran Indian fighter will tell the story of how Captain Jack and his band of rebel Indians withstood for days the onslaughts of American soldiers attempting to subdue him.

"Little Want Ad" Works While Many Are in Real Doze

A record of 22 replies from a single want advertisement in the News is a pretty good showing. That is precisely what happened yesterday to a real estate announcement. The man himself was surprised.

In another case a lady advertised a rug she wanted to dispose of, and not only sold it immediately, but could have sold it a dozen times.

The Classified page is the clearing house for Klamath. If you want to buy or sell anything we can carry your message quickly into 3000 homes.

Braymill Highway Must Be Improved To Hold Business

County Stands Ready to Put Up Half of Amount Providing Chiloquin and This City Matches Funds

If Klamath Indians raise \$15,000 for the construction of the four-mile stretch of the road from Chiloquin to the Braymill on Sprague River, the Klamath county court will match the funds and proceed to carry out the government survey in the immediate future.

This, according to Judge R. H. Bunnell of the county court, is the status of the proposition put before the delegation of 25 Chiloquin, Braymill and Klamath Indian reservation's residents, who appeared before the county court seeking for improvement of the stretch.

"The residents of that district believe that if that stretch of four miles, one of the worst in the (Continued on Page Four)

Boys' Club Enter Potato Contest in Wonderful Spirit

With Klamath potatoes very much in the foreground now that the time for state and county fairs is drawing near, Frank Sexton, county club leader, is kept busy lining up exhibits for the boys' potato clubs.

The Henley club will put in a strong bid for prizes this fall, Sexton says, although all the clubs have had such excellent success with their spuds, that it will be impossible to pick a winner until the exhibits are all laid out. Sexton met with the Henley boys Friday evening and talked on the selection of potatoes for fair exhibition.

Members of this group present at the meeting were: Karl Dehlinger, Harold Dixon, Charles Drew, Jr., Martin Schmitz, Virgil Stewart and Jerry A. Short. A few of those belonging to the group were unable to attend.

It was Karl Dehlinger of the Henley club who last year was awarded first prize at both state and county fairs, for the best netted gem potatoes, and two years ago, his elder brother Harold won first prize at the state fair, on spuds.

Redmond Case to Go to Federal Court for Trial

Nick Redmond's name will appear before the federal grand jury in Portland and his case will be investigated by the higher body following a decision made yesterday afternoon by United States Commissioner Bert C. Thomas, who bound Redmond over for federal investigation.

Redmond was arrested yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock by federal officers. The offense charged is possession and sale of intoxicating liquors and conducting a common nuisance at 423 Broad street. No action was taken, according to Sheriff Burt L. Hawkins, until the matter was placed in the hands of the federal authorities.

Germany Admission to League Certainty

International Capital Is Thronged With Diplomats, Watching Actions of the League

GENEVA, Sept. 4.—(United Press)—This international capital was thronged with diplomats of all degree and many languages tonight as preparations were made for the seventh annual meeting of the League of Nations assembly during which—if all goes well—Germany, the ex-enemy, will be admitted to membership in the league.

What is presumed to have been the last obstacle to German entry to the league was removed today when the league council decided to recommend to the assembly that a permanent council seat be created for the newcomer. Thus the council hopes to see consummation of last autumn's Locarno agreement for peace and security in which the principle European nations pledged to do their utmost to prevent war's breeding ground in Europe from breeding further war.

The council also decided to recommend that the assembly create three new non-permanent council seats. These two decisions alone would make the assembly session, which begins Monday, potentially the most important in league history. It appears the German adhesion to the league has been won only at the cost of losing Brazil and perhaps Spain from the international society.

Farmers of Owens Valley Are Coming To Klamath County

A considerable number of California farmers and stockmen are heading towards Klamath county, according to S. L. Head, local realtor, who yesterday said the 160-acre Guy Merrill ranch at Merrill, to John Gamon, sheepman from Bishop, California. Gamon is going into the sheep business at once, he stated, and through Head is applying for 2000 acres of government range for next season. Gamon was put out of commission in Owens valley through the activities of Los Angeles.

"Gamon will raise alfalfa and grain, and as he is an excellent farmer, I expect him to show some fine results," Head declared. "I imagine that he will go in for purebred sheep, and once he has established himself, I look for him to attract others from his section of California, to this promising county of Klamath."

The purchaser of the well known old Merrill ranch, has been actively engaged in the sheep game for many years, and recently disposed of several thousand head in the southern state.

FACING CHARGE RECEIVING STOLEN AUTOMOBILE TIRES

Napoleon Murray, employe of Pelican Bay Lumber company and resident of Shippington, was bound over to the Klamath county grand jury which convenes September 10, Friday morning at 10 o'clock, charged with receiving stolen property. Murray waived preliminary examination before the Justice of the Peace.

Murray is alleged to have had in his possession two auto tire rims. The rims are said to have been found in his yard. The complaining witness is William Sharp.

INVENTS RECIPE TO DETERMINE IF BOOZE CONTAINS ANY DOPE

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(United News)—Believing a man should be careful of the liquor he drinks these days, Richard Sanders has developed a chemical formula which will detect wood alcohol, formaldehyde or any poisonous substances in liquor. Just drop in some of the chemical, Sanders says, and if the liquor turns purple don't drink it.

Death Toll Proves Sixteen in Coal Mine of Oklahoma

Gas Explosion Proves as disastrous as Previously Reported; Last Body Taken Out During Afternoon

TAHONA, Okla., Sept. 4.—(United Press)—Bodies of the 16 miners who died Friday in the gas explosion of the Superior Smokeless Coal company's mine were removed tonight to morgues and the community prepared to bury its dead.

The last body was taken from the workings in mid-afternoon while efforts were made to clear the 7½ west entry of the slope where all met death.

The air vents are being re-established, the supports reconstructed and debris cleared in preparation for the mine's reopening and as preliminary further investigation.

Altamont Acres to Be Furnished With Quantity of Juice

A crew of California-Oregon Power company men will start work Tuesday morning on a 50-pole power line extension to Altamont Acres, Carl Wells, construction superintendent, announced yesterday. It is expected that nearly two weeks will be required to complete the project.

About 20 consumers are already located in this section, Wells stated, and when water as well as electricity is made available throughout the addition, it is believed that the settling-up process will commence in earnest. He was under the impression that many now hold lots there and are waiting for light and water before building.

The extension will be made from the present main Copco line running out the Dalles-California highway.

Sigma Nu Banquet To Be Held Here On September 11

"When all good fellows get together!"

The date for the sixth annual Sigma Nu banquet has been announced by Tom Delzell, who, with Ed Geary, is in charge of the affair which will be given in this city Saturday night, September 11 at Eagle Ridge Tavern.

Fully 40 members are expected to be present. There are 10 Sigma Nus, members of the men's national social fraternity from various colleges in the United States, who reside in Klamath Falls. Twelve are expected from Medford, a number from Grants Pass and coast cities and at least ten from valley cities. Portland is expected to send a goodly delegation to Klamath Falls for the occasion on Saturday night.

DEFENDANT KENNEDY WANTS COMPLETE JURY VENUE

Because there were only five members on the jury available to sit on the case of Roy Kennedy, charged with sale of intoxicating liquor on August 26, Kennedy's lawyers refused to try the case in Justice R. A. Emmitt's court yesterday and asked that the trial be postponed until the sixth juror would be able to attend.

Kennedy's case was postponed to September 13.

Thousands Quit Work to Assist Laborites

Business at Standstill in This City While Holiday Is Observed by Multitude of Workers

Eager to participate in the opening events of the big three-day Labor Day celebration which is being sponsored in this city by the Central Labor Council and the Building Trades, people from Klamath Falls and the surrounding countryside, hurried through Saturday morning shopping. When the strident notes of a steam caliope sounded through the business district at 11:00 o'clock, announcing the opening of the carnival and shows, hundreds of people left city thoroughfares and swarmed through celebration grounds.

Queen Ruth I. All hail Queen Ruth, who will reign over Klamath Falls for two long, uninterrupted days of joyfulness!

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, Miss Ruth Davis will be crowned Queen Ruth I of the Great Klamath country. She was elected over five other contestants in the race for Labor Day queen conducted by the Building Trades Council and the Central Labor Union after a thrilling and hot contest which ended at 11 o'clock last night.

Miss Ruth Davis, union girl in the race for Labor Day queen, was (Continued on Page Three.)

Washington Editor Discovers Speed In This Section

Word of Klamath Falls speed has spread even up into Washington, according to R. P. Richardson, Dayton, Washington, who arrived in this city yesterday in search of a business location.

Richardson, who has been editor and publisher of the Columbia County Dispatch at Dayton, sold his newspaper recently and left immediately for Klamath Falls to ascertain for himself the extent of the business opportunities here about which he has been hearing so much.

"I rather expected to see a backwoods sort of town," he declared, "as the word 'frontier' has been used a great deal in connection with reports of your wonderful growth and activity here, but I must confess that if Klamath Falls was ever in the backwoods, it has assuredly emerged. This is a real city."

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