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RAILS ORDERED FOR PRINEVILLE RAILROAD

BRIDGE MATERIAL ORDERED AND BEING PREPARED

EARLY COMPLETION ASSURED

Soft Wagon Roads Are Handicap—Financing Seems Completed

Plans for the completion of the Prineville railroad were ordered this week, and other materials such as lumber for the bridges and other work has been ordered and is already sawed for early delivery.

The grading of the road is completed, and almost all the right of way fenced and ready for the track.

While the final plans for early completion of the road are all worked out, and practically all agreed to by those who are to do the work, positive announcement of these details will be made in a very few days, or as soon as advisable.

It is safe however to say that the road will be completed very soon. The greatest delay is soft wagon roads over which some hauling will be necessary before the road is finished.

The complete financing of the project has been greatly delayed by powers entirely beyond control of the council, but these difficulties have been overcome, and all delays of this nature eliminated during the week.

8,000 WAR STAMP STATIONS IN OREGON

Eight thousand stations for the sale of War Savings Thrift Stamps, in addition to regularly authorized individual sales agents, are to be established in Oregon within the next month.

National Chairman Frank Vanderlip has wired Thrift campaign headquarters at Portland to the effect that one million such stations are to be established throughout the country during the month of January and Oregon will lose no time in doing her part. The plan is to have a sales station for every 100 of population and to make "War Savings Stamps For Sale Here" signs so common the "dropping in" to buy a stamp and help win the war will become a matter of daily routine until the habit of "Thrift" becomes a national characteristic, just as it is in France.

French statesmen, moreover, declare that it is in fact the thriftiness of the French people that has made possible the Republic's stand against the inhumanity of the Hun.

Charles N. Wonnacott, associate director of the Thrift Campaign in Oregon, declares himself well satisfied with the way things are moving. "Every man, woman, and child in Oregon," said Mr. Wonnacott, "must help us 'put over' Uncle Sam's new two billion dollar 'baby bond' issue. Oregon's share is \$17,000,000 and it means an average daily sale of \$50,000 worth of stamps to meet the requirement. That means a good many 'two-bit' pieces, but we have them and if they go for Thrift Stamps instead of for wasteful extravagances, we will come out with flying colors."

No compilation of state figures has been received but latest reports on the larger cities show Portland in ninth place in amount of sales. New York City is first. Then comes Chicago, Cincinnati, Detroit, Kansas City, Pittsburg, St. Louis, Milwaukee and Portland. Seattle is twenty-ninth, Los Angeles tenth, and San Francisco, thirty-second.

Mrs. Laura Casey, of Powell Butte, who underwent an operation Monday, is rapidly recovering at the Home Hospital. Dr. Horace Belknap, of Portland, was the attending physician.

JULES CAMBON



Jules Cambon, former ambassador to the United States, now director of the American department of the French government.

PHYSICAL EXAMS FOR THE CLASS ONE MEN

Starting today, and continuing until all have been examined, fifteen men will be called before the local board to test their physical fitness for military duty.

This includes but the men in class one, and from those who pass as physically fit will be taken the men in the draft as the calls are made.

The completed list will appear in the Journal as soon as corrected.

NAMES ADDED TO CLASS ONE

The Following Men Will Be Examined For Military Service Also

A number of names have been added to the list of class one men during the week by the local exemption board:

Martin Hess
David F. Guterthuth
Robert John Handy
Mark Leroy Forrest
Hugh Lawrence Lister
Aaron Hoffman
William A. Pausch
Scipion H. Bertrand
Henry Smith
Robert H. McCullough
Jesse Summerfield
Banamin Davies Fox
Harvey Emmett Burnett
Roy L. Hunter
Jackson Lee Fancher
Pierre Harmsberry
Harry Loren Kimble
Ira B. Higgins
Erwin William Foster
George Bailey

The following names published in class one last week belong in other classes:

John Linder Major
Fred Allen Grimes
Gaylord McDaniel
Charles Eloy Johnson
George Giddens

HELD FOR LARCENY

Perry Morgan Given 12½ Days in Jail for Taking Coat

Perry Morgan was fined \$25 Saturday by Judge Bowman for the larceny of a coat.

In default of the amount, he was placed in the county jail, where he will serve twelve and a half days.

CONSTRUCTION ON ROAD BEGUN

Contractor Started Work Last Week on Mitchell End of Line

Work was started by the contractor on the Prineville-Mitchell road last week from the Mitchell end of the line.

MARY PICKFORD AT LYRIC

Will Appear Friday and Saturday in "The Poor Little Rich Girl"

Mary Pickford, one of the most widely known and best liked film stars, will be shown at the Lyric in "The Poor Little Rich Girl" on Friday and Saturday evenings.

The Journal does modern printing on short notice.

UNION MEETINGS CLOSE SUCCESSFUL SERIES

DR. LYON WILL REMAIN UNTIL MONDAY EVENING

ABOUT TWENTY CONVERSIONS

Interest Remained Good—Congregation Subscribed Over \$500 for Evangelist

The Lyon Union meetings closed Tuesday evening after a most successful six weeks' series. While the number of conversions was not as great as was hoped, the interest was of the best, and the fact that the speaker is appreciated by Prineville people was attested to by the unanimous vote of the audience that filled the house at the Baptist church Tuesday evening, to accept Dr. Lyon's proposition to remain in Prineville and speak each evening until Monday next.

In just twenty minutes the congregation made a voluntary subscription to a fund that totaled more than \$500 with which to pay Dr. Lyon and his party for the work they have done in Prineville. This fund is additional to the expense fund which was raised and disposed of earlier in the meetings.

Rev. Treadwell left Prineville for Portland yesterday morning where he will visit friends and relatives for a few days.

The remaining members of the Lyon party will leave for Oakland, California, in a few days where arrangements are being completed for a big meeting, which they will conduct there.

The last sermon by Dr. Lyon in Prineville for the present will be preached at the Baptist church Sunday evening, and all of the churches of the city have been extended an invitation to join in this service.

BASKET BALL FRIDAY

C. C. H. S. and Madras Teams Will Play Double Header

Crook County High School and Madras High School teams will play basket ball in this city Friday evening in a double header.

Each school will play its regular team starting at about 8 o'clock but as a curtain raiser the freshmen team from each school will contest for honors starting at 7 o'clock.

An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged for the evening.

AFTER CATTLE RUSTLERS

Deputy Sheriff Rowell Finds Evidence But Not Enough for Arrests

Deputy Sheriff F. A. Rowell spent two days in the Bear Creek Butte country the last of the week in search of some cattle rustlers.

While he discovered considerable evidence showing that cattle had been killed there, not enough was obtainable at the time to warrant arrests.

Try a Journal Classified Ad.

INCOME TAX BLANKS AT BANKS AND POSTOFFICE

IF YOU ARE SINGLE AND RECEIVE \$1000 IT MEANS YOU

MARRIED MEN EXEMPT \$2000

A Large Number of Crook County People Will Be Required To Make Returns

The income tax man would like to see you if you are single and had a net income of more than \$1000 last year, or if you are married and received more than \$2000. Each child is entitled to an exemption of \$200 if they are at home and under 18 years of age.

It is a duty that devolves upon you, if you come within the above classes, to call upon the income tax collector, who in this instance is the Hon. Frank Miller, of Portland, and to do so you must see him at the office of the county treasurer at the court house before the evening of January 21.

If you miss him, call at either of the banks or the postoffice, and get a blank, fill it out yourself and forward to the office of Mr. Miller in Portland.

A large number of Crook County people have made their returns during the week, and Mr. Miller suggests that all farmers and everyone who may come within the classes that may have to pay should keep their accounts in such shape that they can make the returns more readily next year.

He goes from Prineville to Burns, where he is due about January 23.

All taxes, interest on money borrowed for the conduct of your business and donations to all charitable causes are counted out of your gross income.

SCHOOL HOUSES CENTER

War Measures Will Be Discussed There Says McAdoo

School houses throughout the state, in the cities and in the country, are to be used as meeting places in which the lessons of the government's War Savings Thrift Stamps Campaign may be disseminated. The suggestions are made in a message received at the Portland Headquarters of the campaign from W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury and Associate State Director, C. N. Wonnacott, at once took steps to comply with the request. Through the thrift campaign—the importance of making thrift a national characteristic—and the patriotic necessity of buying government thrift stamps and war savings stamps, will be the first consideration of the school house meetings. Other issues of the war will also be discussed.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. Lyon will speak both morning and evening next Sunday, Jan. 20th, at 11 and 7:30. Bible School at 10. Young People's meeting at 8:30. New comers welcomed.

SENATOR BRADY



United States Senator James H. Brady of Idaho, who died at his home in Washington from heart disease.

WORK IS STARTED ON JUNIPER COVE LATERAL

The construction of the large lateral which will carry water to the big stave pipe across the Ochoco Valley east of this city has been started by contractor Nick Mendic.

A camp has been established at the old Smeizer place from which the north end of the work will be completed, and a camp is being constructed for the work in Juniper Cove near the south end of the stave pipe.

A car load of material for the construction of the pipe is at Redmond, and will be hauled and the construction rushed as rapidly as possible.

CROOK FIRST AGAIN

Scores 96 Percent Perfect in Food Conservation

Crook County scored 96 percent perfect in the food pledge campaign recently held. The above percentage of signatures was secured to food pledge cards.

The work, in the country districts especially, was made possible through the schools, and Superintendent Myers informs us that the same organization will be used in furthering the campaign and in the sale of war savings stamps.

PRINEVILLE MARINE WEDS

On Saturday, January 5, Ralph H. Christian and Miss Edna Kohfeld were united in marriage at San Francisco, California, by Rev. Wm. Ghrecks. Mrs. Christian formerly lived in Bend where her father was head miller of the Bend Flour Mill. Since July she has made her home in San Francisco. Ralph is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Christian, of Prineville. He enlisted in the navy last May and has been located at Mare Island nearly all of the time since then. The many friends of the young couple join in wishing them a happy future. Their home will be in San Francisco until Ralph is called to the east coast.

LUNCHEON AT THE PRINEVILLE

R. L. Schee Makes Report on the Irrigation Congress

A well attended luncheon was held Friday at the Prineville Hotel at which R. L. Schee gave a report of the work of the Oregon Irrigation Congress.

The luncheon tomorrow will be held at the same place.

SMOKER TOMORROW NIGHT

Commercial Club Advertising Event For Members and Others

A smoker will be held tomorrow night at the Commercial Club rooms in this city.

All members and their gentlemen friends are expected to be present.

C. C. H. S. CHAMPIONS OF CENTRAL OREGON

C. C. H. S. HAS HIGHEST PERCENTAGE IN TRIANGLE

DEBATE WITH THE DALLES JAN. 23

The Bend and Culver Schools Were Eliminated In Series Held Friday

Crook County High will be the only school in Central Oregon to participate in the Oregon State Debating League. In an elimination contest held at Bend, Culver and Prineville last Friday evening the results were as follows: At Prineville—Bend 2, Prineville 1. At Culver—Prineville 3, Culver 0. At Bend—Bend 1, Culver 2. This gives the Prineville school the highest percentage of the three.

The students representing Crook County High in Prineville, Friday, were Oscar Payne and Lynn Cram. They upheld the affirmative. At Culver were Lucile Springer and Lester Coshow upholding the negative. A banquet was tendered the students and visitors at Culver Friday evening.

The question was: "Resolved That The Single Tax As Advocated By Henry George Is Desirable For Oregon."

As The Dalles school won from both Wasco and Moro in that triangle, they will send a team here and a team will be sent from here to The Dalles on January 23.

Crook County High is forging to the front as usual and with the able coaching of Prof. Baughman we expect and believe they will bring home the usual results.

COUNTY DIVISION CASE TO SUPREME COURT

The case against the creation of Deschutes County has been appealed to the supreme court.

Judge Wallace, who is attorney in this case, is confident of winning the appeal, and is busy preparing material to be used when the case is taken up for consideration by the court.

PACIFIC TEL. & TEL. CO. MOVING

Offices Will Be In New Concrete Building Opposite Postoffice

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company is preparing to move to their new building either Saturday or Monday. Several men are working on the lines and are placing the ones leading into the main office under ground. The offices are roomy and very convenient.

DEATH OF MRS. YESKY

On Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wolke at Combs Flat occurred the death of Mrs. Yesky at the age of 89 years. She was the grandmother of Mrs. E. P. Lee, formerly of this city. Funeral services were held in Prineville, Tuesday afternoon, Dr. J. H. Gervin officiating.

POPULAR LECTURE MONDAY

The University of Hard Knocks by Dr. Lyon

On Monday evening next, Dr. E. P. Lyon will deliver his famous lecture, "The University of Hard Knocks", which he has delivered from the lecture platform to large audiences in many places.

There will be no admission fee charged but a silver offering will be taken at the close of the meeting.

The lecture is a review of Dr. Lyon's life, from his start as a poor boy to his present position, which has been attained without help from relatives or anyone.



MARY PICKFORD IN "A POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL" AIRCRAFT PICTURES

Appearing at the Lyric Theatre Friday and Saturday Evenings