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## From Exchanges.

### Ashland Visitors

Mrs. A. A. Thomas departed for her home in Klamath Falls Tuesday, having completed the year's work at the Normal.

Charles Anderson, of Klamath Falls, a former Normal school student, was in Ashland on business Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. David Doak, wife of the owner of the Spence ranch on Klamath Lake near Pelican Bay, was in Ashland yesterday.

### Valley Record

Al Melhase and Ira Hansen came in from Klamath county Tuesday.

Roy Walker is in from Bonanza attending the Normal commencement.

### Class of '06.

The following biographical sketch of three of the graduates of the Ashland Normal school appeared in the Valley Record. Two of them are Klamath county young folks.

Obie Newton, president of the class, is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Newton, of Klamath Falls. He was born in Graecor county, Texas, February 27, 1884, moved with his parents at an early age to Boise City, Idaho, and later to Oregon City, where his early education was begun in the public schools of that city. After five years' residence in Oregon City his parents took up their residence in Klamath Falls, where Mr. Newton completed the course of the grammar schools, in 1901. Two years later he entered the Southern Oregon State Normal school, taking the full course. His next work will be teaching. After completing a course in University of Oregon Mr. Newton intends to take a special course in law, which he expects to follow as his profession.

Vera Storey was born in Lakeview, Oregon, August 1887. She has resided with her parents on a farm on the cantium and then in Springfield, in Central Point and, since 1884, in Ashland. Her grammar school education was obtained in the city schools in Ashland. In 1900 she entered the Ashland High school and took the entire course, graduating in 1905 and entering the Normal the fall of that year. Miss Storey intends teaching in the schools of Oregon at once, then, after taking a

college course she will again teach school.

Mabel Ethel Campbell was born at Lorella, Oregon, June 30, 1889. Until of school age she lived on home farm. At nine years of age she entered the Klamath Falls schools where she continued until she had finished the grade work. In 1903 she entered the Normal. She has been engaged to teach the second grade in the Klamath Falls school the coming term.

Construction work on the telephone line from Lakeview to Bly will be commenced in a short time. The posts will be set at once for wiring the poles to, and as soon as laying is over the poles will be wired on and the wire strung. A meeting of the share-holders will be called soon for the transaction of such business as is necessary preparatory to beginning work on the line.—Lakeview Examiner.

Fred McKendree and wife were in Lakeview Monday from Klamath county.—Examiner.

Messlames E. R. Reames, of Klamath Falls, A. R. Davis, of San Francisco, and Martin Rapp, of Ashland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White of Medford, the first of this week.—Mail.

As a result of the election two hundred saloons will be forced to close in Oregon through the adoption of county prohibition. The returns show Benton, Linn, Lane, Tillamook, Willamette and Yamhill counties went "dry." Partial returns indicate the same result in Sherman, Gilliam, Lincoln and Crook counties. Coos county went dry except the larger towns. Many precincts in the wet counties were captured by the Prohibitionists. The net loss to the liquor interests is estimated at \$750,000. The breweries are the heaviest losers. Only two victories were gained by the liquor interests and those were in Multnomah county.

Dr. W. R. Boyd received a letter Monday from his wife who is at Klamath Falls, stating that a very important event had occurred in the family of Mr. L. B. Yaden on Friday, June 8th. Mother and son are getting along nicely but the father is said to have gone into ecstasies. Mr. Yaden fears that to supply the youngster with an appropriate name it may be necessary to go outside of Klamath county for suggestions. Mrs. Yaden is a sister of Dr. Boyd.—Lakeview Examiner.

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### Forest Reserves

Gifford Pinchot, forester, in charge of the forestry bureau of the Agricultural Department, has asked Senator C. W. Fulton to approve the proposed permanent boundaries for the Goose Lake and the Fremont Forest Reserves, which are soon to be created. The senator has forwarded a line print of both reserves to the chamber of commerce, asking for an expression of opinion from prominent business interests familiar with the land, as to whether any land more valuable for agriculture than forestry had been included. Mr. Pinchot has agreed to withhold the final order for a reasonable time, until opportunity is given the people most directly affected to communicate with the senator.

So far as the reserves are concerned, it seems that protest will be unavailing, as it is the purpose of the administration to create them, but if the boundaries embrace valuable agricultural lands, assurance is given that the protests of local interests will be given considerate hearing. The boundaries indicated are those recommended by the officials of the forest service.

In a few days a new law will go into effect, which provides that agricultural land in permanent forest reserves may be located and taken as homesteads. The procedure as outlined by the law is not complex, and general provisions insure the right of location when a reasonable certainty is established that the land may be used for agriculture. The senator thinks that if the local communities protest against only small areas within the proposed reserves, which could not be eliminated without great inconvenience by re-arranging the general boundaries, it might be best to wait until the new law is effective. As the secretary of agriculture has always been regarded an exceptionally liberal patron of the industries, his strong moral support is expected in taking for private ownership any real agricultural land in the reserves.

If protests are made at this time, they will have to be hastened to Senator Fulton, as he has a rather limited time in which to sound local sentiment. The forest service holds that the matter of creating the reserve has been discussed so long that the people of the communities are familiar with the proposed work, and should be able to express themselves quickly. All protests should state explicitly the acreage desired to be segregated, the uses to which the land could be put in private ownership, and the names of the people protesting.

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