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WILL CAPITAL BE INCREASED

Misunderstanding About New Survey Causes Many to Oppose Government—Two Canals Built.

The call that has been issued for the meeting of the stockholders of the Water Users' association has set the members of that organization to considering the questions that will be presented at that gathering. The principal discussion at this time comes from the people of the Upper project. There is strenuous objection on their part against the increasing of the capital stock until they know what the government is going to do with them. Connected with their arguments is considerable misunderstanding, which, when removed, will bring into the fold favoring the increase of capital a large number of the landowners residing or owning property under that part of the project.

Some time ago engineers were set to work running a survey to a new ditch, and without inquiry or investigation, it was concluded that the government meant to abandon the first survey, which was for a ditch some fifty feet higher up. This the government has no idea of doing. The first survey was for a ditch of sufficient capacity to supply all of the land below it. After the survey had been made it was found that for practically its entire length it ran along the rim rock and the expense of constructing such a canal would be far in excess of the estimates originally made. Most of it would be rock work, and much of the canal would have to be lined with cement. It was then decided to reduce the size of the first canal, constructing it with a capacity only sufficient to supply water for the land between it and the new canal which it is proposed to construct lower down.

This new canal will be of much easier construction, the amount of rock work being only about the average. Its capacity will be such as to supply water to all of the land below it. It will thus be seen that all of the land originally covered by the high line canal will be cared for, only at a considerably less expense.

No announcement of the cost of the canals has been made, for the reason the government has not completed its work. It is possible that an estimate may be in readiness for presentation at the meeting in October, for when Engineer Hopson was here some time ago he stated that they would be ready in about three months to tell the landowners of the Upper project what their lands would cost. If it is not ready at that time it will be submitted to them for action as soon as it is ready. If at that time they decide they do not want the government to proceed with the work, it will be abandoned. At least, that is the intimation that Mr. Hopson gave the committee at the time of the conference.

If the stockholders refuse to accede to the demands of the government, then this project will lose the money set aside for use here, and work will be at a standstill until such time as the landowners see their way clear to furnish the government with sufficient security to warrant it in going ahead with the work. The officials of the service are not making threats, but simply stating that they cannot go ahead under the law.

It is generally felt that the report of the committee and the recommendation of the directors will be adopted at the meeting, although it is not going to have easy sailing unless the sentiment of the more hostile changes radically between now and the 22d of October.

"Pop" Randall, who has been laid up with an attack of pneumonia and bronchitis for the past two weeks, is up and about again.

BEAUTIFUL CRATER LAKE

Buildings Reconstructed in a More Substantial Manner to Withstand Winter Weather

J. A. Arant, superintendent of Crater lake national park, arrived in the city this morning and states that the weather up there is ideal and that this is the very best time of the year to visit the lake. Work on the buildings that were damaged last year has progressed to such an extent as to be almost completed, and he believes that the character of construction followed this time will insure the resistance of any weight of snow. The roofs of the buildings have been given a three-quarters pitch, and the probabilities are that very little snow will remain on them.

The number of visitors this year will undoubtedly equal that of last season, when all records were broken. During the past month fully 2,500 people registered, and this does not represent the full number of those going there, for there were many who failed to affix their signatures to the register. There were people from all parts of the world, and all were unanimous in their expression of surprise and admiration, and the prediction was general that it would be the most popular scenic attraction in all of the world within a few years.

Considerable work has been done on the highways and this will be continued until the close of the season. The work had necessarily to be limited on account of the lack of funds, but every effort has been put forth to have the work done where it would be productive of the best results.

Mr. Arant expects to return to the lake in a few days.

WHEN YOU HAVE FOUND YOUR PLACE

You will be happy in it—contented, joyous, cheerful, energetic.

The days will be all too short for you. Dinner time and closing time will come before you realize it.

All your faculties will give their consent to your work; will say "amen" to your occupation. There will be no protest anywhere in your nature.

You will not feel humiliated because you are a farmer, or a blacksmith, or a shoemaker; because, whatever your occupation or profession, you will be an artist instead of an artisan.

You will not apologize because you are not this or that, because you will have found your place and will be satisfied.

You will feel yourself growing in your work, and your life broadening and deepening.

Your work will be a perpetual tonic to you. There will be no drudgery in it.

You will go to your task with delight and leave it with regret. Life will be a glory, not a grind.

GRANTED DIPLOMAS

The following eighth grade pupils of the public school who took their examination for entrance into the high school on September 2d and 3d have been granted diplomas:

District No. 25, Spring Lake, Berenice Quimby, Rex La Prairie, Klamath Falls, Donald Worden, Lloyd Alford, Louise Bledsoe.

District No. 17, Merrill, Gussie Beebe.

District No. 19, Worden, Daniel Gordon, Christine Chapman.

Dolores Garvey of Yreka, Cal., is in the city.

Ed Hoyt of Ft. Klamath is in the city.

Chas. West of Ashland is in the city.

NO AID FOR FIRE FIGHTERS

Government Has No Provision for Relief of Injured Men Who Fight Forest Fires.

What provision will the federal government make for maimed and crippled fire fighters? The question is before District Forester E. T. Allen. He has a man on hand who responded to the urgent appeal of forestry officials when a fire was raging in the Clispus forests of Washington, who is now crippled for perhaps life. No fund is on hand to take care of such unfortunates, so far as the district forester has learned, but he is making a determined effort to see that something is done to have the victim of public duty receive such aid as is necessary to restore his health or nurse him to the grave.

A fire broke out in the Clispus forests of Washington. The government officials called in all of the men they could secure to aid in fighting it. Among the number was Kelly Roberts of Vance, Wash., twenty-five years old and in vigorous health. While he and three other men were on the firing line a tree fell among them, fracturing Roberts' skull and injuring the other three to some extent. Roberts continues speechless and apparently unconscious, although he was hurt August 25th. No means are provided the district forester for the care of injured men, but Roberts has been taken to a hospital and an operation will be ordered to see if his head cannot be given some relief by this means. Then Mr. Allen will investigate to see if some arrangement cannot be devised for taking care of the injured man until he is well again.

This case illustrates a class that seems to demand public attention. Fighting forest fires is an urgent duty of citizenship in every forest community. Unless all of the people within reach respond to calls of the government officials or volunteer when a big conflagration starts near them, there is little hope of checking its progress. Such men as aid government officials in their work are paid day wages, but the pay is small, and no one consenting to fight fire does so for the compensation given. It is a case of responding to the call of duty as truly as the soldier sacrifices when he goes to the firing line. At times the danger in fighting forest fires is as great as in fighting fires in the large cities, but as the work is done in the solitudes it receives little attention.

Kelly Roberts' case offers an opportunity to test public sentiment and the spirit of the government. He has sustained serious injuries from which he may never recover. He is a comparatively poor man, and cannot afford, if he recovers, to lose the time or money that he will be out during sickness. Mr. Allen will do all in his power to see that the victim is properly recompensed, and, if possible, to have some rule formulated by means of which assurance is had for the safety of men who volunteer for this work in the future.—Portland Telegram.

A lady residing in Alturas is in receipt of a letter from a cousin in Nebraska which gives an insight into the operations of the Oregon Valley Land company, and one not at all to the credit of the company. The letter states that many have been induced to sell their homes back there and invest their all in this scheme. These returning victims, and letters written by others, say was accomplished by the grossest misrepresentation, if not downright lying, and steps will be taken to bring the matter to the attention of the United States authorities, charging fraudulent use of the mails. Many, this lady writes, will be ruined and lose their homes. Only the other day a man and wife passed through Alturas on their way to Lakeview. They had sold their home and invested their money in the scheme. Returning parties had explained conditions, and the couple were almost heartbroken. The woman was in tears and the man was wretched beyond measure. We do not know if these robbed and deceived people can obtain redress in the courts, but there should surely be some means to bring the authors to justice.—Alturas Pfalnderer.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Frank Tousek et ux to Albert Kubes, lot 1 in blk 89 and lot 4 in blk 82 in the town of Whitelake; \$1.

Albert J. Kubes to George E. Quiggle, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of sec 10 and SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of sec 3 in tp 41 s, r 12 e, W. m.; \$100.

Albert J. Kubes to Geo. E. Quiggle, lot 1 in blk 89 and lot 4 in blk 82 in the town of Whitelake; \$10.

Louis Hessig et ux to T. J. Jackson, N 1/2 of lots 5 and 6 in blk 6 in Hessig's add. to Ft. Klamath; \$100.

Alfred E. Crance to Grace Dixon, W 1/2 of E 1/2 and S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of sec 20; NW 1/4, W 1/2 of NE 1/4, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and N 1/2 of SW 1/4 sec 29, and the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 sec 30, tp 33 s, r 7 1/2 e, W. m.

Mary J. Anderson to Henry A. Grimes, S 1/2 of N 1/2 of sec 36, tp 38 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

Chas. R. Williams to Henry A. Grimes, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec 36, tp 38 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

Everett T. Short; et ux to J. W. Batdorf, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 sec 29, and N 1/2 of NE 1/4 sec 29, tp 37 s, r 9 e, W. m.; \$10.

Samuel W. Reese to J. B. Reed, E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of sec 3, E 1/2 of NE 1/4 sec 10, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec 2, and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of sec 11 in tp 39 s, r 11 e, W. m.

Mrs. Hattie DePuy to W. J. Kaufman, NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 sec 7, tp 41 s, r 10 e, 200 acres; \$10.

Mary J. Anderson to Henry A. Grimes, S 1/2 of N 1/2 of sec 36, tp 38 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

Charles R. Williams to Hy A. Grimes, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec 36, tp 38 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

Everitt and Sara Shortt to J. W. Batdorf, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of sec 29 and N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of sec 29, tp 37 s, r 9 e, W. m.; \$10.

Hattie DePuy to W. J. Kaufman, NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of sec 7, tp 41 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

T. J. Jackson to Jas. L. Gordon, lots in Fort Klamath, \$900.

Louis Hessig to Jas. L. Gordon, lots 1 and 2 in blk 7 in Hessig's add. to Ft. Klamath, \$250.

Leo S. Robinson to Mary Ovanda Mehaffey, SW 1/4 sec 12, and part of sec 11, 163 acres in all, \$10.

Wm. T. Taylor to Joseph C. Taylor, SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and other lots in sections 13 and 19 in tp 39 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$2,500.

Isabella A. Roberts, John K. Chastain and Francis H. Walcott have transferred their holdings to the Weyerhaeuser Land company.

N. S. Merrill to Trustees First M. E. church, land in blk 51 in sec 11, tp 41 s, r 10 e, W. m.; \$10.

Albert Kubes to G. E. Corson, six lots in White Lake City, \$10.

A. E. Morterud to B. Goldberg, lots 1, 2 and 4 of sec 12 in tp 38 s, r 8 e, W. m.; \$100.

Saide Newman to F. P. Hixon, N 1/2 SE 1/4 of sec 32, tp 37 s, r 14 e, W. m.; \$10.

Wm. P. Rhoads to A. R. Tenbrook, lot 7 in blk 7 in Rhoad's add to Merrill, \$150.

Lella Humphrey to Ella Lubke, lots 2, 3 and 4 in blk 53 in K. F., \$2,800.

Ella Lubke to Angela Wellar, lot 4 and S 1/2 of lot 3 in blk 53 in K. F., \$10.

Chas. E. Worden to B. St. Geo. Bishop, 35 ft. off W. side of lot 1, and 15 ft. off E. side of lot 2 in blk 32 in K. F., transfer.

Many people are aware that printers have a language of their own, unintelligible to the uninitiated. The following up-to-date orders from an exchange give an idea of the printing office lingo: "Billy, put Sir Charles Tupper on the galley and finish up that murder you commenced yesterday. Set up the ruins of Herulanum and distribute the small-pox. Lock up Laurier and slide McCarty into the hell box and leave the pi alone until after dinner. Put the ladies' form to press, and go to the devil and put him to work on Deacon Fogg's article on 'Eternal Punishment.'" Now this is all simple enough when translated into English and not nearly so rough as the reader may imagine.—Exchange.

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"Won't you walk into my parlor?"
Said the Spider to the Fly.
"Tis the prettiest little parlor
That ever you did spy."

Of course it was a pretty little parlor, for that Spider was a wise one—wise beyond his generation—and had furnished his pretty little parlor at the store of E. W. Gillette & Co. (Mang Block, Sixth street), where he found that he could get everything that goes to make a home pretty and comfortable at prices that were easily within the means of a Spider that had to do his own drumming up of business. The fable goes on to relate that this particular pretty little parlor was so cosy and "comfy" that Mr. Fly could not resist the temptation to enter, with disastrous results to Mr. Fly, but to the entire satisfaction of the Spider.

The story goes to show that when you want to furnish a house—parlor and all other rooms—if you will buy yourself to E. W. Gillette & Co. you will find that you can furnish it complete in the most comfortable and attractive manner, and make it so pleasing to the eye that an invitation into your "pretty little parlor" will be sure to be met with pleasure. Another thing about this house is that it doesn't take more to furnish the house than it does to build it. But you will find prices so reasonable that you will wonder why you didn't take advantage of it and have all those nice things long ago. Just drop in some day and get their prices on all house furnishings. You will be surprised. You will find that you can afford that easy rocker; that new carpet; one or two of those pretty rugs or art squares that you have wanted so long to brighten up some particular room. And get the prices on some of the other things that you think you can't afford at present; you'll find that they are not beyond reach after all, but that you can afford them now and not have to wait.

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In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Robert Laughlin, an Insane Person.

Notice of Settlement of Final Account and Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas E. Stanley, as guardian of the person and estate of Robert Laughlin, an insane person, has rendered and presented for settlement and filed in said court his final account of the administration of said estate and a petition that said account be allowed and that said guardian be discharged, and that Saturday, the 11th day of September, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of said court, at the court house in Klamath Falls, Klamath county, Oregon, has

been duly appointed by said court for the settlement of said account and the hearing of said petition for discharge, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to the said final account, and contest the same and show cause, if any, why a final distribution of said estate should not be ordered.

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