

ENTHUSIASM FOR THE Y. M. C. A.

MEETING HELD YESTERDAY INDICATED SUCCESS OF MOVE

THIS CITY IS BIG ENOUGH FOR IT

Belief Is Prevalent That It Will Be Possible to Raise the Necessary Funds

If the interest that was manifested in the Y. M. C. A. movement Sunday is an indication of the outcome of the affair, then Klamath Falls will have a branch of the association here without very much delay. The leading business men of the city were present and evinced greater interest in the matter than they have ever before shown in any new enterprise that has been suggested for the welfare of the city.

The Union Service at the Iris was an unqualified success. Fully two hundred men attended. It was opened by a few gospel songs and manual exercises, which were followed by an interesting, as well as an instructive, talk by F. E. A. Smith, of Portland. He spoke along the line of more cleanly lives for the boys and young men, asking them to stand for as pure a life from the young men as they expected and demanded from the young women. He held up as an example the pure life as taught and practiced by Jesus Christ and the effect that the teachings of the Saviour had upon the young men through the influence of being taught them by the Young Men's Christian Association.

The evening services were held at the Methodist Church, where the speaker was greeted by another large audience, the seating capacity of the edifice being taxed to the utmost. The meeting was in charge of Alex. Martin, Jr., the music being led by J. B. Mason. Mr. Smith, with the use of a stereopticon, enlightened the people along the line of the benefits accruing from the Y. M. C. A. to the young men, as well as showing what is actually being accomplished. This was done by showing work done in all departments of the association, not only the athletic and educational, but the method that is used in following up and helping the men while they are employed in the railroad and mill camps, as well as in the city factories. The address was very instructive, and many who never knew but little of the Y. M. C. A. learned the value of such a movement for the welfare of the young men.

It was decided that the time was not ripe for the organization in Klamath Falls as yet, but Mr. Smith gave them warning that in the near future steps would be taken toward forming a permanent organization here. As the speaker placed it, the "Y. M. C. A. is the church at work, and the parents of this or any other community cannot afford to overlook any opportunity of surrounding their sons and daughters with those things that go to make men and women of strong, clean characters."

CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN TO BE OPENED BY TAFT

Expected He Will Define What Constitutes Republicanism

United Press Service. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9.—President Taft tonight opens the Republican Congressional campaign by addressing the League of Republican Clubs of the District of Columbia, at a dinner to be given this evening. His remarks will be based on the significance of Republicanism, and it is expected that he will give his views on what constitutes a Republican.

The insurgents will not attend the banquet.

FORMER UNITED STATES SENATOR BARD DYING

Distinguished Californian Has a Relapse and Little Hope Is Entertained

United Press Service. OXNARD, Cal., April 9.—Former United States Senator Bard was believed to be dying at noon today. He suffered a relapse and has been gradually sinking since then. The family was called to the bedside of the dying man, Dr. Livingstone having advised the members that death was near. His respiration was difficult and his pulse was very weak.

NEW PORTRAIT ARTIST

Since Miller & Johnson acquired the Mongold studio many changes have been made in the manner of conducting the business, not the least of which has been the securing of the services of William Westman, of Minneapolis. Mr. Westman is recognized as being one of the finest por-

trait artists in all of the West, and Messrs. Miller & Johnson are congratulating themselves on having secured his services. There is no branch of the photographic art that requires so much ability as that of producing natural photographs of men, women and children, and Mr. Westman seems to have been particularly endowed in this respect. No special efforts have been made to handle this branch of the business until now on account of the changes made necessary under the new regime, but Mr. Westman is now ready with his camera, freed as he has made it from the many instruments of torture and the time worn warning of "Look pleasant, please."

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—Secretary of War Dickinson, being called to the Senate wing of the Capitol on business, was surprised to find in a big upstairs corridor a model of the Canal Zone 10x20 feet in area. All the points of importance in connection with the canal work were marked and it was a graphic and interesting presentation of Uncle Sam's big job on the Isthmus.

In trooped a capitol guide with a bevy of chattering, blithesome lady tourists and ranged them in front of the zone model. Then he told what he knew and guessed the rest about the construction of the canal, while the man who was building it, his identity unknown, stood by, an interested spectator. A suspicion that the distinguished looking citizen was a rather knowing party grew on the guide and the fear seemed to possess him that in inaccuracies in his description on the canal work might possibly be called to the attention of his patrons. So the voice that at first rang out boldly faltered, and the lecture was soon brought to an end. The canal builder then quietly resumed his inspection of the model.

SEATTLE HOLD-UPS ROB FORTY-SEVEN PASSENGERS

Stop Street Car by Use of Red Lantern and Then Go Through Car

United Press Service. SEATTLE, Wash., April 9.—Three masked men stopped the Alki Point car at First avenue and Hanford street at midnight last night, signaling the motorman with a red lantern. When the car came to a stop the three bandits boarded it and proceeded to hold-up and rob its forty-seven occupants. They secured about \$500 in cash and jewelry. Ordering the motorman to go ahead, the three men dropped from the car and escaped into the darkness. Night Watchman Thomas Gifford, who witnessed the robbery, opened fire on the men and they responded, a lively fusillade being kept up for several minutes. The men headed for the water-front. The police were notified and searched the vicinity of the robbery and later the water-front, gathering in four suspects, who will probably be released for lack of evidence.

FIRE DESTROYS BIG STAMP MILL IN NEVADA

Explosion of Vat of Distillate Followed by Disastrous Fire

United Press Service. GOLDFIELD, Nev., April 9.—It is estimated that damage to the extent of \$200,000 was done to the 900-ton stamp mill of the Consolidated Mills Company by a fire early this morning. The origin of the fire was the explosion of a vat of distillate in the refinery part of the mill. Thirty stamps, the belt conveyor and the store house containing \$60,000 worth of high-grade ore, were destroyed. The plant will be closed for at least two months.

WHIRLWINDS FROM MIDLAND

Jacob Meyers is on the sick list this week.

Wm. Barker has erected a large warehouse.

Walter Turner has been visiting at the DePuy home.

Ben Galloway made a business trip to the city recently.

Wm. Bedding and sons have taken up quarters at their ranch.

Mrs. Alma LaPrairie has been visiting Miss Pearl Davidson.

Bernard Dixon and Sam Woodard took in the dance at Kelly's.

Messrs. Campbell and Jennings were visitors here from the Falls.

The three Morgan children have increased the roll call of the school.

Mrs. Wm. Barks and Miss Et'el Gilson were shopping in the Falls recently.

Mrs. J. L. Taylor and son, of Ashland, are registered at the Hotel Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patterson have gone to the Falls, where they will run a restaurant.

The dance given at the Kelly residence was a surprising success, considering the inclement weather.

Mrs. Alma LaPrairie left Saturday afternoon to take charge on Monday morning of the Henly school.

WORK TO COMMENCE FIRST OF MAY

OREGON TRUNK TAKES A LONG STEP TOWARDS THE FALLS

Contract Calls for Completion of Line to Reservation by January 1, 1911

The following from the Oregonian of Thursday will prove of great interest to the people of Klamath County. When the Herald announced that the Oregon Trunk was coming to Klamath Falls—being the first paper in the State to do so—few people believed it possible. Subsequent events have proven the authenticity of the information and the contract that has just been let brings the road within the sphere of influence of Klamath Falls. The article follows:

"Work on the grading of the Oregon Trunk Line from Madras to the northern line of the Klamath Indian reservation is to commence by May 1.

"It is asserted at the offices of the company in Portland that bids have been asked for the grading of the road for the distance named, the bids to be filed not later than April 18.

"The terms of the contract will call for the commencement of work within ten days after the contract is awarded and for completion of the grading by January 1, 1911.

"In the contract to be awarded there will be approximately 111 miles of grade and all of the work but the bridge building and track laying will be included. The bridge material will be ordered, however, and contracts let for the larger structures so that the track laying can follow the completion of grading closely.

Three Towns Pierced

"The extension of the Oregon Trunk Line, thus assured, will pass through the towns of Redmond, Bend, Rosland and Odell.

"To those familiar with the country to be traversed the letting of the contract is taken to mean that another contract will soon be let for construction of the road across the Indian Reservation to Klamath Falls, or as soon as the right of way is approved by the Indian Bureau and granted by the Interior Department. From Odell south the road will pass through a country partly grown up to 'jack pine' and other more or less rocky and barren soil until the reservation is reached.

"The building to the reservation does not carry the road to a desirable terminus, therefore it is taken to mean that the location of the line southward from the northern boundary of the reservation has been determined definitely and that construction work awaits only the formality of securing right of way.

Rich Country Tapped

"From Madras to Odell the road will tap some of the best of Central Oregon, including Opal Prairie, the Juniper Butte lands, the Redmond irrigated district, the great timber area extending from Bend southward and a large irrigable district surrounding Rosland, where a company is already at work on a Carey act project. It is the supposition that the road will follow the west shore of Klamath Lake and in that portion of Klamath County will serve another immense timber area.

"When the grading on this extension is under way, the Oregon Trunk Line will have about 225 miles under construction. The first section of the work, from Celilo to Madras, was let

direct to Porter Brothers, who originally owned half the stock in the Oregon Trunk Line. The work south of Madras, however, is open to other contractors and several large firms are preparing to bid thereon. In comparison with the first section, the grading south of Madras will be light work and of a character that will permit of rapid completion."

ROOSEVELT AND PINCHOT GREET EACH OTHER IN ITALY

Intimated That Rough Rider Is Miffed at Silence of Taft Administration

United Press Service.

PORTO MAURIZIO, Italy, April 11.—Ex-Forester Gifford Pinchot, the protege of ex-President Roosevelt, arrived here at midnight and early this morning he met Colonel Roosevelt at the villa of Miss Carew. Roosevelt welcomed him enthusiastically. "Hello, Gifford; this is fine." They clasped hands like brothers and almost hugged each other. They then entered the house and later strolled through the woods for two hours. At the conclusion of the walk Mr. Roosevelt stated that he had nothing to give out.

With Mr. Pinchot it was different. It was quite evident that the interview was quite to his liking and he seemed to be overflowing with news that he would like to have flashed to the United States. He, however, restrained himself, and simply intimated that Colonel Roosevelt had not as yet repudiated President Taft. He said that Mr. Roosevelt was surprised at not receiving any personal messages from President Taft or any member of the Chief Executive's official family. It is believed that Mr. Pinchot reported fully the controversy between himself and Secretary of the Interior Ballinger.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—

Many followers of the Taft administration feel that the President has overlooked an important political move in having failed to send someone to meet ex-President Roosevelt to offset the talk he would have with Gifford Pinchot. Party leaders are now wishing that Senator Root had accepted the invitation to meet the ex-president and present the administration's side of the case.

PRESBYTERIAN MAY ERECT NEW EDIFICE THIS SUMMER

Meeting of the Congregation Will Be Held Next Week to Decide the Question

The committee appointed at the annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Church, to select plans for a new church building met Friday night at the office of O. B. Gates and canvassed the matter. Plans were finally selected for a building that will be an ornament and a credit to the city and will meet the constantly growing needs of the congregation. The plans that the committee selected will be submitted to the congregation at a meeting called for that purpose to be held next Thursday evening, April 13, at the church. Every member of the church and congregation ought to attend that meeting and it is the hope of all concerned that this beautiful church may be erected this coming summer.

FEET OR IDEAS, WHICH?

In buying shoes one can never be too careful. Bear in mind that the poor clerk's bread and butter depends on his selling to you, and in order to hold his job he will endeavor to sell you, no matter if he makes a cripple out of you for life. The chances are that what he knows about shoes and leather is what some young drummer told him, and there is not one drummer in fifty today that knows anything about the construction of a shoe, and certainly nothing about leather.

In the past six years many of the leading factories that used to make good, honest shoes have been bought by concerns that are selling goods on the firm's past reputation. You have noticed the difference yourself, yet never realized what the reason was.

Women are much more easily deceived in the shoe line than men. Al-

MANY NOTED MEN WILL BE HERE

SUBSCRIPTION LIST WILL BE STARTED IN A FEW DAYS

A Tent City Will Be Established Under Military Discipline

As a special inducement to bring people from all sections of the Coast to this city, there will be a lecture course that will command the attention of the people of the West, for it will be attended by some of the leading educators of the country. Among those who will be expected to attend will be Eugene V. Debs, who needs no introduction to the people of the Nation; Arthur M. Lewis, one of the noted lecturers of the United States; Professor John C. Kennedy, professor of political economy in the Chicago University; Rev. J. S. Willson, of Berkeley; Rev. George W. C. of Boston; Clarence Darrow, the noted Chicago attorney, and a number of other celebrities.

A misunderstanding has secured footing to the effect that the necessary funds have already been subscribed. This is incorrect. A number of the business men have signified their intention of subscribing, but nothing has been done towards the actual securing of the fund. Mr. Burrell will take this part of the program in hand and settle the matter definitely one way or another.

The plans for raising the funds necessary to secure for this city the Socialist encampment are rapidly being matured and within the next few days D. E. Burrell will take that part of the affair in hand and ascertain definitely what may be expected.

In order to secure the encampment it will be necessary to raise in the neighborhood of \$2,000. The Socialists of the city and county will do their share, but being somewhat limited in numbers and means, the greater part of the burden must fall on the shoulders of the business men of the city. The benefit accruing from the securing of the encampment will amply repay those who may subscribe to the fund, for it is expected that it will bring to the city several thousand people.

It is proposed to erect a tent city close to town, wherein will be housed all those who visit the city during the week of the encampment. This will be under military rules and discipline, and everything connected with the plan conducted with the utmost precision.

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though they are looking for bargains, a man looks for the goods. A bright buckle or button, or a gay ribbon, will sometimes sell a woman a pair of shoes, where the shoe itself is a third grade of paper or sheepskin.

A good, safe way to buy shoes is to go to some reliable firm; or, better, if your town has an exclusive shoe store, as is the case in this city, go there and let them measure your feet. It will cost you nothing and they will tell you what kind of a last you should wear. The main thing in shoes for health and comfort and style is to fit your feet, and not your ideas. The Klamath Exclusive Shoe Store is the place to go to secure all of these requirements.

A very enjoyable bowling party was held at Brunswick alleys Thursday night. Among those present: Mr. and Mrs. Painter, Miss Marie McMillan, Mrs. O. B. Gates, I. B. Clark, Mr. Temple, and Mrs. McCloud of Watrous, Cal. The highest scores were made by Mrs. McCloud and Mrs. Gates.

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