

MAY FORM NEW ORGANIZATION

OPPORTUNE TIME HAS ARRIVED FOR UNITED WORK

Dollar Dinner Proves Great Success—Arrangements Made for Entertainment of Pathfinder Party and Geographical Society, and Work Planned in Effort to Secure Connection With California Highway.

A determination to join in and assist any movement that would bring Klamath Falls its just recognition as the great inland empire city of Eastern Oregon, seemed to pervade every one of the seventy or more men who were gathered together from every portion of the city at the dollar dinner at White Pelican hotel at noon Friday. Men of capital and men of business came at the call of the committee to lend their support and effort toward what eventually will result in the formation of a new, bigger and stronger commercial organization for Klamath Falls. An organization that will have for its sole purpose the upbuilding of the Klamath country, and one that will be truly and really representative of all the interests of the city and its citizens.

Primarily the object of the meeting as outlined in the keynote talk by W. P. Johnson, who was first called upon by the toastmaster, Judge Henry L. Benson, was to make arrangements for the handling of four important matters, as follows:

First—The state of California is to spend \$18,000,000 in the construction of a California highway from the south to the Oregon state line. It is necessary and important to Klamath Falls that this road be built to meet the state line within Klamath county, so that it can be continued on to the north through Eastern Oregon. In order to convince the California highway commission of the advantage of this route, it will be necessary to send a delegation to Red Bluff and San Francisco, equipped with all the data and information possible.

Second—The Central Oregon Development League meets in Lakeview in August, and next Tuesday the Pathfinder party of several hundred, with C. C. Chapman at the head, who are making the trip from Portland to Lakeview by auto, will spend two days in the city, and it is necessary that they be entertained.

Third—Early in September the excursion of the American Geographical Society, with about fifty foreigners will reach Klamath Falls from Crater Lake. It will be necessary to meet the party at the Lake and entertain them in Klamath Falls.

Fourth—There is not an organization in the city that can handle these important matters with general satisfaction, and a consolidation of the two commercial clubs was suggested.

These were the subjects that it was suggested by the toastmaster should be followed in the discussion of the speakers.

Mr. C. C. Hogue was called upon and outlined the advantages and comparative cheapness with which a highway could be constructed through Klamath county to connect with the California road. After leaving Klamath county there would be the choice of two routes, one by The Dalles and one over the mountains by way of Eugene into Portland.

C. M. Onell spoke of the coming visit of the celebrated scientists, and also of the great need of a representative organization, with a purpose sufficiently broad to enlist the united support of the entire citizenship.

Attorney C. F. Stone warned the people of Klamath Falls not to underestimate the claims that might be advanced by those favoring the road connecting with one over the Siskiyou and through Rogue River Valley, as he stated that they would use this same tortuous mountain climb, which we consider a disadvantage, for their strongest argument. "We have settled the question of the best route," said Mr. Stone, "what we must do is to determine how best to go about getting the road to come here."

Mr. Stone was followed by C. S. Moore, who urged the formation of an organization and the appointment of a committee for the handling of the highway matter, composed of active young men. "These are the men who can get results," said Mr. Moore. "I have reached that age where I don't care to shoulder any more responsibilities than I have. We have plenty of young men here who have the energy to accomplish anything they undertake."

E. J. Murray, speaking in behalf of the highway to the Klamath county line, suggested the appointment of a committee to take the matter up with the California commissioners, and moved that W. S. Worden, C. S. Moore and Hunter Savidge be appointed a committee, and that steps be taken to raise a sufficient fund to pay their expenses. The motion was carried.

Under party and the Geographical Society on the entertainment of the Pathfinder party and the Geographical Society. He stated that he had not given the matter sufficient thought to of-

fer any suggestions along that line, but he was strongly in favor of an extra effort to secure connection with the California highway.

"What you want in this town is an organization that is really and truly representative of all the interests of the city," said S. O. Johnson. He went on to tell of the experiences in San Francisco, where they had five or six different organizations, all working along different lines, without any apparent results and a lot of energy expended until they got together and formed one of the best working organizations on the coast. Mr. Johnson referred to the excellent work being done on the roads of the county, but he said one of the most important roads in the county was being neglected. The road to Shippington, between the city and its manufacturing section, was in deplorable condition. At the conclusion of his speech, in which he urged the consolidation of the two commercial organizations into one body, Judge Benson appointed the following committee, consisting of three members of the Chamber of Commerce and three from the Klamath Commercial Club, to look after the entertainment of the visitors and report on the matter of a consolidation: Charles Graves, P. L. Fountain, Hiram F. Murdoch, W. A. Delzel, S. B. Evans and E. R. Reames.

Among the other speakers were S. T. Summers, C. T. Oliver, W. O. Smith, Mayor T. F. Nicholas, A. L. Leavitt, W. A. Delzel, S. B. Evans, Alex Martin, Sr., and L. S. Boucher, a recent arrival from South Dakota.

"We have a great state," said Mr. Boucher, "and we have good roads, but we have not some of the things that you have here. I think you are going to have a greater Salt Lake City. You have everything they have and I think you have more."

W. P. Johnson asked permission to say one word more. He stated that as on Tuesday next C. C. Chapman with the Pathfinder party would be in the city, it would be necessary to begin at once preparing for their entertainment. He expected to go to Crater Lake to meet the party, and asked permission to appoint the following committee to have charge of the arrangements for the entertainment: W. O. Smith, J. F. Maguire and F. D. Miles.

AUTO NEGOTIATES MEDFORD ROAD

LOS ANGELES MAN MAKES FIRST TRIP OF THE SEASON FROM MEDFORD TO THIS CITY BY WAY OF CRATER LAKE

The first automobile to make the trip this season from Medford to this city by the way of Crater Lake arrived in the city Sunday night. It was the machine of J. J. Davis of Los Angeles, who was accompanied by Mrs. Davis and two sons.

"We left Medford Tuesday," said Mr. Davis. "On the other side of Crater Lake we encountered some snow, but had no difficulty in passing around it and reaching Camp Arant. The snow prevented our driving to the rim, but we made the trip on foot, and were amply repaid for our efforts by the magnificence of the sight presented to our view."

"It is a mystery to me why Crater Lake National Park is not better known to tourists. It is the most magnificent scenic spot I have ever beheld."

The road from Camp Arant to this city is very good. There was a little snow about three miles this side of the camp, but it is not difficult to negotiate."

Mr. Davis and family left this morning for Alturas. They will go on to Lake Tahoe, where they will spend some time.

The second auto to make the trip was that in which were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carey and Miss Leiter Carley of Sacramento. Mr. Carley is a real estate dealer in the Capitol City.

TRADE FAILS AND SUIT THREATENED

As a result of mixing horses and an auto in a trade, there promises to be litigation between two Klamath Falls men. W. H. Wynett, proprietor of the Fairview grocery, and O. O. Bunch.

It appears that some sort of a trade was made Saturday, whereby Mr. Wynett secured an automobile in exchange for a couple of horses and a wagon. Mr. Bunch had the horses shod, and then left them in a local livery stable. Mr. Wynett tried out the auto, and found it would not work as a well regulated machine should. Then he went to the livery stable and took back his team.

Mr. Bunch claims a trade was actually made. Mr. Wynett claims the trade was made conditional on the automobile proving satisfactory.

Duncan & Merryman have been retained by Mr. Bunch to secure possession of the horse.

Fire Causes Loss

WHEELING, W. Va., July 15.—Fire destroyed the business district of Mannington, a town of 4,000 population.

FARMERS NEED HELP FOR HAYING

MEN NOT WILLING TO WORK AT WAGES OFFERED

The Rush of the Haying Season is on, and Farmers Are Finding It Hard to Secure Necessary Hands at \$1.50 per Day—Men Are Asking \$2, and Say There is Plenty of Work on the Outside

Farmers in this vicinity are in need of help in haying. Yesterday several farmers were in the city in quest of men, but were not successful in securing the services of the required number of men.

Several men who were here for the purpose of securing work in the hay fields were lounging in court house square, but refused to go out for the pay offered.

"The farmers want us to work for \$1.50 per day," said one of the men. "In the valleys along the main line of the railroad the going wage in the hay fields now is \$2 a day, and there is plenty of work in other lines offering more pay."

"The Slakiyou Power and Light company is offering \$2.50 per day of nine hours, with board 75 cents per day, for work on the big dam on the Klamath River. More men are now needed there, and unless the farmers offer \$2 per day there will be a scarcity of help."

WOLGAST INSISTS ON MORE MONEY

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH WITH JOE RIVERS PRACTICALLY OFF

Promoter McCarey Cannot See the Demand Made by Lightweight Champ. Ritchie Will Probably Be Given a Chance to Tackle the Michigan Fighting Wonder—Attell Given a Chance at Kilbane

LOS ANGELES, July 12.—Because Ad Wolgast, champion lightweight, is demanding more money than it is thought the match is worth, more, in fact, than was tentatively agreed upon, the return mill between Rivers, the Mexican boy, and the champion has practically been declared off.

Manager McCarey has positively refused to meet Wolgast's terms for the Labor Day match.

In the place of the championship event, McCarey will stage a match between Abe Attell and Kilbane, who recently captured the featherweight championship from the Hebrew.

Wolgast may be matched to meet Ritchie in San Francisco on Labor Day.

WOMAN MAY RUN FOR LEGISLATURE

PASADENA, Calif., July 12.—The first woman candidate for the legislature is to be put forth by the Pasadena and Altadena district by the

Prohibition League. She is Mrs. A. L. Hamilton, president of the California Congress of Mothers, president of the local Federation of Parent Teachers, a prominent club woman, church woman and educator. Mrs. Hamilton's candidacy will be formally announced soon.

Prohibitionists are circulating petitions for Mrs. Hamilton as a candidate. More than half the necessary number of signatures have been secured. Should the Pasadena woman accept the honor she will be the first feminine candidate for the state legislature under the new equal suffrage amendment.

Mrs. Hamilton has declared her willingness to become a candidate for legislative honors in the event of an equal chance to win. Inasmuch as she is one of Pasadena's most prominent and most popular women, her friends declare she would win easily.

PLACE FOR TEDDY ON THE TICKET

SACRAMENTO, July 12.—Secretary of State Ordan said there will be six spaces on the ballot for presidential electors: republican, democratic, socialist and three independent columns, one for prohibitionists and one for either Taftites or Rooseveltites, whichever is forced out of the regular column.

STREET CAR BURNS; WOMEN ARE KILLED

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 12.—Two women are dead and three are dying as a result of the burning of a street car here today. The motorman and conductor refused to open the gates and the passengers were panic stricken. Many leaped through the windows.

PRESENCE OF MRS. TAFT SAVER PRESIDENT ROAST

HELENA, Mont., July 1.—Robert Rose, private secretary to W. J. Bryan at the Baltimore convention, said that Bryan eliminated from his famous Ryan-Morgan-Belmont resolution a hot denunciation of President Taft because Mrs. Taft occupied a box in the hall.

TOURIST TRAVEL IS PICKING UP

MANY AUTOMOBILE PARTIES ARRIVE IN THE KLAMATH COUNTY FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT OF PARK OPENING

With the announcement that the stopping places in the vicinity of Crater Lake are now open for business, an impetus has been given the tourist traffic, and yesterday the roads leading to this country were fairly overrun with outside automobiles.

A number of parties spent last night in this city, and this morning started out for the different resorts. Among the parties were the following:

A. W. Heywood and wife of Jennings, La.; M. J. Knox and wife of Sisson, Calif.; Robert Coulter and wife of San Francisco; R. J. Rector and wife of Nevada City, Calif.; John R. Larue, wife and child of Sacramento; A. W. Walker and Rex Hamack of Medford; A. C. Cheney and wife and W. A. Sage and wife of Sacramento; Dr. Wm. W. Kin and wife of San Francisco.

WIFE GIVES UP LIFE FOR HUSBY

CHICAGO, July 15.—Coroner Hoffman, the Illinois state railroad commission, and the railroad are making three separate investigations of the wreck on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, in which thirteen people were killed and fifty injured.

Blame for the wreck lies between George Bronson, engineer of the mail train, who died with his hand on the throttle, and James Woodruff, flagman of the Overland Limited.

Many think that the dense fog made it impossible to see the signals. E. G. Pohlman of San Francisco was seriously but not fatally hurt. His wife, who refused doctors' aid until after her husband had been looked after, died on her way to the hospital.

E. H. Dunham, Doc Powell, Mr. Peck and Will North left today by auto for Reno by way of Susanville, and will bring back three new Reo Fifth automobiles for local parties. Mr. Dunham sold four of these machines, but the factory was so flooded with orders that they could not furnish the machines before fall. The Portland and San Francisco agencies were also sold out, but finally he was able to get three machines from the Nevada agency at Reno. These cars have been bought by J. A. Maddox, W. Frank Arant and J. L. Cunningham.

Doctors Chilton and Hamilton report the birth Sunday of a 9½-pound baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houston, California, where she has many friends.

'FRISCO OFFICIALS ARE ON VISIT

MEMBERS OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADMIRE LOCAL SPIRIT

Paul Bancroft and A. T. Vogelsang Make Trip Up Coast and Over Mountains to Klamath Falls—Declare This City One of the Most Progressive in the Entire Country. Go to Silvia's Camp

With the arrival in town Thursday night of Paul Bancroft and A. T. Vogelsang, the real progressive spirit of the new San Francisco city government was for the time transferred to this city. Both of these men are supervisors in the new Rolfe administration, and are held responsible for many of the municipal reforms under the new regime.

Messrs. Bancroft and Vogelsang arrived here from Ashland in a huge automobile. They were accompanied by their wives. This morning they left for Silvia's camp, where they will spend ten day's fishing.

"I have never before seen three more progressive towns than Grants Pass, Medford and Klamath Falls," said Mr. Vogelsang.

"These cities have set a pattern for the cities of the country. The people appear to take pride in their homes."

"I have recently returned from a tour of Europe, but I do not believe that while abroad I saw anything that eclipses the municipal advancement of these three cities."

"We started north from San Francisco along the coast, stopping at Eureka, Crescent City and over the mountains to Grants Pass. The worst road was the Spring Mountain, between Ashland and this city, but the trip on this road was well worth the hardships, because of the scenery. We passed through the most magnificent forest of white pine I have ever seen."

"We plan to return to San Francisco by the way of Lakeview, Alturas Reno and Lake Tahoe."

"The forthcoming exposition in San Francisco is sure to be a success. Everything is now in good shape, and the management of the exposition is in good hands. I do not see a chance of a failure."

Mr. Bancroft is a member of the famous publishing firm which bears the family name.

AMERICA LEADS IN WORLD'S SERIES OF SPORTING EVENTS

STOCKHOLM, July 12.—At the opening of the Olympic games today America has 88 points, with Sweden next, 62 points.

Taipale, a Finn, won the discus throw. Byrd of Adrian college was second and Jim Duncan third. The distance was 148 feet, a new Olympic record. Rose McDonald finished badly.

The 110 meter hurdles was won by Fred W. Kelly of Seattle, James I. Wendell of Wesleyan University second, and Martin Hawkins of Portland third, America sweeping the boards. The time was 15 1-5 seconds. Sweden cheered the Americans, the king joining.

Sweden swept the boards in the pentathlon, Lillehook first, Asbrink second, and DeLaval third.

Gutterson, American, won the broad jump, 24 feet 11 inches, a new Olympic record. The American, German and English teams qualified, in the 3,000 meter team race, and will be in the finals tomorrow. The American team consists of Berna, Taber, Scott, Kiviat and Bonhag.

PASADENA, Calif., July 12.—Former Congressman James McLachlan has announced his candidacy for congress on the progressive republican ticket. He was beaten last election by Congressman Stephens, a progressive, after he had held office for many years.

MAYOR TO PARDON IN BATHING SUIT

VENICE, Calif., July 12.—Hereafter Sunday visitors to this beach will have the pleasure of observing Mayor Clyde Holbrook parading the principal thoroughfare clad only in a model bathing suit, if the amended bathing ordinance fathered by Trustee Howard Lorenz goes through, as promised.

Section 2 provides that this shall be done as a public example. The parade shall be between 12 and 1 o'clock, and the wearer shall have on no other garment.

According to section 1 it shall be unlawful for any person to appear upon the beach, in the ocean or in any public place in Venice in a bathing suit unless it shall match the model.

The suit shall have sleeves that come to the wrist, collar a half-inch high, bloomers and a bonafide skirt at least thirty inches long hung from the waist. Women shall wear stockings of somber shade. Hair ribbons must be worn by girls under 14 years of age.

Men's suits shall consist of the same garments, but may be made in manish style. The penalty for violation is \$300 fine.

Social Events of the Week

MIDSUMMER'S HEAT HAS NO TERROR FOR KLAMATH FALLS SMART SET, AND THE SOCIAL SWIRL CONTINUES UNABATED IN SPITE OF KING SOL.

Midsummer is with us, bringing its early golden dawn, its sultry noon and its long, slow-falling twilight. A veil of lethargy seems spread over the land, and the droning of the bees, as they sip each tiny drop of nectar from the flowers, acts as a slumber draught upon the senses.

And yet, the heritage of the sun, as it sends its vitalizing rays to our world, stirs all nature to its fullest activity, and it is the human element only that must droop beneath its light.

Even so, our social life, which sums up our dancing, card-playing, needle-work parties and visiting, is pervaded with the same languor.

At a meeting of the directors of the Women's Civic League, the following resolutions were adopted in honor of the memory of the late Mayor F. T. Sanderson:

"Whereas, Mr. Sanderson was a friend and an advocate of the cause of the City Beautiful, and we lament his untimely death, and

"Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved family our deepest sympathy; and be it further

"Resolved, That these resolutions appear on the minutes of the league."

The Leisure Hour Club was entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Melhase. A delightful game of "500" was enjoyed from half past two till five o'clock, after which refreshments were served. This popular club numbers among its members: Mesdames Thos. Hampton, Orb Campbell, Frank Ward, Harsberger, Leach, H. F. Murdoch, C. H. Daggett, Fred Schallock, Chas. Meldrum, Henry Newnam, I. J. Knapp, Bert Withrow, W. W. Patch, Robertson, Thos. Connors, Miss Gertrude Vernon and Miss Faye Hogue.

On Tuesday night the third in a series of dances was given at the White Pelican hotel. The evening itself was perfect, and a goodly crowd gathered to do justice to the music and the floor, as well as to the generous hospitality always offered by this beautiful hostelry.

The 1912 Needlework Club was the guest of Mrs. Frank Ward on Friday last. Her charming rooms were lovely with a wealth of pink roses, and a dainty repast was served at the close of the afternoon to Mrs. Fred Schallock, Mrs. I. J. Knapp, Mrs. J. J. Parker, Mrs. John Schallock, Mrs. Chas. Withrow, Mrs. John Houston, Mrs. Fred Melhase, Mrs. C. H. Daggett, Mrs. Henry Bolvin, Mrs. Robt. Emmitt, Mrs. Ida Fink and Miss Vernon.

On Monday evening Mrs. Frank Jennings invited a few friends for a launch party on the Lower Lake. The little boat "Red Demon" was in fine trim, and the party, which included Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Reames, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brockenbrough, Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Marks and Mr. Grove C. Fliske, sailed at 7 o'clock. The latter hours of the evening were spent at Mrs. Reames' home, where bridge was played and a Dutch lunch served.

Miss Faye Hogue gave a party on Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. C. E.

Dunning from Berkeley, California. Mrs. Dunning graduated from the high school here but a few years ago, and is now visiting her mother, Mrs. Maud Cox. This little party was primarily a reunion of school mates, though including some late comers to our town, and the friendly chat and reminiscences was a pleasure to all. Refreshments were served at five o'clock to Mrs. C. E. Dunning, Mrs. C. E. Hogue, Mrs. Zim Baldwin, Mrs. Will Wagner, Miss Fannie Virgil, Miss Agnes Marple, Miss Rachael Applegate and Miss Winnie Withrow.

Mrs. Mary A. Jackson, invited a party of friends for whist on Wednesday evening. The card tables were arranged in her commodious dining room, and those gathered around them were: Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brockenbrough, Mrs. E. R. Reames, Mrs. Frank Jennings, Mrs. Helen Marks, Mrs. Monroe, Mr. Gilham, Mr. Geo. Blakie and Mr. Steiner. A bountiful Dutch lunch was served at the close of the evening.

Mrs. Ida M. Fink Friday entertained the Art Embroidery Club at her Klamath avenue home. The afternoon was spent in pleasant tasks and social converse, and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. Fred Melhase, Mrs. Claud Daggett, Mrs. L. F. Willitts, Mrs. Chas. Withrow, Mrs. Marple, Mrs. Harry Galarneau, Mrs. R. A. V. Hutchins, Mrs. Henry Bolvin and Mrs. Ida Fink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murray, Mrs. Geo. Noland and Mrs. Goodell drove over to Swan Lake on Wednesday morning. They returned the same evening after a most enjoyable day, and with dozens of the beautiful and fragrant mountain lilies.

Mrs. Cincaas from Pueblo, Colorado, is in the city visiting her brother, Mr. A. M. Worden. She expects to return home the first of next week, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Anna Worden.

Mrs. W. W. Croff and children, from San Francisco, are here for the summer, guests of Mrs. Frank Ward, on the corner of Pine and Third.

Mrs. Louis Gerber returned from Sacramento last week, where she has spent a delightful six weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. T. Henley is enjoying the visit of her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Harsberger, and her two little grandchildren, who are here from San Francisco. Mrs. Harsberger is being made very welcome by many of her old friends.

Mrs. C. C. Hogue left Saturday for Albany, Oregon, where she will spend ten days with her mother. She will then continue her trip to Portland, where her son is in college, and after a short sojourn there will return home.

Miss Aimee Wing has returned from a two months' visit in Oakland, California, where she has many friends.