

AMONG THE LOCAL LODGES

WHAT THEY ARE DOING IN THE FRATERNAL WORLD

Women of Woodcraft, Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias Elect Officers

This is the season of the year for the semi-annual election of lodge officers, and during the month of June almost all the fraternal societies in the country will elect new officers.

The Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and Independent Order of Red Men have already elected their officers, and several other lodges will follow next week.

Modoc Tribe I. O. R. M. has chosen the following:

Sachem, Frank Applegate; Senior Sagamore, M. W. Espy; Junior Sagamore, C. W. Harlow; Prophet, W. E. Seehorn; Trustee, W. M. Espy.

Klamath Lodge K. of P. has elected officers for the ensuing term as follows:

Chancellor Commander, Albert E. Elder; Vice Chancellor, C. C. Low; Prelate, R. M. Reid; Master of Work, Henry Rabbes; Master at Arms, B. Zollman.

Klamath Lodge I. O. O. F. has just chosen Fred Bamber, Noble Grand; Percy Scholl, Vice Grand; G. L. Humphrey, Secretary, and P. L. Fountain, Treasurer.

The installation of the above officers will take place during July.

Ewauna Circle, Women of Woodcraft, elected the following officers last night:

Past Guardian Neighbor, Mrs. Lena Noel; Guardian Neighbor, Amelia Hanks; Advisor, Etta Bolter; Magician, Francis Johnson; Attendant, Fanny Virgil; Inner Sentinel, Nancy Donart; Outer Sentinel, Christina Sharp; Musician, Henrietta Melhase; Manager, Maud Doliver. A strawberry festival was enjoyed after the business of the evening. At the next meeting night a program will be given by several members of the circle.

The Woodmen of the World will decorate the graves of their dead all over the country tomorrow. Local Woodmen will pay their respects to the dead in this city in like manner.

MAY ATTACK NANKIN EXPOSITION

CHINESE UPRISING IS ASSUMING SERIOUS PROPORTIONS

The Uprising Is Becoming Distinctly Anti-Foreign and Not Anti-Dynastic

United Press Association.

PEKIN, China, June 4.—Reports from Hunan, Kiang Su and Chih provinces indicate that a repetition of the Boxer uprising on a larger scale is imminent. Prince Chun, regent adviser, is planning to check any outbreak before foreign intervention becomes necessary. The uprising is becoming openly anti-foreign instead of anti-dynastic, and foreigners are fleeing to the interior from the coast cities, consuls at Pekin, Nankin and other cities advising such action. The American minister, W. J. Calhoun, is frankly alarmed. The worst situation is at Nankin, where the feeling is bitter. The Chinese government is hastening loyal troops there, fearing that the agitators will take advantage of the opening of the Nankin exposition tomorrow to start hostilities. Foreign legations have been informed that additional warships will protect foreigners.

WOULD PUT HOTEL ON HAMAKER LOT

PORTLAND MEN HERE INTERESTING LOCAL CAPITAL

J. I. Anderson and B. D. Postlethwaite Are Being Aided by Committee of Business Men

Another new hotel project is being considered in this city.

J. I. Anderson and B. D. Postlethwaite, two experienced hotel men of Portland, are here with a view of securing the co-operation of local capital in building a commercial hotel on the Hamaker lot recently excavated on Main street, between Second and Third streets.

A canvas is being made by several business men interested in aiding them. About \$25,000 is needed for the construction and furnishing of the building.

KLAMATH COUNTY HOLDS WORLD'S CHICKEN RECORD

Remarkable performance of One of Colonel Lathrop's Chickens

Colonel Lathrop, who is building up a poultry farm in this county, is the owner of a chicken which is be-

lieved to hold the world's record in the egg-laying line. In talking with a Herald reporter today Colonel Lathrop stated that he received the first bunch of newly-hatched chicks ever received in Klamath county from California on the 28th of January. The chicks on their arrival here were taken to the poultry farm, twelve miles out on the Merrill road, and raised by the Colonel's own methods.

On May 28th the first egg was laid, just four months and three days from the time of hatching. This breaks any record recorded in poultry books or chicken statistics. The Colonel has the egg with him, and it is filed on record at the Herald office.

These chickens are the Imperial White Leghorns, and are guaranteed to lay 225 eggs apiece a year. On the farm are 200 of these and about 500 Diamond Leghorns, which Mr. Lathrop says are equally as good. This goes to show what can be done in the poultry business in the Klamath country when it is properly handled.

THE BONANZA HUMORIST

(Bonanza Bulletin Items) The dance last Friday night was attended by 25 couple. Too bad the opera house burned down; but it's all on account of the comet.

The earth has survived as yet from the terrible effects of that awful comet, which was to do its work yesterday.

W. H. McClure's beef wagon was in the city today, feeding the poor people of this place (who has the price).

J. A. Parker of Bly arrived in the city Tuesday from home with a load of Cash (cream) for the Klamath Falls creamery. Thus it looks as though we were destined to perish.

WILL LAND MACHINE GUNS IF IT IS NECESSARY

United Press Service. MANKING, China, June 3.—The Chinese movement against foreigners is being prepared for. Commander Welles of the United States cruiser New Orleans, has arranged to land machine guns and have marines and blue jackets surround the consulates of all nations in case of an outbreak.

BUYS THE JACKSON RANCH

E. Brown of Portland has purchased the ranch belonging to Ada L. Kinney at Olene, better known as the Sam Jackson ranch. Mr. Brown has been looking over the country for some time, and is well satisfied with the 132 acres he now has in the Klamath country. The trade was made between the parties direct.

ERICKSON AND TEAMSTER IN FIGHT

RAILROAD CONTRACTOR HAS TWO TEAMSTERS ARRESTED

Frank Johnson Pleads Guilty to Assault and Has His Wages Shortened by \$25 and Costs

Andrew Erickson, sub-contractor on the railroad grading near Modoc Point, came to blows with Frank Johnson, one of his teamsters yesterday, over a dispute concerning wages, and swore out a warrant last night for both Johnson and his son-in-law, Charles Barron, charging assault and trespass.

Sheriff Barnes and Deputy Sheriff Schallock went up to Bartell Springs Wednesday by auto and brought back the men, who were released on their own recognizances, and tried in Justice Miller's court this morning. Johnson pleaded guilty to assault on Erickson, and was fined \$25 and costs, the money to be held out of his month's pay of some \$75 by Erickson. The charge against Barron was dismissed.

Erickson and Johnson's trouble was over pay for Johnson's horses on the grading work. Johnson claims Erickson called him and his son-in-law a thief, whereupon he struck the contractor a blow in the face. Then they took to throwing rocks at each other, but there was no testimony as to the quality of their marksmanship. Erickson phoned for the sheriff and then came down and swore out the warrants.

COUNTY COURT TO FILL THE VACANCY

The state law provides that the vacancy in the office of county commissioner created by the death of Commissioner Albert Walker shall be filled by appointment by the remaining members of the county court. Commissioner Walker's term would have expired in January next, in any case, so his successor will serve only until the office is filled by regular election next November.

Argentina has prohibited the importation of cooking utensils that may be injurious to health by reason of the lead contained in them.

DEATH OF MRS. SHOOK, SR.

ONE OF THE PIONEER WOMEN OF THIS COUNTY

Mother of Eight Children, Who Came Here in '69, Dies at a Ripe Old Age

Mrs. Amon Shook, a pioneer of this county, died at the home of her son-in-law, Jacob Reuck, in Yonna Valley, at noon Friday of paralysis.

Mrs. Shook was 89 years of age, and had been failing rapidly lately. She was only able to take liquid foods for some time before she died. She was the widow of Amon Shook one of the best known pioneers of the basin, who died a number of years ago. She leaves eight children, John, David and William, Mrs. Mary Sutton and Mrs. Ada Reuck of this county, Mrs. Hattie Parker of Los Angeles, Mrs. Rhoda Schuman of Guatemala and Newton Shook of Ashland. She had been living at the Reuck home since the David Shook home, near Dairy, was burned about a month ago.

The funeral services were held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon from the Christian church, Rev. Vallandigham officiating.

BLAMES NEWSPAPERS FOR UNREST

PRESIDENT SAYS THE PROGRESS MADE IS REAL, NEVERTHELESS

Executive Says Our Present System Is Self-Acting—Far-Sighted Are Rewarded; Lazy Fall Behind

United Press Service.

ADA, Ohio, June 3.—Addressing the graduates of the Ohio Normal University, President Taft said this afternoon:

"It is impossible to expect that the enormous trade growth of the past decade in the United States shall continue in the same proportion, and it is natural to suppose that within a decade there will be some reaction, or perhaps a financial panic. Nevertheless, the progress made is real and substantial, in spite of the standard set by some of the most successful newspapers in their lack of truth, coarseness and unfair criticisms. Denounce Socialism.

The president denounced socialism, saying: "Its success in government would mean the substitution of the tyranny of a governing committee in the distribution of theoretical rewards instead of a self-acting system in which the industrious, the prudent and the far-sighted are rewarded, while the lazy and inattentive fall behind."

There were 27,000 people in the gathering which heard Taft's speech.

ANOTHER MAN-BIRD FLIES THE ENGLISH CHANNEL

United Press Service.

DOVER, England, June 2.—Charles Stewart Rolles, the English aviator, flew across the English channel from Dover to Calais this afternoon.

Rolles established a new world's record by flying from England to France and returning on the same journey. He rested a short time on the Calais side and returned to Dover at 8 tonight. The air was very clear, and spectators on the cliffs at Dover witnessed the entire journey both ways. The distance is 26 miles.

HERE IN PRAIRIE SCHOONERS

A party of land seekers from California, consisting of G. I. Rogers and family, Joseph Albert, Odd Vestal and Chas. Kidder, drove through Klamath Falls Thursday in prairie schooners en route to their homes in Fall River, Shasta county.

The party has been on the road since April 18th, taking in North-western Nevada and Eastern Oregon on the trip. Mr. Rogers was in this city four years ago, and expressed himself as greatly surprised at the growth of the town.

PRESSED A BUTTON; 17 DIE

United Press Service.

SALT LAKE, Utah, June 2.—J. McOmro, a powder man, aged 24, and seven Austrians, seven Italians and two Japanese were killed today at the Devil's Slide cement works, near Morgan, by a premature explosion of 400 kegs of powder at a mountain slide. The cement plant, half a mile distant, was wrecked. It is believed some irresponsible worker pressed the button and caused the explosion. Many others were injured, and fragments of bodies were blown hundreds of feet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrett of Ashland visited in Scott Valley and as far down the Klamath river as Happy Camp last week. They were delighted with their trip.—Yreka Journal.

LATEST RAILROAD NEWS

OREGON TRUNK CONTRACTORS ARE MOVING ON REDMOND

Hill and Harriman Lines Each Order Half a Million Ties for New Roads

The Oregon Trunk has established a warehouse and pay station for its construction men at Redmond. B. F. Woodman, chief of supplies for the Henry camp, says: All supplies for the first ninety miles south of Madras will be hauled from Shaniko. That for the forty miles on the south end will be hauled from Klamath Falls.

The Oregon Trunk has ordered half a million ties from Portland and Cottage Grove. The Harriman lines also ordered 300,000 ties from California and 200,000 from Oregon last week.

J. F. Mounce got a franchise for a steam road through Eugene on Thursday. Mounce says he will build a new road to the coast. F. H. Clarke, president of the Boise and Coos Bay road, said at Roseburg yesterday that work would begin by September 1st. The road is projected to run through Roseburg.

Jake Shank and Ernie Hosley were in the city Friday from Merrill.

BRING PRESSURE ON THE PRESIDENT

AND OPPOSITION TO RATE INCREASE IS LINING UP

Railway Equipment Manufacturers in Twenty-Five States To Hold a Meeting

United Press Association.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Following the threat of the railroads yesterday that improvements would be stopped and thousands of men discharged, the great interests on both sides are lining up in the railroad rate increase fight. A big meeting of railroad managers is scheduled here for Wednesday. Manufacturers of railway equipment in twenty-five states are to consider plans for aiding the railroads to prevent cancellation orders for equipment. It is believed that pressure is planned to influence President Taft to compel Attorney General Wickersham to withdraw the injunction suits filed at Hannibal, Mo. Chambers of Commerce of cities within 750 miles of New York are combining to fight an advance in commuters' rates by legal methods.

THE COLONEL IS UNDISTURBED BY IT

ROOSEVELT'S "DO YOUR DUTY SPEECH" NOT APPRECIATED

London Graphic Says "Even Socrates Was Poisoned for Giving Too Much Advice"

LONDON, June 1.—They don't relish "the big stick" here, seemingly. The English press violently criticizes Roosevelt's alleged breach of hospitality in criticizing England's rule in Egypt here yesterday. Officialdom is silent, but the papers are bitter.

The London morning newspapers commented as follows: Standard: "A social crime and humiliating rebuke from an alien critic."

Telegraph: "Bitter medicine; a brusque, blunt admonition."

Graphic: "Even Socrates was poisoned for giving too much advice."

Times: "Roosevelt should not be surprised should unpleasant manifestations occur, due to the sensitiveness caused by his criticism."

The Manchester Guardian says his talk was "muddled and boyish."

Colonel Roosevelt is apparently unaffected by his evident unpopularity, and was in a jovial mood today at the luncheon given in his honor by the Irish members of parliament.

Many insist that Roosevelt grossly violated diplomatic propriety in his speech at the Guild hall, comparing the incident to that of 1880, when President Cleveland dismissed the British ambassador, Lord Sackville West, for advising Americans to vote for Cleveland. Diplomats and English officialdom is discretely silent.

SOCIALISTS TO HAVE A PRESS AGENT

Cloudesley Johns, who will be one of the speakers at the Oregon-California socialist encampment to be held in this city June 27 to July 4, will serve as press agent for the meetings. Johns is a newspaper man and magazine writer well known in New York, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

At the encampment he will deliver an address which he calls "My Job." This, he informs us, is not a descrip-

tion of any job he holds or ever has held, but is a humorously philosophical examination of the state of mind of wage workers when they say "my job," that of the farmer when he says "my land," and that of the small tradesman when he says "my store."

Mr. Johns will arrive in Klamath Falls about June 20 to take charge of the publicity bureau of the socialist encampment.

LATE OREGON DISPATCHES

Commissioner Cannon of Portland has released Miss Mabel Lake, the Hood River young woman who refused to tell the census enumerator her age and was arrested.

Senator Chamberlain has got his bill for the relief of the Siletz Reserve entrymen through the public lands committee. Entrymen who show proper intentions will be given a patent.

L. D. McKinney, promoter of the Eugene Coos Bay road, is ready to build. Eugene and Coos Bay people are helping him.

The Oliver revival meetings in Medford, in which the evangelist attacked the mayor and council, closed on Sunday. They were not a success. Oliver exhorted his hearers to "shell out, you stingy scalwags."

The canal in Drew's valley, the Lakeview road, is working 200 men. The Burney company has the contract to finish the dam, and Engineer Rice promises that Goose Lake valley will have irrigation by next spring.

PREDICTS JOHNSON WILL LAY DOWN

CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR GIVES HIS VIEWS ON BIG FIGHT

"Jeffries Fight Is Simply a Scheme to Make Money Out of Credulous Public"

United Press Service.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 2.—Governor J. N. Gillette of California, in discussing an interview attributed to him stating that the Jeffries fight is a "frame up," said today:

"All prize fights are fakes. I don't want to have anything to do with them or anybody connected with them. The Jeffries-Johnson fight is simply a scheme to make a lot of money out of the credulity of the public. Anybody with the least sense knows that the whites won't allow Johnson or any other negro to win the world's championship. Johnson knows this, too, so he's agreed to lay down for money."

Must See the Fight First.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—District Attorney Fickert says he must see the fight in order to determine whether it is actually a prize fight or a sparring match under the law.

Governor Gillette further characterized prize fights as "hippodromes to fool fools," and said he would gladly stop the Jeffries fight if he could, but, he added, "all sorts of frauds are allowed in this world and nobody has any power to stop them."

"Sometimes a man's public views don't agree with his private views," Gillette went on to say, "and now that my private views have become public I don't care a continental what anybody thinks. Johnson is no fool. He knows he would have to whip every white man at the ringside if he won. He would no more think of trying to knock Jeffries out than of trying to stop the lightning bolt. When Jeffries wins every white man in the country will be told the white race has demonstrated its physical supremacy over the negro race. Everyone without sense will rejoice in the victory. Then, after vindicating the confidence placed in himself Jeffries will 'retire,' and Johnson will again make more money out of the credulous fools."

United Press Service.

Governor Gillette's stand against the big fight is believed here to be caused by the fact that the governor is receiving hundreds of messages and letters daily from all parts of the world, urging him to interfere.

The church organizations are particularly active in the East and Middle West, while the Pacific Coast church people are waiting to bombard him with delegations when he returns.

LOUISVILLE JANITOR MISSING

United Press Service. LOUISVILLE, June 2.—Suspicion points to Joe Wendling, the missing janitor of the school where Alma Kerner's body was found, as her murderer. Wendling left his position without notice in January. His wife has been arrested following the finding of a gold pin in her trunk identified as Alma's. The police don't think Mrs. Wendling had anything to do with the murder, but she admits she washed bloodstains from her husband's clothes.

TO DEVELOP SAND HOLLOW

E. G. WILSON TAKES TRACTION ENGINE THERE FOR DRILLING

If It Is Secured It Means a Big Settlement in the Southern Part of the County

The beginning of a big project for developing the Sand Hollow dry land country was started Saturday in the transfer of E. G. Wilson's J. I. Case traction engine to that section, to be used in drilling for artesian water.

It is believed that a good supply of water can be had at a moderate depth in that section, and if secured it means a big development for the section.

YOUNG EGYPTIANS RAP TEDDY

United Press Association. GENEVA, Switzerland, June 4.—The Young Egyptian committee's headquarters here today issued a statement condemning Colonel Roosevelt's Guild hall speech as "an insult to the civilized world."

ARMY TRANSPORT SUNK

MANILA, P. I., June 2.—The army transport Indianapolis was sunk in twenty fathoms of water eleven miles outside Corregidor island yesterday. She struck a log. All of her crew were saved in lifeboats.

Notice for Publication.

(Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, May 10, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Eliza M. Quimby, of Klamath Falls, Oregon, who, on February 2, 1904, made homestead application No. 3207, serial No. 61178, for SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 section 9, township 40 S, range 9 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. R. DeLap, county clerk, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 30th day of June, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses, Walter Polson, A. Kershner, John Koonz and Shannon Booth, all of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

5-19-6-30

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