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PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION NOTICES OUT

CANDIDATES TO BE CHOSEN FOR VARIOUS OFFICES

WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, MAY 17

Polls Will Open at Eight O'clock A. M. and Remain Open Until Eight O'clock P. M.

Primary nominating election notices are being posted this week. The primaries will be held on May 17, at the usual polling places in all precincts in the county.

At this time Republican and Democratic parties will choose their candidates for United States, state, county, district, precinct and other offices.

In the county the officers to be elected are: Sheriff, treasurer, surveyor, clerk, commissioner and coroner.

Warren Brown, democrat, is the only candidate for clerk. H. A. Kelly, republican, is the only candidate for surveyor and H. J. Lister, republican, is the only candidate for commissioner.

The contest will be for sheriff, with Floyd A. Rowell and J. H. Wigle, democrats, and Silas E. Hodges and Norris Morgan, republicans, seeking nominations.

N. G. Wallace, democrat and present incumbent, and Col. F. Smith, republican, are candidates for county judge.

ROADS GOOD NEAR CITY

L. J. Simpson and Party Comment On Central Oregon Roads

L. J. Simpson, candidate for governor, and Ralph J. Staehli have just returned to Portland after a trip through Central Oregon with a Ford car.

In commenting on the roads Mr. Simpson says: "From Madras to Prineville and from Prineville to Bend the roads were smooth as pavement and not dusty. But from Bend began the journey which caused the comment. The roads from Bend to LaPine had just been cleared of snow and as they drove over the divide and through the Deschutes National Forest, the snow still lay on the road and in the ditches at many points." In many places it was almost impossible to crank a car on account of the mud.

Mr. Simpson's was the first car to make the trip directly through from The Dalles to Lakeview and on to Ontario.

TWO MORE CALLED

Two Men To Go From Prineville To Fort McDowell, Cal.

Two men will be sent from here to Fort McDowell, California, April 25. This is the second call in the last thirty days, the first having been for six men.

Otis Wayne Ramsower and Harry Farnsworth are the next in line with Thomas B. Phillips and Joseph Rountree as substitutes.

There will be a call between May 1 and May 15 for 50,000 from the nation. Oregon's quota will be 251 men. There will be several calls each month in the future.

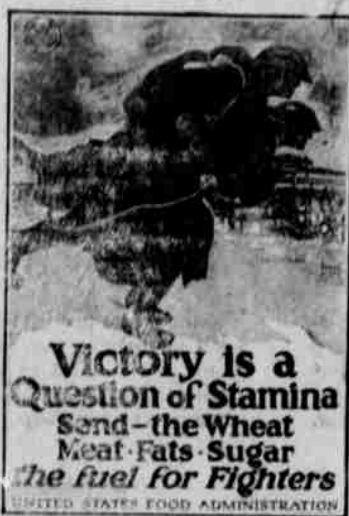
The six men who go from here April 25, will be sent to American Lake.

JOURNAL HAS NEW FOREMAN

W. B. Russell Takes Charge of Mechanical Plant

W. B. Russell, who for years has been connected with the McMinnville publishing house where the Pacific Baptist, Telephone Register and College publications are printed, has accepted the foremanship of the Journal mechanical department, and arrived in Prineville, Saturday, to start his new work.

Mr. Russell has devoted many years to the printing business, and is a past master at the art.



SUGAR BEET SEED HERE FOR MANY TEST PLOTS

Lake M. Bechtell has 100 pounds of sugar beet seed, which has been shipped to him by the David Eccles Company of Ogden, Utah, which he will distribute to 65 or 70 farmers in the vicinity of Prineville, preferably those who could supply beets to a factory, should one be erected in this city.

The seed will be given out in lots of about 1 1/2 pounds each, and this will be sufficient for a plot of ground 50x100 feet.

It is the desire of the company that an honest test be made of all the territory within an eight mile radius, which is about as far as a profitable haul of beets can be made.

An exception will be made however in the territory lying on the north slope of Powell Butte, where conditions are thought to be favorable to the growing of sugar beets.

After the beets have attained sufficient size, they must be thinned and irrigated as well as cultivated, and in this manner placed in the same condition as they would be in larger fields should the industry develop here.

Mr. Eccles will visit this territory in May or June, in order to inspect the growing beets.

He advises that late planting of samples received from this community last year showed that they were not matured, and advises immediate action, in order that the beets may have time to mature.

If you can care for one of these plots, get the seed at once from Mr. Bechtell, and prepare to plant and care for it.

The seed is provided and tests of the beets made free, in order that a check can be made on the possibilities for the industry here.

RED CROSS SHIPMENT

The ladies of the Red Cross sent their April shipment last week. It consisted of 190 pieces. The first of next week a shipment of knitting will be sent, containing 75 pairs of socks and 14 sweaters. More machines and more workers are needed. Make a special effort to be present on Wednesdays and Fridays.

ANNUAL MEETING AT ONTARIO

Stockmen Will Attend Meeting of Cattle & Horse Raisers Assn.

All stockmen wishing to attend the annual meeting of the Cattle & Horse Raisers' Association at Ontario on April 23-24 and then visit breeding plants and feeding experimental lots of cattle in Union and Baker counties, are requested to correspond with R. A. Ward at Redmond.

Professors Potter and Nelson of O. A. C. are going to accompany the stockmen on this tour. Autos for the trip through Union and Baker counties will be furnished by the County Agents of those counties.

GOLD IS DISCOVERED

Workmen on John Grimes Place Discover Gold in Gravel

Workmen, who are excavating for a drop or headgate on the John Grimes place yesterday, discovered placer gold in the gravel. A sample has been taken and tests are being made as to the extent of the pay dirt.

This is located about four miles from Prineville.

S. S. INSTITUTE SET FOR SUNDAY, MAY 5

DAY WILL BE BUSY ONE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

ALL THE PRINEVILLE SCHOOLS

Will Take Part in Programs Aimed to Assist in Sunday School Work

Prineville will have a Sunday School institute on Sunday, May 5. The day will be a busy one for the young people of the city and the Sunday schools from the Presbyterian, Christian, Methodist and Baptist churches will participate in the programs.

While a definite program is not yet announced, it has been decided by those in charge of the arrangements that the afternoon and evening will be devoted to the work.

If the day is nice, an outdoor program may be arranged for the afternoon, and a basket picnic dinner may be had.

A meeting of the workers will be held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, to complete arrangements after which complete details will be announced.

CLEAN-UP WEEK WILL BE FIRST WEEK IN MAY

A state-wide movement is on to make the first week in May, Clean-Up-Week. The matter was discussed at the Friday luncheon and R. L. Schee was appointed to look after the matter. He will take it up with the council at their next meeting.

The Mayor will no doubt issue a proclamation to this effect.

JUDGE COKE VISITS CITY

Candidate For Supreme Bench In Prineville Yesterday

Judge John S. Coke, of Eugene, was in the city yesterday. Judge Coke is a candidate for Justice of the State Supreme Court. He is now and has been for the past ten years, Circuit Judge of the Second Judicial District.

Judge Coke is a man of wide experience and his record is one of constructive and broad aims. He should receive the vote of everyone who is interested in encouraging the development of the state's resources.

WILL LECTURE ON THE ARMENIAN SITUATION

H. J. WINGATE, OF TARLAS, TURKEY, IN PRINEVILLE

AT METHODIST CHURCH AT 7:30

Man Who has Had Personal Experience With Turks Will Speak

H. J. Wingate, of Tarlas, Turkey, is in Prineville today and will address a mass meeting at the Methodist church this evening at 7:30 on the Armenian situation.

A meeting of the business men of the city will be held at 2:30, at the Methodist Church, which will be addressed by Mr. Wingate also.

Mr. Wingate left Armenia about thirty days ago and will lecture on conditions there. He is accompanied by J. J. Hunsaker, head of the Armenian Relief Work in Oregon.

We have read and heard much about the Armenian situation but have not before had an opportunity to hear an address from one who has witnessed the conditions there, and the vivid description of these conditions will be of great interest to every citizen, besides the human appeal in the lecture.

SENATOR HOUSTON SPEAKS ON THE WAR

Senator S. B. Houston addressed a large audience at the Commercial Club smoker Tuesday evening. He spoke on the war and conditions in general. He is very much interested having two sons in the service. He did not mention the fact in his address that he was a candidate for United States Senator.

UPTON FILES TOO LATE

Would Have Been Candidate For Joint Representative

Jay H. Upton filed his declaration of his intention to become a candidate for joint representative, on his return from a Liberty Loan speaking tour through Klamath County. However the filings reached the office of the Secretary of State too late to allow him a place on the ballot.

Bad roads were probably responsible for his losing the place.



BOYS TO ENROLL FOR WORK ON THE FARMS

Oregon's job in the National drive to recruit boys for farm labor which opens on April 15th, is to enroll at least 9500 boys for work on Oregon's farms, fruit ranches and dairies. It is a big job and is being handled in a big way. Considering the activities that have been set in motion to promote the work, it will be surprising if the total number of boys enrolled does not greatly exceed the allotment fixed as Oregon's quota.

The recruiting is being conducted by the State Office of the Boy's Working Reserve, 309 Corbett Building, Portland, in co-operation with the State Council of Defense and through the Public Schools, Private Schools, Y. M. C. A's, Boy Scouts, Play Grounds and every organization that deals with boys, is expected to reach every boy in the State between the ages of 16 and 21.

H. McCALL SELLS JERSEYS

One of the top live stock sales of the year was made last Friday when Sam Woods, a prominent Jersey breeder of Redmond, purchased six head of top notch Jerseys from Henry McCall of Prineville for \$3,000.00. These were animals of exceptional quality, three of the cows being in the register of merit, Spornfield Owl, Flying Fox and the famous Golden Glow strains were represented in the breeding of the cows purchased. This deal gives Mr. Woods 14 pure-bred Jerseys of outstanding breeding on his Redmond stock farm.

ROSE BUYS STAGE LINE

James Toney Sells Interest To His Partner, Enos Rose

A sale was made recently whereby Enos Rose becomes the sole owner of the passenger stage line between Prineville and Redmond. Toney and Rose formerly operated the line together. Mr. Toney will be foreman for Herbert Angell on the ranch recently purchased from Dixon Bros.

RECENT SALES OF O. & W. CO.

The following sales were recently made by the Oregon and Western Colonization Company: Cal Clemmons 320, H. H. Hawley 1280, J. J. Melton 320, N. E. Melton 320, C. S. Congleton 80, A. T. Powell 640, D. J. Evans 720, W. A. Carson 640, I. M. Mills 640, C. S. Edwards 240, E. W. Donnelly 80, M. Miller 960, T. F. Matney 240, L. J. Ogden 160, Jake Hughes 640, L. and J. J. Welsenfels 640. Total sales 8880 acres.

FIRE IN CORNETT RESIDENCE

A fire which started from a lighted match being dropped in one of the rooms on the second floor, completely destroyed the entire contents of the room in the residence belonging to John Cornett, on the north side of the Ochoco, Sunday night about 10:30 o'clock. Prompt response of the Fire Department saved the residence from being completely destroyed.

DAVID DUNN FOUND GUILTY

David Dunn was found guilty of attempting the life of Grover Caldwell in Bend last March. The trial lasted two days.

It is understood that Dunn's attorneys will make a motion for a new trial.

LIBERTY LOAN QUOTA PASSES 150 PERCENT

SUBSCRIPTIONS STILL COMING IN IS LAST REPORT

\$150,000 SUBSCRIBED TO DATE

Crook County Quietly Goes "Over The Top" In Her Usual Manner

The quota for the Third Liberty Loan for Crook County was \$91,000. The subscriptions to date are \$150,000.

The last report from the banks was to the effect that subscriptions were still coming in and it looked very much like the quota was going to be doubled before the drive is finished.

The Crook County Liberty Loan leaders were well and efficiently organized before the drive started and we went over the top in the usual manner without any trouble.

BOWMAN TO BE CHAIRMAN

Luncheon At Hotel Prineville Tomorrow At Twelve O'clock

The Commercial Club luncheon will be held at the Prineville Hotel at noon tomorrow, with A. E. Bowman as chairman. Matters of considerable importance to the community will be discussed at this time and a large crowd is expected.

WAR HORSE INSPECTION

Captain Frank Von Stade, of the War Department, will be in Prineville, April 25th to 27th for the purpose of inspecting horses. Unbroken horses will be taken, also artillery horses, between the ages of four and nine years.

The price will be \$135 for satisfactory animals. Have your horses in the city and ready for inspection at that date.

C. E. ELECTS OFFICERS

The Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church held their semi-annual election recently. The following officers were elected: President, Mary Randall; vice president, Vivian Hinkle; secretary, Myrtle Lister; treasurer, Blanche Rowell; pianist, Zenda Hendrickson.

BOWMAN FOR TREASURER

Judge A. R. Bowman filed his declaration yesterday to become a candidate for the office of county treasurer.

Judge Bowman is well and favorably known throughout the county and will no doubt receive a heavy vote.

DEPOT SAFE CRACKED

Thieves Escape With \$200 Cash From Redmond Depot Safe

Monday night thieves entered the Redmond depot and escaped with \$200 cash from the safe. The culprits have not been located, but the authorities are on their trail and it is thought they will be apprehended.

WILL INSPECT GAUGES

Fred F. Henshaw Arrived Today on Periodical Trip

Fred F. Henshaw, District Engineer for the U. S. C. S., is in Prineville today on one of his regular trips, inspecting the stream gauges in this vicinity for the government.

COSGRAY-HAGENBERGER

Sergeant H. V. Cosgray, of the 403d Squadron Signal Corps, Vancouver, Wash., and Miss Jeanie Hagenberger were married at the home of the bride's parents in Portland, Wednesday, April 10. Mrs. Cosgray formerly resided near Howard and has many friends in Prineville.

