

LOCAL COMPANY GETS PURE WATER

WATER SUPPLY WILL BE AMPLE FOR YEARS

The Next Well to Be Sunk Will Have Far Greater Capacity Than Present One—Purity of the Water Is Point That Is Most Pleasing to Water Company Officials—Surface Water Is Barred

Ample artesian water has been developed by the Klamath Falls Light and Water company on its property on Conger avenue, acquired from Ewan R. Reames, to assure it a supply ample for the city. Two 12-inch pipes driven down 74 feet reached the flow, which proved such as to gratify the water company officials. Notwithstanding the good supply obtained from these two pipes, the company will continue its efforts to get additional water from boring for artesian water at a spot about 100 feet back on the lot from the two pipes, the latter being where the old springs were, comparatively on the front of the lot.

The two pipes brought so much water up that a test made by the company Wednesday with its two city pumps and an additional 4-inch pump, worked to full capacity, failed to reduce the level of the water in the basin. These three pumps pulled about 1,500 gallons of water per minute.

The company will construct a concrete pit or basin at the mouth of the pipes, which will be 15 feet deep and 20 feet in diameter, and hold about 45,000 gallons of water, from which the pumps will draw. It is better for pumps to get their supply from a still quantity, for rushing or moving water when pumped often permits considerable air in the pipes, which is a disadvantage, especially to centrifugal pumps, and also bad for the pipes, which get shaken up.

CHEYNE BUYS A NEW OUTFIT

Robert D. Cheyne, one of the prosperous farmers of the Klamath Basin, returned last week from Goldendale, Wash., his former home. He went there to get a threshing outfit which he left behind when he moved to the Klamath country some three years ago. While at Goldendale he sold the outfit, and on his way back he stopped off at Portland long enough to buy a new and most up-to-date threshing outfit. The outfit will arrive here in a few weeks.

Mr. Cheyne says he used to think that Washington was a grain state, but after being here for a few years and then going back, he is thoroughly convinced that there is no place quite as good as the Klamath country. To put it in Mr. Cheyne's own words: "I did not see any farming country that looked half as good to me as our own valley. We have better crops than I saw anywhere on the trip."

BOURNE MAY GET \$50,000

Crater National Park may yet be favored by the present congress with an appropriation for the building of roads at once.

Word to this effect has been received here in a telegram from Senator Jonathan Bourne, Jr., who forced a \$100,000 appropriation through the senate. This was afterwards cut out by the house. Now Senator Bourne is of the opinion that he can secure \$50,000 for the park.

The telegram follows: "Bitter fight being made by house conferees against my senate amendment appropriating \$100,000 for Crater National Park. Think I can get \$50,000, and as this will be recognition of project, it will be, in my opinion, a big victory, in view of the attitude of the house conferees. Fifty thousand probably more than can be used this season."

"JONATHAN BOURNE, Jr."

FAIR PROSPECTS MAKES GLADNESS

Farmers hereabouts are tickled at the promise of a county fair this year, and the truck gardeners are also "feeling their oats" at the prospect of a fine layout of vegetables to be offered for public inspection, admiration and coveting.

Some people were afraid that there was to be no county fair this year, for B. St. George Bishop, who was the Poo-Bah of the institution last season had given it out that he would not manage the fair this season. This made it seem as though the display of cattle and soil products might be lacking at the fair grounds in 1912.

The fair boosters regard it as especially desirable that there be a fair this year for the reason that the season is favorable to practically all fruits, vegetables and grains. There has been much more rain this year than last, and the truck gardeners are having better success, both in quality and variety of what they raise

than heretofore, as reported in this paper yesterday.

Efforts will be made this year to avoid a repetition of the losses caused last year by people entering the fair without paying admission. At that time the grounds were insufficiently fenced or patrolled, and while a count of the grand stand, especially on the principal day, showed a crowd big enough to make a well-filled till, the tally of people and the tally of money were so far apart that the management got busy to figure the discrepancy. The result was that General Manager Bishop ascribed to non-paying attendants a loss of something in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

The fair this year will be managed by Caleb T. Oliver, secretary of the Klamath Chamber of Commerce. The dates will be September 25, 26, 27 and 28, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

ALFORD FAMILY IN NICE REUNION

A family reunion of the Alford family occurred Friday night at the residence of the First ward. From Medford had come Mr. and Mrs. A. Alford, parents of Councilman Alford and M. L. Alford, brother of R. A. Alford, and wife and Mrs. C. W. Walters, the councilman's sister from Talent, came in M. L. Alford's automobile. Mrs. L. F. Willits of this city, who is a sister of Councilman Alford, was present. The parents and four children had a most enjoyable evening.

COUNTY FAIR WILL BE A SUCCESS

With prospects for bumper crops, with many breeds of good dairy cattle now in the country, splendid horses of different breeds owned here, and the many and varied resources of the county more fully developed, prospects for the holding of a successful county fair were never better than now.

Various fraternal orders have arranged to hold reunions here during the fair, and there will be some distinct features from this source.

Already a partial list of premiums has been announced. The work of securing prizes is still going on, and Secretary Oliver has assurances that the complete premium list will be the most complete of any ever before offered.

The following is the partial list:

- 1st prize, best draft team, \$10, offered by Savidge Bros., Lumber Co.
- 1st prize best collection of grasses and grains, \$10, merchandise, offered by Hector's Department Store.
- 1st prize for best driving team, \$10, offered by C. M. Riley.
- 1st prize for best collection of potatoes, \$15 suit of clothes, offered by Portland Store; 2d prize, \$5, offered by Wood-Curtis Co.
- 1st prize draught mare, kitchen cupboard and table combined, offered by J. F. Goeller & Son; 2d prize, kitchen cabinet, offered by J. F. Goeller & Son.
- 1st prize, best milch cow, \$20, offered by Van Riper Bros.; 2nd prize, best milch cow, any breed, \$10, offered by Farmers' Implement and Supply House.
- 1st prize for best single farm exhibit, 26 piece silver set, 1847 Rogers Bros., valuation \$25, offered by William E. Pelley.
- 1st prize for best dual purpose cow, \$30 steel range, offered by Darling Hardware Co.
- 1st prize for best Jersey cow, \$20 blue-eyed granite ware kitchen set, offered by Hurn Hardware Co.
- 1st prize for best collection of threshed grain from any individual, \$10, offered by Martin Bros. Milling Co.; 2d prize for best collection of threshed grain by any individual, \$5, offered by Martin Bros. Milling Co.
- 2d prize best booths from any locality, merchandise on Roberts & Hanks Hardware Co., valuation \$10.
- 1st prize best collection of fruits, \$10, merchandise order offered by H. B. Manchester Fruit and Produce Co.
- 1st prize for best display of poultry, offered by the Sunset Grocery Co., \$10 grocery order; 2d prize for best display of poultry, \$6 rocker offered by Virgil & Son.
- 1st prize, 2-year-old draught stallion, \$10, offered by Big Basin Lumber Co.; 2d prize, best 2-year-old draught stallion, \$8 jardiniere and pedestal, offered by McMillan Furniture Co.
- 1st prize, best collection of apples, \$10 overcoat order, offered by Atkinson Dry Goods Store.
- 1st prize best collection of vegetables, \$10 merchandise order, offered by Roberts & Whitmore.
- 1st prize for best bull in the county, any breed, 45-piece dinner set, offered by K. K. K. Store, valuation \$15.
- The premium list and program will be embodied in one publication, which will be sent all over the county, 3,000 strong, about one month before the holding of the fair.

TURN OVER LINE TO BE OPERATED

FORMAL TRANSFER OF 12 MILES OF NEW SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRACK BEYOND CHILOQUIN COMES TOMORROW

On Sunday the extension of the extension of the Southern Pacific's Klamath Falls-Natron cutoff between Chiloquin and the Williamson River was officially turned over to the operating department of the railroad by the engineering department. Assistant Engineer H. P. Hoey has notified Chief Engineer William Hood of the readiness of the new stretch of track for use, and the formal transfer of the custody of the new part comes tomorrow. The station at the end of the line has been named Kirk, although there is no building at that point. There is twelve miles of the new line involved in the transfer.

It could not be ascertained whether the work on this end of the cutoff, in the neighborhood of the Williamson River would be resumed this year. It is known that a construction train, with about 40 men for work, has been located at Wocus, the first station above Klamath Falls, and that material has been loaded by the crew, but for what purpose in view could not be ascertained.

Judge Graves returned last night from a brief outing at Odell Lake. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Mrs. Ringo. Mrs. Graves remained at the lake.

Social Events of the Week

RESUME OF THE SOCIAL EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK GATHERED FOR HERALD READERS—THE COMINGS AND GOINGS OF SOCIETY'S PETS

Our city like Rome is built upon the hills. From its first scanty gathering of a few human souls on the banks of the river many years ago, it has, up to within the last few years, gone through its pioneer and formative stage.

Then the railroad—that line of long steel bars, that brings progress and activity in its wake—and behold, Klamath was reborn—its renaissance was at hand.

Its streets were paved, its business extended, substantial brick gradually upbuilding where the lowly frame stores had formerly stood, while the hills nodded and smiled with gardens of gay-topped flowers, and the velvet lawns outgrew the weeds, while still on the lower levels the poplars raised their cathedral spires toward heaven.

The child must grow, and with sheltering care, will reach in time man's full strength.

Our City Beautiful will not depart therefrom.

On Saturday evening of last week Mrs. C. K. Seltz and Mrs. J. V. Gilbert were joint hostesses at a most delightful musicale and card party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seltz in Hot Springs addition. Cards filled the first part of the evening, after which there was music, dancing and refreshments. Mrs. Gilbert, who is the possessor of a fine soprano voice, gave several solo numbers. Mr. Crooks also gave pleasure with his singing, and Mr. Borel with his violin. A mandolin club, composed of these musical friends, played until a late hour, the personnel of which is: Mesdames Lillie Allen, Claudia O'Loughlin and E. K. Seltz, mandolins; A. L. Murray, guitar; Mrs. A. R. Murray, piano. Besides those above mentioned, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Bamberg, Mr. and Mrs. Crooks, Miss Viola Crooks, Mr. and Mrs. Parmalee, Ord Arnold, Mr. Borel, James Crooks, C. K. Seltz and Dr. J. V. Gilbert.

Mrs. Robert B. Savidge gave a charmingly appointed luncheon on Monday at 1 o'clock. The color scheme was pink, supplemented with the loveliest pink roses, and those seated at the table were Mrs. Fred Schallock, Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. J. C. Brockenbrough, the hostess and Master Robert Savidge.

The Leisure Hour Club was entertained by Mrs. Fred Schallock on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. The game of 500, concluding with refreshments, filled several agreeable hours, and those present were Mesdames Frank Ward, W. I. Clark, Hiram Murdock, Earl Whitlock, C. C. Hogue, C. E. Hogue, J. J. Parker, R. E. Wattenburg, Thomas Connors, O. M. Robertson, I. J. Knapp, C. H. Daggett, Thos. Hampton, R. E. Smith, Fred Melhase, Charles Martin and Henry Newham.

Mrs. John Schallock, whose sudden passing away left so great a sorrow in the hearts of her friends, was also present.

Mrs. Fred Mills invited a merry party of her friends for Thursday

SCHOOL FACULTY IS GIVEN OUT

HIGH SCHOOL WILL OPEN SEPT. 9, THREE WEEKS FROM MONDAY, WITH NEW FACULTY. PERSONNEL IS ANNOUNCED

Three weeks from Monday, September 9th, the Klamath County High School will open.

Already W. E. Faight, principal, has arrangements well under way for the opening. He announced this morning the following members of the faculty:

- Assistant principal—M. D. Coates, mathematics and debate.
- Bessie B. Applegate, English, literature.
- E. V. Hawley, manual training.
- E. L. Morrison, commercial department.
- Erma E. Cole, Latin, teachers' training.
- Addie E. Cornwall, history and German.
- Abbie J. Carpenter, domestic science.
- Max A. McCall, agriculture.
- Geo. A. Wirtz, music.

Ex-United States Marshal Leslie M. Scott of Portland, son of the late Harvey Scott of the Oregonian, passed through the city Friday night with his wife and mother, en route home after a visit to Crater National Park.

W. F. Bowen and F. H. Walker of Ashland left here this morning on a trip to Crater Lake.



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