

DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE MAY WAIT

ITINERARY INCLUDES CRATER LAKE TRIP

Secretary of the Department of the Interior will arrive here Saturday and Sunday inspecting the Klamath Irrigation Project, and Leave Sunday Night for California—Will Prove Drawing Card For Meeting

Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Department of the Interior, will visit Klamath Falls Saturday and Sunday, August 23 and 24. He will spend Sunday inspecting the Klamath reclamation project.

As a result of the date of the Secretary's arrival, there is a possibility that the dates of the Central Oregon Development League Convention, set for this city August 19-20-21, may be changed to August 21-22-23. This matter will be taken up by the directors of the Klamath Chamber of Commerce at a meeting tomorrow.

Secretary Lane is a man of much interest to all the people of the vast undeveloped Central Oregon Empire, as much of the future of this country depends upon the attitude of the Department of the Interior. For that reason, a speech by Lane and his presence at the final banquet would prove a matter of great importance to all parts of Central Oregon, and would do much toward increasing the attendance at the Development Congress.

A telegram was received Monday from C. C. Chapman of the Portland Commercial Club, suggesting that a recess of two days be taken in the proceedings of the Congress in order to allow Lane to be present at the last session. This, in the minds of the local boosters, would work a hardship on some of the visitors, compelling them to remain five days, and they favor a postponement of the opening day until August 21.

THREE IN BOAT

TOSSED ON LAKE

R. Vance Hutchins, Edgar Choate and James Murray of the Northwestern forest spent several hours on Upper Klamath Lake Sunday evening, paddling about in a rowboat while the lake was swept by a high wind. Other members of the party in a motorboat were searching for them in the wrong direction.

The party left Sunday morning and fished at different points on the lake. Late in the afternoon the launch started toward Rocky Point, towing in Elmer Mills, who was in a rowboat. Hutchins, Choate and Murray, who were fishing in a rowboat at the mouth of Short Creek, did not return to Rocky Point with the launch, staying to fish, with the understanding that the motorboat would pick them up as it started toward Klamath Falls.

Through some misunderstanding, the launch skirted the shore toward Agency Lake while the men in the rowboat kept toward the center of the lake. As the sun went down, the wind increased in violence, and the trio were several times in danger of being swamped by the waves, bailing being a constant occupation.

After being storm-tossed, the rowboat finally reached Eagle Ridge. From here the launch, which was searching the shore, was signalled, and the party reunited.

K. OF C. RETURN

FROM VACATION

After a sojourn of more than a week at Pelican Bay Lodge, 158 members of the Knights of Columbus and their wives and friends from California cities, left last night in their special train for their homes.

They are all enthusiastic for this section as the ideal summer playground. The fishing in the streams around Upper Lake was a surprise to them, and many availed themselves of the opportunity to visit Crater Lake.

The party spent several hours here before leaving on the train. They enjoyed a banquet at the White Pelican hotel, which was followed by an informal dance, music for which was rendered by the Star theater orchestra.

LAKE COUNTY WILL SEND

HIB BUNCH OF BOOSTERS

LAKEVIEW, July 28.—"On to Klamath Falls" is the slogan now being used by Lakeview boosters in anticipation of the meeting of the Central Oregon Development League at that place August 19, 20 and 21. It is already assured that a most creditable delegation from Lake county will be in attendance at the big meet, but the local boosters will not be satisfied with merely a creditable showing, and intend making the other delegates sit up and take notice that Lake county is "it." At least a dozen autos will go over, and it is planned to make a good showing on entering the

Klamath metropolis. A meeting is called at the Examiner office for tonight for the purpose of appointing committees to perfect plans for the proper representation of Lake county at the meeting.

The attendance from all parts of the state promises to be very large, and if Lake county is represented as she should be, the results will be of very great value. While it may not be possible to make a large exhibit of the products of this section, yet it is easily within the range of possibilities to make a showing that will open the eyes of all visitors to its wonderful possibilities in the way of stock, grain, timber, fruit, alfalfa, dairying and the like.

One of the most important subjects to be brought before the coming convention is the matter of stimulating interest in the Pacific highway north and south across the state. This is an item of vital importance to both Klamath and Lake counties, and this meeting is the logical time for both counties to formulate systematic plans for accomplishing the best results in working for the establishment of the highway.

SOME HAY HIT BY RAINSTORM

(Special Correspondence)

MERRILL, Ore., July 27.—At least four inches of rain have fallen here during the past few days. Considerable hay that was on the ground and shocked preparatory to being hauled and stacked has soured.

While the hay will be rusty for feeding the farmers' stock this winter, yet it will be utilized to good advantage. To those who have already completed harvesting their crops the rain did not damage, but proved beneficial.

The farmers who live on dry farms and rely on rains for irrigation are rejoicing over the recent rains in bettering their wheat, which is not cut, fifty per cent or over.

From various reports throughout this part of the country it is understood that the yield in production of wheat, alfalfa, oats, barley and rye, etc., will be much larger this season than in any previous years.

If the farmers can market their productions to good advantage this fall there is no doubt that those very same farmers will come nearer making both ends meet later than has happened in a long time.

The new town of Bradnack, just over the line a few miles from here, is reported to have a postoffice. It is understood that Geo. Bradnack, formerly of Klamath Falls, has received his commission as postmaster of that village.

A school house is to be built there soon. It is likely that the dwelling of learning will be started in a short time so as to have the building ready for occupancy by the time that the winter term of school is scheduled to commence.

A branch of the Ashland Fruit Store has been established in Merrill. The demand for fruit in this section made it profitable for the Ashland Fruit Growers' Association of Ashland, to start the new enterprise in this city.

Over fifty per cent of those who were susceptible to the mumps or the contagion that has been visiting the citizens in this city and community for the past three months have already had the disease or are now confined to their homes from the malady. Only in a few cases has the mumps affected its victim to a great extent. Farther from that the contracted simply had his "mush" swollen out of shape for a few days.

The hunting of jack rabbits on Sunday is a great pastime for the young men of Merrill to spend their leisure hours on that day.

To Protect Birds

United Press Service

ROME, July 28.—Announcement was made today at the International Institute of Agriculture, which was founded by King Victor Emanuel on the suggestion of David Lubin, of Sacramento, Calif., of a world-wide propaganda for the protection of all birds that are beneficial to the farmer in destroying insects and crop destroyers. The campaign, according to the plans announced today, will be started simultaneously in all of the fifty-three nations which have permanent delegates at the institute.

The strenuousness of the haymaking life in the Willamette valley is shown in the fact that a Sunday school picnic dated for July 16 at Sodaville was postponed "to some time early in August."

That the parcel post limit will likely not remain at 20 pounds, but will finally get up to 100, is the prediction of the Salem Statesman.

FREE BASEBALL DRAWS A CROWD

GROCERS DOWNED BY CLOTHIERS IN A CONTEST THAT MADE THE BIG CIRCUITS LOOK LIKE CORNER LOTS

The "wise ones" went wrong again by picking the Prune Peddlers to win the ball game Sunday afternoon at Modoc Park. Contrary to all available "dope" on form, experience and physical condition, the Sox Sellers surprised themselves, and their friends by taking the long end of a 17 to 10 score. Each player on the field had an individual following in the grand stand. The married men were loyally supported by their wives, and the single men had from one to six sweethearts enthusiastically cheering them to victory. The murmur that rippled over the grand stand to the effect that umpire Hurn was getting even with enlarged grocery bills, was started by a malicious remark made by a prominent groceryman who had placed forty cents on the Prune Peddlers. As a matter of truth, both Hurn and Klepper mixed their breaks with absolute impartiality. The game was one of the most exciting contests ever staged on the local diamond, and the most satisfactory. Fred Houston kept up a continuous pyrotechnical display at third, accepting seven difficult, not to say impossible, chances without an error. Fred Dunbar pulled a bunch of the scintillating stuff at first; and Claude Maxwell managed to get into the spot light by his brainy base running. Jester, Orem and L. Houston covered themselves with glory with their stick work. In fact all the boys played a remarkable game considering the small amount of practice. The next game scheduled will be the Face-Torturers against the Sox-Sellers. Other games to follow include contests between the Druggists and the Hardware employees. These games are creating an immense amount of interest and are certain to become very popular.

PRUNE PEDDLERS

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Van Riper, p	3	1	1	1	2	1	
L. Houston, c	4	2	3	3	3	1	
Dunbar, 1b	4	1	3	2	1	0	
Hedricks, 2b	3	2	1	3	2	2	
Orem, 3b & p	3	2	1	2	1	1	
Whitmore, ss	2	0	0	2	3	1	
Shive, lf & p	4	1	2	1	2	1	
Gowan, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0	
Roberts, cf	3	1	0	1	0	1	

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SOX SELLERS

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Loewe, 2b	5	1	1	5	3	2	
W. Houston, p	3	3	2	0	4	1	
Fred Houston, 3b	4	1	1	3	4	0	
Maxwell, c	4	2	3	3	3	1	
Joe Brett, cf & 1b	4	1	1	1	0	0	
Jno. Brett, lf	4	2	1	1	0	0	
Jester, ss	5	3	4	1	2	2	
Wilson, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0	
Van Bellen, 1b, cf	4	2	2	1	0	0	

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*Fred Houston out, hit by batted ball.

SUMMARY

Two base hits, L. Houston, Hedricks, Jno. Brett, W. Houston; Stolen bases, Van Riper (2), L. Houston (2) Hedricks, Orem (2), Whitmore, Shive (2) Gowan, Roberts, Loewe, W. Houston (2), Fred Houston (3), Maxwell (4), Joe Brett, Jno. Brett, Jester (2), Wilson (2), Van Bellen (2). Sacrifice hits, L. Houston, Joe Brett. Struck out, by W. Houston, 8; by Van Riper, 2 in 2 innings; by Orem, three in two innings; by Shive 4 in 2 innings. Hits, off Houston, 13 in 7 innings; off Van Riper, 7 in 3 innings; off Orem, 2 in 2 innings; off Shive 5 in 2 innings. Umpires, Hurn and Klepper. Attendance 517.

Baby Quarantine Stations Opened

BERLIN, July 28.—The first quarantine station for babies was opened today at the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria Hospital. Hitherto only babies suffering from contagious diseases have been isolated at the hospital, but now all babies will be quarantined before admission. They will be kept in rooms with glass walls and ceilings, each ten feet long and five feet wide, equipped with bed, bath and every other accessory for the comfort and needs of its occupant. If the results are satisfactory, quarantine stations for babies will be established all over Germany.

Tennis Championships

United Press Service

CRAWFORDS NOTCH, N. H., July 28.—The best tennis players of the state are entered in the competitions for the New Hampshire and White Mountains tennis championship which began today on the courts of the Crawford House Tennis Club under the auspices of the National Tennis Association.

Lee Court, a well known Midland dairyman, is in the county seat today attending to business matters. Whitlock was summoned, and the

WOMEN TO PITCH IN SUNDAY GAME

THEATRICAL MEN ARE THE LATEST TO FORM A TEAM, AND THE BARBERS HAVE ACCEPTED THE CHALLENGE

Barbers vs. Theatrical Men, with women pitchers.

This is the baseball program to be dished out at Modoc Park Sunday afternoon, the second contest of the city inter-professional series of games.

The John Drews formed an organization this morning, and forthwith challenged the Knights of the Razoo for a game. In addition to saying they would win, the Hamfats added further that Maude Patterson, who plays a bill at the Star theater commencing Thursday night, used to twirl for the Boston Bloomer girls, and she would pitch.

Does this prediction of defeat phase the Barbers? Not so you could notice it. Instead, they cheered up, sold three bottles of hair tonic to victims in the chairs, and added that the scene shifters were not the only ball team with a woman pitcher. This morning they signed up a manicurist—hands up, gentlemen—who stated that she knows a little about baseball, too, and that from the pitching point of view.

The talent lined up by Mansfield McGraw Houston includes Clair Arnold, Harry Borrell, Lon Lobb, John Houston (two of 'em), Lester Terwilliger, Bob Mitchell, Harry Williams, Kid White, Wilbur Arnold, Sterling Garrett, Carl Schenckner, Merle Houston and Jerry Darrell.

Mohler Fitch Swanson has the following on his list: Bean, Haynes, Turner, Garrich, Shelton, Thrasher, Nicholson, Walters and Lowe.

NEWS OF THE RESERVATION

(Special Correspondence)

KLAMATH AGENCY, July 28.—One of the most enjoyable weddings on the Reservation occurred at Wilson's Hall near Chiloquin, when Robert Wilson and Emma Jackson were married. Rev. Worrell performed the ceremony. After the ceremony, a dance was held in honor of the couple and the visitors.

Mr. Wilson is one of the best known and respected young men on the Reservation. His wife is also a favorite here. She has graduated from two fine Indian training schools with high standings.

After the wedding, Dr. William Rader of San Francisco made a touching speech that proved highly interesting to all of the Indians. They hope he can return often to address them.

In addition to the Rader party, there were parties from Portland and altogether there assembled in Wilson's hall, about 300 people. The hall will hold more than 500.

P. C. Griffin was a visitor at the Reservation from Klamath Falls last week.

Ralph Tice is fast recovering from the injuries he received at the logging camp near Wood river, when the log wagon turned with him.

There was a cloudburst Friday between Utter & Burns' sawmill and Crater Lake. There was no damage to speak of, as the force of the storm broke in the woods.

Haying is rather late this year. Those who started in met hard luck, as it rained hard enough to soak all the hay that was cut.

It rained all day Thursday without letting up, but Friday, it cleared up. An Indian team was drowned at Fort Klamath Friday. The horses became frightened and ran into the River. The driver, Deal Chiloquin saved himself by jumping as the team went into the water. One of the horses was recovered, but the other has not been found. They were separated during their struggle in the water.

BODY OF YOUTH DROWNED NEAR KENO IS RECOVERED

The body of an unknown young man who was drowned in the Klamath River two weeks ago when trying to cross the rapids at Keno with a light skiff, was found Sunday morning near the old Chase ranch. This is five miles below the place where the man was last seen.

At the place where the remains were found, the rapids end in an eddy and the force of the current had thrown the floating corpse across two anchored logs, leaving the body half exposed. The body was in a bad state of decomposition, and it had evidently been on the logs the greater part of the time.

The ghastly find was made yesterday morning by Jean Spencer while looking for some horses. Coroner Whitlock was summoned, and the

body was taken to Keno for interment.

The clothing had been badly worn, and there could be found nothing to serve as a means of identification.

The youth's death occurred July 12 just after he had been promised a position with Kern Brothers at their power plant. He was on the way back to the hotel at Keno to remain until Monday, and deciding that it was too far to go around to the bridge, he put off in a skiff to cross the Klamath River. The current caught him and carried him into the rapids.

CRATER LAKE ROAD

UNHURT BY STORM

"Between Crater Lake and the glimpses of Upper Klamath Lake as seen on the way to Klamath Falls, the scenery of the Klamath country is something to be long remembered," said H. Lubkert, a San Franciscan, who is here for a short visit.

Lubkert, traveling in a "six-38" Locomobile, left San Francisco July 1st, and ran to Vancouver, B. C. Returning to Portland, he shipped his car to The Dalles, and made the trip south via Shaniko and Crescent. In all, he has covered 2,125 miles since the 1st of July, his running time being 127 hours.

"We went from Crescent to Chiloquin, and from there to Crater Lake," he continued. "Our car went over the road forty-eight hours after the cloudburst in the Crater Lake country, but we had no difficulty in getting to the rim, the only inconvenience being a few mudholes."

HOMESTEADER IS

THOUGHT INSANE

Because he has been acting in a queer manner of late, friends of Fred Holzer fear that he is mentally unbalanced. He was taken into custody today by the authorities, and will be examined for his sanity late today or tomorrow morning.

Holzer has a homestead in Antelope Valley. He has been staying at the Neubert ranch for a short time, and this morning he walked to Klamath Falls.

County Judge Will S. Worden and family have gone to Fort Klamath to remain until Monday.

WEYERHAUSER CO. MANAGER IS DUE

GEORGE S. LONG, THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE TIMBER CONCERN, WILL ARRIVE FRIDAY FROM TACOMA, WASH.

George S. Long, general manager of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company, the largest timber concern in the United States, will arrive from Tacoma Friday with his family for several weeks visit in Klamath county.

The Weyerhaeuser company owns approximately 300,000 acres of timber in this section, and while here Mr. Long will inspect the property of his company. This trip of Mr. Long's, however, is not purely a business one, as Mr. Long has selected Klamath county in which to spend a portion of his summer vacation. With his family he will visit Crater Lake and other scenic attractions of this section. George Long Jr., who has just finished school, is spending the summer in Klamath county. He has been here several weeks, and is serving as a member of the fire patrol, which is protecting the timber of the county from forest fires.

J. B. Porter and E. W. Johnson of Corvallis are here with a view to locating.

H. J. Lester, a well known Klamath Valley rancher, is here for the day.

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