

ENGINEERS MAY GO OUT TODAY

DECISION WILL BE MADE WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

INCREASE OFFERED HAS BEEN REFUSED

Railroad Managers Say the Men Are Bluffing—Grand Chief Stone Demands Speedy Action

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Grand Chief Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today declared that the question whether the 35,000 engineers of the sixty-one Western railroads would strike or not would be decided within the next twenty-four hours. Labor Commissioner Neill conferred with the railroad managers this morning and this afternoon will confer with Stone. Mr. Stone said: "We will not tolerate any further dallying. The action must be speedy and decisive."

The best the railroads offer so far is an increase of 9 1/2 per cent, and this has been refused. The railroad presidents say: "Stone is just bluffing, and does not intend to order a strike."

The brotherhood advisory board has secretly conferred, and when Neill reports the board will finally decide the strike question.

HENLEY ITEMS

Don't forget the Christmas tree at Mount Lake church December 24th. Basket supper. Everybody invited.

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Bob Short's last Wednesday. Those in attendance were Mesdames Steeman, Monson, Robbey, Grizzle, Case, Koonitz, La Prairie, Powell, Colson and Short.

School in Lone Pine district closes Friday, after a very successful term, under the able management of Miss Frida Nitchelm.

Mrs. Ruby Greeley of Klamath Falls was visiting relatives in the Valley last week.

Mrs. La Prairie was in town Friday night to attend the meeting of Ewaun Circle No. 647.

Chas. Steeman was in town last Saturday.

George Grizzle was a caller at the Falls last Thursday.

Roy Richardson of Merrill was a caller at Klamath Falls on Monday.

Mrs. Mollie Galarnieux has been dangerously ill for a week, but we are glad to hear she is on the gain now, and the doctor thinks she will recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dingman were visiting at George Grizzle's last week. Ray Reese has been very sick, but is on the road to recovery now.

Miss Gertrude Steeman was visiting Mary Short last Sunday.

H. F. Phillips was in town Saturday.

Miss Jessie Ashley spent Sunday with Mrs. A. W. Ross.

School in the Henley district has closed on account of bad weather and roads, as the little ones were unable to attend.

Burrel Short and son, Alton, were in the Falls Monday.

A. W. Ross and L. West were in Klamath Falls on business.

Martin Kitchen of Portland has moved out on his homestead on the east side of Lost River.

Richard and Harry Quimby were calling on Roy and Rex La Prairie last Sunday.

E. C. Reams has moved his family into their fine new house on his home ranch.

Harry Booth and wife were in the Falls Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Chas. Steeman Wednesday, January 4th. An all-day's session, picnic dinner. A general invitation to all the members and friends to come and bring their families and help make the jollification one to be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Enman were in town Saturday from their ranch on Lost River.

Tommy Newton is hauling hay to the Falls.

Roy and Rex La Prairie were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were in Klamath Falls Monday from their ranch on Lost River.

Mr. Combs and wife and daughter, Inez, were callers at the Falls Tuesday.

Don't forget the Christmas tree, December 24th, at the church.

POE VALLEY NEWS

Vivian R. Evans went to Klamath Falls Saturday.

Pearl McFall, Aneta and Frank Keister went to Klamath Falls Saturday and returned home Monday.

Archie Roberts and Wald H. Oden went to Langell Valley Saturday and

brought back a horse belonging to Mr. Oden.

H. H. Roberts and wife went to Klamath Falls Saturday.

Don't forget the basket social at Olene Friday night, the 23d.

Joe Provo went to the Falls Friday.

Clark and Perry Nickson went to Klamath Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmes went to the Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Mark and daughter, Alberta Graham, went to Bonanza Monday. We are glad to see Alberta able to travel around again.

MILLER HILL ITEMS

Mrs. Burr Terry is building an improved poultry house.

Bill Tingley butchered some hogs this week.

Jim Jory was running a meat wagon last Sunday.

Last week two well known residents of this vicinity went to the Falls, and on the way one of them got stuck in the mud in front of Mr. Terry's place, but was finally extricated after an hour's work and the use of both teams.

POE VALLEY NEWS

School in Poe Valley closed Friday, December 9th, with only one graduate, Dewey Griffith, who has been a faithful scholar, only being absent one day, and then he was caught in H. H. Roberts' trap. We hope he will start to High School soon.

Frank Jobs passed through the Valley Friday with the piping to his well which he has had drilled on his ranch in Sand Hollow.

H. H. Roberts and wife went to Klamath Falls Saturday.

Vivian R. Evans and Archie Roberts went to the Falls Saturday.

Poe Valley is the most prominent valley in the county, as one of its Lambs has taken a homestead. What place can beat that?

Fred Eglington and wife and daughter, Mrs. Oscar Lee, went to Klamath Falls Saturday. The latter is going to Seattle, Wash., where she goes to join her husband, who is teaching a music class.

J. Holmes went to Klamath Falls Saturday and returned home Sunday.

Miss Katty Barry, who has been teaching in Poe Valley, returned to her home in Lakeview Monday.

Neill Webber, John and Glenn Van Meter, H. H. Roberts and Dennis Provo are busy working on the telephone line.

Emil Berling stayed all night at his home in Poe Valley Tuesday night.

Lossen Ross went to Klamath Falls Tuesday with a load of cream.

Joseph Taylor sold a team of roan horses to Clarence Mitchell last week, the price paid being \$250. It is a team anyone would be proud to own.

Chas. Kester went to Klamath Falls Tuesday.

Don't forget the basket social at Olene Christmas eve.

YAINAX HANSONGGA

Yainax has a wood and coal oil famine.

Owing to bad roads nearly everything is at a standstill.

A petition has been circulated among the Indians at Yainax to send representation to Washington for the purpose of settling old boundary disputes, etc. Sargents Brown and Kane were at the head of it.

W. L. Koshow has been purchasing cattle and horses on the reservation for the last couple of weeks. Mrs. Koshow came up from the Falls, and is riding the country with him.

Yainax will soon have a full fledged postoffice. B. E. Wolford will officiate as postmaster. The office will be in Spink & Wolford's store.

Everybody is buying Christmas gifts, and the Yainax store is crowded daily with purchasers.

Mr. J. A. Garber went over to Bonanza for the mail Saturday and returned Sunday.

The two day schools, one at Spring Creek and the other at the Pimate Camp, will begin January 1st. It is not known here who will have charge of them.

An insurance agent has been around insuring old shacks for about ten times their value and collecting his fees, and it looks to us as if some one would get stung.

Hunting is in full blast, and it is hard to keep ammunition enough to supply the demand. Dave Skun is out on the trail at present, and expects he will return laden with game of every description.

DAIRY NOTES

Mrs. Orin McCumber has been ill the last week, but is reported as improving.

W. P. Sedge & Son have received a large consignment of suitable holiday goods. Do your shopping early. Nothing choicer outside of Klamath Falls.

Wm. Uhrman returned from the Good Roads convention at Portland Saturday. He spoke in commendable terms of Judge-elect Worden's influence and position among the many

delegates there. He further intimated that he thought this upper country would receive fair treatment in the expenditure of next year's road money. Mr. Uhrman returned from the convention as a good roads enthusiast.

Ed Wiggins, who is freighting for parties near Bly, stopped over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. G. Anderson.

Phillip Oden of Pine Flat transacted business in Bonanza Saturday.

The remonstrance against the licensing of a saloon in Dairy has about forty signatures. More will be had when it reaches rural circulation.

Remember the dance and basket supper, January 30th. The young men in charge wish to announce that it isn't a get-rich-quick affair. Any surplus above expenses will apply to the grand masquerade to follow later on. The Poole orchestra will furnish the music.

ACTING GOVERNOR IS THE WHOLE SHOW

Signed His Certificate of Election in Several Capacities—Opponent Had No Chance

PORTLAND, Dec. 20.—Governor Benson of Oregon had that honor thrust on him by the election of former Governor Chamberlain to the United States senate, and he acts in the dual capacity of governor and secretary of state, his former position. He has just been re-elected secretary of state, and his certificate of election, was quite a document.

It showed that he had been elected over his opponent by a handsome majority, as duly counted by himself as secretary of state, in the presence of himself as governor, as provided by law. It showed further that the certificate was issued to himself by himself, and signed by himself as governor, and that signature attested to by another signature signed by himself as secretary of state. Truly his opponent had no chance at all.

GAVE OREGON LITERATURE TO MANY

CALE OLIVER RETURNS FROM EXTENDED EASTERN TRIP

Thousand of Residents of the East Have Been Made Acquainted With This Region

Cale T. Oliver, the enthusiastic Klamath County booster, returned Thursday from the East, where he had been disseminating information about the Klamath country.

The colonization department of the Harriman lines, with headquarters at Omaha, under the charge of George L. McDonough, has been caring for the exhibits, which the road carried free of charge and provided space for in their exhibition.

The exhibit from this county was exhibited in the following cities and displayed at land shows and fairs, and at the same time literature was distributed to those interested:

Des Moines, Iowa, state fair, August 25th to September 2d, inclusive.

Hamline, Minnesota, state fair, September 5th to 10th, inclusive.

Nashville, Tennessee, state fair, September 19th to 24th, inclusive.

Springfield, Illinois, state fair, September 30th to October 8th, inclusive.

Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, big land show, October 17th to 29th inclusive.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, national horticultural show, November 10th to 19th, inclusive.

Chicago, big land show at Coliseum, November 19th to December 4th, inclusive.

Chicago, national livestock exposition, November 22d to December 3d, inclusive.

"The exhibits were carried at the expense of the Harriman lines," said Mr. Oliver to a Herald reporter, "and at Des Moines at the state fair the specimens which were displayed during Mr. Ballinger's visit here were exhibited, and I might also state that Klamath county was the only Oregon county with an exhibit there. The Harriman people had charge of that exhibit, and distributed the literature. The same is true of the exhibit at Mamlie, Minn., Nashville, Tenn., and Springfield, Ill.

"I didn't join them until the Pittsburg land show was started. That was held in the Duquesne Gardens, and comprised the products of the nation. Over 300,000 persons attended that show, and 90 per cent of them saw the Klamath county exhibit. I passed out 10,000 pieces of literature to them. The Pittsburg people are keenly interested in the West, and I never saw people so eager for information.

"Some people may have the idea that it was one continual round of pleasure for us, but they are mistaken. We were on the floor from 10 o'clock in the morning until 11 at night, and were talking or passing out literature all the time.

"Frisco Fair Spirit Strong

"The San Francisco fair spirit is

strong in the East," said Mr. Oliver, but New Orleans is putting up a noble fight. I believe that the California metropolis will get the plum.

Much Money for Space

"The Harriman people are spending lots of money for space for exhibits. They have spent \$20,000 this year, and they have had the best locations. At Chicago they rented the entire Coliseum annex, and filled it with exhibits from Oregon, California, Washington, Idaho, Wyoming, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado.

Need Exhibits From Here

"There is one thing I want to impress on the minds of the people of Oregon and this county, and that is the necessity for sending an exhibit to the big Western products exhibition to be held in Omaha January 18th to 28th. The Hill people have secured a space 129 feet long on the south side of the auditorium for their exhibits, and will have it filled with the products of the country tributary to their road.

"The Harriman lines have rented space in the center of the floor, which has a frontage equal to that of the people, and will fill it with exhibits from their tributary country. What we want to do is to get an exhibit in that space that will attract attention. We can do it if we try. If every man who has something worth showing will bring it in I will see that it is sent away. If we can get the people to come by way of California they will stop here, but if they come by the northern route it will mean that the majority of them do not get here at all, but stop in Montana, Idaho, Washington and the northern part of the state, or else go into Canada. We should have one of the best exhibits in the exhibition, and could do so if we make up our minds to it. If every man does something it will not be hard on anyone, and will make a showing we will be proud of.

"I am glad to get back home, and I believe that we will get great results from the work that has been done this season. The Klamath Development company provided the literature, and I certainly disposed of lots of it. If we send that exhibit to Omaha there will be greater results, and we want to get busy at once."

REVOLT AGAINST RULING CLASSES SWAYS EUROPE

Land Hunger Among the Masses Has Forced Organization of Workingmen Pledged to Equal Rights

LONDON, Dec. 21.—After an undisputed reign of more than 1,000 years, the European "ruling classes" are beginning to realize that the existence of their order is threatened everywhere. Not even the French revolution itself—hitherto perhaps the most remarkable social upheaval in the world's history—was so significant as the present movement of the masses against the classes. For the French revolution was local and the people of most other European countries repudiated it. The present agitation is comparatively peaceful, but there is no spot in the old world where it is not being felt. Curiously enough, it is in England,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, December 13, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon has filed in this office its application, serial 04175, to select under the provisions of act of congress, approved August 14, 1848, and the acts supplemental and amendatory thereto, the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, section 19, township 37 S, range 9 E, W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands above described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before February 11, 1911.

ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

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CRYING FOR HELP

Lots of It in Klamath Falls, But Daily Growing Less

The kidneys cry for help. Not an organ in the whole body so delicately constructed.

Not one so important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the first indications of kidney trouble.

It is the kidneys' cry for help. Heed it.

Doan's Kidney Pills are what is wanted.

Are just what overworked kidneys need. They strengthen and invigorate the kidneys; help them to do their work; never fail to cure any case of kidney disease.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

STORK TRAIN FROM NEW YORK GIVEN WARM WELCOME

Fifty-Three Babies Sent to Texas From the Eastern Metropolis Provided With Homes

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 21.—The stork train from New York bearing fifty-three orphaned and foundling babies reached here on time, and was given a warm reception. The demand for the tiny folk proved so strong that the quota for the city was speedily exhausted, and the supply destined for San Antonio narrowly escaped confiscation.

Germany's increased tax on matches has led to the invention of several types of electric cigar lighters for public places.

A Book of Interest



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We wish you to visit our Handkerchief Department, where you can find a beautiful assortment of Handkerchiefs at 5c, 8 1-3c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 each.

In the Men's line we are offering a beautiful line of Men's Neckties at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Some very special values at 39c and 62c, put up in individual boxes—Regular 50c for 39c, and regular 75c for 62c each.

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