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75 CENTS BUSHEL PAID FOR WHEAT

This Year's Crop is of Good Quality.

RETAIL PRICES ON LOCAL

Food Products — Will Soon be Able to Grind Without the Aid of Steam.

The Prineville Flouring Mills are busy receiving grain. Wheat is coming in at the rate of several hundred bushels a day. The quality is good.

Most of the wheat that has been received to date has been hauled from the Lamonta and Powell Butte districts, with a few loads from Culver.

There were some 7000 bushels of old wheat on hand at the opening of the season at the Prineville mills.

The present price of wheat at the local mills is 75 cents while the track prices of wheat in the Portland market is from 80 cents to 85 cents.

The retail price of flour in the market here is \$5.75 while the

Portland prices range from \$4.95 to \$5.35 for the same product.

The Prineville Flouring Mills are paying \$1.50 per hundredweight, for barley, \$2 for oats. The market price for rye will be \$1 per hundredweight, but none has been offered as yet.

The same grain sells in the Portland market at present at \$1.10 for barley and \$1.37 1/4 for oats.

Products of the mill are selling as follows: Middlings \$25 per ton; bran and shorts \$20 per ton; rolled barley at \$28 per ton.

Besides wheat flour, there are whole wheat flour, graham flour, corn meal; which sells at \$3.50 per hundredweight, and the standard breakfast food, Germ Grits, retails at 40 cents package of 10 pound.

Preparations are under way to get out a good quality of rye flour which will soon be placed on the market.

The water supply in the river is coming up and about half of the power at present is furnished in that manner, the remainder being supplied by the new steam plant.

The farmers in the vicinity of Lamonta and Culver have talked some of holding their wheat until the railroad is completed into the county, but a comparison of the local prices with the outside market would indicate that this would indicate that this would be purely a matter of speculation.

The present force at the mills, which are running full time, consists of D. F. Stewart and J. W. Carleon, proprietors, Dale Jones, Dan K. Zuck and P. B. Doak.

CLEAN UP YOUR PREMISES

If You Would Avoid Trouble.

NEXT MONDAY IS THE LIMIT

Then if You Do Not Get Busy the City Officials will Get After You.

Have you cut the weeds and otherwise "cleaned up" your premises and also the streets and alleys adjoining your property. If not you had better get busy for Monday morning the city officials propose to take a hand in assisting the property holders who are too busy to attend to their own affairs. This assistance will be expensive.

Some time ago notice was served on the property owners of the city to cut all weeds in the streets and alleys and on vacant lots owned by them. Notice was served by publication and that should have been sufficient to result in not only the destruction of all weeds, but the general cleaning up of the streets and alleys.

On October 18 there will be opened one of the best fairs interior Oregon has ever seen, and Prineville will have more visitors than at any previous time.

For this occasion our business men should pride themselves on the appearance of clean streets and alleys. Considering the fact that no heed has been paid to the request of the city marshal, Recorder Breese held a long conference with City Attorney T. E. J. Duffy yesterday morning. At the close of this discussion, Recorder Breese announced that all property owners who had not complied with the notice, or at least made a reasonable attempt to recognize the law in this regard, will be proceeded against in the recorder's court.

A reasonable time will be allowed for the delinquents to get busy, but Monday morning of next week is the time the city intends to begin legal action.

In this matter of cleaning up the town, the officers state that no preference will be shown, and the large property holder as well as the "little fish" will be treated alike. Both will be required to clean up their premises if they have neglected to do so.

Dr. Marsh Coming.

Dr. J. E. Marsh, D. C., will be in Prineville between the 10th and 15th of October, to treat all cases of acute and chronic diseases. Rooms 16 and 17, Adamson block. 9-29-22

PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

State Vote Not All In Yet.

OFFICIAL RETURNS FOR THIS

County — A Very Light Vote Cast in the Different Precincts.

The state returns for the primary election held last Saturday show a decisive victory for almost every insurgent, anti-assembly or progressive candidate in the field, with a defeat for the old line politicians who were nominated by the state and county assemblies.

Jay Bowerman, who heads the republican ticket for governor, and F. W. Benson, candidate for secretary of state, both holding the offices to which they aspire were nominated.

Bowerman will be nominated by a lead of about 700 votes, with Dimick second, and Hefler a very bad third, Abraham fourth.

In the second congressional district, of which this county is a part, A. W. Lafferty, the insurgent candidate, leads his nearest opponents by a margin of almost fifty per cent, or a total of some 3000 votes. The lead shown by Mr. Lafferty is the largest claimed by any candidate except Benson.

Returns at this time indicate that Reed leads Ellis, but the complete count from the eastern Oregon counties may change the order, giving Ellis second place and Lafferty first.

For Secretary of State, F. W. Benson leads his opponent, G. Wingate, by a plurality of over 4000 votes.

For State Treasurer, Ralph W. Hoyt leads T. B. Kay by a plural of 12,000 votes.

For Justices of the Supreme court, Thomas A. McBride and Henry J. Bean are safely nominated for the four-year term, while George H. Burnett and Frank A. Moore are nominated for the six-year term, there being no opposition to these two candidates.

Present incumbent, A. M. Crawford, is nominated for attorney general by a wide margin, and Willis S. Duniway was nominated for state printer to succeed himself. L. R. Alderman, candidate for state superintendent of schools, and John H. Lewis, candidate for state engineer, are nominated, there being no opposition to either of them.

Superintendent of Water Division No. 1 was won by James T. Chianock, and the nomination for the office of Labor Commissioner is claimed by G. M. Orton, while present incumbent O. P. Hoff claims that the official count will throw the decision to him.

On the democratic ticket Oswald West was nominated for governor and there are already rumors that he may repeat the record of Chamberlain in the matter of the general election.

For Circuit Judge, W. L. Bradshaw of The Dalles was nominated on the democratic ticket, and Samuel W. Stark of Hood River on the republican ticket.

Locally very little interest was taken in the election and as a result a very light vote was cast.

The official count for the republican ticket of Crook County shows the following totals for the state and district offices:

Representative in Congress, Ellis, 212; Lafferty, 219; Reed, 118. For Governor, Abraham, 133; Bowerman, 179; Dimick, 142; Hofer, 86; and West, (democratic candidate), 1.

For Secretary of State, Benson, 405; Wingate 174.

For State Treasurer, Hoyt 251; Kay 333.

For Justices of the Supreme Court, Bean, 443; McBride, 284; McCamant, 124; Burnett, 381;

Moore, 374; Slater, 27 and King, 29. For Attorney General, Crawford, 355; Hart, 193.

For State Superintendent of Schools, Alderman, 445.

For State Printer, Clarke, 269; Duniway, 338.

For Labor Commissioner Hoff, 284; Orton, 238.

For Railroad Commissioner, Miller, 412.

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For State Engineer, John Lewis, 494.

For Water Commissioner, Coehron, 459.

For Circuit Judge, Stark, 467, and Bradshaw, (Dem.) 8.

For State representative, Belknap, 442; Thompson, 154.

The official count for the democratic ticket for Crook county shows the following totals:

Secretary of State, Turner Oliver, 170.

Justice Supreme Court, Slater, 175, King 177.

State Printer, Godfrey, 122, Taylor, 63.

Railroad Commissioner, Hugh McLain, 118.

Circuit Judge, W. L. Bradshaw, 170.

Governor, Jefferson Myers, 67; Oswald West, 124.

Scattering votes on the democratic ticket for republican candidates give Rice and Young, each 12 for county surveyor; Rush, 5 for commissioner and Bayley 12 for the same office, and Elkins 7 for sheriff, while Hodges polled 2 for the same office.

On the republican ticket there being no candidate for clerk, Bro. Riddle of the Madras Pioneer seemed to be about the place of starting and ran about half way around the track before he was stopped. He received in Prineville, Madras and Kutcher, 53 votes, while Warren Brown, the democratic candidate received scattering votes from all over the county giving him a total of 137 votes on the republican ticket, thus making him the nominee for both parties.

W. F. King received 25 votes for treasurer regardless of his protests.

County Official Vote.

The poll in Crook county was unusually light, only 853 votes were cast out of 1800 registered. Of the total 205 were democrats and 648 republicans.

The total vote received by the different candidates are as follows:

Coulter 175, Elkins 327, Hodges 81, Triplett 65, Bailey 341, Roush 232, Rice 411, Young 188, Riddle [for Clerk] 53, Jordan 253, [republican votes], Hyde 162, Brown 137 [republican votes], King, for treasurer, 25.

The Democratic totals are: Balfour 106, Edwards 99, Brown 205, Hyde 42, and Jordan 60.

The three candidates who received votes on both tickets have a grand total of Brown 342, Jordan 313, and Hyde 204. These three men will have the honor of being candidates of both parties and none of them will have opposition in the November election.

Vote by Precincts.

Prineville—Coulter 32, Elkins 54, Hodges 13, Triplett 1, Bailey 43, Roush 43, Rice 79, Young 15, Riddle 24, Jordan 79, Hyde 83, Brown 32, Democratic—Balfour 30, Edwards 18, Brown 47, Hyde 29, Jordan 28.

Ireland—Elkins 5, Hodges 1, Triplett 1, Bailey 4, Roush 1, Rice 4, Young 3, Brown 3. Dem. no votes.

Beud—Elkins 42, Triplett 29, Bailey 58, Roush 4, Rice 6, Young 66, Jordan 24, Hyde 5, Brown 9. Dem.—Balfour 7, Edwards 11, Brown 18, Jordan 3, Montgomery—Coulter 2, Elkins 2, Hodges 1, Triplett 1, Bailey 7, Roush 1, Rice 8, Jordan 5, Hyde 2, Brown 3. Dem. Balfour 2, Brown 3, Hyde 1, Jordan 2.

Black Butte—Coulter 6, Elkins 13, Hodges 2, Triplett 1, Bayley 20, Roush 2, Rice 17, Young 3, Jordan 2, Hyde 1, Brown 1; Dem., Balfour 5, Edwards 7, Brown 11.

Hay Stack—Coulter 11, Elkins 5, Hodges 4, Triplett 3, Bailey 6, Roush 14, Rice 17, Young 4, Jordan 13, Hyde 5, Brown 7; Dem. Balfour 3, Edwards 2, Brown 5.

McKay—Coulter 6, Elkins 4, Hodges 2, Bailey 7, Roush 4, Rice 10, Young 2, Jordan 12, Hyde 12, Brown 7. Dem.—Balfour 1, Brown 1, Hyde 1, Jordan 1.

Hay Creek—Coulter 1, Elkins 13, Continued on inside page.

CENTRAL OREGON FAIR ASSOCIATION

To be Held at Prineville Oct. 18 to 22.

"SCHOOL DAY" OCTOBER 21

Every School in the County Should Be Represented.

The Central Oregon Fair which will open on October 18, will be the biggest and best fair ever seen in the interior.

The number of agricultural exhibits will be larger than ever.

Tillman Reuter, who is now at the Dry Farming Congress in Spokane with a complete exhibit of dry farm products, has a big lot of fine products that will be shown here, and a number of good samples of grain have been collected by the Commercial Club that will make a good display.

A new building has been erected on the grounds to house the school exhibits this year, and almost every school in the county will contest for some of the premiums offered.

In his letter to the teachers' of the county covering the fair situation, Superintendent Ford said: "Friday, October 21st will be 'School Day' at the fair and all pupils will be admitted free on 'School Day.' Begin now to plan to attend. Be in your seat at roll call, Wednesday morning, 9:30. Work up your school exhibit and bring it with you. Talk it with your pupils and people and urge them all to come to the fair on 'School Day.' You will be surprised at what this will do for your school. Do not fail at this point. A new building has been provided by the County Court for the school exhibit and donated to public schools of Crook county. Make your exhibit attractive. Strive to win all the prizes you can for your school. We emphasize these things because 'School Day' is in connection with the Institute. Make a special effort to have your school represented in the Industrial as well as the Educational exhibit. Many boys and girls can be interested in the public school on this line that are now indifferent. Programmes and announcement booklets will be sent to you. Do not wait till day of opening of institute to arrange for your board and lodging. Do it now.

The law requires all teachers to attend the Annual Institute. No public school in the county can be legally in session during the institute. Teachers certificates may be revoked for non-attendance. Do not ask to be excused. Come for a good time, expect a good time and you will have a good time. We shall look for you."

School day at the fair will be the big day, and the matter of entertainment for the forenoon of that day is receiving much attention.

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The C. W. Elkins Co.

Store News

New Fall Millinery Opening during this week. Showing the accepted styles in imported Pattern Hats. Our hats are well made. Prices Reasonable. Millinery re-modeled and trimmed in short order.

Boy's School Suit Sale

During this and next week every Boy's Suit in our store at exactly 1-3 less than regular price—applies to ages 3 to 20 and in both Knickerbocker and Long Pant Suits. Mothers—Save a few dollars by a visit to our suit department.

Special prices on School Suitings for Girls during this and next week. See our table of Dress Goods marked down for this occasion.

Saving on School Shoes—Oxfords and Ladies Shoes, Childrens Shoes, Boys Shoes. See display on our Shoe Counter.

Grocery Savings

15 pound Small White Beans	\$ 1 00
15 pound Pink Beans	1 00
15 pound Bayo Beans	1 00
Large Can Best Asparagus	30c
One half Gal. Maple Syrup	65c

Ladies—We now have the Celebrated Nemo Corsets—Best Styles.

Read our ad each week, notice the "Savings." If you are not a regular customer, give us an opportunity to prove to you that our goods are the best in town for the price asked. Best of satisfaction guaranteed.

Next week we will give the count of votes already received for the Piano Contest.

This elegant \$350.00 piano is the equal of any \$500.00 piano shown by any coast piano house and will be given away absolutely free two days previous to Thanksgiving day of this year, to the person, society, school or organization returning to us the largest number of votes given out by our store.

The Brown Shoe Co's.



BUSTER BROWN BLUE RIBBON SHOES For Girls, Misses and Children

One vote is given for every cent's worth purchased. However with all purchases of jewelry, 10 votes for one cent purchased.

Any one is entitled to enter the race for the Piano.

Be Sure and Get Your Votes With Every Purchase.



THE NEW NEMO LASTING CORSET No 330

The C. W. Elkins Co.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
No Alum, No Lime Phosphate