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# THE LEADER

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## Making Room for New Spring Goods

We are going over our stock making inventory and find that it will be necessary for us to reduce several lines to make room for new spring goods now on the road. Toward this end we are offering these goods at reduced prices—and when we lower our regular price the careful buyers know that it means

### ROCK BOTTOM PRICES for DEPENDABLE GOODS

These reductions are all on new, clean, bright goods—not shelfworn remnants—but we need the room they fill, and can show you many better values than you can get elsewhere



### See Our 5 CENT BARGAIN COUNTER

We have placed upon it numerous useful little articles which usually sell at 10c. Everything on this counter, each 5c

**I. MICHEL, - Prineville, Oregon**

## Chamberlain Elected Senator

George E. Chamberlain was elected U. S. Senator from Oregon on the first ballot in the legislature at Salem last Tuesday. The details of the vote have not been received in Prineville at the time we go to press.

After all the great to-do about the Statement One members breaking their pledges the opposition to Chamberlain's election proved powerless when the test came, and the result is only in conformity with what reasonable men might expect. It would doubtless please lots of us republicans better to have a republican senator, but it might also make us wonder if we wanted to claim membership in a party represented by men who lightly held their ante-election pledges and refused to come through in voting for the popular choice for senator. There are things that would hurt Oregon more than to elect Chamberlain senator, although it's a hard dose for a republican state.

## School Children Number 2160

According to the school census for Crook county taken November 25, 1908, there are 2084 children of school age, with the enumeration from two districts missing. These two districts have a combined enumeration of about 76, which added to 2084, makes the total close to 2160.

The total school enumeration for this county in 1907 was 2089, the increase this year showing at least a healthy growth. County Superintendent Ford supplies the following list:

No. 1—Prineville	207
" 2—Lower Rye Grass	15
" 3—Johnson Creek	24
" 4—Mill Creek	21
" 5—Howard	22
" 6—Upper McKay	20

" 7—Lower McKay	46
" 8—Powell Buttes	19
" 9—Sisters	No report
" 10—Culver	25
" 11—Grizzly	63
" 12—Beard	203
" 13—Mountain View	45
" 14—Killingbeck	35
" 16—Mud Springs	47
" 17—Fairview	13
" 18—Crooked River	34
" 19—Ashwood	28
" 20—Reams	9
" 21—Breeson	2
" 22—Madras	139
" 23—Summit Prairie	14
" 24—Maury	13
" 25—Post	25
" 26—Red Rock	33
" 27—Beaver	18
" 28—Blizzard Ridge	11
" 29—Gray Buttes	26
" 30—Buck Creek	22
" 31—Allen	2
" 32—Nye	15
" 33—Cross Keys	19
" 34—Haycock	16
" 35—Bear Creek	17
" 36—Upper Rye Grass	13
" 37—Warnspring	23
" 38—Alkali Flat	8
" 39—Trail Crossing	16
" 40—Lansford	27
" 41—Lanonta	45
" 42—Cloverdale	24
" 43—Ochoco	8
" 44—Dianey	17
" 45—Cline Falls	24
" 46—Axe Handle	No report
" 47—Methodist Hill	28
" 48—Laidlaw	57
" 49—Shepherd	32
" 50—Paulina Valley	16
" 51—Huston	13
" 52—Paulina	13
" 53—Opal Prairie	19
" 54—Redmond	48
" 55—Vibbert	38
" 56—Plainview	19
" 57—Lansom	24
" 58—Lone Pine	20
" 59—Bayley	23
" 60—Forked Horn	30
" 61—Sears	12
" 62—Round Butte	20
" 63—Youngs	24
" 64—Willow Creek	21
" 65—Tetherow Butte	16
" 66—Guerin	12
" 67—Reynolds	22

## Trail Followed by Captain Fremont

Kirk Whited was over from Redmond Tuesday. While in Prineville he paid the Journal office a visit in the hope of awakening an interest in old historic landmarks of Crook county. Mr. Whited is in possession of information in regard to portions of the so-called "Fremont Trail," the route followed by Capt. J. C. Fremont in the winter of 1843-4 when going from The Dalles to the California frontier. Mr. Whited thinks that if persons interested could be brought together some concerted

## Redmond News.

Redmond, Ore. Jan. 17. The Lamb Feed Co. will soon be handling a full line of field, farm, grass and clover seeds, and garden seeds probably also. They have a shipment of nearly two tons now on the way and will aim to carry a complete line. The trade in feed has been better than was expected and the same will probably be true of seeds.

W. L. Ogden is out again after being confined to the house for nearly two weeks.

Installation of officers at M. W. of A. hall last night brought out

the best attendance for six months. It is good to see a good turnout.

Neighbor Sroufe came by on the evening singe and says he is getting better of his recent attack of the grip, but does not think he will drive stage again for ten days.

Mr. Muma got in Friday night from the longest trip he has yet made to Shaniko, being gone eighteen days. A good deal of the time he was held up at Madras by the storm.

Kirk Whited is again at Redmond after quite an extended stay at Laidlaw. He will superintend building operations on his lots in town and make further improvements at the farm.

It is not always easy to pass up a good piece of news just because the promoters do not think the time is yet ripe to publish. That has been our policy though we have had confidential news. If two or three present pieces leak out by some other route we shall almost feel that it does not pay to be so obliging. Now watch folks guess what's up.

Mr. Martin left recently for his home in North Dakota after an extended visit here.

Mr. Lilly was unable to keep his regular appointment at Laidlaw last Sunday owing to a combination of bad roads and severe weather.

Meetings being held by Mr. Lowther still continue, we understand with encouraging results. E. C. PARK.

## Ten Days Hard Winter Weather

Winter's worst week, or ten days of bad weather, extending from the 5th to the 15th of this January, is now a thing of the past and while the snow was neither so deep as once or twice in former years nor the cold quite so intense, everybody, even "the oldest inhabitant," agrees that the winter of 1909 will go down into history as the second most severe period of weather in the annals of central Oregon.

There was more snow in 1879, some three or four feet on the level as compared with 22 inches this time, and it has been colder, down around 30 and 40 several times at rare intervals, but excepting only the fearful "double winter" of January, 1888, 21 years ago, nothing approaching the severity of the late cold snap has ever before been experienced here.

What made the ten-day period this January so hard to bear was the coming of the snow and the extreme cold, 29 below in Prineville, at the same time. Had the snow come with the temperature above zero, or had the mercury dropped into the bulb without any snow, the weather would have been bearable. As it was, nine out of every ten persons suffered, and the tenth person was a thousand miles away.

Last Thursday ushered in a chinook, which at once got busy in its winter task of melting the

snow. Usually, a chinook wind will cut away a pretty good-sized snowfall in 24 hours, but not so this time, as the snow was both deep and firm. A week after the warm wind came this way from the warm Pacific some snow still remained and there has been another chinook during the interim. The Ochoco and other streams raised perceptibly but no stream so far as known attained a freshet stage.

Gentle showers of rain in the lower altitudes, with occasional flurries of snow in the higher regions of the county, have alternated during the past week with bright sunshine and warm south and west winds.

Although Prineville suffered from the cold, nearby places ex-

# Watch This Space for Announcement Next Week

## Lively-Jordan-Lanius Co.

perceived much more intense weather. The Madras Pioneer reports a maximum temperature of 46 degrees below zero, probably the coldest ever recorded in Oregon except on mountain tops. The Pioneer says:

"The weather dispenser surely pushed the button for weather that was meant for the Arctie regions Saturday night, and thereby sprung a surprise on even the old timers in this section. The snow of last week ceased falling on Friday, up to which time about 16 to 18 inches had fallen, and it has packed so there is now about 12 or 14 inches. The temperature Saturday registered 5 or 6 below zero, but Saturday night it commenced lowering rapidly. Madras residents were decidedly surprised when told that the thermometers

in town registered 37 below zero, as during the night the weather had not appeared so disagreeable. Sunday the mercury hovered about and below zero all day, and in the evening it was evident that it would be extremely cold that night. Upon an investigation next morning at 6 o'clock thermometers registered at 37 and 38 below. Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock it was 40 below. It is reported that Monday morning at 3:30 o'clock it was 40 degrees below zero and Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock it was 46 below, but these temperatures are so very much out of proportion to the climate experienced in this section heretofore that it is difficult to believe that the weather was so cold, although three thermometers, each of a different kind, registered the temperature within one degree of each other."

# "La Vogue"

## Ladies' Coats and Tailor Suits

In the latest shades of Greens, Blues, Grays and Browns—coats in sizes for Misses also. These garments are perfectly made of beautiful materials, and are the very latest styles

Coat prices from \$7.50 to \$25.00

Suit prices from \$18.50 to \$25.00

## NEW BEAR SKIN COATS

for Misses and Children—in White, Grays, Browns and Reds. We also have them in Plush and Melton. Swell coats that make one feel and look comfortable

Prices range from \$2.50 Upwards

JUST A WORD about our new line of Men's Tailored Clothing—made by the Brandegee Kincaid & Wood Co. Our new line is in, and their equal in value, style fit and finish has never before been offered in Prineville at so modest a price. We can save you money on your new suit

## Clifton & Cornett

THE BRICK STORE  
Prineville, Oregon.

# REMOVED

We are now doing business in our new quarters where we will be pleased to meet all new as well as old customers. Thanking you for past favors and hoping to merit a continuance of the same, we remain, respectfully,

## THE WINNEK COMPANY

# ... ANNUAL ... FIREMEN'S BALL

## February 12 AT POINDEXTER'S RINK

Canvas Floor. Refreshments will be served in the hall. Music by Morgan's Orchestra until 12:30, Demaris's orchestra from that hour on. An all night dance.

### EVERYBODY INVITED

Tickets . . . . \$1.00