

Petitions Being Circulated For Fair Tax Levy

With the display booths scarcely emptied of the fine produce which so effectively advertised Klamath county during the recent three-day fair and produce show, the fair board met yesterday with a number of their able assistants, to intensify the campaign which is being carried on to insure a better county exposition in 1927.

The campaign consists of getting a petition before approximately 900 registered voters of Klamath county, which, when fully signed, will go on the November ballot to get a .75 mill tax levy to be devoted to fair promotion.

When the meeting was called yesterday to get the petition circulators together in the county agent's office, about 400 additional signatures were needed, and the time grows short. The petitions were due in the county clerk's office yesterday, but as he will be busy checking until Wednesday evening, the clerk granted the fair board an extension of time to that date, when he will commence checking the remainder of the new signatures.

Several of the 15 petitions which are going the rounds, will be taken to the mills today and Wednesday, where the mill workers are expected to respond to the appeal for names. The petitions have largely been signed by farmers of the county, due to their assembling at the fair last week. Virtually every farmer approached, signed the paper readily. E. M. Hammond, president of the board, said.

Montana Beans to Prosper Here, in Opinion Modrell

Returned from a visit to his former home town of Twin Falls, Idaho, L. A. Modrell, city, is enthused over the fine yields and excellent returns which the farmers of that section are realizing on their fields of Montana White beans. "From what I can learn here, this county is admirably suited to the growing of this crop," Modrell declared. "and next spring I'm going to take a fair on this variety of bean here."

Hitting Clip on Main Street Is Cause of Arrest

By issuing the damaging traffic violation slip to the driver of a car bearing a California license, Traffic Officer Morgan gained another point in his fight against reckless drivers yesterday.

The Californian, who will appear before Police Judge Garghen this morning to pay his fine, is charged with speeding and reckless driving. The driver was traveling 30 miles an hour on Main street, passing cars on in erections, the officer stated.

CHILD IS TAKEN FROM HER PARENTS

Because of charges that her father, Hiram Tucker, and her step-mother, beat her continuously, made her carry heavy buckets of water and do mental tasks about the home that were taxing her strength to the utmost, Irene Tucker, pretty 13-year old child, was taken away from her Pelican City home yesterday afternoon by the Klamath county court. The order was signed by Judge R. H. Bunnell.

REBEKAHS TO MEET HERE SEPTEMBER 23

Of interest to women of southern Oregon, members of the Rebekah lodge, is the announcement of the assembly of district No. 16, comprising Lakeview, Paisley, Klamath Falls, Bonanza and Merrill, will hold their annual district convention Thursday, September 23, in L. O. F. hall.

Wind Whips Tule And Smoke Flvs Over Vast Area

A change in the wind, aided by lowered humidity, whipped up the tule fire which has been burning on lower Klamath lake for the past two months, and carried a vast cloud of smoke and ashes into this city Sunday. While the situation was not nearly so bad as that a few weeks ago when the cloud from the tule burn virtually obscured the sun here, the smoke curtained the upper valley throughout the day.

The glow of the tule blaze was plainly discernable from the highway near here, and from various parts of the city. Sunday night, State Traffic Officer Foster, returning from the Willamette valley Sunday, stated that from the Green Springs point on the Klamath Falls Ashland highway, great clouds of smoke could be seen rolling skyward from the burn. Drivers along the way advanced the theory that the smoke was coming from fired wheat fields, he stated.

Members of the Klamath Forest Protective association declare that the tule fire will burn until snow flies at least, as it can be stopped only by lifting the dikes and flooding lower Klamath lake. Some state that the tule roots, fire and six feet deep, will smoulder even under a blanket of snow, breaking out again the following summer.

Is Held On Most Serious Assault Charge

G. E. Kramer, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon upon his foreman, H. W. Clark, by striking him over the head with a shovel while at work on Worden street on the Dunn & Baker paving project, was arrested Monday morning by Garry Cozard, constable, and brought before Justice R. A. Emmitt where his hearing was set for the latter part of the week.

If evidence is sufficient, Kramer may be bound over to the Klamath county grand jury, which convenes next Monday, according to reports from the Klamath county court house yesterday.

WAY APPEAL TO BE HEARD WEDNESDAY

When arguments on the appeal of Frank Way, Klamath county sheep man, convicted of killing Tim Murphy, a sensational fist fight in Devil's Garden country last year, is heard in the supreme court Klamath county will be represented by District Attorney E. L. Elliott, who left yesterday for Salem, where arguments will be heard Wednesday.

DESERTED BRIDE ONE DAY FOLLOWING MARRIAGE

Suit for divorce was filed in circuit court yesterday by Mrs. Maude Phillips who charges that her husband, E. H. Phillips, deserted her one day after their marriage in Seattle, October 6, 1925. Other divorce filings include Ida Crawford against Wade Crawford, and James Spencer Rednell against Norma Rednell.

Braymill Road Is To Be Completed If Money Ready

In cooperation with L. D. Arnold, superintendent of Klamath Indian Agency, and the Klamath county court, the four-mile stretch of the Chiloquin-Sprague River highway between Chiloquin and Braymill will be completed within the coming month.

This was the announcement made yesterday by County Judge R. H. Bunnell.

Mrs. Sconchin Is Badly Injured by Passing Autoist

Mrs. Sconchin, member of a prominent Indian family, was reported as resting comfortably at the Klamath Valley hospital last night, where she was taken shortly after 9 o'clock Sunday night after she had been knocked down by a passing motorist one mile north of Modoc Point.

PROMINENT CITIZEN PASSES TO BEYOND

L. E. Thayer, 48, paymaster of Ewauna Box company, died at the family home at 411 Oak street Sunday morning following an illness of the past two months. Thayer's condition at one time was thought improved and he was discharged from a local hospital. He suffered a relapse, however, and lapsed into unconsciousness Friday night.

WOULD-BE COUNCILMEN THROW HATS IN RING

Two more hats, with political bands inscribed with the word "Councilmen" were thrown into the ring that is already seething with the usual hot-bed of politics that brands every election in Klamath Falls.

The hat-throwers are Paul Lambert, councilman for the second ward, and William Baum, councilman of third ward.

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VENISON BARBECUE WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Crooked Creek hatchery on The Dalles-California highway, was the most popular place in Klamath county Sunday when the Klamath Sport men's association, members and friends enjoyed the venison barbecue. Three fine bucks, baked to perfection by the chefs, Marion Barnes, Preston Parker and Baslow Larsen, drew the pieces of resistance offered to the 200 dinner guests. Ninety-five cars made the trip.

Propose Increase In Tax Levy For Library Fund

An ordinance calling a special election November 2, 1926, for the purpose of voting an amendment to the city charter to increase the library maintenance fund, was passed to its second reading by the city council last night.

The amendment, if voted upon favorably, would place a tax levy of not over two mills to the dollar on taxable property of Klamath Falls, subject to the order of the library board. The present charter allows a levy not to exceed three-quarters of a mill, and about one-fourth mill is being levied for present needs, it was pointed out.

Masons Attention

Special Communication of Klamath Lodge No. 77, A. F. & A. M., Masonic Hall, 2 p. m., Tuesday, September 21, for the purpose of conducting Funeral Services of Brother Charles Warren.

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ground and repaired at DR. GOBLE'S 709 Main Street

Winter Travel to Be Reasonable in Opinion Miller

Winter travel along the coast and out of Klamath Falls will be cheaper than ever before this year, according to J. J. Miller, D. F. & P. A. for the Southern Pacific here, who yesterday announced that the greatest variety of low-priced winter rail excursions ever offered, will go into effect October 1.

The excursions are to apply where the first class one-way fare does not exceed \$12, Miller stated. For round trip Sunday excursions, with the return journey to be completed the same day, the rate will be based on one and one-tenth full fares. Friday to Tuesday excursion tickets will be sold at a 25 per cent reduction of the regular rate.

Week-end tickets for round-trips to be completed between Saturday morning and Monday night will be sold at 33 and one-third per cent reduction. Round-trip tickets with return limited to one month from date of sale will be sold at a ten per cent reduction on the regular first class rate. These special winter excursion rates will be in effect from October 1 to April 25, 1927, inclusive.

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