

SUNDAY LID IS ON IN CROOK COUNTY

All Stores and Shops Are to Close Up Tight

GARAGES ONLY ARE EXCEPTED

District Attorney and Sheriff Say The Law Will Be Enforced To the Letter

The lid is on in Crook County, and in tight. Prineville was the first town in the county to feel the new condition, and the notices were not received in the other towns in time for last Sunday but if you want to buy a cigar, a box of candy for the lady friend, or a chew of gum, or anything else but a meal or a bottle of medicine, and make said purchase in this county, you will be compelled to make it on Saturday evening or wait until Monday.

Last Sunday the edict was in force in this city, and for the first time since it became a town was Sunday closing strictly enforced. The garages, hotels and livery stables alone were open, and the drug stores taking advantage of the day to take a vacation also.

Sheriff Knox is sending notices to all cigar store and confectionery store keepers notifying them that after Sunday, October 23 violators of the Sunday closing law will be handled the same as any other law violator. The law in question reads as follows:

2125 of Lord's Oregon Laws:

"If any person shall keep any store, shop, grocery, bowling alley, billiard room, or tipping house, for the purpose of labor or traffic, or any place of amusement, on the first day of the week, commonly called 'Sunday' or the 'Lord's Day', such persons, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$50; provided however that the above provision shall not apply to theaters, the keepers of drug stores, doctor shops, undertakers, livery stable keepers, butchers and bakers; and all circumstances of necessity and time mercy may be pleaded in defense which shall be treated as a question of fact for the jury to determine when the offense is tried by jury."

This law enacted during territorial days of Oregon and reenacted under the statehood organization in 1864 and has remained on the statute books since that time unamended.

The law has been unenforced for a great many years, but when District Attorney Wirtz took office he immediately took up the enforcement of this statute and pool hall operators were compelled under it to close in unincorporated communities and in those cities in the county where they were not already closed by city ordinance.

A test case was appealed to the circuit court by Dennis Cramody, a pool hall owner of Bend, last December and the law declared valid and enforceable by Circuit Judge Bradshaw. Since that time a case was taken from Lane county by the confectionery store and cigar store keepers of Eugene to the Supreme Court at Salem and the supreme court also held the same as had Judge Bradshaw, that the law was constitutionally enforceable.

District Attorney Wirtz says that no peace officer, sheriff, constable, or prosecuting officer in the state of Oregon, under the oath each is required to take, can say that he will not enforce that law, and do

Governor Comments on Livestock Show

We continue to hear compliments concerning the livestock show at the county fair last week. The strongest comes from Governor Withycombe in a letter received from him by the Journal the first of the week. It says in part:

But the real purpose of this letter is to tell you that to my mind your display of stock was the finest I have seen at any fair in Oregon, excepting only state fairs. The excellent work your county is doing in this direction impressed and pleased me greatly. I think you are working in the right direction and I am sure that the upbuilding of better livestock will be of most substantial advantage to your community and county.

With all best wishes to you and the people of Crook County, I am, Sincerely yours, James Withycombe, Governor.

his duty as he is required to do it. "Every peace officer and prosecuting officer", says Mr. Wirtz "is sworn to enforce all the laws, and when such officer begins to select which laws he shall enforce and which he shall not, he should be recalled and is not fit to hold public office. It is not for him to say whether a law is wise or not. The legislature enjoys that function, alone."

Mr. Wirtz also says that he thinks that no inconvenience will be suffered after everyone has become adjusted to the new conditions.

BULLETIN GETS CHESTY ABOUT CO. DIVISION

Says it is Prineville's Move; Claims "Few Thousand" Votes

Last week's Bend Bulletin says: It is more and more apparent that the people of Prineville favor county division. They have seen the light in fact, they have seen it double. For they are waking up to the fact that there is a chance, and a mighty strong one, that instead of division, the West Side may rise on its hind feet and take the county seat over here. And of course that would be far worse for Prineville than division.

Therefore, naturally, Prineville is trying to hurry a move for division. It wants to see Bend committed to division; for if we commit ourselves to that move, danger of removing the county seat will end.

It is funny what a difference a year makes—not to mention a couple of mills and a few thousand votes. We don't blame Prineville for wanting to see the division move nailed hard and fast—it is far and away the best bargain Prineville can make. But on the other hand there is plenty of time to study the matter.

Probably, if Prineville will do the right thing and agree to division lines satisfactory to us, and further, keep its agreements at the polls, division may be satisfactory here. And it should be remembered that thus far we have heard from only those Eastiders who formerly favored division. What do its former opponents now think?

But Prineville should realize fully that there is a strong sentiment here about removing the county seat. It can only be overcome by a generous offer from Prineville for division support. If we are met half

PRINEVILLE TO HOLD A SPECIAL ELECTION

A special meeting of the city council was held last night at the city hall at which time it was decided to call a special election at a date which will be announced soon.

The purpose of the election is to vote upon the matter of amending the charter of the city to the extent that a higher millage than the present limit may be voted by the council, and to make the office of the city marshal appointive instead of elective as at present.

The matter of bridge construction was left to the committee on streets and public improvements, with instructions to bring a report on the matter at the next regular meeting. At a meeting of the taxpayers

Thursday evening in which the matter was discussed, it was decided that it requires about a 15 mill levy to conduct the affairs of the city on the same basis as they were run during the current year.

The levy for 1915 was 8 mills, and figured on the same basis, it will require the higher levy to raise the same amount of funds. The state law on the subject makes it impossible to make a levy of more than 6 per cent increase without the consent of the voters.

For this reason a special election was decided upon.

If a special election is called it will perhaps be between the 20th and the last of next month.

A \$700,000 DEED FILED YESTERDAY

Had 700 Worth of Revenue Stamps and Was For Timber Lands

A deed which carried \$700 worth of revenue stamps, which indicates a valuation of \$700,000 for the property involved, was filed with the county clerk yesterday.

The lands specified in the deed are being transferred from the Brooks-Robertson lumber company to the Scanlon-Gibson people, and lies in the Cascades southwest of Bend.

The transfer carries about 17,000 acres of yellow pine and is one of a number of big deals that has recently been made in that vicinity by big timber interests.

This indicates that the holdings of both of these above mentioned companies will be milled at Bend in the mill which is nearing completion there.

way, The Bulletin thinks those who want the county seat will be satisfied. If we are not, there is bound to be the removal effort.

It is Prineville's move.—

Rev. W. L. Van Nuys and family arrived Wednesday evening and will be at home in Prineville in the Presbyterian Manse. Mr. Van Nuys comes from the Upper Hood River Valley where he has had charge for the past six years of the United Church of the Valley. He will be in charge of the Presbyterian work in Prineville and vicinity and begins his services next Sunday.

MANY ARE GOING TO REDMOND POTATO

King Murphy Will Be Crowned at Noon Tomorrow; Night Program

Tomorrow and Saturday will be the big days at the Redmond Potato Show. It will be the last fair of the year in the interior, and as all the others have been very good this year, and judging from what plans have been made for the event, we predict that it will be a show of exceptional merit.

The strength of the exhibit will be in the pavilion where there will no doubt be one of the prettiest displays of farm produce ever collected in this part of the state or any other for that matter.

Situated as it is, in the heart of one of the best farming communities in the state, and in a locality where the growers pride themselves on good products, we look forward to a show worth while.

It is but a duty as well as a pleasure, for the Prineville country to support this fair loyally. Let's all go and see it, one day at least.

A car, which was driven by Hobart Belknap, turned the corner too quickly opposite the Lyric last night, and threw three of the occupants out. Harry Stearns, Lee Rowell and Ernest Estes were the victims of the accident. They were all badly bruised and Rowell suffered a severe cut on the scalp by hitting the edge of the curb. It was necessary to take several stitches in the scalp. Harry Stearns is suffering from a badly sprained arm, and is not able to work today.

Complete List of Prize Winners at County Fair

Winners of prizes at the Crook County fair last week are as follows: Clydesdale horses, J. R. Breese, one first and one second; S. W. Yancey, one first and Eldred Breese, one first.

Belgian horses, G. Springer, one first and one second; J. L. Gibson, one first and one second; John Rush, one first.

Shire horses, M. R. Biggs, one first and two seconds; K. D. Houston, E. T. Slayton and J. E. Warner, each one first, and Baldwin Sheep Co., one second.

Pecheron horses, Douglas Lawson, one first and two seconds; Jackson and Conlon, three firsts; E. T. Slayton, one first and two seconds; Crook County Percheron Horse As-

sociation, one second. Trotting horses, Robert Smith, one first.

Thoroughbreds, A. L. Osborn and P. C. Pangborn one first each, and C. Willford, one second.

Sweepstakes, Jackson and Conlon four; G. Springer, one.

American Saddle horses, M. R. Biggs, two firsts; C. A. Cline, one second.

Jacks and Mules, M. R. Biggs, four firsts, and three seconds; Douglas Lawson, one second.

Miscellaneous entries in horse classes, firsts were taken by C. A. Cline, C. B. Melson, Douglas Lawson and Warren, Dixon & McDow-

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Parent-Teachers' Meeting Held Tuesday

Tuesday evening of this week the regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers association was held in the assembly room at the high school.

The meeting was opened by singing a number of selections which was lead by Miss Conway. The address of the evening was delivered by Mrs. H. P. Belknap, on the subject "Training of Normal Students, and their work in Our Own Public Schools."

A general roundtable was taken up, and much valuable information gained. Selections were rendered by the high school male quartette. Refreshments were then served by the Normal class.

The meeting adjourned to meet on the third Thursday in November at 7:30 P. M.

All parents should attend these meetings. Come to the next one.

Sundays chool at the Presbyterian church at 10:00 A. M. and morning worship at 11:00. "The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper" will be administered at this service. All members and friends of the church are earnestly invited to be present. Service will be conducted by Rev. W. L. Van Nuys. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subject, "Capturing Politics for God" Leader, Robert Dougals. Evening Service at 7:30 as noted elsewhere in this issue.

JOURNAL PARTY VISITS THE SISTERS FAIR

Opposing Candidates Eat at Same Table and Have Big Fun

This has been a busy week in the Journal's voting contest. Saturday, all of the candidates who were situated so that they could make the trip, were taken to the Sisters fair as guests of the Journal.

The start was made from Prineville at 6:30 and the party arrived at Sisters about 9:30. After spending the day there they returned through Redmond where a stop was made for supper. Mrs. Cyrus was busy on the fair grounds at Sisters in the interests of Jessie Jones and reports very good results.

Dolly Hodges represented Birdie Norton who was unable to make the trip, and is at Bend this week in the interests of this candidate.

Blanche Wilson, who is teaching school at Terrebonne, is acting as special representative of her sister Abbie, in that part of the county, and is reporting good results there.

Other people are doing special work for their favorite candidates in different parts of the county.

As the campaign will close promptly in less than nine weeks from this date, everyone who wishes to help any candidate should get busy.

On the evening of October 30, we will give two special prizes at this office. These will go to the candidates who present the most votes from the districts as outlined in last week's Journal. These will perhaps be the last specials given during this campaign. Help your candidate get one of these.

The standing of the candidates today noon was as follows:

Jessie Jones,	98,790
Birdie S. Norton,	87,600
Abbie Wilson,	78,010
Pearl Osborne,	68,960
Ada Sears,	64,920
Ivy Harris,	23,430
Tessie Houston,	22,500
Vera Dunham,	16,850
Blanche Rowell,	12,370

IRRIGATION DISTRICT TO BE ESTABLISHED

First Steps Taken at Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night

LAND OWNERS ARE PLEASSED

Another Meeting Will Be Held in Prineville Tuesday and Lauregaard is Coming

An important meeting was held at Grimes Chapel last night, at which the matter of forming an irrigation district for the flat and lands adjoining was discussed.

The report of the survey which was completed some months ago by the government engineers, was read, and the map of the lands which will be under the canals was examined and discussed.

A petition which will be presented to the county court, asking for the creation of the district as soon as a sufficient number of signers has been secured, asking for the creation of the district, was read and a number of those present signed it.

It seemed to be the general opinion of the land holders present that the district should be formed along the lines suggested, and a committee was appointed to see the various land owners and secure the signers to the petition.

This committee is composed of the following members: Price Coshov, F. F. Hoelscher, E. T. Slayton, Jeff Evans, John Watkins, C. W. Elkins, M. R. Biggs, and E. J. Wilson.

O. Lauregaard, who was the chief construction engineer on the Tumalo Project, and who has an enviable reputation in Central Oregon as a consulting engineer where irrigation projects are in view, while at the Sisters Fair last Saturday, expressed to the several Prineville citizens present the thought that the proposed irrigation district to be formed North of Prineville should be the most successful undertaking in Central Oregon because of its location, excellent soil and other natural advantages.

Mr. Lauregaard further stated that he would be glad to meet the people of Prineville and those who were interested in this project at some date in the very near future, to talk it over with them and assist in getting the project started right. He said he felt that he was in a position, in view of his past experience to offer advice that would be valuable, and also services, if it were seen fit to employ a consulting engineer at some time in the future.

It is understood that the Live Wire Club of Prineville will take up Mr. Lauregaard's proposition and call a meeting of the citizens next interested in this new project and have them meet with him probably next Tuesday, October 26. An effort will be made prior to that time to have all property owners in the proposed project meet with Mr. Lauregaard at that time. It is realized that there is no one so competent to talk of irrigation and how to get it and get it quick as Mr. Lauregaard and advantage of his visit is to be taken to the fullest extent.

Mr. Lauregaard is consulting engineer for the new Suttles' Lake Irrigation District in Jefferson County, for the Paisley Carey Act Project, and other projects in the state of Washington.

Andrew Hall of Meadows was in this city the first of the week.