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MEMORIAL TREES ARE PLANTED IN PARK

IN MEMORY OF CROOK COUNTY'S WAR HEROES

DR. GERVIN DELIVERS ADDRESS

Map Of Grounds Is Made And Trees Are Named So That They May Be Easily Located

Memorial services were held at the City Park Sunday afternoon and trees were planted in memory of the Crook county boys who gave up their lives during the war. A small crowd was present because of the extremely cold weather. M. E. Brink gave a short talk and explained the purpose of the gathering after which the trees were planted by Jay H. Upton, M. E. Brink, C. W. Elkins, Dr. Gervin and Judge N. G. Wallace. Jay H. Upton introduced Dr. Gervin who gave a very interesting talk on the war and paid a glowing tribute to the boys who took part in the war and especially to those who sacrificed their lives in the great cause. A map of the ground has been made and each tree named so that if anyone wishes to bestow special care on any tree they may be able to locate it by calling on M. E. Brink, who will show them the map. Following is a list of those from Crook county who sacrificed their lives: Thomas O'Kelley, Delbert Lane, Clyde Smith, Elmer Houston, John McDowell, Delmar Mattson, Archie Roberts, Arthur Hining, Lloyd Cantrell and Benjamin Hiney.

FORESTRY

WSS NEWS NOTES WSS

A very important meeting of the Maury Cattle and Horse Association was held at the Club Hall in Prineville on April 4. The meeting was first scheduled to be held at the Maury saw mill but on account of snow conditions the place was changed to Prineville. About thirty users of the Maury range were present and many matters of vital importance were discussed and disposed of. Among the most important of these was the adoption of a special rule requiring all permittees to pay their pro rata share for the purchase of salt for the range and also their portion of the expense of hiring a range rider to distribute the salt on the range, before a permit could be secured from the Forest Service. The Maury range will be entirely enclosed by fence this season. A range rider will be employed for three or four months to work in co-operation with the Forest Service in constructing salt troughs, developing watering places, keeping the stock properly distributed over the range, etc. Surely this is a great forward step from the old system of turning the stock loose to drift at will, many of which were onto the summer feed long before it was ready to be grazed and later on were there in greater numbers than the range would comfortably support. With the new plan in operation all users of the range will turn a certain permitted number of stock through the boundary fence at the opening of the grazing season (June 1) with a feeling that the grass has not all been trampled down during wet weather and that his stock will also be salted and cared for by the range rider. He will also know that there is little danger of stock straying either voluntarily or involuntarily as the experience of some seems to indicate by happenings in the past.

SCHEDULE OF TRAINS—CITY OF PRINEVILLE RAILWAY

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, APRIL 13th, 1919

Motor No. 1	Mixed No. 3	Motor No. 5	Mixed No. 7	Motor No. 2	Mixed No. 4	Motor No. 6	Mixed No. 8
A M	A M	P M	P M	A M	A M	P M	P M
4:45	6:40	5:30	6:40	7:25	9:20	8:15	9:45
5:05	7:00	5:45	6:55	Ar. 7:55	9:50	8:30	9:50
5:35	7:35	6:15	7:25	Ar. 8:35	8:30	7:25	9:50
6:00	7:50	6:35	7:40	Ar. PRINEVILLE JC. Lv. 6:20	8:15	7:10	8:45

Post

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffman visited at W. A. Carson's the first of the week. B. B. Groff of Prineville is hauling freight to Paulina for Lyle Miller. W. H. Post is quite sick at C. O. Stover's with la grippe. Detrich Cordes, who has been foreman on the Baldwin ranch is working for J. R. Post. Miss Burkholder is visiting Mrs. R. E. Gray at Rabbit Valley. R. H. Bouton went to Prineville Monday to bring the rest of his cattle home. J. O. F. Anderson went to Maury Station Tuesday. Miss Berkholder spent Sunday night and Monday with Mrs. Norton. Mrs. B. B. Groff visited with Mrs. E. B. Knox Monday night and Tuesday. Geo. Knox, who has the spotted fever, is able to sit up. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welborn, who have been feeding their cattle on Dry Creek, came home Tuesday. Ralph Gibson is working for Wallace Post. Mrs. J. M. Hayes is visiting relatives in Prineville.

Barnes

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A very pleasant rain visited Barnes and crops are better than they have been before at this date for several years. Ira Cox is home from Newport News, Va., where he has been for the past six months, in the service. Charlie Birdsang is home from Prineville. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Demaris, April 3, a daughter. Mother and baby are doing nicely under the care of Mrs. Cora George. John Handy returned from the service last week. Mr. F. D. Scammon went to Prineville last week. Bert Demaris and Charlie Birdsang went to Ixxe last week after their cattle they had wintered at that place. Mr. Looten of Dry Lake was at Barnes on business this week. George Tackman returned from Prineville last week with a load of supplies and found the roads very bad. R. J. Engstrom is on the sick list with la grippe this week. F. A. Hackleman and family visited in Prineville several days last week.

HIGH SCHOOL

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Thelma Miller is acting as substitute during the absence of Miss Estes the first grade teacher. There is still a large percentage absent from school on account of sickness, but it is rapidly decreasing and it is expected that the attendance will again be normal within a few days. Forty-five were absent last Monday, but only twenty-nine on Monday of this week. Josephine Thompson is substituting this week in the fourth grade. Prof. Gillet, who has been on the sick list for some time, but was able to be out for a while, has been taken to the hospital again, suffering from a relapse. The class in Salesmanship is learning improved methods and devices for persuading the customer to buy. Each member of the class at the close of this semester is expected to present to the class some article with a forceful selling talk. We are glad to report at this time that despite so much sickness the interest in tennis and track is unabated. Roy Clark is out of school at the present due to an injured ankle sustained while riding a motorcycle. We hope he will soon be back in school to continue his track work. The Junior class has ordered some flowers to be sent to Harold Gray to let him know that we all miss him and hope for his return soon. Band practice has been changed from 3:20 p. m. to 8:20 a. m. on account of the boys practicing for track in the evenings. Vera and Chester McKenzie are able to be up after a severe attack of pneumonia. The students are working on their Baldwin orations for the tryout, which will take place May 9. Eula Bennett is back in school again after an absence of several days on account of sickness. A Victory Loan Essay Contest was announced in the assembly Tuesday. This contest is for the students of the schools of Oregon. One essay will be picked from each grade then sent to Portland where they are judged. The best ten win a gold medal, while the first winner gets a Prussian helmet in addition. Miss Anderson was on the sick list during the last week. Her classes were cared for by Clara Short and Lillian Dinwiddie. The literary society meetings have been postponed from April 16 to April 23, owing to the absence of so many students.

VICTORY LOAN QUOTA LESS THAN BEFORE

COUNTY WILL SUBSCRIBE \$118,125 FOR WAR OBLIGATIONS

SPEAKER COMING ON APRIL 21

Chairman Baldwin Believes County Will Go Over The Top In Less Than A Week From Start

The quota for Crook county in the sixth and last government loan, which is called the Victory Loan, is \$118,125, which is much smaller than the quotas for some of the former drives. The quota for the entire state is low in proportion and a general optimistic spirit is felt regarding the success of the coming drive. A. D. Weir, a speaker who illustrates his addresses with trophies taken from the battlefields, will be in Prineville on the evening of April 22, and will spend four days touring the southern part of the county. The dates and places for these meetings will be announced later by Chairman Baldwin, who is optimistic over the outlook for the drive in this county. He believes we will be over the top as usual, within a week after the drive opens and anticipates no difficulty in making up or exceeding the quota. Following is the list of official quotas for the nation, state and county: National, \$4,500,000,000; Oregon, \$26,747,550; Portland, \$14,786,325; State outside Portland, \$11,961,225. By counties: Baker, 519,075; Benton, \$253,350; Clackamas, \$400,950; Clatsop, \$760,950; Columbia, \$162,450; Coos, \$471,825; Crook, \$118,125; Curry, \$26,550; Deschutes, \$173,475; Douglas, \$430,200; Gilliam, \$158,850; Grant, \$97,875; Harney, \$173,925; Hood River, 200,250; Jackson, \$26,950; Jefferson, 35,100; Josephine, \$146,700; Klamath \$338,400; Lake, \$196,875; Lane, \$657,000; Lincoln, \$71,325; Linn, \$517,275; Malheur, \$392,400; Marion, \$1,237,500; Morrow, \$221,175; Multnomah, \$14,786,325; Polk, \$184,850; Sherman, \$118,350; Tillamook, \$173,700; Umatilla, \$1,230,075; Union, \$344,025; Walwala, \$232,200; Wasco, \$417,600; Washington, \$404,775; Wheeler, \$58,725; Yamhill, \$508,275.

Paulina

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Sage rat poisoning is being carried on extensively this year. The ranchers realize the effectiveness of early poisoning. The grass on the range is growing slowly. A few ranchers have turned their cattle out but the majority are still in the pastures. Crop conditions are excellent so far. The soil is wet deeper than it has been for several years and average conditions from now on means good crops. A lone I. W. W. or Bolsheviki passed through Paulina. He left considerable literature along his trail but was unsuccessful in getting recruits. A lumber famine prevails here. The local saw mill has been idle for two years and the lumber yard is bare. It is hoped the mill will resume operations soon as there is much building postponed for lack of lumber. Chet Smith and Eddie Birdsang of Supple are farming the Birdsang place on Grindstone.

A SAFE STOCK FOR ALL



VALE 'SEES THINGS'

A meteor which had all the appearance of a flaming length of stove pipe passed over Vale Sunday evening about 10:30, April 6, with a whirr like an airplane and a hissing, plainly audible, heading southwest into the hills, where it struck with an impact that shook buildings in town and was heard in other communities southeast of here. A weird blue light illuminated earth and sky like day for several seconds while the sceptor passed over and it was fully a minute before the noise of the impact was heard. Many Vale residents saw the light and heard the noise which they described as thunder. The watchman at the Shattuck-Edinger camp saw the visitor from the skies approaching and followed its course across the heavens, and describes it as a flaming length of stove pipe, white hot, which left a trail of fire as it headed into the hills.—Malheur Enterprise. (And Oregon has been dry for a long time.)

STAUFFER-BROWN HEARING

With more interest shown than in any other case coming up for trial before the Deschutes county circuit court this term, hearing in the \$10,000 damage suit brought by Charles J. Stauffer against William W. Brown, a wealthy stockman of Fife, got under way an hour before noon Tuesday. Technically the case started Monday, but selection of a jury acceptable to both plaintiff and defendant proved most difficult and it was only after R. S. Hamilton and C. S. Benson for the defendant had used one preemptory challenge and W. P. Myers, representing the plaintiff, had excused three for cause and two on preemptory challenges, that the introduction of testimony was begun.—Bend Bulletin.

I. O. O. F. TO CELEBRATE

The Bend Lodge, I. O. O. F. has planned a celebration on the Hundredth Anniversary of the Order on Saturday, April 26 and has extended an invitation to Ochoco Lodge to join in the event. The local lodge has accepted the invitation and will go in force, leaving here Saturday morning early. This lodge will confer the Second Degree in the evening at Bend. It is desired that all member who possibly can be in the party.

BIG DANCE AT COMMUNITY HALL

There will be a big dance at Community Hall, Powell Butte, on Friday, April 18. There will be an oyster supper and a big time is anticipated by all who know the kind of dances that are conducted in this popular community. There will be good music by "Spec" Young's Jazz Orchestra.

Fife

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Street and grandson, Cecil Hart, went in to Bend on Sunday for a few days visit with their daughters, Mrs. Paul Wilson and Mrs. Earl Chapman and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Gus McGlough are attending court in Bend this week. Ed. Street made a business trip to Brown's Gap ranch on Friday, thence to Bend. Roy Stauffer passed through here on Saturday on his way to Supple. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stewart and Seth Dixon went in to Prineville on Monday. Jim Dixon and Bruce Balfour attended the meeting for stockmen at Silver Creek on Monday and left on Tuesday for Supple. All of those who have had the flu are reported as getting along nicely and no more new cases have taken down. H. C. Nelson, the contractor for the stage line made his first trip up here on Friday, the first for several months. All were pleased to see him again. H. N. Kerbow returned on Tuesday from a several days' stay in Bend. S. E. Lochrie of Brothers was in this vicinity on Thursday looking for some stray steers and hunting beef. Julian Gardner has returned from Camp Worth, Texas, where he had been in training. He is staying with Paul Werner for the present. Mrs. Frank Pausch spent several days at the Cold Spring ranch, helping her son, Carl and his wife until they gained strength after their recent seizure of the flu. Herb Angell spent a couple of days at the G. I. ranch last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Schwab and family left on Friday for Bend, where they expect to visit a week or two. They expect to return to their old home in Minnesota. Frank McCullough was in to Buck Creek from the Gap on Friday. Mrs. Will Seeds spent several days with Mrs. Claude Seeds last week. Adolph Hanson has gone to the Gap ranch to work for Brown. C. N. Bradford and wife have moved back to their homestead after the winter's absence at the Narrows. J. N. Perkins was a Fife visitor on Tuesday. Emil Carroz was in to Buck Creek on Monday from the Gap ranch. Joe Street and Jim Dixon have been appointed appraisers of the value of the estate of Roy Douglas, deceased, and Herb Angell the administrator.

Powell Butte

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Gladya Pauls spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pauls. Her school will not close until June. Wait, Vandervoort and Geo. Hobbs have moved on to the Ross Bussett ranch, recently purchased by Mr. Vandervoort. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shobert have moved to the farm owned by them. It is the place known as the Green ranch. We are glad to note that Mr. Shobert is much improved in health. C. M. Charlton, Justice of the peace, was taking testimony Friday on the case of Herbert Walcott, a former resident of this community, who is applying for naturalization papers in Minnesota. Mr. Walcott left Powell Butte about 1915. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kitching of the county seat visited at the C. M. Charlton home Monday. Tom Foss and wife of Bend were visitors at the O'Callahan ranch recently. E. A. Bussett is expecting a visit from his mother, two sisters and a brother, who live in New Mexico. Several members of the Tom Houston family are ill with grippe or flu, whichever it is. It has also quite a number of citizens in other sections. S. D. Mustard took Herman Myers to Prineville Saturday in order that Dr. Belknap might take an x-ray of the fracture in his leg. The trip was made without any discomfort to the patient and the x-ray revealed the leg to be getting along fine. There will be a program appropriate for the occasion by the Sunday school at 3 p. m. Easter Sunday. Everybody is invited. S. D. Mustard has installed a Deleo-Light system on his ranch here at Powell Butte. Mr. Mustard has recently built a fine gungalow. Last year a modern barn and now he completes the ranch by a lighting system. Miss Pauline Truesdale returned to her home at Powell Butte Sunday, after a long stay with relatives and friends at Tacoma and Seattle. Miss Truesdale is an experienced nurse and has been following that occupation. Ret Powell of Prineville visited friends at Powell Butte Sunday. Thursday evening, April 17, at Shepard school house, there will be a picnic. A good program followed by the sale of pies and a social time. The proceeds of the evening will go toward the purchase of a bell for the school. Everybody come.

PRINEVILLE TRAIN DELAYED

What was supposed to be the first passenger train into Prineville left Prineville Junction Thursday evening at 7 o'clock but upon the arrival at the Josiah Williams ranch the train was flagged by Harry Kennard, who informed the "engineer" that the track was unsafe, having been washed out by the overflow of the irrigation ditch. (Harry has been recommended for the Carnegie medal.) After a short (?) wait in the canyon Fred Hoelscher arrived on the scene and saved the day by bringing the passengers and baggage to Prineville in his car. The passengers included J. McMullen and E. H. Taylor of the Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., of Portland, E. Faught and son, Frank, Dolly Hodges, L. W. Alluisi and Warren Yancey. Mr. Alluisi of New York City, was greatly alarmed and anxiously watched the high cliffs on each side of the road, fearing an attack by Indians. The other passengers finally succeeded in allaying his fears and he was brought to the city in a normal condition.

TERREBONNE SCHOOL DAMAGED

The school building at Terrebonne was damaged to the extent of \$1,000 Saturday evening, when it was struck by a bolt of lightning. The lightning came down the flag pole and completely demolished one side of the building. The storm happened about seven o'clock in the evening.

WARREN YANCEY RETURNED HOME

Warren Yancey returned home on Friday, after almost two years overseas duty. Warren was in the Air Service and had some wonderful experiences, but is very glad to be home again.

SENIOR GIRLS ARE COMMENCING THEIR GRADUATION DRESSES

Senior girls are commencing their graduation dresses. It is expected they will live up to the customary requirements of "sweet girl graduates."

BIG ROAD NEWS

The following telegram was received this morning by Dr. J. H. Rosenberg from Judge N. G. Wallace, who is in Portland looking after Crook county affairs: Portland, Ore., Apr. 17. DR. J. H. ROSENBERG: Crooked River road designated as part of State System. Davis ranch to Redmond to be constructed immediately. N. G. WALLACE

J. ALVIN WISE IN WRECK

Just missing being run down by a train, barely avoiding running over a pedestrian as he drove for the entrance of the Woodson garage and knocking a chunk out of the garage walls, with considerable damage to his car, was the experience of Alva Wise of Wells Station, west of Albany, Friday evening of last week. Mr. Wise wished to catch the train that nearly ran him down, and his haste resulted in the string of near-serious accidents. He caught the train and called a few days later to have necessary repairs made to his car, which he had left at the garage without explanations.—Oregonian.

REV. VAN NUYS AT CONFERENCE

Rev. W. L. Van Nuys of the Presbyterian church, is attending the Red Cross Conference, which is being held in Seattle this week. Rev. Van Nuys will visit his daughter, Helen, who is attending Whitman College in Walla Walla, before his return to Prineville.

FOR RENT—Furnished house-keeping rooms. 725 E 3rd 23tp

JABE WARNER NOT GUILTY

After deliberations lasting through 17 hours, the jury in the case of Jabe Warner charged with larceny of a steer from Tom Houston, returned at 11:10 o'clock this morning with a verdict of "not guilty." The case, which was one of the hardest fought in the history of the Deschutes circuit court, terminated at 6 o'clock last night when Judge T. E. J. Duffy, for the second time, turned the case over to the jury. The first hearing was held here one year ago, resulting in a conviction, but an appeal to the supreme court resulting in an order for a new trial on the grounds that identification of the steer by brand was not sufficient.—Bend Press.