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FIGHTING MAN CAUSED FIRES

Ranger Angell, of North Powder, Explains Why "Forest Protection" Week Is Stressed.

"The aim of forest protection week is to eliminate the man-caused fires," says Ranger Angell of North Powder. "That is, fires in the timber not caused by lightning. Out of a total of 1422 forest fires in Oregon last year, approximately 70 per cent were man-caused, of this number 352 were started from cigarettes, cigars, pipes, and matches carelessly tossed in the woods. Other man-caused fires were from railroads, logging and from clearing land."

Co-operation in forest protection is asked of all campers, hunters and others who use the forests.

Oregon has approximately 470 billion board feet of timber, the largest of any state in the union.

There are a little over 19 million acres of virgin timber of which eight million are in private ownership, 28,000 acres state owned and 11 million acres in the national forests and parks.

Oregon is second among the states in the production of lumber. The cut fall products is 2,500,000,000 feet board measure. The value of the products is $100,000,000. There are 655 sawmills with 15,000 men employed. This is 65 per cent of the industrial payroll of the state.

The total expenditures of all forest protective agencies, federal, state and private in Oregon have reached the enormous sum of $150,000 annually in the prevention and suppression of forest fires. A reduction in the number of man-caused fires will materially reduce this amount.

Meacham Woman Has a New Type of Chickens

MEACHAM, (Special)—Mrs. W. B. Ross of this place is a raiser of chickens and is now feeding a most peculiar strain. They are called Turkens and are very good layers. She expects to have some little chicks of this variety soon as some of the hens are now setting.

Mrs. Guy Nordan of Kamela, has been visiting her mother here for a few days and expects to stay indefinitely if she can induce her husband to join her.

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Copy for this column must be in by 9:00 a. m.

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Section Three of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid will hold a cooked food sale at the La Grande Electric Company store Saturday, April 26, beginning at 10 a. m. 4-24-2t

If you want something very nice in the latest and best stationery in boxes or in bulk or by the pound, we will be pleased to show you just what you may want, at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 4-21-2t

Card of Thanks.
We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during our recent bereavement of our husband and father; also for the beautiful floral offerings.
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Bengy,
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House,
B. W. House,
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Arnold,
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shafer,
Mr. and Mrs. Fred House,
Mr. and Mrs. A. Doolin.
4-24-1tp

Cut Flower Sale.
Owing to the warm bright days flowers are coming on very fast. Many florists throw away their surplus rather than give the public the benefit of lower prices. We do not believe in this policy, so shall sell these flowers Thursday, Friday and Saturday while they last at half price. This is below the cost of production.
Roses, $1.00 and $1.50 dozen.
Carnations, 75c dozen.
Snapdragons, $1.00 dozen.
Tulips, 50c dozen.
Daffodils, 40c dozen.
CHERRYS FLORISTS.
4-22-3t

Notice To Picture Takers.
The bright days have come—ones which are best for kodaking. If you do not get good pictures with your kodak, have Richardson, "The Art Man" show you about your kodak. Have your good negatives enlarged and tinted. Have Richardson do your picture work at the Richardson Art & Gift Shop. 4-21-6t

Your prescription will be promptly filled from the best materials made and delivered promptly to your home without extra cost for delivery by Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 4-15-tf

Rent, sell and repair all makes sewing machines. Ask about free dressmaking course. White Sewing Machine Co., New Foley Bldg. 583-W. 12-21-tf

The finest sherbet you can possibly demand is just what we offer you at our soda fountain. Always two kinds of flavors, also ice cream in brick, and ice cream in bulk, at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. Open every day and night of the week. 4-24-2t

Cut Flower Sale.
Will the public buy cut flowers when we will sell them at less than the cost of production? We want to find out. The bright, warm days at this time of the year means a big loss to us. The public gets the benefit. That's the whole story. Remember, Thursday, Friday and Saturday these flowers are on sale. Cherrys Florists. 4-22-3t

L. DENHAM
Of Elgin, announces his candidacy to the office of District Attorney on the Republican ticket. Subject to the primary election. 4-12-20t

The State of Oregon will supply you with hunting license at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 4-24-2t

Rexall Orderlies, the pleasant laxative. Glass Drugs. 4-15-6t

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Your broken windshields and side glasses quickly and correctly refitted with best Belgium polished plate glass, sizes to fit all makes of cars, at the Richardson Art & Gift Shop. 4-21-6t

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9-11-1m

Cut Flower Sale.
Three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. All flowers at half the regular prices. Cherrys Florists. 4-22-3t

Fishing license and hunting license, and all fishing equipment. You will remember that Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store can supply you every day in the week, early and late. 4-24-2t

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Call for Bids.
Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Improvement District number 131, within the city of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of said improvement, now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications, which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful, and returns same to this office.

Bids will be received to the hour of seven-thirty p. m. April 30th 1924, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande, Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of ten per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of contract if awarded. Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Commission April 18th, 1924.

J. E. STEARNS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.
Apr. 18-10t

Notice of Special Election.
Notice is hereby given to all concerned that there has been duly called by the Commission of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and will be held in the City of La Grande, on Thursday, the 1st day of May, 1924, a special election by the legal electors of said City, at which election there will be submitted to such electors to be voted upon by them the following questions, to-wit:

"Shall the Commission of the City of La Grande be Authorized to issue and negotiate negotiable coupon bonds of the City in the sum of $20,000.00, to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, to be paid, principal and interest, in United States Gold Coin at the City of La Grande, Oregon, or at the fiscal agency of the State of Oregon in New York City, to run for a period of twenty years from date, to be redeemed and paid at any time after ten years at the option of the City, to be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars each, or any multiple thereof up to one thousand dollars each, for the purpose of obtaining the requisite funds with which to acquire well site, drill deep well, acquire and sink casing therein, and for acquiring site of water and water rights of and from Mentzer Springs near Summerville, Oregon, for the purpose of enlarging and adding to the present water supply of the City of La Grande, Oregon, in accordance with the estimate filed with the Recorder of the City on the 8th day of April 1924, by the City Engineer."

The voting polls will open at eight o'clock A. M., and close at eight o'clock P. M.

The voting places and judges and clerks of election are as follows:

Precinct No. 1.
Voting place: Frank Chevalier's residence at 502 Third Street. Judges: L. H. Russell, Chairman and Carrie Cloninger. Clerks: May L. Moran, Bernice Bolton and Edna W. Rohan.

Precinct No. 2.
Voting place: City Hall, 102 Fifth Street. Judges: J. S. Arnold, Chairman and C. Wilson. Clerks: Donzella Melville, Myra K. Wilson and May Andrews.

Precinct No. 3.
Voting place: 2007 Second Street. Judges: J. A. McCarthy, Chairman and Willard A. Moss. Clerks: Nora de Porch, Mollie Moss and Pearl F. Harrison.

Precinct No. 4.
Voting place: Lane Chapel. Judges: J. H. Blumenstein, Chairman and Louise Hilbery. Clerks: Edith K. Williams, Florence Thomas Parks and Rose N. McEwen.

Precinct No. 7.
Voting place: "XXI" Store, 1007 Jefferson. Judges: James Moss, Chairman and Ina Moore. Clerks: Mildred Davis, Ethel M. Lawrence and Faye R. Brown.

Precinct No. 8.
Voting place: Court House. Judges: Cora Lane, Chairman and Lucy C. Stansfield. Clerks: Zoe Clapp, Jennie M. Caldwell and Helen Knight.

Precinct No. 9.
Voting place: Presbyterian Church, 1210 Washington. Judges: H. J. Ritter, Chairman and E. C. Herzinger. Clerks: W. C. Ross, Lizzie Meyersick and Kathleen McKay.

Precinct No. 10.
Voting place: Methodist church, 1412 Fourth Street. Judges: Mrs. E. T. Andrews, Chairman and Marie Jackson. Clerks: Girlie Mehrnis, Marguerite Cooper and Miss Margaret Anson.

Precinct No. 11.
Voting place: Carl Gaines's residence, 1004 Third Street. Judges: Gracia Hesse, Chairman and Ione Bellamy. Clerks: Sonia A. Moss, Agnes L. Claycomb and Nellie G. Williams.

Precinct No. 12.
Voting place: Barrett Hall, 1002 Fir Street. Judges: W. H. Gray, Chairman and J. R. Gentlemen. Clerks: Etta M. Traynor, Rebecca Kochensparger and Hollie Wall.

Precinct No. 13.
Voting place: A. M. Brown's Paint Shop, 1517 Y Ave. Judges: Perry Doty, Chairman and Wm. Schaeffer. Clerks: V. E. Burnell, Ben Baker and Everett Rachen.

All qualified voters of the said City will be permitted to vote at said election.

By order of the Commission of the City of La Grande, Oregon, dated April 18th, 1924.

J. E. STEARNS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.
Apr. 18-10t.

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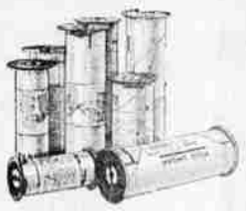

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