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PRINEVILLE WINS TWO MORE GAMES

High School Plays One-Sided Game at Redmond

ALL-STARS WIN THANKSGIVING

Bend is Coming to Prineville Sunday for Revenge--Help the Boys Win

Thanksgiving, Bend football fans for the third time this season saw their hopes of victory over Prineville, go glimmering, when their much touted all star eleven went down to defeat before the local aggregation. The game which was hotly contested from beginning to end resulted in a clean victory of 7 to 0 for Prineville.

The first quarter found Prineville forced to a defensive game but Brosius proved equal to the occasion and his long punts kept the game out of the danger zone.

In the second quarter Prineville took the offensive and in a succession of line plunges and end runs advanced the ball to Bend's two yard line only to lose it on downs. Bend promptly kicked to safety. The end of the half found the ball once more in Bend's territory.

The kick off beginning the second half spelled the beginning of the end for the mill city. Brosius kicked high allowing plenty of time for the team to go down on under the ball. The runner was downed on the 10 yard line. Prineville held for 3 downs, forcing Bend to punt. The punt was a poor offering. Weigand running it back to Bend's 20 yard line. Lawson and Lister advanced the ball to the 7 yard line on a series of plunges and off tackle runs, Lawson carrying it the last seven yards for a touchdown. Brosius kicked goal, making the score 7 to 0. After the touchdown Bend came back strong, but found the Prineville defense impregnable.

The fourth quarter passed with Bend vainly attempting to get within striking distance of the Prineville goal. The final whistle found the ball in the center of the field and in Bend's possession.

The game was replete throughout with thrills. Gains on both sides were frequent and large. Lawson and Bob Lister staring for the home eleven and Stover and Erskine for the mill city. In one department of the game, only, was the Prineville eleven out classed and that was in tackling, where their lack of practice showed up plainly.

Here is the way they lined up:

Prineville	Bend
Barnes	c Prigle
Sealey	rg Lamerson
Cantrill	lg Vandervert
L. Lister	rt Muszyinski-Body
C. Charlton	ft Ward
Broderick	re Stover-Kelly
H. Charlton	le Woeltjen
Wiegand	qb Kelly-Erskine
Lawson	fb Steidl-White
R. Lister	lhb Brandenburg
Brosius	rhb Erskine-Stover
Officials: Referee--Duran; umpire Estes, timekeeper Johnson.	

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Central Oregon Livestock & Agricultural Association will be held on the first Monday in January, the 3rd, 1916 for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business that may properly come before it. The meeting will be held at the Commercial Club at 2 o'clock.

Ladies' Annex Plans Big Day December 11

The Ladies of the Annex wish to announce a "Pay Afternoon" on Saturday, December 11, at their Club rooms.

The program will consist of music which will be announced later, and a dramatic recital of Henry Van Dyke's "The First Christmas Tree," by Mrs. Van M. Morse, a stirring dramatic tale of the origin of the Christmas tree in Germany in the days of Boniface.

We wish to emphasize that this entertainment is not for club members exclusively, but that all interested are urged to come.

ANNUAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT IS ON

The annual bowling tournament at the Commercial Club started Tuesday evening of this week.

Because of the large number of men who are available for the tournament the management decided that the tournament be divided into halves, or really two short tournaments.

The first of these is composed of eight teams with four men to each team, and will close on the night of December 30.

The captains of the respective teams are:

Fred Noble, E. J. Wilson, John Dobry, Robert Osborn, S. G. Hinkle, O. C. Claypool, and W. J. Johnson.

WANTED--CANDIDATES FOR CITY OFFICES

How would you like to hold a city office? Don't all speak at once.

There will be a regular election in about two weeks at which a mayor, three councilmen a recorder and a treasurer will be elected, and there seems to be a hesitation about filling these offices.

It is generally conceded that Dr. Hyde will be a candidate for recorder for the coming year, and to date he is the only man who has been "conceded" a place.

Men who have been mentioned for mayor are Mayor Edwards, J. B. Bell, D. F. Stewart and others.

For aldermanic honors there has been less talk, although the names of E. J. Wilson, J. B. Shipp, Dr. Gove, J. E. Stewart, and a number of others have been mentioned.

L. M. Bechtell has not decided whether he will be a candidate for treasurer to succeed himself or not. Who is next?

PRINEVILLE CITY TAX SET AT EIGHT MILLS

There was a special meeting of the city council Tuesday evening at which the levy for the city tax next year was fixed at 8 mills. An ordinance was ordered drawn cutting the salary of the city treasurer from \$25 per month to \$100 per year, payable quarterly. This will be taken up at the regular meeting next Tuesday.

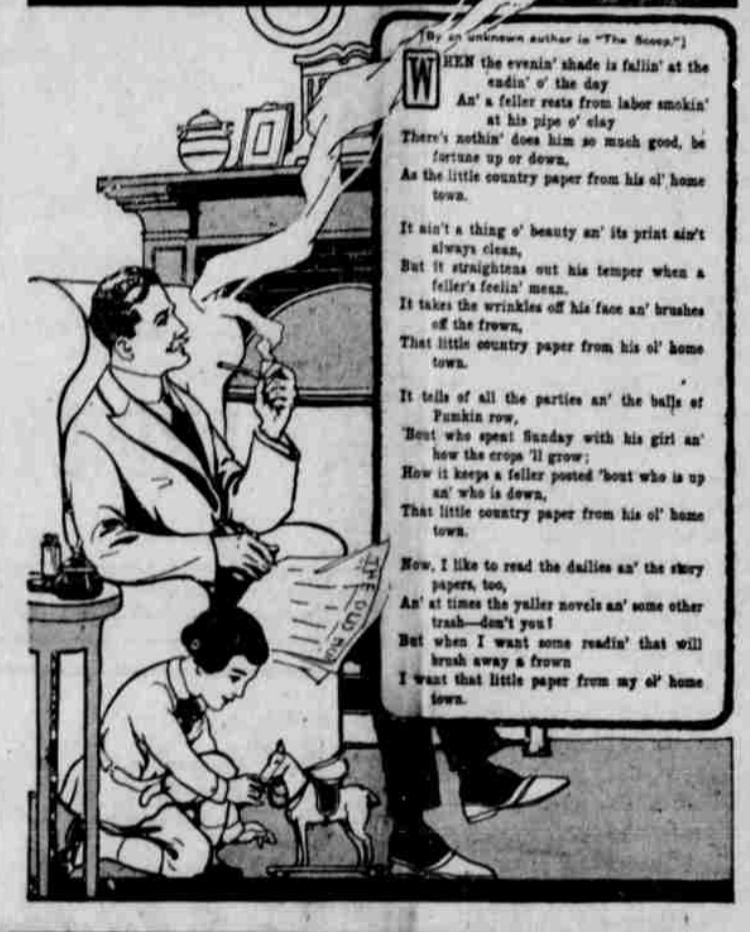
Five delegates will be appointed by the city to attend the irrigation congress in Portland the last of the month.

Present at the meeting, besides Mayor Edwards were a full attendance of the councilmen, as well as other city officials.

Just three weeks remain in which to do your Christmas shopping.

J. B. Shipp, Secretary.

The Paper From His Old Home Town



It isn't a thing o' beauty an' its print ain't always clean, But it straightens out his temper when a fellow's feelin' mean. It takes the wrinkles off his face an' brushes off the frown, That little country paper from his ol' home town.

It tells of all the parties an' the balls at Fumkin row, 'Bout who spent Sunday with his girl an' how the crops 'll grow; How it keeps a fellow posted 'bout who is up an' who is down, That little country paper from his ol' home town.

Now, I like to read the dailies an' the story papers, too, An' at times the yeller novels an' some other trash--don't you? But when I want some readin' that will brush away a frown I want that little paper from my ol' home town.

CROOK COUNTY LEVY IS 26 MILLS FOR 1916

This Amount Set by County Court this Afternoon

TWO MILLS HIGHER THAN 1915

Debt of County has Been Reduced \$70,000 by the Present Court

Crook county will pay taxes next year on a levy of 26 mills which is two mills higher than the levy of the current year. This was decided upon by the court this afternoon during their regular December meeting, the most important business of which is arranging the tax business for the county.

Four mills of the total levy which will amount to some \$33,000.00 will be paid to the state as the county's share of that tax.

One of the features that should be considered in connection with this levy is the fact that while the county debt was estimated at some \$100,000.00 last year, it was found by the new court that the actual amount of the debt was about \$130,000.00. That debt has been reduced by the present court to about \$60,000.00 and the plan is to eliminate it entirely during the coming year.

The work of the court will probably be completed for the term tomorrow.

Dramatics at Club Hall Tuesday Night

"The Player," a comedy in three acts will be given by the Redmond Dramatic Club at the Commercial Club Hall in this city on Tuesday evening, December 7, starting at 8 o'clock. Prices, 50, 35 and 25 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Lakin's. Good specialties between acts as added attractions and special features. The management has secured Z.-Bur Premiere Magicienne and Handcuff Queen, who will show several of the latest experiments in

CLOSE OF CONTEST IS NOT FAR AWAY

Only Eighteen Working Days For Candidates

JESSIE JONES AGAIN LEADING

Prizes to Be Given Total More Than \$700 in Value--Candidates Are Busy

Just three weeks remain in which to assist your favorite candidate in winning her share of the \$700 worth of prizes which the Journal will award on Christmas eve.

While the candidates and their friends have been unusually busy during the week, there is but little change in the standing of the various contestants for the reason that it is said that many are holding out votes to be used during the final rush of the campaign.

Various rumors have been circulated during the week but little credit should be given any of them for the reason that they are often intended to discourage those who are working in the contest.

There is not a moment to lose in the work of securing new subscribers now, for it looks like a close finish for at least five or six of the candidates.

Standing of the candidates today at noon was as follows:

Jessie Jones,	174,400
Birdie S. Norton,	160,890
Abbie Wilson,	115,710
Pearl Osborne,	100,760
Ada Sears,	90,440
Tessie Houston,	26,580
Ivy Harris,	23,430
Vera Dunham,	21,410

Old Pioneer Passes In Southern California

News has been received here of the death of William Rodman at Sacramento, which occurred on November 28. Mr. Rodman was 85 years of age at the time of his death. He was a pioneer of Crook County having moved here in 1882 and lived in this county until 1905. About half of that time was spent at the Rodman home on Bear Creek, and the remainder in various parts of the county.

He is survived by three sons and five daughters. George and Seth, Mrs. Frank Forest, Mrs. V. Butler, are all well known in this part of the state where they make their homes, Frank, who lives in Portland, Mrs. E. J. Cambel at Vanora, Mrs. Merrill at The Dalles, and Miss Mary Rodman in New York.

COMMERCIAL CLUB REDUCES INITIATION

An important meeting of the Prineville Commercial club was held at the club rooms Monday evening. At this meeting the initiation fee was reduced to \$1 for the month of November for each year and the dues were placed at \$1 per month.

It was decided by those present, and a resolution was passed setting regular meetings once each week for the purpose of taking up matters of interest to the community.

The club went on record as opposed to an extension of time for the Benham Falls project and took steps to work with the Bend commercial club in that matter and notified the latter club to that effect.

A committee was appointed to attend to the matter of delegates to the Irrigation Congress which meets the last of the month in Portland.

E. J. Wilson was acting chairman in the absence of H. A. Kelly.

WAR IS ON AGAINST JACK RABBIT PEST

During the past week R. A. Ward of the Biological Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and County Argriculturist Lovett have been organizing many communities in Crook County for organized work in the poisoning of the jack rabbits. This work of organizing will continue for the next two weeks and, as soon as the weather conditions are favorable, it is hoped that the whole of the county will be covered with the poison and effective destruction of the pest be accomplished during the favorable winter months. Arrangements for meetings and demonstrations in mixing of the alfalfa and oat poison mixtures have been made to date as follows:

Powell Butte store, December 1, at 2 P. M.; Alfalfa store, December 2, at 2 P. M.; Powell Butte Improvement Club, December 2, at 8 P. M.; Grange Hall, December 3, at 2 P. M.; Lowerbridge, December 4, at 9:30 A. M.; Benton District, north of Redmond, December 4, at 2 P. M.; Hemsted Valley, December 7, at 2 P. M.; Millican, December 7, at 7:30 P. M.; Brothers, December 8, at 2 P. M.; Imperial, December 8, at 7:30 P. M.; Hampton, December 9, at 2 P. M.; Brookings, December 9, at 7 P. M.; Rivers, December 10, at 2 P. M.; Paulina, December 14, at 2 P. M. Other meetings will be held as they are requested.

Each community is organized in

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IMPORTANT IRRIGATION MEETING AT REDMOND

Program Being Prepared for State Meeting

VITAL ISSUES ARE CONSIDERED

Secretary Wallace Issues Call For Central Oregon--Large Attendance Wanted

The fifth annual meeting of the Oregon Irrigation Congress will be held at the Imperial Hotel in Portland on December 28, 29 and 30, and at this session many matters of importance will arise that will be of special interest to Crook and Jefferson counties. The three days that the Congress will be in session will be largely taken up with general matters and local interests are liable to not get the careful attention that they deserve. In order to eliminate this, so far as possible, it has been deemed best to call a meeting of the commercial and irrigation organizations of Crook and Jefferson counties, prior to the meeting of the Congress, in order that all matters can be gone over and a general plan outlined.

Upon the request of several organizations it has been decided to call a meeting to be held at Redmond on Saturday, December 11, at two o'clock p. m. Each organization is entitled to a representative of five delegates to this meeting and it is earnestly hoped that the full delegation will be present.

PLANS SHAPING UP FOR COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS

The interest in the Community Christmas has spread and grown beyond our fondest hopes. It has reached Culver and a member of their committee has visited Prineville to secure information and methods of procedure for carrying out a Community Christmas in our neighboring county seat town. Culver, we wish you success.

The committees in our own town are at work and will be ready to make partial reports at our meeting of the representative delegates of all the organizations in Prineville. This meeting is to be held this week, on Friday evening, at 7:30 p. m., at the Club Hall. Don't fail to be there. We need your cooperation and your support. Give the community idea a boost whenever you can. We are getting favorable reports from some of the organizations, especially lodges. You will want to be in this when the time comes. Act now, and be ready then to enjoy the best Christmas that Prineville ever had.

DATES OF COMING TEACHERS' EXAMS

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Crook County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at Prineville, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, December 15, 1915, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 18, 1915, at 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday Forenoon, Writing, U. S. History. Wednesday Afternoon, Reading,

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