

A YEAR'S DELAY IS NOT NECESSARY

FAIRVIEW BUILDING SHOULD BE ERECTED THIS SUMMER

Two New School Buildings Would Better Accommodate Increase in Scholars

Considerable opposition against the voting of additional bonds for the west side school has arisen, and it is very evident that the bond issue will be defeated at the election next Monday. Most of the opposition has arisen from the residents of the northeastern part of the city, who call attention to the fact that the greater portion of the school children reside in that section, and they feel that if there is to be more money expended in school buildings that they are entitled to a school. They assert that if the west side is not satisfied with \$20,000 for a school that they would very gladly accept it for a building near the mouth of the tunnel and would be perfectly satisfied.

It is stated by the school directors that \$27,000 additional bonds could be issued at the present valuation of the property, if necessary, and it has been suggested that, inasmuch as it will only be a year at the most before it will be absolutely necessary to erect a building for the district tributary to Fairview, it might be well to vote the bonds at this time and build two schools—one on the west side and one at Fairview—at the same time. If \$20,000 will only construct a four-room building on the west side, let them build a four-room school, and also construct an eight-room one in Fairview. This will accommodate all the children in the city and there will be no further necessity for them to occupy the basement and portions of the High School. Four rooms will amply accommodate all the children living in the vicinity of the west side, and, with a school at Fairview, it will be very much more convenient for those living on the hill and along the tunnel.

If it was only a matter of a few thousand dollars, there would not be so much opposition to the increase for the west side school, but it is stated that it will cost at the least \$35,000 to fully complete and equip the building. The people are justified in the feeling that this is too much money to spend on one building, when other sections of the city are actually suffering for school accommodations. Inasmuch as it would take \$15,000 additional bonds to complete the west side school according to the present plans, it is felt that it would be far better to add \$5000 to this and erect two good buildings.

ERRONEOUS STATEMENT CORRECTED

Editor Evening Herald:

Dear Sir:—In an effort to advertise Klamath Falls and the surrounding country, the Klamath Development Company had a half-page article published in the San Francisco Evening Post, on February 12, 1910, showing cuts of the principal buildings, farming industries and government intake.

Through an unfortunate error on the part of an Evening Post reporter, an erroneous statement was made regarding the beet sugar industry at Klamath Falls.

The matter has just been called to my attention and I take this opportunity to correct the statement, explaining the circumstances under which the error occurred.

We have just taken the matter up with the Evening Post and an article correcting the error will be published immediately.

Yours truly,
S. O. JOHNSON.

LEARNING THE VALUE OF LAND

R. A. Alford has recently returned from Medford and the Rogue River Valley. He states that many of his friends, who owned property in the valley, have sold out and have so much money they do not know how to spend it. They have become rich so suddenly that they do not realize yet how it happened. After comparing that section with Klamath County he has decided that there is a good thing in store for the people here, and in consequence has raised the price of his land here. He didn't realize how much it was worth until he found out what even inferior land was selling for elsewhere.

ALL TRACE LOST OF BALLOON "NEW YORK"

United Press Service.
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 1.—Nothing has been heard today of the balloon "New York," which ascended here last night and sailed northwest. The balloon contained Clifford Harmon, of New York, and George Harrison, of California. They had gas enough to last seventy hours and expected to land in California.

DAIRY DEVELOPMENTS

Riley Woods has bought John Lind's team of greys.

Jake Rueck is expected to be home in a few days from his Eastern trip. It is a hard matter for children to go to and from school these wet times.

John Faught has been logging in the timber north of the valley for the Slack sawmill.

A. E. Edwards, of Silver Plume, Colo., and his family are among the expected arrivals here before many weeks.

Slack's sawmill will soon be in operation on full time, so that people can get lumber there for their spring improvements.

Prof. B. M. Hall's baby, which has been seriously ill for some weeks, is happily recovering and is now believed to be out of danger.

Emil Egert has been buying more cattle recently and will soon have a large herd. The writer was misinformed as to his having gone to California a few weeks ago.

A social party was given last Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. N. S. Drew, but the muddy roads kept many people away. Of course, all who attended had a lovely time. John Lind has given possession of his old place to its purchaser and is now living on the Hans Nielson homestead. He has sold nearly all of his chattels and is getting ready to move to some place in the Willamette Valley before long.

In view of the fact that the Upper Project has been abandoned by Uncle Sam, some people are wondering what will become of the suits begun by the board of directors for collecting delinquent assessments for dues to the Water Users' Association. Can they be collected? Is the laugh on the board?

Nothing has happened of consequence in the valley during the past week—except flurries of snow, rain storms, mud and water—especially the water, for Buck Creek has been spreading itself very promiscuously around over almost everything in reach. It has no channel to speak of, so the water finds its way down as best it can.

An Iowa gentleman, who contemplates coming to the county next summer, was kind enough to send to the "subscriber" a bushel of Colorado field peas for him to sow as an experimental crop—and even paid the express charges on the shipment—in advance. For an utter stranger he displayed a good deal of faith in the growing qualities of Klamath County soil.

The report from Bonanza to the effect that Hill's Oregon Trunk railway would probably be extended through Yonka Valley southward to Alturas has been the subject of much speculation among the people hereabouts lately, and, strange as it may seem, about everybody hopes the report will prove to be true—and if it does, people say they don't care a darn if they don't get irrigation. Such is "life in the far West."

It is common report that the road over the Low hill and across the Pine Flat grade is to be macadamized the coming summer by order of the county court. The report is almost too good for belief, but there seems to be confirmation in the fact that somebody is reported to be cutting wood for the use of the rock crusher in that vicinity. It would be difficult to find a place in the county where an equal expenditure would do as much good.

Mike Rueck is getting on as well as a man with a broken leg might be expected under first-class nursing. But after Dr. Truax had reset his broken bones, placed the leg in a plaster cast and gone home, thinking his patient would pass a comfortable night, Mike was restless. He could not sleep. The great toe on that injured foot pained him severely and seemed to point in a wrong direction. The plaster cast was also too tight; so the doctor was called again the next morning, took off the plaster cast and, on examination, discovered that the great toe had been dislocated, and that was what had caused it to give the patient so much pain. So, with a strong, quick pull, he reduced the fracture, and almost as instantly the pain ceased.

The action of Secretary Ballinger in cutting out the Upper Project from a chance of securing irrigation has not endeared that functionary to the hearts of our people to any remarkable extent, and the hope has been more than once expressed that he might soon lose his official head. He is surely "unfit," as Glavis has expressed it. "At least he might have given us one more chance," one old farmer was heard to say. "We might possibly have gotten enough of the land signed up by a superhuman effort to have made the project feasible." Many people are wondering if we are cut out, how Uncle Sam is going to get his money back for the purchase of the Clear Lake reservoir and the building of the dam there. Surely, the secretary cannot expect the lands signed up under the project to pay those expense bills—and yet get no water. It looks as if the Taft administration has been "playing horse" with our farmers.

MANY THINGS OF INTEREST NEAR BY

WHAT OUR REPORTER SAW ON HIS SUNDAY TRIP

A Day Well Spent Along the River and the Shores of the Upper Lake

There are few places that afford opportunities, to the man who loves outdoor recreation, equal to that offered by our home city and its surroundings. To a man who has been at the desk or trade for a hard week's work, there is no end of resources. Even if one does not care for the sport of fishing, there are ever present objects and places of interest, where the man with a camera would be only limited to the number of pictures by the length of the film. Since the breaking up of the ice on the lakes and river you can see—or join with—fishermen along the banks of Link River, or fishing from boats anchored in the stream at the head of the rapids above the falls. Sitting in a boat you can see ducks flying up and down the river, which seem to realize that the season is closed, and they fly most tantalizingly near. Far up above, the sound and cry of flocks of geese, on their way north, make one stretch his neck and strain his eyes.

Further up the bank at her dock stands the steamer Winema waiting for summer, and the trade and travel on the lake. Above there is the Buena Vista boat house, containing some of the finest and most modern launches that money can buy. Close by the boat house stands the hull of the North Star, in course of construction, which is being built by Admiral Nosler. Farther up along the lake shore are launches and row-boats, among them the Osprey gasoline launch, a long, trim built canoe, which has been frozen in the ice all winter, bearing the name of the Red Rover. Close by, anchored to the shore, is a skiff called the Thistle. On the outskirts of Shippington, anchored to her docks, is the survival of the steam barge, Hornet. The ice does from across the lake dealt hard with her during the winter, and as she stands partly submerged in water, she seems to hold forth a silent but strong appeal for help.

The upper lake holds forth an offer of exploration, fishing and sight-seeing that cannot be resisted. Among the points of interest are: Buck Island, Bear Island, Eagle Ridge and Squaw Point, also Rattlesnake Point, where there is soon to be performed a feat of engineering only surpassed by the famous blasting of Hell Gate.

DR. BURKE RELEASED UNDER \$25,000 BONDS

Indicted Charged With Dynamiting Luella Smith and Malpractice on Another Patient

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 28.—The sheriff's posse Saturday searched the grounds of the Burke Sanitarium in an endeavor to locate the missing sticks of dynamite which are believed to be secreted near the institution. Dr. Burke was released on \$25,000 ball following the indictment charging him with dynamiting Luella Smith and also an indictment charging malpractice on another patient at the sanitarium. There will be a lull in the case for ten days while the stenographer transcribes the grand jury notes. It is probable that Burke's attorneys will demur to the indictment and the trial may not begin until midsummer.

EXECUTING SEWER BONDS

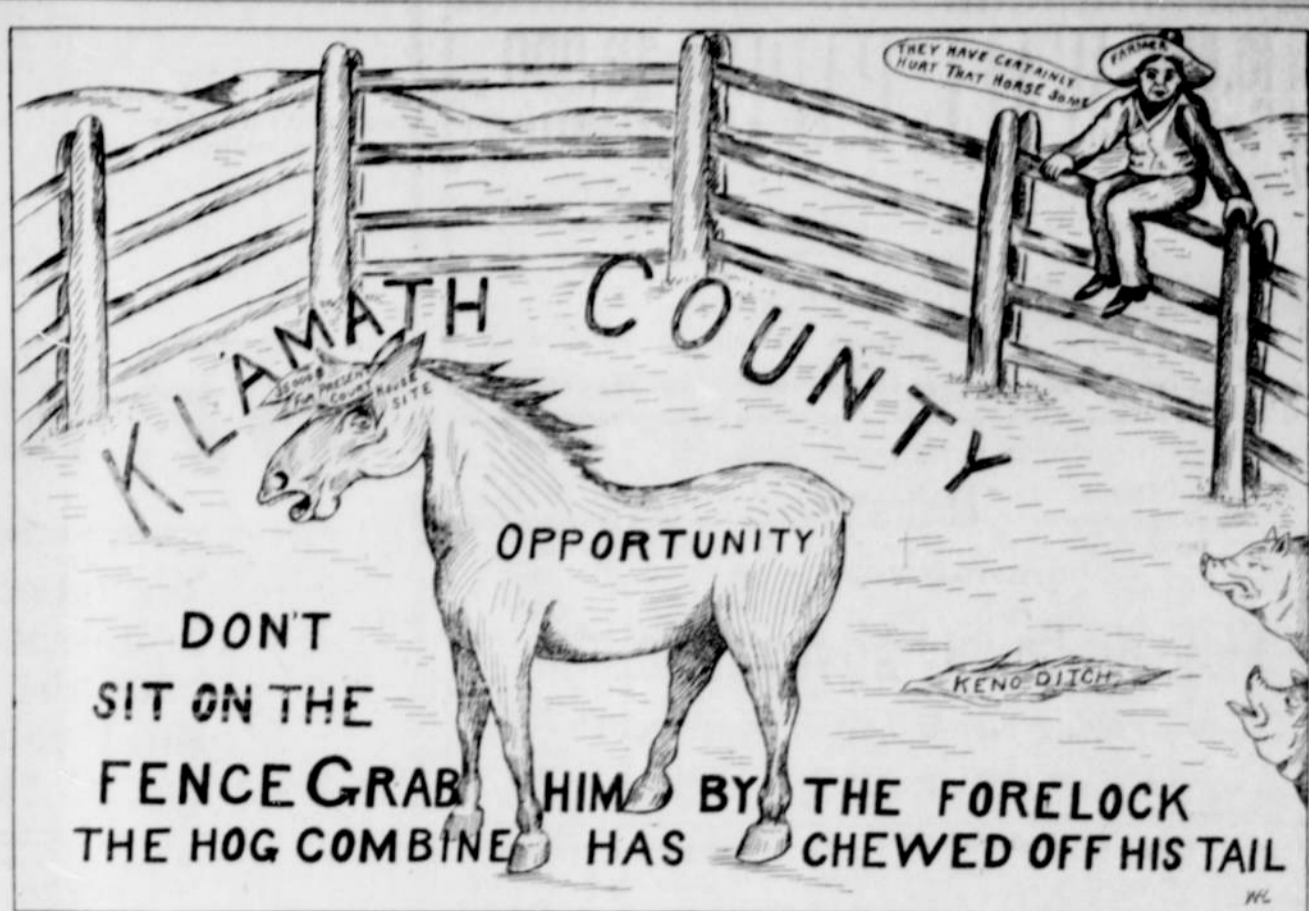
Mayor and Police Judge Today Signed Bonds to Amount of \$40,000 for Sewer System

The blank sewer bonds have arrived and were signed by Mayor Sanderson and Police Judge Leavitt Monday. There are forty bonds, each of the denomination of \$1000, and have the interest coupons attached. They will be sent to Denver, where the money will be turned over to the order of the city.

The bonds are being signed with a gold pen, the property of A. L. Leavitt. Judge Leavitt states that he has used the pen for twenty-two years, and that the signing of the first sewer bonds for Klamath Falls will be the last use which it will be put to, as he intends to put it away as a relic.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

The East End Kandy Kitchen is getting ready for its summer rush of business by remodeling the interior of the store. A complete equipment of new shelving and plate glass is being installed by George Humphrey. The fixtures and counters are all being built by Mr. Humphrey and are a credit to both himself and the city. They are manufactured from select yellow fir and when stained present an attractive appearance, equal to oak or maple.



Auction Sale

C. G. MERRILL, Auctioneer.

Thursday, March 10, 1910

AT THE OLD MILLER RANCH, FOUR MILES SOUTH-EAST OF KLAMATH FALLS.

From 50 to 75 head of work horses and mares, weighing from 1200 to 1400 pounds. All well bred, gentle stock; also 20 head 3 to 4 years old, halter broke only.

SALE TO COMMENCE PROMPTLY AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

TERMS OF SALE: Seven months' time on good bankable notes at 8 per cent interest. Five per cent discount on cash payments.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

W. W. MASTEN, Owner

FOLLOW LAYING OF SEWER SYSTEM

BUSINESS MEN WILL ASK COUNCIL TO IMPROVE STREETS

As Soon As New Charter Is Adopted City Will Be Able to Issue Ten Year Bonds

Petitions are now being circulated among the property owners on Main street asking the City Council to pave the street with hard surface pavement. This is the best time of the year to start a movement for improving the streets, as it doesn't take a stretch of the imagination to realize the necessity for pavements. It is estimated that hard surface pavement can be put down at about \$2 a yard and at this price it won't be a heavy burden on the property owner. The increase in the value of the property and the benefit to be derived will be far in excess of the cost.

It is the purpose of those starting the movement to get in readiness so that as soon as the new charter is adopted the council can begin to take the necessary steps to sell the bonds and get ready to pave. The preliminary steps necessary will probably occupy the greater part of the summer, as a number of ordinances will have to be passed, and if it is decided to pave at this time there is no reason why some pavement cannot be put in this fall, following the laying of the sewer. There is no danger of getting ready too soon.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION'S FINAL ACCOUNT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Klamath County

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Hodge, Deceased—Notice.

Notice is hereby given that John Frederick Wilson, Administrator of the estate of Thomas Hodge, deceased, has filed his final account of the administration of said estate with the Clerk of the County Court of Klamath County, Oregon, and that said Court has appointed the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Saturday, the 2nd day of April, 1910, as the time for hearing objections, if any there be, to such final account, and the settlement thereof.

This notice is published by order of said County Court, made and entered in the records thereof the 28th day of February, 1910.

JOHN FREDERICK WILSON, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Hodge, Deceased. 3-3-3-31

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATE LAND OFFICE. Serial No. 03048. Lakeview List No. 73. Lakeview, Ore., Feb. 23, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the Northern Pacific Railway Company, whose postoffice address is St. Paul, Minnesota, has on February 23, 1910, filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898 (30 Stat. 597, 620), as extended by the Act of Congress approved May 17, 1906, (34 Stat., 197), lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Section 17, in Township 32, South of Range 7 1/2 East of the Willamette Principal Meridian, containing 81.04 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1910.

ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register. 3-3-4-21

GIRL'S CLOTHES CAUGHT FIRE FROM GASOLINE

Mother Severely Injured While Trying to Extinguish Flames With Bare Hands

United Press Service.
VALLEJO, Cal., March 1.—Mary Moran and daughter, Rita, were taken to the San Francisco hospital today on account of injuries received last night, when the girl's dress caught fire from ignited gasoline. The girl's dress was one mass of flames when her mother rushed to her assistance and extinguished the fire with her hands. The mother is badly burned and the daughter is in a precarious condition.

DISTRIBUTING TRUST FUND TO THE INDIANS

About \$425,000 Will Be Paid to Allottees on Klamath Reservation

Notice has been given that the trust fund, which has been held in trust by the Government for the Indians on the Klamath Reservation,

GOOD SEED RYE
400 bushels of good seed rye for sale, \$1.75 per hundred at ranch. 2-3-1f JOHN DE PUY, Hopkins Ranch, near Midland.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRAZING PERMITS
Notice is hereby given that all applications for permits to graze cattle, horses, sheep and hogs within the CRATER NATIONAL FOREST during the season of 1910, must be filed in my office at Medford, Oregon, on or before April 1, 1910. Full information in regard to the grazing fees to be charged and blank forms to be used in making applications will be furnished upon request.
M. L. ERICKSON, Supervisor. 2-27 3-18

RELINQUISHMENT FOR SALE
160 acres of land near railroad, cabin and barn, for \$300. Running stream. I have about eight homesteads, level and good running water. For particulars write to
JOHN KNOTT, Crescent, Oregon

A FEW BARGAINS.
Five lots, signly location, \$1500. Can loan \$750 on the deal.
A nice cottage with bath, large lot, \$1700. A good buy.
A large residence, fine lot, \$3500.
Three cottages on three lots. Room enough for another cottage; \$2250
MASON & SLOUGH.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Klamath County
In the Matter of the Estate of Gessine Wheeler, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Gessine Wheeler, deceased, to the creditors of said estate, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, or the said estate, to present such claims with the proper vouchers within six months from the date of this notice to said administrator at his residence in the Town of Fort Klamath, Klamath County, Oregon.
Dated this 13th day of January, A. D. 1910.
JAMES G. WHEELER, Administrator of the Estate of Gessine Wheeler, Deceased.

ESTRAY NOTICE
Strayed from my ranch, eight head long yearling heifers, branded P over half circle on left hip. Under bit right ear, over slope on left ear. Information leading to their recovery, or delivery, will be rewarded.
H. S. PARRISH, Merrill, Ore.

The Best Advice

For the protection of your eyesight is to visit our optical department once in a while.

We can tell you in a very few minutes what, if anything, should be done.

We will test your eyes by the most modern methods—and fit lenses to your eyes with scientific exactitude.

That will assure you future eye comfort.

We give every case the utmost care and attention and with our facilities can guarantee satisfaction.

Make it a point to see us about your eyes. If glasses are not needed, there will be no charge.

H. J. WINTERS
Graduate & State Registered Optician