

Business Men Challenged to Spell Down

The business men's meeting in the club rooms was well attended Monday night. N. G. Wallace was chairman.

W. F. King called the attention of the meeting to the fact that the club was not backing D. F. Stewart as was promised before he agreed to superintend road construction to the east and southeast of Prineville. He was promised every assistance needed but so far none was offered.

It was moved and seconded that a committee be appointed every week whose duty it would be to help Mr. Stewart in every way possible during that length of time. W. F. King was appointed chairman for this week.

R. L. Brewster agreed to furnish Mr. Stewart with grade and alignment stakes free of charge. This is Mr. Brewster's second donation. He has already given two days' work for good roads.

John T. Wheeler agreed to do the book-keeping. S. R. Cooper was not sure he could spare the time for road service but he placed his car at the disposal of the road committee in order to help the work along.

Chairman Wallace was instructed to name a delegate to represent the Prineville Commercial Club at the Columbia and Snake River Waterways Association which will be held at Portland April 13 and 14.

The secretary was instructed to wire our senators at Washington to oppose the repeal of the tolls act.

Mr. Lewark, principal of the Prineville public school, addressed the meeting on the importance of good roads and at the conclusion stated that he was the bearer of a challenge from the public school pupils to the business men of Prineville for a spelling contest to be held on the evening of May 1. The challenge was accepted with a hurrah and Oscar Hyde was appointed captain of the Commercial Club forces.

Mr. Pierce of the Oregon Woolen Mills gave a short talk on the advertising Oregon got out of the splendid blankets made in this state. They were known in all parts of the United States.

Oscar Hyde reported the establishment of a commercial club at Paulina last Sunday. Twenty-two members were enrolled and twenty more are sure to join. They are enthusiastic over good roads in that country. Oscar Hyde, Jack Summers, Geo. Noble and W. F. King were the Prineville representatives that helped start things at Paulina.

At the close of the business meeting Mrs. Walker and the senior girls of the Domestic Science Department served delicious coffee and cake. The event was to celebrate the arrival of the fine aluminum coffee pots which the club had purchased for the Domestic Science Department. The Misses Alwilda Wilson and Florence Merrill made and served the coffee, Daisy McCallister, Blanche and Abbie Wilson made and served the cake, while Edna Estes and Lela Geyer saw that each member present received his due share of cream and sugar.

The club members voted their appreciation with hearty good will.

Don't be so foolish as to forget the date, Friday, April 10, "A Pair of Idiots" at the Club Hall.

Ever use Fleischman's Yeast? Try it. O. C. Claypool & Co.

It Wasn't Railroad Material After All

No, dear reader, the two car loads of scrapers and the steam shovel and other paraphernalia that were unloaded at Metolius the last of the week were not for the Metolius-Prineville Railroad. They looked mighty good to people from Prineville who immediately jumped to the conclusion that this was the vanguard of railroad construction work. The material belongs to the state irrigation project and was only temporarily left at Metolius. This information may knock a great big dent into your credulity, but keep up courage. Mr. Scheel writes to the railroad committee in Prineville that he is in Spokane getting things together and will be making the dirt fly before the end of the month. You can bank on that.

Crook County Cases Before Supreme Court

On the supreme court calendar for next week are the following cases of interest to the people of Crook county: Tuesday, State vs. Gaylord McDaniel; Wednesday, State vs. Dick Garrett, and State vs. John McPherson. These cases will be argued and submitted on these dates, and decisions may be expected within a short time.

J. F. Blanchard Out for Commissioner

J. F. Blanchard has been induced by his many friends to enter the race for the nomination of county commissioner on the republican ticket. Mr. Blanchard has been a resident of Crook county for ten years. He took up a homestead at Metolius, taught school and farmed during that period. He was principal of the Prineville schools one year; taught in the Crook County High one year and was re-elected but resigned to take up farming again when he bought Jim Elliott's place up the Ochoco. Mr. Blanchard has adopted as his slogan—"Lower Taxes."

Death of Thron Willis Thronson

Thron Willis Thronson died of pneumonia at 9:00 a. m., Tuesday, April 7th, at the U. S. Naval Hospital on Mare Island, California. Interment will be in the Union cemetery of this city, Sunday, April 12th, at 2:00 p. m.

Thron was born at Dayton, Wash., June 28, 1894, where he lived until at the age of four years he was taken by his parents to British Columbia, afterward coming to Crook county at about the age of six.

The greater part of his life was spent in and about Prineville where he has a host of friends. Thron was a member of the High School class of 1914. He always cherished a hope for attachment with the U. S. Navy, but not until last October would his mother give consent to his enlistment. He enlisted at Seattle, Wash., in the fall and was immediately transferred to Goat Island Training Station in San Francisco Bay, where after six months he was promoted to the marine corps and detailed to Bramerton Navy Yard. This detail he was prevented from executing by a severe attack of mumps complicated by a subsequent attack of broncho-pneumonia.

Thron is survived by his mother, Mrs. Dora Olive Cram, and three sisters, Mrs. Anna Frary, Dayton, Wash., Dora Columbia and Caroline Thronson.

Council Meeting Clean-Up Day Tuesday

City council met Wednesday evening. Present—Mayor Clifton, Councilmen Jones, Ward, Zevely, Elkins and Foster.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

C. C. Brix appeared before the council and stated that he was annoyed by the jaw bone of an ass. In other words a jack kept by a neighbor made life miserable for him and he wanted the nuisance abated. The matter was referred to Health and Police committee.

Councilman Ward was instructed to buy a 24-inch culvert from the county to be used on East F street.

The recorder was requested to notify J. H. Haner to appear at the next regular meeting and show why the old building corner Second and B streets should not be condemned.

Perry Poindexter complained about the condition of the sidewalk in Noble's addition. Stockmen drove and rode over the walks breaking the boards and otherwise making it dangerous to travel after dark. The footbridge, too, needed looking after.

The council ordered a new cement sidewalk built on both sides of Third street, from A to East D.

The city will not operate its gravity water system this year. Here is a chance for someone to make a little money on the side. A responsible man could probably get permission from the council to operate the system under certain conditions.

Mr. Shattuck was given permission to try out a fire gong. The city dads were willing to assume a reasonable amount of expense in so doing.

A communication was received from residents on the North side in regard to the establishment of a hose company over there. If the city would furnish a cart and 500 feet of hose an active company would be formed. The matter was referred to the Fire and Water committee with instructions to report at a special meeting to be held next Tuesday evening.

L. M. Bechtell, city treasurer, reported that \$7047.95 had been received from January 6, 1914, to April 7, 1914; paid out \$2090.80, balance on hand \$4957.15. Report accepted and placed on file.

The reports of marshal, night-watch and recorder were received and placed on file.

The following bills were allowed:

Perry Poindexter, use grader	3 00
Hugh Lakin, mdse	50
R S Price, labor	4 00
A R Bowman, fees, etc	15 15
H A Kelly, city eng. services	6 00
Wade Huston, sal nightwatch	75 00
T L Coon, 12 dogs 12 days	12 00
" " salary marshal	75 00
Deschutes Power Co	160 15
E O Hyde, city recorder fees	21 50
T E J Duffy and M R Elliott, legal services	200 00
K A Thompson, team, etc	13 75
News Pub Co, printing	3 00
Fred Jones, work	7 50
I W Ward, work	25 00
Arthur Zeek, labor	18 75
L M Bechtell, sal city treas	25 00
R S Price, labor	30 00
Arthur Wonderly	25 00
Lister Riggs, labor	12 50
Owen Kester	1 50
Mrs Malling, rent	25 00
Jack Curtis, meals	1 25
Crook Co Journal, advertising	6 30

Ordinance No. 212 locating and designating the center line of Third street east from the east line of A to the boundary of the city limits was passed by the council.

Wheelwright & Phipps of La Grande, the cement sidewalk contractors, were given ten days in which to fix up the walk along by Hugh Lakin's place of business.

Mayor Clifton has set Tuesday, April 14, as clean-up day. He wants everyone to clean up around their premises—front yard, back yard, streets and alleys. The city will furnish teams free of charge to haul the trash away. Those who do not comply with his proclamation will be interviewed by the city marshal. The mayor wants a clean town. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

Councilman Ward was given full charge of the city park.

Council adjourned to meet next Tuesday evening.

LOCAL MENTION

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mathews last Saturday.

Omer Wilson and Rose B. Reames were married last week.

E. A. Graham of Sisters was a county seat visitor today.

Geo. Myers has returned from his visit to his brother at Erie, Pa.

Mrs. E. O. Hyde is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Freeberg, of Redmond.

The infant child of Thomas Rickman of Held was buried at Prineville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Adams and Mrs. Wigle returned today from a brief visit to Millican.

C. H. Moore, district superintendent of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., is in Prineville this week.

L. M. Foss, traveling freight and passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N. Co., was a Prineville visitor yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Schultz of Gateway was the honor guest at a "500" party given by Miss Dolly Hodges Saturday evening.

There will be preaching at Grimes' Chapel Sunday at 2 p. m., and a baptismal service on the McKay near Sam Reynolds' at 3:30 p. m.

Dr. Belknap reports another case of spotted fever. Arthur Cox of Lamonta is the victim. He is now at the Home Hospital undergoing treatment.

A. L. Mackintosh of Paulina passed through Prineville today on his way home from Redmond where he delivered 2000 head of sheep to be shipped to parties up the Columbia river.

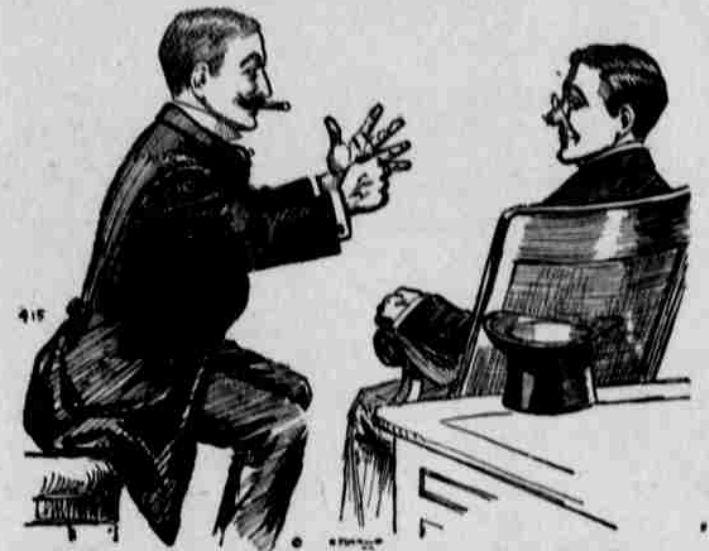
The ladies of the Annex have several dozen beautiful jonquils in bloom. These are for sale. Those interested 'phone or see the committee in charge, which consists of Mesdames Edwards, Elliott and Rosenberg.

Dr. Edwards, Judge Springer and County Attorney Wirtz last week were called to see a Mrs. Page who lives between Laidlaw and Sisters. She was suffering from meningitis. The county authorities had her sent to the Home Hospital for medical treatment.

There will be a short Easter program at the beginning of the Sunday School hour next Sunday at the Union church. The preaching services as usual—11 a. m. and 8 p. m. It is planned to have special music at each service. Your presence will be appreciated. Geo. H. Ramsey.

Easter services will be observed at the Methodist church Sunday. Mrs. H. R. Lakin will sing at the morning service. At 8 p. m. the Prineville Singer's Club will have charge of the services and will favor the audience with Easter choruses and solos. Everybody welcome. John E. Williams, pastor.

Get Your Seats Reserved At WINNEK'S for "A Pair of Idiots" Friday, April 10 at Club Hall No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats



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LOCAL MENTION

Dr. Gail Newsom is visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith left for Portland Saturday. Mrs. Smith's father is not expected to live.

Dr. Gove is taking a much needed rest in the La Pine country. He will hunt and fish for a couple of months.

Dr. Ida Behrendt, the well known optician, will be in Crook county for a short time. Those interested will find her ad in this issue.

Mrs. A. Hodges of Dufur, mother of Med Vanderpool and Silas Hodges, died Monday afternoon, aged 83 years. Mrs. Hodges was an old pioneer of Crook county. She lived in Prineville many years.

John W. Stevenson and Miss Jessie Hallgarth of Elgin, Oregon, were married in that city March 28. Mr. Stevenson was at one time a resident of Prineville, having worked for E. H. Smith as harness maker while here. Mrs. Stevenson is a native of Elgin.

Not as many attended the lecture on "Tolstoy's Challenge to the Age" as the importance of the subject demanded. The lecture was especially fine. Dr. Rebec, field man for the State University, was full of his subject and carried his audience right with him.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. George Millican left Wednesday for her home at Millican.

W. H. Eldridge was a business visitor from Roberts the last of the week.

Rev. C. B. Hysom of Madras will preach at the Baptist church on Easter Sunday, April 12th. Come and hear him.—D. Loree, acting pastor.

Edward Gould of Roberts, who has been East on business for several weeks, passed through Prineville the first of the week on his way home.



GREEN TRADING STAMPS Get your stamp book full by May 1st. To the party bringing the first filled stamp book after May 1st, we will present in addition to the regular premium, goods to the amount of \$5.00. To the party bringing in the fifth book we will give in addition goods to the amount of \$3.50, and to the party bringing the tenth book we will give a beautiful silk summer parasol. Books must be filled. Be sure and get your stamps. C. W. ELKINS, Prineville, Ore.

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