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TWO UNITS COMPLETED ON CROOKED RIVER HIGHWAY PRINEVILLE CHURCHES JOIN IN MEETINGS

Two separate units, each more than one mile in length are now completed on the new Crooked River highway, which is being built under the state contract up the Crooked river canyon by A. Guthrie & Co.

Work is being pressed at seven different points along the highway now, and favorable weather enables the

contractor to get his construction under way all along the line.

The big steam shovel will arrive in a few days and "Cap." Fuller says he expects to have it at work before the first of the month.

More men are being added to the crews and full camps will be maintained until the highway is completed for the entire length.

STOCKMEN WANT BUYERS IN THIS COUNTRY

Many Favor Raise in Freight Rates On Prineville Railway

Action is being taken by the local stockmen to induce cattle buyers to come to the country in the future and contract all cattle before they leave the yards here.

They think this would be a better deal for the grower and are in an attitude to contract to the first buyer who comes and offers a fair price for the stuff here.

Several local stockmen have also signified their willingness to have the freight rate on the Prineville railway increased \$2.00 per car, because of the value of the road to local shippers and to add to the revenue of the line.

FORDS SELL READILY

The Inland Auto Company unloaded a car of Fords yesterday and expect another car tomorrow. The new purchasers of Fords are: L. M. Bechtell, Ford Sedan; A. R. Bowman, Sedan; T. J. Minger, Roadster; J. H. Wigle, Roadster; C. H. Shuter, a Coupe; Morgan & Cox, Truck.

WARNING ISSUED BY FARM BUREAU HEAD

Because of the approaching season for planting alfalfa and other legumes, there has been a warning issued by the Deschutes county Farm Bureau to their farmers against the purchase of bacteria for inoculation purposes from anyone but the State.

There has been considerable agitation in this part of the country in this direction recently, and for this reason the article which was printed in a recent issue of the bulletin issued from the above named source is being here reproduced.

There can be no question that the bacteria will improve the growth of plants of this nature the first few years at least, and the value may be considerable to the farmer, but the bureau seems to think that is a waste of money to pay the price that is being asked for the "bugs."

The article follows: "Beware! It has come to the notice of the executive committee and the office that some of the farmers of the county are paying exorbitant prices for cultures of soil bacteria for the inoculation of their alfalfa seed and the seed of other legumes. We therefore wish to call the attention of all who wish to inoculate to the fact that pure cultures of the same bacteria may be obtained from the Agricultural College that are just as 'refined and well bred' as any culture obtained from any commercial firm. If you have fifteen acres to inoculate why not put \$1 in your pocket and call at the Bureau office and have the county agent order your culture? You have then \$29 in your bank instead of having added to the profit of a private concern."

YOUNG COUPLE WED

Edward S. Carroll of Mitchell and Bertha Harms of the vicinity of Terrebonne, secured a license to marry at the office of the county clerk on Tuesday. They were married by Rev. Van Nuy's at the parsonage the same day.

DESCHUTES STOCKMEN HERE

An excursion, conducted by R. A. Ward of the First National Bank of Bend, in which almost a score of farmers are participating, is in Prineville this afternoon and is visiting the M. R. Biggs Willowdale Shorthorn herd, and other stock ranches in the vicinity.

BIDS FOR CAMP GROUNDS

Sealed bids will be received for the construction of a Public Camp Ground as per specifications on file at the office of the Inland Auto Company.

Bids will be closed at noon on February 20, 1920.
Signed,
PARK COMMITTEE.

PRINEVILLE MAN IS BUILDING MACHINERY

Alfaalfa Seeder Has Many Fine Features and is Not Expensive

The inventor has the patent rights for the Northwest on an alfalfa and grass seeder and is having a number of the machines manufactured.

They attach to a harrow, either in front or behind and will sow any quantity of seed per acre, the sowing and harrowing being accomplished at one operation.

The machines will be sold at about \$45 and are light and easily operated.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Washington's Birthday will be fittingly observed at the Lyric theater next Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock, under the auspices of the Improved Order of Red Men. Patriotic Prineville should be out in force to do honor to the man who is unquestionably as a great orator has said, "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

CHURCHES JOIN FOR SUMMER

Presbyterians and Methodists To Unite in Services—One Minister

At a meeting held Monday evening in this city it was voted to unite the Presbyterian and Methodist church congregations for the coming months at least, and it was decided to arrange for the services of Rev. Patterson to hold the services of the two congregations. The Methodist church will be used for the summer.

FARMERS MAY ENJOIN COMPANY

A meeting of the farmers of Powell Butte was held at Community Hall Monday evening, and action taken which may lead to an injunction against the Cental Oregon Irrigation Company, which is to prevent them from selling more land or water until the system supplies a better amount to the lands already being irrigated.

C. E. SOCIETY ENTERTAINS

The Senior C. E. Society of the Christian church entertained about fifty young people at the church last Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and in stunts. An admission fee of two cents for each letter in the name was charged and the money will be used to send a delegate to the State C. E. Convention at Albany this week end. All who went reported a good time.

TUM-A-LUM BUILDS WAREHOUSE

A large new warehouse is being erected by the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Company at their plant in the eastern part of the city, which will have a storage capacity for a large quantity of finished lumber and other building material. An office will be located in the corner of the building instead of in the mill as at present.

PRINEVILLE TO PLAY BEND

The Crook County High School basketball team will journey to Bend next Saturday to play a return game with that school on its own floor. These two teams are very evenly matched in all respects and the local team expects to have to play very hard in order to overcome the handicaps of a strange floor. When Bend played here last month the score of 20 to 18 was in favor of Prineville.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

There will be no preaching services in this church during the continuation of the evangelistic meetings to begin next Sunday. Rev. Thomas M. Patterson of Montana is expected to begin his work with this church about Apr. 1. Arrangements will be made to supply the pulpit on Sundays before that date when there is no service in the M. E. church.

Rev. W. L. Van Nuy will visit Paulina for services on Sunday, Feb. 22.

CROOK COUNTY QUOTA \$1,000

The coming week is the time set aside for the Armenian drive in this county. The quota for Crook is \$1,000 and this amount should be quickly subscribed.

Of all the charities taken up by the people of this country, this is perhaps the most deserving and the most urgently necessary as well.

Even though the world war is at an end, the massacre of helpless Armenians continues and at this time when we have all that we need to eat and wear, 800,000 children are starving to death in Armenia. The huge loss of life during the war and the daily massacres at this time make self support impossible by these tortured people, so it is up to us.

AMERICAN LEGION TO DISTRIBUTE CERTIFICATES

Next Sunday being Washington's Birthday, and the events of the past few years becoming faint memories it seems most fitting and proper that the French Government should deem it expedient that the engraved certificates which they are giving to the nearest relative of every American who made the supreme sacrifice during the recent war should be presented on that day.

To that end, Crook County Post No. 29, American Legion, has made preparations for a public service to be conducted at the Baptist church in Prineville next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and special invitations have been mailed to the nearest relatives of each of the eleven Crook county boys who gave their all for their country.

This service is to be a Memorial Service and special music and addresses will be featured and all ex-service men and the general public will be welcome, and a large attendance is expected.

The names of the Crook county boys on the Honor Roll are as follows:

- Clyde Smith,
- Jesse Summerfield,
- Benjamin W. Hiney,
- Lloyd D. Cantrill,
- Thomas O'Kelly,
- Helmer Mattison,
- Elmer Houston,
- John McDowell,
- Albert Lane,
- Archie Roberts,
- Arthur Hining.

The State Medals, which are being issued to all ex-service men who were residents of Oregon at the time of their enlistment, are beginning to arrive and all should bring their discharge certificates with them Sunday, or else send them to Commander Rosenberg, as the discharge must be presented before the medal can be secured.

STOCK BEING SHIPPED

Two cars of cattle and one of horses were shipped from this point last Saturday, the cattle belonging to O. Rambow and H. S. Cram & Sons, one car each, and the horses to Barnard Brothers.

Seven cars will be loaded the coming Sunday two each by E. T. Slayton, H. Baldwin, and Fairview Stock Farm, and one by S. S. Stearns.

MASK DANCE A SUCCESS

A large crowd of dancers were present from Prineville and the surrounding country at the Masquerade Dance given by Mrs. Hugh Nelson in the Club Hall last Saturday night. Up until 10:30 only those who were masked were allowed to dance. Mrs. Roy Anderson and Mrs. Frank Johnson were awarded the first prize for ladies' costumes, and George Houston received the first prize for the gentlemen. Hiram Cyrus and Ad Wolgast received the additional prizes. The music was good and all present had a very enjoyable time.

John Dohy, dressed as a society belle, in low necked gown and short sleeves, and Nellie Foster, won the prize in the waltzing contest.

The judges for the events were Mrs. George Tackman, Jay Upton and John Combs.

INLAND AUTO CO. GETS FORDS

Two carloads of Fords have arrived for sale by the Inland Auto Company. The car situation at present is acute, as cars of any kind are rather hard to get and railroad transportation uncertain. The company is fortunate in being able to get as many cars as these at once.

BIG DECORATIONS FOR ELK CONVENTION

The Elks are going to hold a convention in Prineville Saturday, February 21, for the initiation of a large number of members. Lodge No. 1371 of Bend is going to help in this initiation and there will be a large delegation from Bend and other points. The Elks of Prineville make a request that all of the merchants decorate their stores with the colors of the Lodge, which are purple and white. Let us show the Elks that the Prineville merchant's heart is in the right place and make a big showing with the decoration.

George Dickson was in Seattle for several days this week on business.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS OUT FROM SICKNESS

Friday morning the students of Crook County High School observed Lincoln's Birthday during the assembly period. A program was rendered as follows: Duet, Myrtle Iverson and Lula Allen; violin duet, Flora Edwards and Orval Schultz; address on Lincoln, Rev. Rice; address, Rev. Van Nuy.

Over half of the Freshmen are absent from school on account of sickness.

PRINEVILLE DEALERS TO ATTEND AUTO SHOW

Some idea of the size of the big automobile show to be held in Portland the entire week of February 23 to 28, may be gained from the fact that the Ice Palace, where the motor car part of the show will be held, is the largest show room on a single floor in the United States. It is 350 by 130 feet without a single post to obstruct the view, and gives more space than is available for cars even on the main floor of the huge Coliseum Building in Chicago, which is 300 by 120 feet in size. In all 69 different makes of passenger cars will be on display, and 176 different models of these makes.

Still another feature of the Portland show is the truck show, held in connection with it. For the first time on the Pacific Coast, a show will be devoted exclusively to trucks.

The truck section of the show will be held in the Portland Armory, only a few blocks from the Ice Palace, and one ticket will admit the bearer to both shows without additional cost. There will be 50 different makes of trucks on display, and approximately 100 different models.

Several local dealers will be present at the show. Henry Howard of the Inland Auto Co., will go as the guest of the Howard Auto Co. R. W. Douglas, also of the Inland Company, will attend as a guest of the Willy-Overland Co. L. A. Newell of the Newell Motor Sales Co., will be present as a guest of the Haynes Auto Co. Earl Brent or Cobby Stroud of the Central Motor Sales Co. will also be in attendance.

NEW MAN OWNS SPOKESMAN

The Redmond Spokesman has passed into the hands of Douglas Malarky, who has been dabbling in the journalistic field since a small boy. He has secured the interests of Wm. Pettigrew and will conduct the paper on a progressive line. Malarky is a youngster with a future, and will no doubt be a strong addition to the newspaper fraternity in this part of the State, and an influence in the betterment of conditions generally.

PASTORS' TRAINING CONFERENCE AT PORTLAND

Ministers from Crook county will attend the State Pastors' Training Conference, arranged by the Inter-Church World Movement, at the White Temple, Portland March 3-5. This is the first interdenominational State Pastors' Conference held in Oregon and, it will include the launching of a great program by the Interchurch World Movement, some of the strongest denominational leaders of the country will be present to conduct the conference. An invitation has been issued to every Protestant pastor in the State, and hundreds have already accepted.

Those who have already signified their intention to attend from this county are: Rev. J. W. Cabene, pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. A. C. Hartley, pastor of the Christian church, Prineville.

SIX COL BUST TO BE PRESENT

Sunday evening next, the opening meeting of a three weeks' revival, in which the Presbyterian, Baptist, and Methodist churches of the city will cooperate, will be held in the Methodist church in this city.

Dr. J. W. MacCollum served in France as chaplain of one of the largest army cantonments of the dough boys, and who has closed a meeting in Redmond, where more than 100 people were converted, assisted by G. W. Scott, his singer, will be the speaker for the series of meetings.

Extensive preparations are being made by local church people and business men and all indications point to a record attendance from the opening meeting.

A large aggregation of singers,



G. W. SCOTT



DR. J. W. MAC COLLUM

PUBLIC SCHOOL BUYS VICTROLA

The public school has purchased a new \$50 Victrola and \$35 worth of records for use in the school with the money earned with the play presented some time ago. This instrument will be used in connection with the programs in the school, and to develop a musical appreciation in the pupils and get them acquainted with the best compositions of great musical composers.

PRINEVILLE WINS FROM MADRAS

Crook County High School were the winners in a hard fought basketball game on the local floor last Friday night when the Madras team came to town for a return game with Prineville. In the preliminary practice Madras seemed to have the best basket shooters and their players were much larger than the local men, and they scored first when a basket was thrown by Young. However, at the end of the first half several baskets were thrown in quick succession by Miller, Smith, and Mills, and the score stood 14 to 6 in favor of Prineville.

During the first part of the second half the Prineville local team gained rapidly on the Madras quintet but toward the end of the half the visitors got the ball through a misunderstanding on the part of one of the local players and made several baskets in quick succession and the Prineville lead as shown by the score at the end of the first half was lessened one point when time was up.

The local team showed the best playing during this game, of the season, and Madras' opinion at the end of the first half was that Prineville had its goat. During all games in which Prineville has engaged, the spirit of optimism, confidence that Prineville will surely win in spite of all, is prevalent, and is one of the reasons why Prineville shows up so well in all of its games. The line-up and individual scores for the game was as follows:

- Prineville f. Smith (4)
- f. O. Miller (11)
- c. O. Mills (6)
- g. Wright
- g. Horigan
- Madras f. J. Young (9)
- f. Gard (8)
- c. R. Young
- g. Crosswhite
- g. Stangland

In the last half Rosenberg substituted for Miller for Prineville and Johnson substituted for Stangland for Madras, who was removed from the game on account of four personal fouls charged against him.

This victory for Prineville makes a tie thus far between Crook County High and Madras High, as each team has won and lost the same number of games. Each team has yet to play Bend and Redmond on their home floor. This game is the last scheduled game for Prineville on the local floor.

BIG BALLOON DANCE FRIDAY

Prineville dancers are to see a new novelty in the way of dances in the big Balloon Dance to be given at the Club Hall Friday evening, February 27. There will be a balloon for everybody. Music by a Portland orchestra.

which will be shaped into a big chair by Mr. Scott, is being recruited from the various churches, and the first meeting of these people will be held in the Methodist church Saturday evening for practice.

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ANDERSON WINS IN BOUT TUESDAY

Roy Anderson threw Alex the Finn Tuesday evening at the Athletic club hall in this city after one hour and six minutes on the mat, and took a second fall from the visitor in just 17 minutes thus winning the bout. All tie holds were barred in the event.

The first fall was secured for Anderson when he succeeded in getting the visitor in a three-quarters bar lock, and the second was on an army twist.

Anderson was clearly the best man, and at no time after the first twenty minutes did the Finn worry him, although the visitor was clearly doing his best in that direction.

Because of the rearrangement of the mat the replacing of the seats caused some confusion, which will be eliminated in the future.

Arrangements are being made for a match with the Hindu during the spring, after which, if Anderson succeeds in throwing him, a championship contest between Anderson and Ted Thye will be arranged.

W. J. HUGHES, THE AUTO TOP REPAIR MAN LOCATED

W. J. Hughes is opening up a new shop in the rear of the Central Motor Sales Co., sales room for the purpose of repairing auto tops. Mr. Hughes is making a specialty of this kind of work now, and his wide range of acquaintance entitles him to your patronage.

PSYCHOCRATS MEET SATURDAY

A meeting of the psychoerat club was held at the home of Mrs. Chas. M. Elkins in this city last Saturday. Mrs. Mary Howard reviewed the book, "The Room of the Tassels," by H. G. Wells and Mrs. R. R. Davis rendered a solo.

Refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed by all present.

NEW BUILDING A BEAUTY

One of the most beautiful buildings in this part of the state is the new Masonic building in this city, which is assuming shape rapidly.

It is of brick and tile construction, and as perfect, apparently, as man can build. It will be ready for occupancy in the early summer.

MORE ALFALFA SEED

A second shipment of alfalfa seed is to be ordered the last of the week by the Ochoco Irrigation District.

Orders must be in by Saturday of this week, at the district office, and anyone in the county may order seed regardless of where his lands are located. This shipment will cost a little less than 44 cents delivered. All interested should come in and look at the samples.