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OUR PUBLIC LIBRARY

Citizens of Klamath Falls have a right to feel elated over the new public library, which will be thrown open to the public on next Wednesday. Here we have a place in which everyone should take a deep interest. It is a home for the bookworm, where enjoyment in that particular line may be secured.

The public library that we possess today will fill a long-cherished need. It will be of great benefit to the young as well as the old. The shelves are well filled with choice reading; the books are artistically arranged and catalogued, and little difficulty need be experienced in hunting up references. An expert librarian will serve the wants of the people and be at their service during stated hours.

The public library is one of the handsomest and most inviting buildings in the city. It is ideally located at Fifth and Klamath, and is within reasonable distance of the business and residential sections of the city.

ROAD NEEDS REPAIR

With each section of the county clamoring through the medium of petitions and delegations to have their particular roads improved or surfaced, Klamath officials are faced with the problems of bringing comfort to the Langell's Valley ranchers.

Langell's Valley, lying in the far southern section of the county, and to the eastward, is one of the most fertile sections of the country and is an example of irrigation projects.

Ranchers of the project, however, in that territory find it practically impossible to reach the outside world in the rainy season.

Merle Kilgore, well known Langell's Valley rancher, his wife and son Shelley, told of the methods ranchers employ when they wish to travel outside of the little community. The men are forced to rise before daybreak and travel over the deep-rutted roads while they are yet frozen. In order to return they must stay in Klamath Falls all night and then leave for the valley at 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning in order to travel over the roads while they are yet frozen.

SIGNING ON TRUST

To prove that people will sign documents of more or less importance without knowing their contents, the editors of the Pitt Weekly, a student publication of the University of Pittsburgh, experimented

upon a group of undergraduates. A fake petition reading, "We humbly ask our professors that we be flunked in all courses we are now taking" was circulated on the campus. The students were told that the canvass was to appeal for a better university and lower tuition fees. Of the first twenty-five who were urged to sign 50 per cent did so without even glancing at the text.

BEDOLE'S ISLAND

On the anniversary of Washington's birthday fifty years ago, the spot in New York Harbor now best known was designated for the role it plays. Bedloe's Island, on Feb. 22 of this year, passes the semi-centenary of its association with the Statue of Liberty. That association draws to the little island more visitors a year, no doubt, than it had seen in all its preceding history.

Mr. W. G. McAdoo came out in to the open the other day, saw his own shadow, and laid the foundation for six more years of hard Winter for the Democratic party.

Mrs. Pankhurst is trying to get into Parliament by being regularly elected instead of tying herself to the railings.

KLAMATH

Population 11,500.
Altitude 4,000 feet.
Monthly payroll of \$1,000,000.
Klamath has tributary to it 23 mills and factories.

1,000,000 undeveloped horse power on the Klamath River.
Climate clear and cool in summer and mild in winter.

The center of the greatest stock raising section of Oregon.

More undeveloped resources than any other county on the coast.

It has one of the twenty-four United States reclamation projects.

This city is second of Oregon in amount of freight shipment out by rail.

The largest box shook manufacturing center in the United States.

There is tributary for manufacture 49,000,000,000 feet of soft pine.

The largest percentage of growth in telephone and telegraph service of any city on the coast.

The irrigable acreage in Klamath county totals 270,000, of which 140,000 is sandy loam and the balance peat. Irrigated lands under cultivation total 100,000 acres.

The value of beef handled annually in Klamath county is \$1,500,000, while the lamb and wool crop brings in excess of \$1,000,000. Over \$500,000 in dairy products are handled annually, while poultry products are valued at \$125,000 a year.

TULE LAND FILING BEING PROTESTED

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given ex-service men in recognition of their services in the world war. The topic has been the food for considerable heated discussion of other American Legion posts of southern Oregon, but the Malin post is the first to take definite action in opposition to the rules set down by the secretary of the interior in relation to the land opening next month.

The resolution adopted by the Malin post, is in part, as follows: "Whereas, Hubert C. Work, secretary of the interior, has made a ruling that all ex-service men coming under a 90-day preference right to settle on government lands on the Klamath project of the United States reclamation service, which are to be thrown open for entry March 1, must have among their qualifications, two years' farming experience and \$2,000 capital."

"And whereas, said ruling is unfair, discriminatory and in violation of the promise given ex-service men in recognition of their service in the world war.

"Therefore, be it resolved, by the Leo L. Parrish post, No. 164 of the American Legion, that we do hereby respectfully submit our disapproval of the aforesaid ruling as to farming experience and capital."

COAST SEALS SECURE MOST PROMISING TALENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12, (U. P.)—The San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast league have completed a deal with Chicago White Sox for Ike Davis, shortstop and third baseman.

Davis will join the Seals on option of one year's duration. The Sox refused to sell him outright. He will either play shortstop regularly for the Seals or be their utility infielder.

The Road to Mandalay



LIBRARY OPENING COMING WEDNESDAY

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The interior is finished in buff with ornamental supports at the beams in a soft tan. Between the two wings a quarter-awed oak charging desk has been placed from where books will be distributed and received.

The right wing of the library is used for the adult reading room, the left wing for the children's reading room. Six tables and eight chairs each have been arranged in the right wing, and four long tables, and one round table, with six chairs each, in the left wing. In the left wing is located the fireplace with an Italian scene plaque as ornament. Above the fireplace is a remarkable picture, the gift of Mr. Stark, the decorator, showing the artist's conception of Abraham Lincoln being welcomed into heaven by George Washington who is crowning the Great Emancipator with a wreath of laurels. The picture has a beautiful history and was painted shortly after Lincoln's assassination. The original now hangs in the Congressional Art Gallery, Washington D. C.

The entire floor is covered with battleship linoleum even to the reference room, also completed with the oak furniture, the librarian's private office, and the work room where books will be mended and supplies kept.

On one side of the fireplace, to the right, a section has been reserved by members of the Rotary club. The club has already donated \$100 worth of popular books for boys and girls. The organization has made known its intention of donating \$100 annually to these shelves.

The basement of the library is fully as complete as the upstairs. A large auditorium where plays and meetings may be enjoyed, a kitchen complete with an electric range supplied at cost by the California Oregon Power company, a rest room furnished in brown reed by the Business and Professional Women, and a club room embrace the arrangement. An inviting fireplace with a plaque of the Covered Wagon, is located in the club room now being furnished by the library club.

Wrought iron and irons and screens are being ordered by the club for both fireplaces. Coveboom, resident architect, has offered to buy one set, if the club purchases the other.

A. R. Moeller of the Klamath Flower Shop has offered to decorate the building free of charge on the day of the formal opening. He also gave \$10 to the library for the purchase of new books. Mrs. Jackson Kimball, who received the gift, has communicated with Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, seeking information in regard to books on flowers. Another donation of \$15 was received by the library from an unknown person.

Members of the executive board will receive on Wednesday, Miss Enola Hawkins and Miss Margaret Hargus will be in charge of the library.

Every department of the Klamath Valley Hospital is admirably prepared to treat the physical needs of the sufferer.

COOLIDGE BELIEVES PROPOSAL IS LIKED

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navy and foreign departments for intensive examination. The press was friendly to the proposal, but pending a clearer indication of Mussolini's opinion continued doubtful.

Meanwhile, in Washington, backed by the apparently united support of both parties in both houses of congress, President Coolidge was

DIES AT AGE 109

DEL RIO, Tex., Feb. 12, (U. P.)—Jose Angel Perez, 109, oldest man in Valverde county, died here Friday. Perez was born in Mexico, records show on March 19, 1818.

'THE LAST FRONTIER' AT PINE TREE TODAY

Tremendous was the work of screening "The Last Frontier," featuring William Boyd, Marguerite De La Motte, J. Farrell Macdonald and Jack Hoxie, now showing at the Pine Tree Theatre, because of the epic proportions of the subject it treats of—the conquest of the west and the bitter life struggle between the whites and the redmen for the newly-opened prairie lands west of Missouri. Director George B. Seitz was resolved to make it one of the outstanding picture features of the year.

"The Last Frontier" was originally bought by Thomas Ince from the author, Courtney Ryley Cooper, and the producer had expended many thousands of dollars in preparing it for the screen before his sudden death. Director Seitz went into the heart of the American Desert near Tuba City in the Navajo Indian reservation, where most of the scenes were filmed.

GREATEST AVIATOR OF ITALY TAKES OFF

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Africa and thence de Pinedo would proceed to Villa Cisneros and to Eolem in Portuguese Guinea.

At Bolem de Pinedo would leave land behind to point his cruise toward Pernambuco, Brazil, on the yonder side of the South Atlantic. From Pernambuco de Pinedo would fly to Rio de Janeiro, Buenos Aires, Asuncion, which is in Bolivia, up the course of rivers to Manaus, Brazil, to Marajo, Georgetown, which is in British Guiana, to Caracas in Venezuela, to Port au Prince in Haiti, Havana, and on to New Orleans, La.

Skirting the Gulf of Mexico he would fly to Galveston and then on to El Paso and San Francisco. Victoria, B. C., would see him next and then he would fly to Winnipeg, Chicago, Quebec and New York. North from New York de Pinedo would fly to St. Johns, Newfoundland, then to the Azores Islands, to Lisbon and back to Italy and Rome.

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