

A TELEPHONE LINE TO POE VALLEY

CREW OF THE RECLAMATION SERVICE STARTS ON THE WORK—LINE WILL BE COMPLETED FROM OLENE

Eight men, composing a telephone construction crew from the office of the Klamath reclamation project, left Monday to extend the government's telephone line from Olene along the north side of Poe Valley as far as W. W. Masten's ranch, where the next government camp is to be shortly established, as soon as the truss at Olene is completed.

This truss is a crossing for water constructed as part of the irrigation extension work being done the reclamation service. The truss will be finished in about two weeks, when the camp will be established at the Masten ranch.

W. H. McDonough, the well known contractor of this city, was one of those who were greatly surprised at the news of the arrest of Wells Lounsberry of Medford soon after he had robbed a mail car in Kansas. Mr. McDonough was well acquainted with Lounsberry in North Dakota a few years ago.

"Lounsberry is a son of Colonel Lounsberry, who for years was prominent in politics in North Dakota," said Mr. McDonough. "Young Lounsberry, prior to coming West, was a mail clerk running into Fargo. He was popular at both ends of his run, and his confession will be a shock to the people of North Dakota."

"Colonel Lounsberry was in the newspaper business in Fargo years ago, but drifted into politics, and finally was appointed to a berth in the land office in Washington, D. C."

MAYOR SUGGESTS WEEKLY MEETINGS

Mayor Thomas F. Nicholas suggested on Tuesday that it might be a good scheme for the city council to meet every week during the height of the building activity in order that permits for improvements in the city might not be held up.

"The growth of a city is very important to it," said the mayor, "and while under ordinary circumstances the city council meets but twice a month, the building season develops a good many people who wish to add

to the city's homes or business blocks, and with them the time is important."

The school board, evidently realizing that time is decidedly material in building matters, when it decided some time ago to build a frame house on the Central School plot, waived all formality and dispensed with a building permit. It seemed just like old times under the former administration for building to go ahead without a permit.

The school board's apparent neglect of courtesy toward the city council, it is claimed, cannot under the present building ordinance, enforce its terms. It is said to be so full of holes that it will not hold water.

ELKS WILL HOLD SPECIAL MEETING

CLASS IS EXPECTED HERE FROM LAKEVIEW—REGULAR MEETINGS WILL BE HELD BY LODGE FROM NOW ON

A class from Lakeview will be initiated into the Elks in this city Saturday night. Word was received from the Lake county metropolis Monday, stating that there were a number of candidates there, and it was at once decided to hold a special meeting here Saturday night.

Secretary L. H. Bath stated this morning that commencing September 1st, regular meetings will be held by the Elks here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Childers and daughter, Vivian, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Childers, their son and daughter-in-law, of Medford, arrived in the city Monday on their way home after a length visit with their children in Langell Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Childers and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Childers. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Childers accompanied their parents to this city and Mrs. Childers will go on with them to their home for a short visit. Gene will return to his Langell Valley ranch and play bachelor until the return of his wife.

NEWPORT, Aug. 27.—McLoughlin of San Francisco won the national singles tennis championship in Casino court here by defeating Wallace Johnson of Philadelphia.

MEN SLEEP IN DISABLED BOAT

Mahlon T. Dolman and Rossiter L. Mikel, who have been missing since Sunday morning, are safe.

Footsore, hungry and thirsty, they found their way to the Frank Downing ranch, about fifteen miles from Worden. Then they walked into Worden, where they arrived about 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The two men will arrive here on the train this evening.

"The compression valve on the engine went wrong," said Mr. Dolman over the telephone Tuesday afternoon. "That was about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. We paddled the boat to a point that seemed to be nearest solid land. It was in a creek."

"We spent last night and Sunday night in the boat. At 6 o'clock this morning we left the boat on a long hike through the tules. Southeast of Worden we saw a high piece of ground, very rocky. We headed for this point."

"We tramped through about fifteen miles of tule land before we reached the Downing ranch."

"We had nothing to eat since 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and had nothing to drink until we arrived at the Downing ranch."

"Of course we are weak and tired. It was very cold sleeping in the boat, and were wet most of the time."

"Not once did we see any sign of the searchers, and we did not know that we were being so anxiously sought until we arrived in Worden."

Mr. Dolman's voice was slightly cracked as he talked through the phone, bearing evidence of the cold he had acquired on the trip.

It was estimated Tuesday afternoon that there were fully sixty men out on the lake and in the marshes conducting the search.

TAFT SLIPS BY CURIOUS CROWD

BEVERLY, Aug. 27.—President Taft arrived in an auto from Boston today, eluding the crowd at the depot here. The train brought the president's private car, minus the president, however.

The president played a game of golf with his brother-in-law, W. C. Herron, and this afternoon he took an automobile ride with Mrs. Taft.

DOLMAN AND MIKEL TELL TRIALS

Rossiter L. Mikel and Mahlon T. Dolman, respectively advertising manager and news editor of the Northwestern, who were reported lost in the marshes in the vicinity of Lower Klamath Lake, arrived in the city late Tuesday afternoon by train from Worden.

The young men are confined to their apartments in the White Pelican hotel, according to information given from the Northwestern office.

"Of course they are badly sunburned, and, no doubt, a shave would improve their appearance," was the word from the office of the morning newspaper office. "They will not be expected to do any work during this week."

So far as can be ascertained, not a single member of the searching party has been lost. Most of the searchers received word of the re-appearance of the lost men before dark, and were able to return home last night. Some were disappointed in not having been on the rescue scene, but all expressed pleasure at the safe return of the young men.

Mr. Dolman has issued a statement in which he gives an authorized but uncopied account of the sufferings of himself and Mr. Mikel. There is very little to add to the story printed in the Herald last night, except to contradict a statement made that the engine of the launch in which the young men left the city had been put out of business. It seems that, while the engine "bucked," it was always in commission until low water prevented the turning of the propeller.

Mr. Dolman in his statement tells of having sighted a farm house on Monday morning, which probably explains a statement made to The Herald by one of the members of the search party that left here Tuesday morning in an automobile.

"The only word we had of the lost men," said The Herald's informant, "was when we arrived at the Hopkins ranch. There we were informed that two young men, answering very closely the description of Mr. Dolman and Mr. Mikel appeared near the ranch in a boat. They called, and were answered. They asked where the landing place was. They were told, but instead of going in the direction in-

dicated they went out in the lake again."

Mr. Dolman, in his interview given to a stenographer, says: "Monday morning came, and we discovered that we were near to a farm house on one shore of the lake. The farm house was in the middle of grain fields. I have since learned that this was the Merrill side of the lake. We ran over, thinking to land at the farm house, but to our surprise the shore was lined with tules, and at no place could we find a channel or a landing."

"We discussed making an effort to wade through the tules and reach the land, but Mr. Mikel's experience of the night before had taken our nerve and we did not make the attempt. We tied half a handkerchief, all that we had left, to the paddle, waved it in the air and shouted. No response came from the house. It looked inhabited, because a washing was hanging out on the line, but so far as we could tell there was no other sign of human habitation about the place. Our signals were not answered, and finally we turned away."

According to John Schallock, one of the best informed men on distances in this section, it is about 200 yards from the channel to the high land at the Hopkins ranch, and there is a very good landing a little way north.

Charles Low, Oscar Brenneman and Jesse Hart composed a motor search party that was about the last to return to the city. They left here yesterday afternoon, in response to the appeal for help, with blankets and provisions to last three days. They learned of the safe return of the missing men when they stopped at Worden.

Messrs. Mikel and Dolman expressed surprise when they learned that so many people had taken up the search for them. In his authorized interview Mr. Dolman states that he had expected Mr. Evans of the Northwestern to have been worried about them, and when they ascertained at Worden that many others had become interested, they made every effort to give publicity to their safety.

It seems that in addition to having been without food, and with water all about them, but not a drop to drink, the young men had only a few cigarettes, and this caused great inconvenience. To quote Mr. Dolman:

"We discovered our stock of cigarettes was low. We had had nothing

PEDDLERS MUST PAY A BIG FINE

JUDGE GRAVES FINDS VERDICT OF GUILTY IN THE CASES AGAINST SEARS AND HUNTER, WAGON SALESMEN

Walter Sears and Charles Hunter were found guilty by Judge Graves in the justice court of peddling without a license, and were fined \$150 each.

John Kellerman, who was arrested with Sears and Hunter, was acquitted. The trial, by stipulation between the attorneys, was conducted without the presence of the two defendants who were convicted.

Kellerman testified for the state. He said that he had been promised regular employment by Sears and Hunter in the selling of wagons, and at the time of the arrest he was not receiving any remuneration, but accompanied the two men to learn the business. The witness stated that Sears and Hunter had sold about eight wagons during the time that he was with them.

Sears and Hunter have been out of jail on a \$1,000 cash bond furnished by a Medford bank. Now it is desired to release this money and furnish a surety appeal bond. Judge Graves had declined up to a late hour this afternoon to release the bond until the two convicted men were delivered in court. Sears and Hunter are reported to be now in the vicinity of Prineville.

TWINS SHARE FIVE BROKEN ARMS IN TWO YEARS TIME

SWEET HOME, Ore., Aug. 27.—Frank Davis, a 15-year-old boy living here, was thrown from a horse and had his arm broken. This is the third time Frank has had the same arm broken in the past two years, and his twin brother, Fred, has had a broken arm twice in the same time.

WANTED—Experienced waitress at the Hall grill.

to eat since shortly after noon, and cigarettes seemed to help our hunger. So we decided to divide each cigarette, each person smoking half. We took turn about as to which one should have the first half and which should have butta."

The latest Store News illustrating the newest Ready-to-wear apparel for Men, Women and Children from Klamath County's greatest Dry Goods Store

SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 31

WILL FIND THIS STORE FILLED WITH THE NEWEST FALL STYLES AS WELL AS THE BEST VALUES TO BE FOUND IN THIS PART OF THE STATE. FOR THE PAST TWO MONTHS THIS STORE HAS BEEN IN CONSTANT PREPARATION FOR THE GREATEST FALL BUSINESS IN ITS HISTORY, AND SATURDAY MORNING WILL FIND EVERY EFFORT ACCOMPLISHED. THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF THE NEWEST AND BEST MERCHANDISE TO BE FOUND IN AMERICA HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED TO THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THIS STORE THE PAST WEEK, AND IN NO INSTANCE WILL YOU FIND AN ADVANCE IN PRICES.

ADLER'S "COLLEGIAN" Clothes for Men

The new Fall Styles in both suits and overcoats are here. "Collegian" clothes are well known in Klamath county now, as they are in almost every locality every where. They represent workmanship unsurpassed; a range of styles not equaled by any other one line, and the prices on "Collegian" clothes are not unreasonably high, as you will find some of the better makes. "Collegian" clothes are made from woolen cloth, not part cotton, and every suit and overcoat is a garment worth the money asked for it. Men's suits and overcoats will be found here ranging in price from \$10.00 to \$25.00. Every garment is guaranteed to give you satisfactory service for the money invested.

The New Fall Styles of

LA VOGUE Coats and Suits for Women and Girls

Are especially attractive. The styles are ideal, not extreme, and the prices are very moderate indeed. La Vogue garments represent the best there is to be had in Women's Ready-to-Wear Clothing, and an inspection will convince you that the cost is no more; in fact, not so much as other makes.

New Dress Goods direct from the Mills

There are two important reasons why we buy dress-goods direct from the manufacturer: First, when buying direct there is no chance of buying old or out-of-date goods, for manufacturers don't accumulate stock. They take the order—then make the goods. Second, a clear saving in price of 20 per cent, and often more.

You will find a choice selection of the newest weaves in Woolen Dress-Goods, ranging in price from, per yd. 50c to \$2.50.

Four months more—then a New Year, but these four months are to be made record breakers from merchandising standpoint. Volume is the word which represents success in a business of this kind, and it's only with the most modest prices that we hope to get the volume.

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