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SWAT THE FLY

THE poor fly has been getting it so hard for so many weeks and weeks that it is a distinct relief to the general public, and must be to the fly, for our friend down the line to give the fly a rest for one day. We presume that the mayor will be able to stand being swatted for a while, in view of the fact that some one else is getting a rest.

We were seriously considering taking the matter of "swatting the fly" to the supreme court, as we do not believe, "in the absence of a decision of the supreme court," as to whether our present charter is illegal or not, and in the present condition of our warrant indebtedness, and with no one willing to accept our bonds, that Sam Evans has any right to "swat the fly." At least, when no one knows whether we have any charter or not, although "we believe that it is legal and that the so-called commission charter which was subsequently adopted is without force or effect," what is the use of anyone doing anything?

Mr. Evans says that the mayor comes out with a lengthy interview. Now, all of the news stories of the Herald are solicited, and we secured a statement from the mayor because we had heard that he had the matter under consideration, and because there is a general demand among the people of Klamath Falls that some action be taken to protect their lives from this menace. If Mr. Evans will read the news columns of his own paper he will find that there is a general activity among all departments of the city in an effort to protect the health of the city, and rid it of unsanitary conditions. Dr. Truax, the health officer, has been working for days and days, and the chief of police and members of his force, as well as the mayor and members of the council, realize the danger that is damaging the city, and are determined to do everything in their power to make Klamath Falls a "clean city."

One would assume that Mr. Evans did not want the Ankeny canal cleaned up, and he tells the mayor that it cannot be done. Mr. Evans was mistaken once before, when he thought that Mayor Nicholas could not be elected, and it is just barely possible that he is mistaken again.

If the public sentiment will accomplish anything there should be no question about getting rid of the canal, for the people of Klamath Falls are beginning to realize the cause of the unhealthy condition of the city every spring. When the lives of our children and families are endangered, it should not be a matter of personal feeling or credit, but every resident of the city should join hands and back up any official who is willing to make the effort to remedy these serious drawbacks to the city's growth and prosperity.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following realty transfers, contracts, deeds, mortgages, etc., recently filed with the county clerk, are furnished by the City and County Abstract company:

The Klamath Development company to A. A. Bellman, warranty deed, \$1, part of lots 3 and 4, block 45, Nichols addition.

Caroline A. Lavey et vir to the Klamath Development company, lots 1 to 5, 14 to 21, and 23 to 26, block 1; lots 1 to 26 inclusive, block 2; lots 1 to 13 and 16 to 26, inclusive, block 3; lots 1 to 13, block 4; all in Second addition.

The Klamath Development company to Sam Evans, quit claim deed, \$10, same lots as foregoing.

The Long Lake Lumber company to Klamath Manufacturing company,

warranty deed, .82 acre in NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 19-38-9.

California Fruit Cannery Association, warranty deed, \$10, part lots 8 and 9, eSc. 19-38-9.

Lakeside company to Klamath county, quit claim deed, \$1, 60-foot strip in lots 3 and 6, Sec. 16-41-12.

Jos. Victorin to Klamath county, deed, \$1, 60-foot strip in lots 3 and 6, Sec. 16-41-12.

G. W. White to United States, warranty deed, \$100, right of way over SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 18; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, eSc. 19; NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 20-39-11 1/2.

R. E. Gunther to H. D. Jones, deed, \$10, E 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 16-38-15.

H. D. Jones to W. W. Graves, deed, \$1, E 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 16-38-15.

N. S. Merrill to C. A. Bunting, warranty deed, \$10, lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 6; lots 3 and 4, block 10, Merrill.

Anotnio De Freitas to C. A. & F. O. Bunting, warranty deed, \$500, lots 1 and 2, block 12, Merrill.

United States to Edw. A. McBroom, patent, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 2; W 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 11-39-15.

Jesse J. Siemens to J. W. Siemens, warranty deed, \$10, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 21-36-9.

Obadiah Barley to Jas. Bowers, deed, \$10, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 1-36-14.

R. R. Talley to Klamath Waters Users Association, application for water on part of lots 9 and 10, Sec. 20-39-9.

United States to August Rieh, patent, N 1/2 SW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 5-37-10.

R. J. Sheets to E. R. Reames, warranty deed, \$10, lot 4, block 105, Buena Vista addition.

Fannie A. Paddock to Columbia Valley Trust company, warranty deed, \$10, land in Sec. 34-38-13, description indefinite.

Fannie A. Paddock to H. W. A. Sherman, warranty deed, \$10, land in Sec. 34-38-13, description indefinite.

Oregon Valley Land company to Emma A. Boyle, warranty deed, \$200, S 1/2 N 1/2 NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 25-39-15.

United States to John J. Otey, patent, N 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 7-41-8.

Klamath Water Users Association to L. D. Ward, release of contract on S 1/4 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 30-40-10.

ODD FELLOWS WILL GIVE BIG BANQUET

The Odd Fellows will confer the third degree on a class of six new members on Friday evening, after which a banquet and entertainment will be given. This will probably be the last class taken in until the fall work begins. It has been customary to forego degree work during the summer months, but this year there has been so many applications that it has been necessary to keep the work going well into the warm season.

The lodge has had a wonderful growth during the past year or so, and there has hardly been a month when there was not a class of from six to ten to initiate. The attendance has also been exceptionally large, even during the hot weather, and has averaged from forty to fifty at each meeting. The degree teams have their work perfected, and the new officers, who were installed in July, have entered into their offices full of enthusiasm, and it is predicted that this winter will see the greatest increase in the lodge of any in the state. It is stated that applications will not be accepted until the cooler weather begins, but the teams will continue their practice work, to be ready for the fall and winter.

EWAUNA BOX COMPANY WILL BUILD FACTORY

Articles of incorporation of the Ewauna Box company have been prepared and sent to Salem for filing with the secretary of state. The capital stock is \$15,000, divided into 150 shares of \$100 each. The incorporators are C. B. Crisler, Ben S. Owens and Burge W. Mason. It is stated that

Chas. McGowan, formerly with the California Fruit Cannery Association, is one of the stockholders of the new company, and will be the manager.

The company is to build a box factory on the railroad near the Savidge Bros. mill.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME ARRANGED FOR SUNDAY

Manager Rich of the Athletic Association announces that a championship ball game has been arranged between the Athletic team and Oliver's nine, for a side bet of \$100, the winning team to get the gate receipts. The game will be played next Sunday afternoon at Modoc Park.

New Mikado Active

TOKIO, July 30.—Prince Yoshihito will soon call an extra session of parliament, and will then outline his policies to continue the modernization of Japan.

PLANS FOR ELKS' ENTERTAINMENT

RODEO PICTURES, PATHE WEEKLY, ELKS GLEE CLUB, MANDOLIN AND GUITAR, BAND AND VOCAL MUSIC

Arrangements are being made today by members of the Elks Lodge and Manager Houston of the opera house for a big entertainment to be given in a week or ten days, when the Rodeo pictures are to be shown at the opera house. The entertainment will be in the nature of a benefit, and the revenue will be used to wipe out the deficit of the Rodeo committee.

Exalted Ruler Hunter Savidge states that the program will consist of numbers by the Elks Glee Club, Mandolin and Guitar Club, solos and duets, and two numbers by the Military band. In addition to the Rodeo pictures Manager Houston has agreed to furnish the regular service of Pathe's Weekly.

ITALIAN FAILS TO GET WARRANT

"Arresta data mans, data comes toa mya house and trya toa killa me." The police and the officers of Sheriff Barnes staff were confronted late on Friday afternoon by an irate son of sunny Italy, with the startling information that an attempt had been made on his life. He answered to the name of T. Ambrogetti and claimed that a man had called at his place on the West Side and threatened to shoot him.

"Get out a warrant and we'll go and arrest him," said Deputy Sheriff John Schallack.

"You notta arresta data mans I killa heem."

"You do that and we will have a double killing."

Officer Hall visited Ambrogetti's home and found the man alleged to have threatened Ambrogetti. A different story was then told, and no arrests were made.

No weapon of any kind was found on the stranger, but he had a story himself to tell, in which Ambrogetti was the aggressor.

CATCH THE LIMIT: BACK FOR BREAKFAST

Chief of Police Smith was telling a real record fish story Tuesday, and he claims he can prove it with the aid of the Miller Photo company, who took a picture of the catch. A party consisting of the chief, George Blohn, Lou Martin, Oscar North and Earl Sharp left town at 4:20 in the morning and returned at 7 o'clock with 16 trout weighing from 4 to 18 pounds apiece. The fish were caught just below the diversion dam in Lost River.

There is plenty of trout in Lost River since the diversion canal was connected with Klamath River, and the fishing is good. It is predicted the river near the dam will become one of the great fishing resorts of the county.

MOTOR CYCLE LAW IS BEING ENFORCED

C. B. Coon was arrested Tuesday for running his motor cycle without a light, and Wednesday was fined \$5. Chief of Police Smith states that all owners of motor cycles will be compelled to observe the state law in regard to licenses, number plates and lights, and that the law is to be strictly enforced, the same as with automobiles.

SACRAMENTAN INVESTS IN KLAMATH

W. F. HOPKA PURCHASES MILL CORNER, WHICH WAS RECENTLY UNDER CONTRACT TO MR. JORDON

Frank Miles Saturday sold his property on the corner of Eighth and Main streets, to W. F. Hopka of Sacramento. This is a portion of the property on which a contract for sale was recently entered into by Mr. Jordan of San Francisco, but which for some reason he failed to make good on. The property has a frontage on Main street of thirty feet, and the consideration is said to have been \$280 a front foot.

Mr. Hopka is manager of the dry goods department of Weinstein, Lubin & Co., of Sacramento, and has been a visitor to Klamath Falls for the past three years. On his earlier visits he purchased the property now occupied by the building in which is the same block as the property purchased today. Mr. Hopka sold this property at a profit the year following its purchase.

Mr. Hopka has great faith in the future of Klamath Falls, and yesterday he received a wire notifying him of the sale of a piece of property he owned in Sacramento, and he immediately began negotiations for investing the proceeds in Klamath Falls. He expects to erect a building on the property, but will probably wait until spring to begin construction.

—PEOPLE YOU MEET—

J. Walter Call, a commercial man of Medford, arrived in town Sunday evening, and is anticipating a good business.

Arthur Arlett, the San Francisco contractor, and B. G. McDougall, another contractor of the same place, were arrivals Sunday night. They left this morning for Harriman Lodge.

Miss Vera Houston returned home from her vacation at Crater Lake and Fort Klamath this afternoon.

Councilman John H. Hamilton was on the streets Saturday with a new five-passenger Detroit, which he purchased from the Henry Rabbes garage.

P. C. Herzog is a guest at the Hotel Houston. Mr. Herzog is in the city on business.

George Heffron arrived in this city Sunday evening from Monte Rio, Cal., to go to work at the Pelican day Lumber company.

J. A. Applington of Red Bluff, Cal., returned from Lake county Sunday, where he tried to locate on a ranch, but failed.

E. C. McCloud left the city Monday morning to travel through the country, representing a patent lamp.

Mr. Harrington of Ashland is in the city visiting, and speaks a good word for the country.

Abe Cohan, a commercial man of San Francisco, left on Monday, with a splendid word for this city and its merchants.

A. L. Blumberg of Milwaukee, Wis., is in the city, touring the country. He expresses himself early as greatly pleased with it.

A. H. Neiss came to this city last evening from Salt Lake City, Utah, for a visit, intending to look into the possibilities of the land of which he has heard so much. He is very much impressed with what he has seen so far, and thinks the country a good one.

R. A. Johnson of the Klamath Manufacturing company, returned Friday evening from a business trip to San Francisco.

Mrs. E. H. Meyers and sister, Mrs. Kelsey, are in the city from their home at Long Lake, transacting business and visiting Miss Meyers of this city.

Jack Goodale arrived in the city Friday night from Des Moines, Iowa,

Mr. Goodale is looking for a location in Klamath county, and has several homesteads in sight.

J. S. Plumb and family arrived in this city on Saturday. Mr. Plumb is an old-time resident of Klamath Falls and is engaged in the timber business.

G. A. Rice, engineer for the Goose Lake Valley Irrigation company, came in from Lakeview on Friday to meet his sister-in-law, Miss Hayer, who arrived on the evening train from Kentucky for an extended visit.

C. E. Atkinson, the local merchant, has returned from a visit to Spokane, where he formerly lived.

E. G. Argraves was out on the street on Saturday for the first time since his recent sickness. He has had a fever, and it was feared for a time that it might be typhoid.

FORT KLAMATH IS ALSO PROSPEROUS

NEW CREAMERY IN OPERATION. MORE HERDS OF MILCH COWS BEING BOUGHT—TWO NEW SCHOOLS BEING ERECTED

FORT KLAMATH, July 30.—The new creamery started operations on Friday, with an output of 450 pounds of butter for the first churning. People in this section are very enthusiastic, and are looking everywhere for cows, and are anxious to get the very best to be had. Wm. Nicholson has returned from Jackson county, where he succeeded in securing a herd of fifty head of fine milch cows, which are to be delivered the first of September. The directors of the association have \$7,000 with which to purchase cows, but want to get the very best for their money at as early a date as possible.

The grain crop this year is far better than has ever been produced before in this section, both in quality and acreage.

Two new school houses are to be built as soon as possible. Plans and specifications have been drawn and approved by Superintendent Swan. Material is being hauled and work will start at once under the direction of M. B. Loosley. Both buildings are small, but will be well equipped and up-to-date in every way.

Mr. A. Weed is erecting a large modern cow barn on his dairy ranch. It will have concrete floors, latest standard stanchions, and be equipped for 200 cows. Mr. Weed's dairy is now under the management of Frank Hartley, who is a competent man in that line.

Good Reports of Crops

E. P. Combs was in town Tuesday from his ranch on Lost River, four miles south of this city. He reports that the crops everywhere in the valley are in fine shape. "You can see at most any of the ranches in the valley, some of the best wheat, barley and oats you ever laid your eyes on," said Mr. Combs today. He believes that a rain about this time would be a good thing for the crops, as it would prevent the hot sun from shrinking the grain, and permit it to fill.

SPINK TO MOVE JEWELRY STORE

R. C. Spink, the jeweler, has rented the building now occupied by his store to Gertrude & Co., the milliners, and will move his stock of jewelry about September 1st to the building now occupied by Crisler & Sults, on the corner of Sixth and Main. The building is to be remodeled, and will be occupied by Mr. Spink and the Square Deal.

Mrs. Montgomery Joins Husband

Mrs. E. R. Montgomery arrived here on Monday to join her husband, who has been here for some months as the manager of a local mercantile business. The Montgomerys' home has been in Tonapah, Nevada. Prior to coming to this city Mrs. Montgomery spent a few weeks with relatives in San Francisco. They will reside at Eighth and Bush, the former Chapman residence, a beautiful five-room bungalow.

WILL ENGAGE IN DAIRY FARMING

KLAMATH COUNTY MAN INTENDS TO IMPORT CARLOAD OF HOLSTEINS AND INSTALL MODEL DAIRY FARM IN THIS COUNTY

E. L. Rightmiller was in this city Saturday and left Sunday morning for Modesto, Calif., where he will make all arrangements for sending a carload of pure bred Holstein cows to Klamath county just as soon as the deal can be consummated.

Mr. Rightmiller has been living on a ranch in the neighborhood of the Lost River diversion dam, and has been making investigations looking toward the acquirement of a piece of land suitable for the purpose of dairy farming as he would like to have it.

He has at last located his ideal place, about six miles east of Merrill, and tomorrow will go to California for the animals to stock the farm.

"I have made a close study of the dairy business," said Mr. Rightmiller, and have come to the conclusion that the climate of this county is as near perfect for the purpose as it would be possible to find. The cool nights during the summer acts as a restorative to animals, as well as to mankind, and it is no trouble at all to keep your cattle in first-class condition. The Holstein cow, too, is an ideal dairy animal, being of gentle disposition, and are splendid milkers and easy to keep in tip-top condition. The combination of Klamath climate and Holstein cattle should certainly be a winner."

MANY TOURISTS ARE ENJOYING FISHING

The travel to Spring Creek is increasing with every day, according to R. C. Spink, who returned from there Monday for a few days. "I have received requests for accommodations at Idlerest from all over California," said Mr. Spink, "and also from points in the East. I expect a party of twelve or fifteen here soon from Riverside, and others from San Jose, Los Angeles and other points."

Mr. Spink has a regular tent city established, and plenty of boats, and the fishing is excellent, even for this famous stream. One of the drawbacks, according to Mr. Spink, that is keeping many of the tourists from stopping at the resorts on their way through, is the \$5 charge for fishing licenses. Most of these tourists are from out of the state, and come from California, and they object to paying \$5 for the privilege of a day's fishing. They wouldn't object if they could remain a week or so, but feel that \$5 is too much for just a short time. For this reason a great deal of money that otherwise would be left in the county is spent elsewhere.

MAKE EARLY START FOR BERRY PATCH

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sparks and Tom Sparks left Tuesday for Lake of the Woods berry patch. They will first go to Rocky Point, where Mr. George McDonald and family and Mr. Bert Withrow and family are encamped, to get little Miss Joe McDonald, who is at present the guest of her grandparents.

The party makes this early start that they may have plenty of time to install themselves comfortably in a camp home before they begin on the berries, and also that the menfolk may have plenty of time to prepare themselves for the opening of the hunting season. From the promises made friends of venison dinners and "bar" meat they expect to work overtime on the hunting proposition.

WILL SPEND THEIR TIME AT ROCKY POINT

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and their grandchild, Joe McDonald, and Mr. Bert Withrow and family left on Monday to spend the heated term at Rocky Point. They went to Shipplington in their machine, and from there their launch the "Langell Valley," will tow their new houseboat, the "Bonanza," to Rocky Point.

The "Bonanza" is completely furnished for trips of this kind, having all the necessary conveniences for outing trips, and that this party will have an enjoyable time goes without saying.

Don't send your money out of the County and State

Send us your mail orders--Read our proposition. We will prepay postage and stage charges on mail orders, and send Goods subject to your approval, and if not satisfactory return them at our expense--Also we will meet any and all legitimate competition on standard merchandise.

A trial order will convince you that it always pays to trade at home.

K. K. K. STORE, Leading Clothiers

Klamath Falls, Oregon