

CONTRACT SIGNED.

W. O. Huson, of the Long Lake Lumber Company, Friday received a contract from the Dwight Lumber Company, of San Francisco, for from five to six million feet of box lumber yearly for three years with the privilege of five years. The lumber is to be furnished at the Company's mill which is to be built on the lower end of the Upper Lake.

The Long Lake Company has secured a mill site on the Upper Lake with 500 feet of lake front and 500 feet water front on the canal which is to be dredged by Chas. E. Worden. The company has about two weeks sawing to finish at Long Lake and will then move their mill to the new location. Timbers are now being sawed for the new plant.

The company is to build a modern mill equipped with band saws with a capacity of 40,000 feet a day. Work is to commence within the next few weeks so as to have the mill ready for operation by March 15. The present planing mill and factory of the Long Lake Company will continue to be operated at its present location until all of the stock of lumber in the yards is used up. It will then be moved to the Upper Lake where the saw mill is to be built.

The Dwight Lumber Company has leased ground from the Long Lake people and will build a box factory near the saw mill. They will operate and manufacture their own boxes for shipment to California. Mr. Dwight will return here in January and arrange for the erection of the box factory which is to be completed by the latter part of March. Mr. Dwight has made arrangements with the railroad for the shipment of his output and expects the road to be completed with spurs to the mill so as to commence shipping by July 15 of next year.

Major Worden who owns 1600 ft. of water front on the lake has arranged with J. F. Adams to dredge a channel from the lake shore to high ground. This will give him about double the water front he has at present. The bank thrown up by the dredge will be used for tracks by the railroad.

The building of this new mill and the establishment of a box factory by the Dwight Company means more for Klamath County than anything that has happened for some time. The lumber industry is bound to be the important resource in the manufacturing line in Klamath Falls for years. The Dwight Lumber Company is one of the largest box manufacturers in California and their coming here means the opening of a great business for this section. They will naturally be followed by many others and it will be only a few years when the Upper Lake will be alive with mills converting into lumber the billions of feet of timber which is now standing in this county.

The time is fast coming when the shores of the Upper Lake will be one great factory and mill section. It is reported that the plans of the Weyerhaeuser Company include the building on the Upper Lake of the largest saw mill in the world. They now own about six good mill sites along the lake and when they commence building the future of this section from a manufacturing standpoint is assured. The Weed Lumber Company is also planning to enter this field.

FOR SALE—A fine ranch of 600 acres, 250 head of cattle, 100 head of horses and mules. Price \$25,000. 10-29 MASON & SLOUGH.

KLAMATH-NATRON SURVEY.

Engineer C. H. Rankin, of the Oregon Eastern Railroad, arrived in the city Monday night with fourteen men, and commenced work Tuesday on the permanent location for the road from Klamath Falls to Natron to connect with the California Northwestern at this city. Mr. Rankin will establish his headquarters in Klamath Falls and will put in the entire winter on this survey. He has secured a suite of rooms at the Lakeside Inn for his office and has established a corps of draughtsmen who will draw all the locations and maps as the survey is made.

The first work was begun on the Upper Lake about three miles above the city. From there the engineers will work north and it is expected that the survey will be completed early next summer. The preliminary survey for this route was made about two years ago by engineers of the Southern Pacific Company.

It is believed to be the intention of the Southern Pacific Company as soon as the road reaches Klamath Falls to continue on north with the construction without delay, and it is stated that there will be a high connection between Natron and the Southern Pacific at Weed which is three years. Contracts will probably be let for part of the construction work next year.

CATTLE THIEVES BUSY.

Cattle stealing is almost a thing of the past in Klamath County. It is almost but not entirely. Nearly every year there has been complaints brought by people with ranches in the vicinity of the gap and in Poe Valley of losing cattle. It has always stirred up considerable feeling and while it has been claimed that the parties who did the stealing were known, for some reason, probably the lack of convicting evidence, no concerted action has ever been taken to punish the guilty ones.

The latest case is the loss by Rex Bord, at Olney, of one Red Polled steer and a cow. It is asserted that these animals were stolen from the pasture Friday night, November 6. Mr. Bord is offering a reward of \$200 for information that will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who did the stealing.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. S. Goeller et ux to E. T. Shortt 20, nth of wth 4, and wth 4, of sth 4, Sec. 20, nth of nth 4, Sec. 29, Tp. 37 s., R. 9 e., W. M., \$2000.00.

Asa H. Phipps to E. S. Phipps, neth 4, Sec. 23, Tp. 37 s., R. 11 e., \$625.00.

P. C. Starrett to S. B. Starrett, undivided one-half interest in the eth 1/2, Sec. 16, Tp. 38 s., R. 11 e., \$1.00.

Mrs. Lillie E. DeHay et vir to Paul Cochran, lot 8, blk. 9, Duffy addition, East Klamath Falls, \$100.00.

Horatio Orem et ux to June Grimes, portion of lot 7 and 8, blk. 14, Nichols addition to Klamath Falls, described by metes and bounds, \$425. J. L. Arnett et ux to Wilbur White, parcel of land in blk 82, Klamath addition to Klamath Falls, described by metes and bounds, \$10.00.

NEW SUITS FILED.

F. S. Johnson Co. vs. Frank C. Eldred. Attachment. J. C. Rutenic, attorney for plaintiff.

Elvin M. Loomer vs. James M. Handle. Suit to quiet title. Thos. Drake, attorney for plaintiff.

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SHEEPMAN KILLED.

Cornelius Finucane was shot and instantly killed by Robt. McCullough last Wednesday about twenty miles east of Lakeview. The men were both sheepmen and the killing is said to be the termination of bad feeling between the two men which began some time ago.

The killing is said to have occurred within the enclosure of Finucane. One of his helpers discovered some horses which were used for packing on the place. They were in charge of one of McCullough's men and were ordered off. Finucane then started out to see if the sheep camp was on his land. He met McCullough and asked him what authority he had for being on his place. The two men got in a row and Finucane took off his chaps and coat so as to be free to fight. He was unarmed, McCullough had a gun and a revolver. In the struggle McCullough dropped the gun which was picked up by one of Finucane's men. McCullough then drew his revolver and shot Finucane, the ball passing through the left arm and heart and nearly through the body. Death was almost instantaneous. There were a number of witnesses to the shooting, men employed by both parties.

A coroner's jury held an inquest on Friday afternoon, and they returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound at the hands of Robert McCullough. They did not bring a charge of murder against McCullough, but a warrant was issued and he was placed under arrest and will be held pending the preliminary hearing.

The date for the preliminary hearing has not been set yet and will not be until the State is ready. This will probably be several days or a week as it will be necessary to have a reporter to take the testimony. They are unable to secure one in Lakeview and Court Reporter Richardson will be going from here. It is probable that Prosecuting Attorney Kuykendall may decide to go to Lakeview to attend the hearing.

The friends of the deceased have retained Judge Webster, of Portland, as private prosecutor to assist the State, and with Benson & Stone in charge of the defense, it undoubtedly will be a hard fought legal battle.

FINE CELERY.

It has been demonstrated beyond a doubt that Klamath County can grow celery the equal of any in the United States. Jas. Straw planted quite a plot of land to celery on the west side as a sort of experiment. He is now supplying nearly all the town and could readily find a market for a much larger quantity than he has. The celery is far superior to that grown in California and parties here who have lived in Michigan state say that it is even better than the famous Kalamazoo celery.

The celery grown by Mr. Straw is solid, crisp and free from all stringy material and of delicious flavor. Inspeaking of Klamath County as a celery country Mr. Straw stated he did not know how much land there was in the county that was adapted to celery, but that the land he was using seemed to be first class for that purpose. It is of a rich loamy soil, moist and easily drained. He has grown some of the best celery this year that he has ever seen anywhere but has lost a good deal by bruising in covering. He thought there ought to be good money in the business here when there was a larger market, but he said he knew little about growing celery and had only planted it as an experiment.

Soil experts who have examined the land state that there are vast quantities of land adjoining the river and lakes on which the soil is especially adapted for the growing of celery as soon as a proper drainage system is put in. The immense swamp lands along the lower lake can nearly all be used for growing celery. The best soil for this purpose is a rich, peaty loam, well supplied with moisture, but well drained. Such is the soil along the lower lake according to the recent tests made by the government soil expert.

The celery industry has developed enormously in the last quarter of a century. From being restricted to individual gardens it has in many localities become a specialized business, with machinery adapted to its particular needs. The great celery growing sections are in Michigan, California and New York, where thousands of acres are devoted to this crop, and from some of these districts hundreds of carloads of celery, even trainloads from California, are sent to the eastern distributing points.

With the reclamation of the rich marsh lands of Klamath County and the proper irrigation and drainage, this locality will become one of the greatest celery sections of the country.

700 boxes of Apples at the Monarch Mercantile Co. Prices right. 11-12

F. J. HENEY SHOT.

Francis J. Heney, who inaugurated and has carried on the graft prosecution in San Francisco, was shot down in the criminal court room at 4:30 p. m. Friday, by Morris Haas, a Hebrew. Haas maintains that he alone is responsible for the deed and that it was committed to revenge himself on Heney. Haas was one of the venturers at the first trial of Rufef and while trying to qualify as a juror Heney brought out the fact that Haas had served a term in the penitentiary for embezzlement. It was for this that Haas tried to kill Heney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14, 3 p. m. —Francis J. Heney, who was shot down in the criminal court room yesterday, is resting easily, and the chances for his recovery are very bright. Unless blood poisoning sets in, all danger is past.

Investigation of the premises occupied by Morris Haas disclosed the fact that the attempted assassination of the Prosecutor is the result of long and careful preparation on the part of the assassin. In the cellar of the house was found a target and hundreds of empty cartridges and cart-ridges boxes and evidences of where Haas had, for months, perhaps, been carefully practicing marksmanship, in order to perfect his aim and make sure of his victim.

For days previous to his shooting down of Heney, Haas has been in the court room watching every movement of the man he had marked for death. At the time he arose and followed Heney down the corridor it was seen by those who noticed him that he was ashen pale and very nervous. It is to this nervousness that Mr. Heney owes his life, for it was evidently the intention of the assassin to hit his victim at the base of the brain.

No sooner had the shot been fired than Haas was grabbed and hurried to the city jail and the spectators in the court room had no opportunity to make any kind of a demonstration, so quickly was the work done.

At first the story was believed to be a canard, but gradually the facts followed on the heels of the first report and as each new story was told the temper of the people rose until the city was one seething mass of humanity crying out for vengeance.

When first removed to the hospital it was not believed that Mr. Heney had any possible show for recovery. So close was Haas to his victim when the shot was fired that the hair was burned and powder marks surrounded the wound. It was thought that the brain must have been penetrated. A hasty examination, however, proved this to be incorrect and then began the hunt for the bullet. Probing failed to locate the agent of death and it was not until the wounded prosecutor was submitted to the X-Rays was the bullet found lodged in the jaw. Never was it more evident that Mr. Heney is living under a special protection in this case, for the bullet passed so close to the jugular vein that a variation of the smallest fraction of an inch would have resulted in a rupture and almost instant death.

CITY COUNCIL.

City Council Monday night granted a permit to Mrs. E. E. Heidrich to make repairs on her residence on the corner of First and Main streets, to C. P. Gregory for the construction of a 22 by 32 house in the Arnett block on Walnut street. To W. T. Elliott for interior repairs and additions to the building on Main street formerly occupied by Lewis & Piel blacksmith shop.

A petition signed by a large number of property owners asking that Eighth street be opened up from Klamath avenue to Walnut streets, was referred to the street committee.

Permits were granted to Ernest Barnes and P. L. Fountain for the erection of signs over the sidewalk in front of their offices on Main St.

The bond of Oscar L. Carter, the new Marshal, with W. T. Shive and Fred Schallock as sureties in the sum of \$1000 was approved.

An ordinance was passed for the establishment and regulation of the police force, giving the Mayor power with the consent of the Council, to make appointments and rules for the governing of the police. It also provides that the Marshal shall have the right to suspend any policeman under him for good reason until the next meeting of the Council.

On motion of Councilman Crysler the fire alarm system was declared too complicated and the department was ordered to use the old system of signals for wards.

A resolution was passed declaring the emptying of sewage into the water drain on Second street a public nuisance, and it was ordered that notice be served today on the property owners who were doing so ordering them to discontinue same and clean out the drain and provide other means of carrying off the sewage. Other violations of the health ordinance in other parts of the city was discussed and action is to be taken to put the city in a more healthy condition.

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TULE LAKE OUTLET.

Project Engineer D. W. Murphy, of the Reclamation Service, returned last Tuesday from Merrill where he had been to inspect the work being done on the opening for the lowering of Tule Lake. The government force has made an opening at the south end of the lake about 100 feet long by 15 feet wide at the top. Water was turned into the opening on Sunday temporarily as an experiment to see how fast it would disappear. The entire opening was filled and the water sank into the crevices at quite a rapid rate. The work will probably be turned off today and the work continued on enlarging the opening.

There is not much expectation that a permanent outlet will be found sufficient to drain the lake, but the opening will be of value in lowering the water in case Los River should be diverted to other channels. It would take a considerable length of time to drain the lake bed by evaporation and this opening could be used to good advantage, so that the work will not be wasted.

LIST OF JURORS FOR NEXT TERM OF COURT.

The sheriff is now serving the summons for the regular jury list for the December term of Court. There were 31 names drawn and the Grand Jury will be selected from this list. The names will be drawn from this list and the first seven drawn will constitute the Grand Jury. Following is the list of Jurymen:

Thos. Stephens, E. S. Phillips, Henry Stout, C. C. Hogue, John Matney, Geo. B. Snyder, J. J. Arant, Lester Kirkpatrick, John Shepard, E. L. Allen, Wm. Parks, and C. T. Darley, of Klamath Falls. W. E. Nicholson, Fred Loosley and Jas. Pelton, of Port Klamath. R. C. Anderson and F. M. Barnum, of Merrill. Carl Adams, W. P. Sedge, C. H. McCumber and John M. Anderson, of Dairy. Michael Rueck, of Yonna. W. H. Casabee, W. T. Garrett and Ed. Bloomingcamp, of Bly. Frank Nichols and John Forbes, of Bonanza. Solan O. Allen, of Keno. J. H. VanMeter, of Bedford. H. G. Bussey and Ben Abbe-lott, of Lorelia.

SALOONEN ARRESTED.

Over a dozen arrests were made last Saturday for violation of the local option law and a large number of additional warrants are said to be in the hands of the sheriff for service. The Local Option forces have had a half dozen spotters in the city for the past week securing evidence and today the warrants were sworn out and served by Deputy Sheriff Schallock.

Warrants were served on the following persons: C. D. Willson, Arthur Willson, J. V. Houston, Merle Houston, Carl Reed, Frank Fax, W. H. Dulaney, Otto Heidrich, Jas. A. Crane, Al. Lyons, Tom Calloway and Stella Watson. It is said that the sheriff has a large number of more warrants which will be served as fast as the cases are disposed of by the court.

The cases were all brought before County Judge Griffith, who fixed the bond in each case at \$500 and set the date of the preliminary hearing. C.D. Willson waived examination and was bound over to the Grand Jury. The preliminary hearing for the first case was set for 9 o'clock Monday.

DEFENDANTS DO NOT ALL WAIVE EXAMINATION.

The preliminary hearing of W. H. Dulaney, Otto Heidrich and Jas. Crane, of the Monarch Mercantile Company, accused of violation of the Local Option Law, was held before County Judge Griffith at 3 o'clock p. m. Monday. The defense was represented by Judge Thos. Drake and R. S. Smith, and the prosecution was conducted by Prosecuting Attorney Kuykendall.

Fred D. Robbins, the complaining witness was the first man called to the stand. Mr. Robbins testified that he was a resident of Portland and was employed by the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon. He had been in Klamath Falls since the evening of October 27. On the third of November he and a number of other men went into the Monarch and bought drinks, each taking whiskey. He then purchased a pint bottle of whiskey.

On cross examination he stated that the only knowledge he had of whiskey was from the taste. The attorneys for the defense attempted to prove by the witness that he did not know what whiskey was, not being familiar with the ingredients and only having a slight knowledge of the taste.

In the forenoon John V. and Merle Houston waived examination and their case was continued until the Grand Jury and they gave cash bail. Kent Ballard also gave bail for his appearance at the December term of Court.

Bonanza has been using electricity for some time. The work of completing the connections for the residences will be finished there within a week.

YONNA ITEMS.

Jacob Rueck made a business trip to Bonanza last Tuesday.

Fred Beck is dehorning his cattle, and will turn all of his stock out again, which he had had in the pasture for several weeks, on account of the feed giving out in his field.

Walter Simpson and C. C. Pearson went to Bonanza on a business trip. The Nelson place north of Mr. Vieira's place has been rented to John Anderson.

It is reported that Chas. Horton is intending to buy the old Colahan place for Pat Colahan.

Mrs. M. P. Nelson will go East to spend the winter and visit with her friends.

Harrison Gray, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. W. L. Simpson went to Klamath Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heilbronner, who have been living two miles from Bonanza, sold their place and provisions for \$500, and have gone to New York.

Jas. Bryans of Michigan, is visiting his cousin, A. M. Wagner, who is working for Mrs. L. M. Fitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hammersley are thinking of spending the winter in Roseburg, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woelck are moving back on their homestead near Geo. Smyth's place.

Mr. Carl Adams of this valley went to the Falls on a business trip this week bringing back a load of freight for W. P. Sedge the merchant of Dairy.

David Shook, of Dairy, has been hauling logs to build corrals from his ranch in the northern part of this valley.

Miss Lizzie Fitch of this valley was in Dairy Wednesday.

Chas. Drew has been hauling wood from the mountains.

Wm. Flackus of this valley, brought a load of wheat to Bonanza and in return brought back a load of flour.

There will be a meeting in Bonanza next week and the people will decide about the new road which they want to build from Klamath Falls to Lakeview.

Manuel Vieira has recently purchased about 57 tons of hay from the Reservation; of Tim Brown, paying \$285 for it. He had also purchased about 42 tons previous to this from Mr. Pearson, paying \$8 per ton for it.

The Bonanza flour mill stopped running a few days on account of the batteries burning out.

O. Howard made a business trip to Yonna Valley. He came to purchase potatoes for the Bloomingcamp ranch, of Mr. Carlson.

Dave Moses, who formerly bought hides in Yonna Valley, is now sick in a hospital in San Francisco. This is the third time he has been in the hospital recently.

Mr. Hoppy, of Yonna Valley, is now working for Joe Coburn on the Reservation.

The dam in the upper part of the valley belonging to Geo. Ritter and Jasper Bennett, which they built last year for \$1200, for irrigating purposes, is to be finished this fall. They have the water that came from the mountains last year and this year as none has been used for irrigating the land.

Roy Vestal has filed on a homestead near Short Lake. The eastern part of Yonna Valley is getting to be the "Bachelors' Homes."

Jeff. Kirkpatrick and Wm. Norton are preparing to trap on Saddle Mountain this winter.

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A few days ago an attachment was served by Sheriff Barnes on L. F. Davies of Dairy, on his new store, for the lumber bill owing to the Moore Bros. of Klamath Falls.

The yield of potatoes from Mrs. August Flackus' ranch, although not so large as usual, was 59 sacks.

Scy Pool has just returned from Lakeview with a load of apples. He visited last week at the Gap with his father, who has been very ill with pneumonia.

Messrs. Whiteline, Anderson and Howard came to the Beck ranch to get oats, rye and wheat. As these men are from other parts of the county, it shows crops were poor other places as well as in Yonna Valley, and the people here are proud to be able to supply them.

Geo. Ritter has plowed thirty acres of land this fall, and many more people are plowing as they think all the farmers will have good crops next year.

Harrison Gray, while returning from Wm. Flackus and C. C. Pearson's places, accompanied by his little niece, Maude Kirkpatrick, had a runaway which seems to all who know of it to be a miraculous escape, in the case of the little girl, who was alone in the buggy. He had gotten out of the buggy to open the gate and after it was closed the horses got frightened and broke a line. They ran about a mile, after which they were loose from the buggy and then were caught.

TO THE PEOPLE OF KLAMATH FALLS.

Voicing the hearts of my children and an aged mother, we wish to kindly and gratefully thank those who have been sister and brother to our mother, daughter and wife, Mrs. O. C. Caldwell, during her long illness in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Cleaver, O. C. Caldwell and Children.

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