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#### KLAMATH FALLS, KLAMATH COUNTY, OREGON, AUGUST 2, 1906. NO. 18 OLDEST RESIDENT FATAL ACCIDENT RAILROAD ACTIVITY EXTENSIVE SERVICE TO BE PASSES AWAY L. P. Nelsen Horribly Mangled in IMPROVEMENTS Big Companies Preparing to Invade Runaway Central Oregon. Daniel Gordon's Long Career Being Made on the Klamath Indian ESTABLISHED While entting hay on his ranch, lo-Reservation Ended cated ten miles from this city, on the Extension of the Corvallis & Eastern Merrill road, L. P. Nelson was terribly Railroad across Oregon from Idanha to Klamath county's oldest citizen is mangled by a mowing machine. He Ontario, as announced by President dead. Daniel Gordon died at the home was driving a young team, which be-CITY Hammond and printed in the Oregonian city last Saturday on business connected BETWEEN WEED AND THIS of his son, nine miles south of Keno, came frightened and ran away, throwyesterday, will undoubtedly be com- with the reservation. He stated to the Monday. He was born September 13, ing him to the ground. When he finalnenced early next season. It is under- Republican that extensive improvements 1810, in New York state. He came to Iy extricated himself from the machine stood that the ground is now being look- were being made at the Agency, and Klamath Falls in 1873 and built a saw his right arm had been completely sev- VIA CALIFORNIA-NORTHEASTERN ed over, and that during his present that this work would be continued until mill near Keno, it being the second one ered below the elbow, and deep gashes visit to Portland President Hammond is many thousands of dollars would be exin the county, had been cut in his head, face and side. making plans for actual construction. pended. Daniel Gordon, Sr., was born Seps Mr. Nelsen had a man helping him tember 18, 18107 on the bank of the who witnessed the accident and sum-AND LOWER KLAMATH LAKE It seems likely that the Hammond in- Included in these is a new building to terests will beat Harriman in entering be used for a dining hall and kitchen. St. Lawrence river, St Lawrence counmoned assistance. Emergency ban- SERVICE TO BE INAUGURATED AUGUST 20th AND WILL BE FOR Central Oregon. In the basement will be placed a swimty, New York, the son of John and Jerusha Gordon. The parents were had been very great before this was Hammond activity in Central Oregon ming pool, and on the second floor SEVEN DAYS A WEEK is expected to hasten the building of the sleeping quarters for the employes. natives of Scotland, the mother dying while our subject was quite young. The father lived to be over a hundred The father lived to be over a hundred Oregon Eastern, the proposed Harriman A large turbine wheel is to be placed line from Natron to Ontario and from in the saw mill, and the power there-Klamath Falls to Madras. Promises of from used to generate electricity suffi-Drs. Cartwright and White, did everyyears of agb. BIG WAREHOUSES AND DOCKS It was but a limited schooling re- thing possible to save his life, but the IRRIGATION PROGRESS construction have been made from time cient to light all of the buildings and HELP! HELP! HELP! TO BE ERECTED IN THIS CITY ceived by the subject of this sketch, shock had been too great, and Mr. Nelto time by Harriman officials, and sur. grounds. It will also be used to pump AND AT LAIRD'S LANDING but he improved his opportunities and sen died at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. veying parties supposed to represent water and operate the saw mill. First Unit of Main Canal Will be Finby working around mills and machinery He came to this country nineteen Is the Cry Heard Throughout Klamother big transcontinental systems whose A steam heating plant is being inished on Time became a most expert mechanic. In years ago, and had lived on his home-Property Purchased by the Klamath ath County rails have not yet been laid in this state stalled. It provides for independent 1829 he went to New Orleans and was stead practically ever since. He was have made reconnaissances into this heaters for each of the four main build-Lake Navigation Company The first unit of the main canal will in the employ of the government for born in Copenhagen, Denmark about 59 vast undeveloped and isolated empire. ings, and when completed will be one of two years. Here he saw his first rail- years ago, leaving home to follow a life be finished on schedule time, notwithfor this Purpose Throughout the length and breadth of The Central Oregon country is prob- the best in the state. road and enjoyed his first ride on the on the sea. No relatives survive him standing the many delays and difficulthis great county comes the cry for help, ably the largest territory of the United A complete sewerage system will be The deal for the transportation of particularly in and around this city. cars. In 1831 he was engaged in car- in this country. He had often stated ties that have been encountered by the States out side of Alaska without rail- put in and the irrigation works extendpenter work in Buchanan county, Mo., that he had seven brothers in Denmark, contractors, Mason, Davis Company. A great many miles of main canal and passengers and frieght by way of the laterals, embracing 19 miles of the secroad facilities. and established a shop where he manu- but no one can be fotad who knows The completion of the unit will bring California Northeastern road has ond unit of the project and 27 miles of If the Harriman system would safe- be erected and the present ones imfactured wagons and plows. under the government ditch nearly 13, been consummated, and beginning laterals and drainage canals, besides the holds in this state, the Central Oregon When asked as to the prospects of the their present address. He subsequently went to Muskin-000 acres of land. Over one-half of this August 20, Klamath county will be greater part of the laterals to serve the country must be tapped by these congum county, Ohio, where he met his CHAMBER OF area is now in sage brush, and no steps future companion in life, Sarah Castle. have yet been taken to clear it and get in touch with the outside world first unit of the irrigation works yet to COMMERCE necting lines with the Southern Pacific. ment, Mr. Wilson was non-committal. be built by the United States engineers The advent of other powerful interests He stated that nothing could be done Remaining there four years; the couple it ready for cultivation. through this channel In all the projects that have been un-dertaken by the government, the first been in progress for some time, as this. Indian labor was to have been this work, and in the projects allocation of the projects allocation of the projects allocation of the stated that nothing could be done the ball and activity on the projects allocation. then returned to Buchanan county, Mo. In the spring of 1852 he sold out his New Officers Elected For the Ensudertaken by the government, the first unit has always been used as a basis of calculation on the settlement and culti-publican, but not until yesterday attor of mean and culti-calculation of mean of mean and culti-calculation of mean and cultibusiness, purchased several yoke of ing Year cattle, wagom, etc., and journeyed across the plains with an emigrant train. Six months later they arrived were contracts signed between the work, had recruited a considerable force from the agencies at Yainax and Fort from the agencies at Yainax and Fort than the projected route of the Oregon opening. However if everything moved opening. However if everything moved The regular monthly meeting of the siderable influence on the policies folat Yreka, Cal. Here he engaged in Chamber of Commerce was held at the lowed in their construction. It will be Klamath Lake Navigation Company, Capt. J. M. McIstire and Messrs ment to the number of 150 men by this ment to the number of 150 men by this court house last evening, and officers the same case with the Klamath Promill costing \$13,000. During the Modor war he served as a country for almost the ensuing year was elected. During the Modor war he served as a country for almost the ensuing year was elected. Col. M. G. Wilkins, president of the under the rules governing the Re-Col. M. G. Wilkins, president of the formers and storkman for the storkman for the storkman formers and storkman formers a Age ting the indians, and then, although Kiamath Lake Navigation Company, clamation work, 100 acres is the maxi-over 60 years of age saw some active was elected president by acclamation, num amount of land that can be held Laird the passenger service between themselves, and a majority were obliged The constru-The construction of the Oregon Eas- program that he would not hazard a It was in 1813 that he came Hon. George T. Baldwin, who has been by one person. Much of the land under the termituus of the C. N. E. at Grass to leave the canal work long enough to mervice. to Klamath county and built a saw mill president for the past two years, with-near where Keno now stands, the first drawing his name. one in that part of the country, at was to Klamath county and built a saw mill near where Keno now stands, the first one in that part of the country, as was one in that part of the country, as was one in that part of the country, as was one in that part of the country in that disc is principally this that has not been cleared. If at the time water is ready and other points reached by water the fort in that disc is principally this that has not been cleared. If at the time water is ready and other points reached by water the fort in that many of the Indians in the time water is ready the fort the building of the first 152 tern is being handled from San Francis- guess. He owns property at Keno and in honor, Mr. Holgate was elected by ac- authority to order the Water Users' Asmiles was made by General Manager interest is being manifested in this handled by the Klamath Lake Navi- will return to the canal. Klamath Falls. Up to the time of his clamation. O'Brien, of the Harriman lines in the county and that the proposed excursion sociation to sell it to the highest bidder, gation Company. From the end of the California North-Northwest, the local offices have noth- is being very favorably received. So death he enjoyed fairly good health, Attorney C. F. S one was chosen sec- and as the Secretary has shown a dis-Tuesday merning work will be be- castern Railroad now completed to a except some inconvenience from an ining definite regarding further plans in position where such cases arise to en- gun on a large warehouse and wharf point 38 miles from Laird's Landing, on retary by acclamation. ury by being thrown from a horse in building the road. Like the letting of city on their vacation that some difficulin Klamath county. Mrs. Gordon died Each of the newly elected officers ac-in 1899 at the age of 80 years. Each of the newly elected officers ac-in a few well chosen be dense in the carliest date possible. Alex Martin, was re-elected treasurer. force the rule very stringently, it will at Lairds, and will be rushed to com- Lower Klamath Lake, comes the welthe contracts for the Coos Bay extencepted the honor in a few well chosen be done to procure actual settlers be. The Navigation Company purchased been added to the force employed, and to the Oregon Eastern is expected at

A. G. Glenn, of San Francisco, one of the sangutant of magnetic present what is ready for irrightion. Few realize the amount of work need and warehouse, on which is to be constructed without is not possible to impress the advertisement of J. F., Croft, who enters the real estate business in the sangutant of the best known carriage men on the Pa-country. Mr. Glenn is very favorably impressed with conditions here, and who enters the real estate business in will in all probability invest quite

heavily in Klamath county property.

Jane, widow of the late Newton Pratt; for one purpose-the success of Klam- for irrigation. Mrs. Adeline Sherman, deceased; Mrs. ath county.

Mary Hamaker, deceased; John, de-caased; Daniel, in Klamath county; Buell, Willets, Baldwin and Hall were Buell, Willets, Baldwin and Hall were of the water, and even much of the land

Seven children were born to them: words, each pledging bimself to work tween now and the time water is ready this week from Major Worden a strip it is anticipated that work can be pres-

Indian Agent Horace G. Wilson, acompanied by Mrs. Wilson, was in the

ed. In addition other buildings are to

things that could interfere with such a

many, however, are absent from the

former deputy sheriff of Klamath county, but now of Hawkinsville, Cal.

### KENO ITEMS.

Every body busy.

Seven passengers had to remain at did not have conveyance to railroad. The Cross boys have quit hauling logs

and gone to the hay field." Walter Took is building Conrad Madi-

son's house.

The passengers can now take their meals on the boat without losing time.

Every thing seems to be in apple-pie order on the boat.

was here with a load of fruit and veget- little ones apparently had as much fun ables.

He braced up until the last, having help in sight. passed through Keno about a week before his death, on his way to his son. Bonanza electric road are wise they will

Mr. Gordon's obituary will be found the route is entirely feasible, and the elsewhere in this paper.

Capt. O. C. Applegate, P. L. Fountain able than the route via Poe valley. ed the funeral service of Mr. Gordon.

tent in Keno while he is logging for on time every day, which is something Ackley.

Hawkinsville, Calif., are here on a visit claim north of Bly-last Sunday. He to relatives and friends.

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new carriage with the latest and best grain fields to let anything occur. head blocks. Their capacity will now A number of Yonna valleyites attenboiler they had been using was removed his property, although Thompson bought to their sash and door factory. They it of another man. now have plenty of power at both places . The secret is out where Landlord An- stead of Hon. N. S. Merrill, of Merrill. and will be able to turn out work derson gets his supply of socks. promptly. They have also purchased a Tom Michael has gone to Ager for a new tenoner and morticer for their fac- load of freight for Mr. Davis. tory, which will arrive this week. They will then have an up-to-date saw mill and sash and door factory, and expect to install a shingle and lath mill this fall. They are hustlers and seem to understand their business.

O. A. Stearns presented this office with a box of cherries this week. They were is another link in the chain of evidence patch before long. him for the remembrance.

tropolis.

represented in the next pamphlet.

DAIRY DOINGS

Mrs. Mand Poole visited with Mesdames Fred and Godfrey Beck last Fri-

as their parents during the visit. Mr. Daniel Gordon, one of the early Theodore Flackus has moved from his pioneers of Klamath county, and prob- homestead to the old home place for the ably the oldest man in the county, died harvest season, where he has his hands erty can be served under the present July 29, after an illness of a few days full, with a big crop to harvest and no

If the managers of the Klamath Falls-Daniel Gordon, at which place he died. run their line through Yonna valley, as local patronage will be far more profit-

or on the route through Dairy is giving Falls. Mr. Walla Preston has pitched his excellent satisfaction-the stage being

new for these parts. Mr. and Mrs. Newt Gordon, from Ed Hadley returned from his mining

Getty & Higgins are patting in a new 70-horse power holler and engine, also a

be about 20,000 feet daily. The new ded the babtising at Bonanza Sunday. excavation, 6000 cubic yards of rock exboiler and engine was hauled from Cens John M. Anderson has begun a suit cavation, 2,300 cubic yards of concrete tral Point. It took fourteen horses in replevin for a mare and colt that has and 2,600 cubic yards of riprap. The twelve days to haul it, but it arrived been in possession of W. M. Thompson bid of the successful contractors was eafely. The 25-horse power engine and of Swan Lake valley. He claims it is \$161,383.

Business is brisk with Dairy merchants, and they are greatly enlarging

their trade area. Fair-dealing is certain to have its effect in time.

Miss Rosa Beck has returned home from Bly.

A number of young people are prevery large and of a delicious flavor It paring for an outing at the huckleberry Monday by Fred Mills, wife and family.

here, and Mr. Stearns is to be congratu- of Klamath county, operating the Har-, the party will go to Williamson river, ture home. While here Mrs. McKenney of considerable property and money. lated on his enterprise, and we thank pold ranch near Bonanza, came in yes- where they will remain for a couple of made many friends who regret to hear He leaves no known relatives and was | terday .- Ashland Tidings. weeks.

appointed to arrange for additional ad- now cleared will require a great deal of tional dock facilities. This gives the here, because remote from the routes of this city. Mr. Croft is a former resivertising matter, and to request the labor before the laterals and sub-laterals company nearly 400 feet of deep travel, there are instances reported dent of Montavilla, where he was princounty commissioners to aid in the are in shape. Whether the land is water frontage on Lake Ewauna. matter; also to invite Bonanza, Merrill ready or not, the payments will fall due The service will be inaugurated mountains and fishing grounds have of years. He comes here highly recoand other sections of the county to be just the same. The government is so August 20, and the arrival and de- been induced to take up the pitchfork mended and being possessed of plenty of

A telegrem was received from Frank unit of each project to be ready for now, except that the boat will leave farmer of the Merrill section is credited cessfal, Ira White, announcing that the excur- water and in the hands of actual settlers at 5 in the morning. Keno Monday, because the Stage Co. sionists from Portland would arrive that they make no variation from the The details have not as yet been

so that the fund will have a double than anything that has occurred cepted by the foreman of the gang,

source of supply. Recently arrangements were made field.

whereby cities and towns can procure The mail will continue to come ranch. The representative of the canalwater from these ditches. In this city from Pokegama until the government builders acknowledged himself beaten such service can be easily procured, but orders a change. This change will Mr. Morton, from Rogae river valley day, taking her children with her. The the citizens should get ready for it. no doubt be made, inasmuch as the Secretary Applegate of the Water new service will be seven times 'a fill up his depleted ranks. Users' Association is working on a double proposition along this line. The week and give us a Sunday mail once

more. first is to urge the people whose propcanal to prepare for the reception of several years in charge of the mechanic-

the water. The second is to secure peral department of the Grant County Heraission from the government for the in stallation of a pumping and reservoir system that will admit of the irrigation of every foot of land within the limits of the city. He feels quite confident o his ultimate success in the accomplish and others from Klamath Falls attend- Mr. Lambert, the new mail contract- it will make a garden spot of Klamath

> The Secretary of the Interior ha awarded the contract to the Puget Soun-Bridge and Dredging Company, of Seat

tle, for the construction of the storage says he is satisfied he has a good thing. project. The work of the contract infeed canal of the Umatilla irrigation Not many happenings in this vicinity volves the construction of 25 miles of

> Echo, to Cold Springs reservoir, and consists of 709,000 cubic yards of earth

> > One of the finest homes in the county is in course of completion on the home-

He is sparing no expense to have its construction of the finest, and when fin ished will be a model of architecture

and convenience. The citizens of Merrill may point with pride to the home of arrived from Swan Lake valley, Peltz's 10, for the benefit of the high school, the founder of their thriving town. J. G. Pierce, wife and son, and Will-

iam Hopkins of Loch Haven, Pa., left The horse wheeled around and landed a object of this concert ia a worthy one, for Pelican Bay Sunday. Mr. Hopkins, who is a cousin of Mr. Pierce, arrived him through the drag store window. The support of the community. here last Friday. They were joined injury was a painful one.

Mr. Mills is taking his gasoline launch. that the very best of fruit can be raised W. E. Butler, who is now a resident After a few days sojourn at the Lodge, Portland, where she will make her fa- at the time of his death was possessed

B. D. Budworth, who has been for

a'd of Lancaster, Wisconsin, has been

secured by the Republican and will in

he future hold a similar position on

bis publication. He is one of the best

dvertising and job men in the country,

and is a valuable addition to our force,

or it will enable us to maintain the very

ng, as well as up-to-date work in dis-

lay advertising. Mr. Budworth is

fhursday in the interest of his company.

He expected to remain several days,

ent line. He is laying a side track to a

new saw mill owned by private parties,

It is located about three miles from Po-

for the manufacture of boxes.

of her determination.

kegama, and the output goes to Chico

rom serious injury last evening. While

standing in front of Chitwoods drug

store talking to his father who had just

Slamath Lake railroad, was in the city the hayfields for a change of work.

unmarried.

companied by his wife.

ighest standard of commercial print-

with a most successful assault on the A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. H. force of Mason, Davis & Co., at Camp L. Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. B. St. George

here August 10. The committee that had charge of the arrangements for the Californiane, was re appointed to care

Mrs. T. W. Stephens, wife of the well where men on vacation trips to the cipal of the public school for a number known real estate man of this city, arrived here last Friday, accompanied by anxious for all of the land in the first parture will be about the same as in lieu of the rod and gun. One sturdy push and energy, he is sure to be suc. the children. Mr. Stephens has rented the house on Sth street, formerly occupied by H. E. McKenney.

Andrew Ryan, who had been for



joyed the hospitality of mine Host Griffith. The game of "50)" was played enroute, the prizes being won by E. I. Applegate had a narrow escape Mrs. Edna McMillen and Dr. White. The concert to be given by Miss Wilma Waggener, Friday evening, August auto came speeding along and frightened promises to be a literary and musical the horse ridden by Mr. Applegate, Sr. treat without an equal in this city. The

vicious kick on Elmer's thigh, knocking and will undoubtedly secure the cordial Died-In this city, Thursday, July 26, Mrs. H. E. McKenney, accompanied Godfried Weickert. Mr. Weickert has by her son Fred, left this morning for long been a resident of this county, and

KKK STORE KI: m ath Fails Toggery Shop