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CITY DELIVERY POSSI-**BLE FOR PRINEVILLE**

REQUIRED AMOUNT OF POSTAL RECEIPTS REACHED

HOUSES HAVE TO BE NUMBERED

Street Signs and Good Sidewalks Necessity-Two Carriers Would He Required

will authorize the installation of the

The minimum of \$5000 postal receipts has been exceeded almost 50 per cent, and there is no doubt but that the matter would be looked up-

en favorably by the department.

Two carriers will be required and
will likewise be authorized by the
department should the service be inaugurated.

Because of the fact that Prineville

in the matter.

It will be discussed at the lunchcon tomorrow, and action may be taken by the city council at an early date toward the street signs and Butte Inn.

FRANKLIN AGENT IN CITY

G. E. McClure, of The Dalles, who is agent for the Franklin car, arrived in the city the first of the week with two new cars. One was sold to C. W. Foster.

He was accompanied by his brother, C. W. McClure, who drove one of the cars up from The Dalles.

FINED \$87.50 BY JUDGE **BOWMAN ON MONDAY**

him with having liquor in his possession at a public dance.

for contempt of court. Also cost charges of \$2.50 were added making the total \$87.50.

Commenting on the case, District Attorney Wirtz said that for an of-fense of this nature the fine should be not less than \$200, or a jail sentence, or both.

and he considers one-half that surgeon for Supple and barner amount none too much, considering Building Company, and for the cost of apprehending the ofconsiders one-half

The special meetings under the adership of Dr. E. P. Lyon are in interest and quality. The sermons since Sunday evening have been of an exceptionally high order. We invite our business and professional men to give some time

and attention to these discourses.

Mrs. Fertig is directing the children in the preparation of some songs for Sunday morning at the Sunday The children should August. school hour. The children should not be overlooked at Christmas time We invite parents to be at Sunday School on time Sunday morning and see what their children are doing. The Sunday morning theme "The Visit of the Magi." will

In the afternoon at three o'clock e will hold services at Grimes hapel. We desire to meet the Chapel. We desire to meet the people of the entire community. We extend the compliments of the season to all our friends. T. H. Fertig, pastor.

URGE PROHIBITION MEASURE

Methodist Church Wired Congressman Sinnott Sunday Evening

The local Methodist Church sent

PRINEVILLE DEFEATS PAULINA

County Seat Teams Too Fast For Visitors

C. C. H. S. defeated the Paulina basketball team Friday evening in a fast game, the final score being 29 to 16. The features of the game were the basket throwing of Robert Lister of Paulina and Luckey Bon-

ney of Princville.
Paulina also met defeat at the hands of the Princville town team Saturday evening. The score was 17 to 21.

DEATH OF IVA BOOTH PRICE

Mrs. J. C. Price (Iva Booth) died in a Portland sanitarium, December 16, after an illness of several months. Mrs. Price was 31 years months. Mrs. Price was 31 years old and was born and lived most of her life in Princville. After her marriage to J. C. Price she lived in Eugene until a few months ago when she was taken to a Portland sanitarium. She was a member of the first graduating class of Crook County High School.

City mail delivery for Prineville is now possible, and should the requirements be met as to street signs and house numbers, the department of the land office at The Dailes. Interment was in the Eugene

cemetery. gret to hear of her death

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Joint Session Is Being Held at Bend This Week

A good attendance is reported at the joint session of the Crook and Deschutes county institute in Bend

Because of the fact that Prineville has the best sidewalk system in Central Oregon, having more cement walks than all other towns in the interior combined, this city by prompt action in this matter, can be first to secure city delivery service. Postmaster J. W. Boone has been notified by the department that this city is entitled to the city delivery, and it is decidedly Prineville's move in the matter.

The visiting teachers were enter-

The visiting teachers were enter-tained with a banquet and recep-tion Monday night at the Pilot

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO

read carefully their questionnaire before appearing before the legal advisory board. Failure so to read the questionnaire has, and will, re-sult in great inconvenience to the

LEGAL ADVISORY BOARD.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr and Mrs. William Ferguson, Geo. McVey contributed \$87.50 to the county treasurer Monday after his arrest on a warrant charging him with having liquor in his was Pendleton and Portland. She en-tered one of the hospitals of this The fine for this offense was placed at \$35 by Judge Bowman, and upon the refusal of MeVey to tell where he obtained the liquor, the judge fined him \$50 additional circles, as a vocalist. The Ferguson family are prominent socially and in banking circles in Eastern Oregon. Dr. Belknap is a son of Dr. and

Mrs. H. P. Beiknap, of Prineville, and one of the well-known young physicians of Portland. He was graduated from the medical school The law, he says, places the maxi-mum fine for the first offense at \$500 or a jail sentence of 6 months, of Oregon University, and is a mem that surgeon for Supple and Ballin Ship Dr. Belknap also is popular socially, and he is a member of several of the METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH leading social and medical clubs of He is a partner of Dr. this city. this city. He is a partner of Dr. Harry McKay with offices in the Morgan building.

The marriage of this charming couple will be an event of February. Miss Andre has just returned to Pendleton after a visit of several days with Mrs. Otto Windfelder and while in Portland she was extensive

ly entertained.—Sunday Oregonian.
Miss Andre visited at the home
of Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Belknau last

NET RED CROSS \$57

Roberts People Contribute Proceeds Raised at Dance

The Red Cross dance, which was promoted by Mrs. H. C. Nelson, of Roberts, netted the cause the neat

The event was held at Roberts Saturday evening, and was attended by people from all parts of the country.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CENSUS

All Residents of City Have Been Tabulated by Workers

The local Methodist Church sent a night letter to Congressman N. J. Sinnott, Sunday evening, urging upon him the necessity of the dry measure that was to be considered the following day in the House of Representatives.

They also voiced a disapproval of the use of grains and sugar in liquor manufacture.

A Sunday School census of the city has just been completed by the united action of all the Sunday Schools, whereby information was collected to be used in getting recruits for the different schools. An effort is to be made to get every child and all young people into some one of the schools.

A Sunday School census of the eral years' experience in this line and has all the modern conveniences and equipment to be found in a large city. Her many former patrons will be glad to know that she is again ready for business.

ARE YOU A HOBAB?

MAYOR STEWART'S RED CROSS PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the American Red Cross, through its President, Honorable Woodrow Wilson, its Chairman, Honorable William H. Taft, and the Chairman if its War Council, Honorable H. P. na Davison, has called upon all loyal and patriotic citizens of the United States to affiliate with said organization by taking membership therein, and

WHEREAS the week of December 17-24 has been designated to by the aforesaid as the time for membership affiliation, and WHEREAS the State of Oregon has been assigned the quota Ma

No of 240,000 members, being 30 per cent of its estimated population, and

WHEREAS to fulfill its quota it is necessary for every man 🛤 and woman in Oregon to join the American Red Cross,

THEREFORE, I, D. F Stewart, Mayor of Prineville, do hereby PROCLAIM to all citizens of the City of Prineville that it is Ma a patriotic duty incumbent upon each and all of them to affiliate 🛰 with the American Red Cross during the aforesaid week of De-MIL cember 17-24, to the end that the City of Prineville and the State Na of Oregon may sustain our beloved nation and the American Red Ma 🖎 Cross to the full extent required. Every man and woman in 🛤 Na Oregon must become a member of the American Red Cross dur- Na ing the week to fulfill this patriotic obligation.

This proclamation by me issued on December 18, 1917. D. F. STEWART, Mayor.

Her many Prineville triends re- MORE THAN 300 MEN GOVERNMENT MEN TO ON OCHOCO SYSTEM COLLECT INCOME TAX

STEAM SHOVEL HAS TASK 35 PER CENT COMPLETED

HAS BEEN WORKING SIX WEEKS

Much Work Done on East End of Canal-Big Cut Will be Completed in Ten Days

board and all parties concerned have assisted in making up a combination

The steam shovel has covered two miles of the distance it is to build, who and has four and a half miles yet them. It has been working about six weeks.

From the section that is being completed by the shovel to the dam is a distance of one and a half miles which will be lined with cement. The enlarging of this section, and preparation for cement has been about fifty per cent completed.

On the west end, one and a half miles of main canal and a few days in the big cut will complete the tax system to the east line of the Ruth- as field place, and many canals have been built in this district also.

NOTICE TO YOUNG MEN

On Tuesday, Dec. 18, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., two boys visited an automobile two standing in the street east of Hod-son's Machine Shop. They took with them a tire pump, a monkey wrench, and an inner tube. One of these boys wore a bright checked cap. If these boys want to keep out of trouble they had better return the goods as parties have them spotted.

LITTLE VANITY SHOP

Mrs. Omer Claypool Opens Modern Beauty Parlors

Mrs. Omer Claypool has moved her Beauty Shop to the building formerly occupied by Percy Smith and will have her opening tomor-row. The furnishings are all in white ivory and the drapings in cre-

You won't have to figure out your own income tax all by yourself hereafter. The government is going to send out men to help you. It will be up to you to hunt up these mea, who will be sent into every county seat town, and some other towns besides, to meet the people. Most-masters, bankers and newspapers will be able to tell you when the government income tax man will be around, and where to find him. answer your questions, swear you to the return, take your money, and remove the wrinkles from your brow. Returns of income for 1917 must be made between January 1st and March 1st, 1918.

The Government recognizes that many persons experience a good deal of difficulty in filling out income tax forms. It recognizes too, that tax-Registrants must emphatically carefully their questionnaire effore appearing before the legal livisory board. Failure so to read e questionnaire has, and will, relif in great inconvenience to the gistrant.

LEGAL ADVISORY. While it is impossible to estimate on the law, and help in executing accurately the total percentage of their returns. My own and every the work that has been completed, other collection district in the naof the canal system, it would seem to tion will be divided into districts. be a safe guess to say that the work with the county as the unit, and a is much farther advanced than any government officer informed in the income tax assigned to each district. one had thought possible in so short income tax assigned to each district, a time before construction started. He will spend hardly less than a Ideal weather has been the greatest single assistance the workers counties a longer time, very likely have had, but a spirit of cooperation in the Court House at the county county

between contractors and engineers, seat town. In cities where there are competent and complete engineering collector's branch offices, he will be the work started, and a there, and in other cities possibly of harmony between the at the city hall. My office will in due time advise postmasters and bankers and send out notices to the that has made the progress and newspapers stating when the officer quality of the work being accom- will be in each county. It will be plished under the district, the talk unnecessary for prospective taxpayers to ask my office for forms on which to make returns. The officer who visits their county will have

> It may be stated as a matter of general information that "net income" is the remainder after subtracting expenses from gross income Personal, family, or living expense is not expense in the meaning of the law, the exemption being allowed to mines, came to the prairie last Suncover such expenses.
>
> day and is visiting at the Muddy

The new exemptions of \$1000.00 and \$2000.00 will add tens of thousands to the number of income

make return and pay tax.

The law makes it the duty of the taxpayer to seek out the collector. Many people assume that if an income tax form is not sent, or a government officer does not call, they are relieved from mobility.

Tuesday.

Jim Cram was at Meadow a few days this week. He left Wednesday for Prineville with a bunch of horses for Nichols and Cofoid.

Ed McDonald, of Roberts, will take Mr. Merritt's ment to Prineville, liquor interests made as much of a resistance as was possible which availed them nothing.

The measure provides that within the next six years, thirty-two states must pass the must pass the mass the mass the must pass the mass that the mass the m are relieved from making report. This is decidedly in error. It is the other way round. The taxpayer has to go to the government and if he doesn't within the time prescribed, he is a violator of the law, and the government will go to him with its

FIFE ITEMS (By our Regular Correspondent.)

Mrs. B. B. Balfour was a passenger on the stage Saturday enroute to Bend where she attended the Teachers' Institute.

Master Chester Hubbard is

the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Crain and Know.
Univ. daughter, Charlotte, of Prineville, were visitors at Fife last week.

Bruce Balfour, of the Stuart STRAYED—Three heifers, two years ranch, purchased a Ford while in

Burns. Word has been received that Julien C. Penrose, a former resident of Fife, who was in training at American Lake, has been sent to

Edward Street motored from

OIL STATION HERE

U at O WARREN

Business Houses Agree to Support Company Who Will Build Station

Practically all the heavy users of gasoline and oil products in the city signed an agreement this week to the effect that they will unite in the support of any company that will build an oil station near the terminal grounds of the city railway.

At present this business is going SHOULD BE A MEMBER

almost entirely to the Standard Oil Company which has a station at Redmond and supplies this point with a large tank truck.

The consumers do not care which

company supplies the business, but insist that there be a local station instead of a supply from Redmond.

Rolyat to Mr. Street's Monday. Emil Carroz was seen in our vicinity this week.

There will be a dance at Buck reek Hall on Dec. 31. Everyone Creek is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chapman have

returned from their trip to the Willamette Valley. They are employed at the Dixon ranch. Wesley and Henry Street came over from Silver Creek last week.

Donald Stuart and wife, of the G.
I. ranch, left Thursday for Portland
where they will spend the holidays.
Bruce Balfour, John McEachern
and Claud Wilson returned Sunday
from Narrows where they delivered
a hunch of cattle

bunch of cattle.
Frank Crain was a business caller t Geo. Huettl's last week.

MEDICAL ADVISORY BOARD OR-GANIZED

The following men were appoint-The following men were appointed on the Medical Advisory Board for Crook, Deschutes and Jefferson counties: U. C. Coe, chairman; Dr. J. C. Vandevert and Dr. W. W. Faulkner, of Bend; and Dr. C. S. Edwards, Dr. E. O. Hyde and Dr. H. G. Dayle, of Principallie.

G. Davis, of Prineville.

The purpose of this board is for the drafted man to refer to if he thinks he has not had fair treas

ment by other physicians.

The board was organized in Bend, Tuesday afternoon.

The legal advisory board for Crook County created pursuant to the Selective Service Regulations out the necessity of being called upon. has established permanent head-quarters in the Courthouse for the accommodation of registrants. At-torney Geo. L. Bernier will be in charge and the quarters have been set up in the County Court Room, where registrants will find Mr. Ber-nier during office hours.

In addition registrants may present themselves to the following members of the advisory board at their respective offices or places of business: Judge T. E. J. Duffy, Judge N. G. Wallace, L. M. Bechtell, T. M. Baldwin, A. R. Bowman, Dr. V. Gesner, Cladia Wagoner, Jay H. Lyton, M. R. Biggs, M. R. Elliott, James G. McGuffie were elected dim. E. Brink and Willard H. Wirtz.

All questionnaires must turned to the Local Exemption Board, which means to the sheriff or to the county clerk properly answered and filled out within seven answered and filled out within seven majorities, the one precinct, Des-days from the date of the receipt of chutes, showing a tie vote. the questionnaire under penalty of being subject consequently to the first call.

MEADOWS NEWS

(By our Regular Correspondent)

Fine weather. W. T. Davenport made a trip to Tacoma, Washington, recently.
Miss Lillian Swank, of Ochoco

ranch for a few days. Hay Creek.

before long. Joe McCollum, of Meadow, is spending a few days, in Prineville this week, having dental work done.

SUNDAY SUBJECTS ANNOUNCED

There will be a men's meeting at the Baptist Church Sunday afternon at 3 o'clock. Dr. Lyon will give an address on the subject, "The Boomerang.".
A women's meeting will be held at

the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Sunday and at this service Mrs. Lyon will give an address on the subject, "Things You Ought to subject,

RED CROSS DRIVE ON THROUGHOUT NATION

REAL CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Crook County Will Surpass Allotment of Thirteen Hundred

Members

The Red Cross Christmas Membership campaign started through-out the nation with a rush this

The plan is to secure as many members as is possible, each person paying not less than \$1, and in this way to interest everyone in the cause of doing as much for humanity as is possible in and near the war

In Oregon, where a membership of a quarter of a million is sought, an organization that reaches every

an organization that reaches every community has been perfected and hundreds of men and women are busy securing members.

Crook County has been asked to provide a list of not less than 1300 members, the figures being based upon the population, and county chairman H. Baldwin has the organization completed and working that will produce a total of more than that number.

He with R. L. Schee, is working throughout the county by auto, and when the campaign closes will have the results.

the results.

It is not necessary to wait until you are called upon to join the Red Mail or hand your money and your name to Mr. Baldwin, or any of the community workers, and you will be properly credited, and the work of the committee will be great-

SETTLERS VOTE FOR IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Of the six election precincts into which the district was divided all but one voted in favor of the forma-tion of the district by substantial

being placed in the first class and ARRESTED FOR SELLING CIDER

P. M. Ruthfield Will be Tried Today Before Judge Bowman

P. M. Ruthfield was arrested a few days ago for selling hard cider to employes on the Ochoco Irriga-tion Project. He will be tried this afternoon befor Judge Bowman.

NATIONAL PROHIBITION

on for a few days.

C. Berkeley and John Aldrich,
Hay Creek, were up at their tives passed the national bone dry amendment on Monday afternoon.

ritt expects to enlist in the service of this state voted for the dry before long.

Joe McCollum, of Meadow, is the third district voted against it. During the final hours before the vote was taken, in answer to a full page advertisement in Washington papers purporting to come from organized labor and signed by Samuel Gompers, W. J. Bryan said that the "patriotism of the laboring man is

not measured by the quart. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

We invite all men everywhere and never more heartily and urgently than at this glad Christmas season. Come and hear The Bells of Bethle-hem, the story of the Child and the Union meeting at 7:30 p. m.

TRAYED—Three heifers, two years old last spring. Branded Triangle with 'S' in center on right ribs. There is a wattle on right hind leg. Were purchased of Bruce Gray, so have dog iron on hip. Please notify B. L. Tone, Sisters, Oregon. Will pay for any trouble or expense incurred.

hem, the story of the Child and the Emperor. Which king will you serve, Christ or Caesar? Service at 11 o'clock. Special music. A cordial welcome to newcomers. If you like gospel preaching you will enjoy coming next Sunday. Bible School at 16, Young People's rally at 6:30. Come and hear Dr. Lyon every night. We have heard the greatest preachers of the U. S. and Europe and Lyon is equal to any of them.