

## Man Drowned at Boegli's Place

An Italian by the name of Powell, who was working at the railroad camp just above William Boegli's place, fell off the foot bridge that spans Crooked river at that point Monday afternoon and was drowned. At least people think he was drowned for the reason that his hat was found under the bridge. There is a wire railing on one side of the bridge and a rope on the other for the safety of passengers, but it is just possible that he missed his footing and fell into the icy current below. There are a few that think the man let with foul play. Sheriff Balfour was notified Tuesday and Deputy Sheriff Hahn of Metolius was sent to look into the matter. About 40 men are now engaged in hunting for the body.

## Stanton Black Has Ribs Broken

Stanton Black of Ashwood got a bad jolt from his horse a couple of weeks ago but thought nothing more about it until last Thursday when his condition became so bad that a doctor was summoned. It was found that some of Mr. Black's ribs were dislocated. He was riding after some horses when the animal he was on stepped into a badger hole and threw him. He wasn't going fast but the fall was hard enough to knock in some ribs. He will be confined in bed a couple of weeks.

## Lots of Snow Mercury Takes Fall

Fourteen and one-half inches of snow fell between Friday and Monday, January 5 and 8. There was a fall of 2 1/2 inches Friday, 4 1/2 Saturday, 5 1/2 Sunday and 2 inches on Monday. City Marshal Coon got a horse and snowplow and removed it from the sidewalks in the central part of town to the great relief of pedestrians. Last year during the same period two inches of snow fell. The coldest night this year was Sunday, January 7. The mercury in the government thermometer dropped to 16 below zero. The cold spell did not last long. No local suffering or damage is reported.

## Tax Rate in Incorporated Towns

Crook county has four incorporated towns that pay taxes as follows:

	Equalized by Co Bd	Special Schl Tx	City Tx
Prineville	2033.60	3050.44	1069.65
Madras	1128.55	1015.68	621.51
Bend	2160.50	3888.90	1528.96
Redmond	1162.80	1395.36	1125.15

This does not include the county and state tax

## Get Busy.

To My Friends: Do not delay sending in your votes. So many have promised and the time is getting short. Send to me or the Journal office, Urgently. I-11 Mrs. VIRA CYRUS.

## Slipped One Over on Their Friends

William Morse and Miss Lotta Smith were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents in Prineville. Rev. Williams of the M. E. Church, officiated.

The young couple slipped one over on their friends. The wedding was formally announced to take place this evening but the bridegroom got wind of a plot to give him a prolonged sleighride in the country and so anticipated the happy event by one day.

The bride is the only daughter of Colonel F. Smith, a wealthy pioneer of Crook county. The groom is the popular young bookkeeper of C. W. Elkins. The young couple have hosts of friends that join with the Journal in wishing them the best of weather during their matrimonial voyage.

The school census gives a total of 3015 persons of school age residing in Crook county. Male, 1547; female, 1468. The total for 1910 was 2424, a gain for 1911 of 591.

A. H. Lippman & Co. calls your attention that all lots in Union cemetery not paid for must be settled for before Jan. 1, 1912. 12-21

## List Your House With Me.

I will rent your house and collect the rent for \$1. CHAS. F. CONDART. 1-11

## Ranch for Sale.

Benjamin Shepherd's stock ranch is for sale. Inquire at First National Bank. 12-30

O. O. O. NEST NO. 1588 Order of Owls, meet the second and fourth Thursdays in each month at Belknap hall. All migratory owls cordially welcome. T. E. J. DUFFY, President; Willard H. Wirtz, Secretary. 1-41

## Piano Contest Voting is Lively

Our contestants are stretching out a little this week in the race for the piano. Miss Elliott is taking quite a lead over her competitors but you never can tell what will happen next time. The friends of those behind will rally to the support of their favorites and the leaders will be bunched again.

Next week a statement will be mailed to each subscriber not already paid up, showing him how his account stands and the number of votes he is entitled to give on the piano. There is nothing you can give that would be more appreciated by the contestants. You can remit to this office or to the contestants themselves. The time is getting short. Some one gets a beautiful piano.

The vote stands as follows:  
Miss Mary Elliott.....122,485  
Mrs. Vira Cyrus.....100,125  
Miss Maggie Glaze.....83,255  
Miss Emerlen Young.....4475  
Baptist Church, Prineville.....1000  
Miss Myrtle Joslin of Haystack.....1000

## Wyandotts for Sale.

I have a few fine White Wyandotts for sale. 1-11 REV. J. C. LININGER.

## Beautiful Interior Crook Co. Bank

Tile layers are busy putting in the tiling in the new Crook County Bank building. Geo. W. Ake has charge of the work and he certainly knows his business. He is the same man that had charge of the floor work for the First National.

The tiling used is a 2-inch white vitreous non-absorbent kind that will always keep its color and last practically for ever. The vestibule, lobby and toilet will be tiled. A beautiful Verd antique marble counter will divide the lobby from the accounting departments. This marble comes from Vermont and has a dark rich green effect. An eight-inch marble base of the same material will run clear around the lobby and vestibule. This marble harmonizes with the green, white and black Grecian border of the tiling. The furnishings of the bank will be in keeping with its beautiful interior.

## Ranch for Rent.

200 acres, 120 fenced; 30 under irrigation. Inquire of Frank Foster or write Geo. Storkman, Ontario, Or. 1-11

## LOCAL MENTION

Born—On Willow Creek, Jan. 4, to the wife of Edwin Fox, a son.

Coasting is fine on Prineville Heights. Big crowds every night.

Born—On Hay Creek, January 3, to the wife of Eugena W. Goff, a boy.

Mrs. C. M. Elkins entertained the 500 Club and friends last Friday evening.

George Storkman writes from Ontario that business is good and that he has three men working for him.

Albert J. Moore, who lives near Lamonta, struck a good flow of water on his ranch a couple of weeks ago at a depth of 90 feet. His neighbors were so elated that they have all let contracts for wells. No more hauling water if they can help it.

The subject at the Methodist church Sunday morning will be "Chris's Kingdom and Reign. At the conclusion of the morning sermon the Lord's Supper will be administered. Evening subject, "Saved and Unsaved, A Contrast." Eoworth League meets at 6:30. Everybody welcome.

## LOCAL MENTION.

Dick Miller came down from Post the last of the week.

Mrs. Chas. F. Condart returned last week from a visit to Spokane.

Miss Edith Rice left for Portland Saturday to take up the work of her profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of Post were present at the dedication services of the Baptist church Sunday.

J. T. Hardy, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Oregon Trunk, was a Prineville visitor the first of the week.

Covenant meeting at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon. All members are requested to be present. C. P. Bailey, pastor.

Mrs. J. H. Templeton, deputy district organizer, went over to Redmond Friday to attend the installation of the Rebekah lodge at that place.

Forty-two inches of snow fell at The Dalles Saturday night, blocking railroad traffic and otherwise impeding business. No mail into Central Oregon from outside points since last Saturday.

## LOCAL MENTION

Sleighting in Prineville could not be better.

Born—To the wife of Robt. Bergland of Ashwood, in Prineville, Saturday, January 6, a son.

No mail since last Saturday. Trains are expected through today. Too much snow is the cause of the trouble.

Henry Brummer of Newsom creek, who has been visiting in California, passed through Prineville Friday on his way home.

Registration books opened Monday. John A. Gibson of Post was the first man to register. He and his family came down Saturday.

The pastor of the Methodist church will begin a protracted meeting at the McKay schoolhouse Tuesday evening, January 16, at 7:30 p. m.

Jess Shobert of Powell Butte broke his leg last Friday. He was riding to the postoffice and his horse threw him or fell on him, he doesn't know which, as it was done so quickly. Dr. Edwards was called to reduce the fracture.

## LOCAL MENTION

Basket ball next Saturday evening. A town team will play the Crook County High School. Don't miss it.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamer of Bear creek came down to attend the dedication of the Baptist church last Sunday.

Baptist church services Sunday—10 a. m., Bible school; 11 a. m., preaching, followed by baptism; 6:30 p. m., C. E. Society; 7:00, preaching, baptism after sermon. C. P. Bailey, pastor.

J. G. Clark came over from Ashwood the first of the week to get his wife who has been in Prineville a couple of weeks for medical attention. She will return to Ashwood today with her husband.

Regular church services will be conducted at the Presbyterian church January 14th. Sunday School at 10 a. m. The Lord's Supper will be administered and a public reception to new members at 11 o'clock. The Sunday evening club will hold its reception and Bible Study at 6 o'clock. Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. A hearty welcome will be given to all.

## "What Shall We Do This Evening?"



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