

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

Teachers and students of the local schools are very much elated over the showing made at the Inter-State Fair. The exhibit was the largest in several years. Nearly two-thirds of the students entered some work, and nearly a hundred dollars in prizes was carried off.

Principal Babcock announces that he is planning to take up the Industrial Club work under the direction of O. A. C. next spring.

Rev. F. C. Laslette was a recent speaker at assembly.

The seventh and eighth grade boys have purchased a football and are getting a lot of healthy exercise as a result.

The new library books have arrived and as soon as they are listed they will be placed on the shelves.

Mrs. Cull was absent Monday morning, and Mrs. Babcock took her place in teaching.

The boy's basement will be open during the bad weather for play. Sawdust has been put on the floor to protect the cement in case of falls.

Violet Holloway enrolled in the seventh grade this week.

Edmund Campbell was a new student in the eighth grade this week.

The seventh B class now has a total enrollment of 22, about the largest class in the building.

More boys ride bicycles to school now than ever before. Ten were put in the basement last week on account of bad weather.

A straw vote was held in the public school yesterday in the four highest grades. The result was:

5th grade, Harding 17, Cox 3; 6th grade, Harding 19, Cox 10; 7th grade, Harding 19, Cox 12; 8th grade, Harding 16 Cox 4; Total, Harding 56, Cox 29.

Mrs. Vina Douthett left Prineville Tuesday morning after a visit in this vicinity with relatives. Her husband was formerly the editor of the Ochoco Review, now the Call, and until recently the editor of The Dalles Times-Mountaineer. She has disposed of her home in The Dalles, and will go to Eugene, where her daughter, who was a nurse in France is doing special work in the University.

The dance in Redmond, with music by Wilson George orchestra, was the mecca for many Prineville people last Saturday night. Among those who made the trip were Hazel Sullivan, Carey Foster, Dolly Hodges, Floyd Fessler, McKinley Kane, Byrd Davis, Blanche Shipp, Mrs. Durand, Harold Prose, Tona Cornett, Ogdan Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Michel, Laura Nelson, Edith Wonderly, Wendell Fuller, Hazel Cook, Albert Birdsong, John Cyrus, Prentice Pitzer and Charles Wyman.

OLD DISPATCH RIDER HERE

Chas. H. Dodd, an implement dealer of Portland, spent Tuesday in Prineville on a business trip.

Mr. Dodd is an old pioneer of Oregon, having lived in this state 67 years. Sixty years ago he rode into this Central Oregon country with dispatches for soldiers on the Ochoco and has many interesting tales to tell of the early days of the state.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to our friends for the sympathy and assistance extended to us in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. J. M. Hayes, Orville Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, W. H. Hayes, Edward Hayes.

Peruvian Idea of Dignity.

The mayor of the smallest town in Peru feels that it is incumbent upon him, in order to make the proper display of official dignity, to be accompanied by a band of pipers whenever he appears on any state occasion. These musicians have instruments which consist of a series of reeds strung together and make a weird music.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE or exchange—New Dodge touring car, run 500 miles. Extra tire and accoutrements. Inquire Journal office. 6tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room on ground floor, one block from Main Street. \$2.00 per week. Inquire Journal office. 1f.

MARRIED COUPLE wants steady work for winter and summer, on sheep ranch. Call at Journal office. 6-7p.

LOST—Bay saddle horse, branded "F" on left shoulder, and two little black mules branded "49" on left stifle. Lost at Charles Houston ranch a month ago. Notify W. K. McCormack, Deschutes, Or. 14p

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Examinations for appointment to West Point will be held in Salem December 17.

Talent has voted \$450,000 bonds to build a reservoir on Emigrant creek, east of Ashland.

The mills of Cottage Grove report they are now getting all the cars they can possibly use.

The state supreme court will begin its eastern Oregon session at Pendleton on October 25.

Apple growers in Hood River valley celebrated Columbus day by making a record pick of apples.

A Harney county health association has been formed to direct the work of the community nurse.

Roy B. Snodgrass of Lebanon has died from injuries received when his horse fell on the pavement.

The first carload of apples has been shipped from Stanfield. The crop will not be so good as estimated.

Sheriff La Barre of Columbia county has seized a still within five blocks of the courthouse at St. Helens.

One hundred and eighty teachers attended the opening session of the Baker county teachers' institute.

Application to the state land board for loans now exceed the available school funds by more than \$150,000.

The Eugene Chamber of Commerce will raise a fund of \$10,000 for the development of Eugene and Lan county.

A. B. Cooper of Hood River has harvested a fine yield of sorghum stalks, which he will convert into molasses.

Chief Justice McBride of the supreme court has celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his admission to the bar.

Carl Goetke of Grants Pass has died from injuries received when he was struck by a passenger train. He was 77 years old.

A new \$20,000 bakery has been opened at Corvallis. It is of concrete throughout, with hardwood floors and an up-to-date oven.

The city of Myrtle Point will protect its water supply by the purchase of the land at the headwaters of the creek from which it is taken.

The North Pacific Coast conference of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will be held at Hood River from October 26 to October 29.

Douglas county is the only prairie district in the state that has not reported losses of this year's crop ranging from 25 to 50 per cent.

Fourteen claims were filed for the \$750 offered by the city of Pendleton and Umatilla county for the capture of John Lafabebean, alias Jack Rathie.

Coos county, whose treasury was increased nearly half a million dollars this year by the settlement of the forfeited land grant, is now out of debt.

No trace has been found of Joseph Rohrer, a hunter who is lost in the thickly-timbered district on the North Umpqua river, 40 miles east of Roseburg.

Harney county stock men organized last week for co-operation in marketing, purchase of supplies, range preservation and the issuance of a brand book.

With the shutting down of the large sawmills nearby and the shortage of freight cars, a fuel famine may result in Eugene this winter, according to wood dealers.

The city of Reedsport has sold its municipal water bonds at \$79 on the \$100. This will make possible the completion of the water system by the first of the year.

The Phez company, which operates a large plant in Salem and ships its products to almost every section of the world, has increased its capital stock to \$4,000,000.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday have been set for the dates of the annual land products show to be conducted in Roseburg under the supervision of the farm bureau office.

One of the oldest G. A. R. veterans in the state and the oldest man in Umatilla county, John Gurdane, 97, died at his home in Pendleton following several months of ill health.

Governor Olcott has honored extradition papers in the case of Glenn T. Aldrich, who is wanted at Chicago to answer the charge of passing worthless checks to the amount of \$10,000.

Receipts of the Astoria postoffice during the quarter ending September 30 were \$3000 greater than for the corresponding period last year. Savings deposits showed a gain of \$8000.

Discovery at Horse Butte, nine miles southeast of Bend, of a naturally heated cave, apparently drawing warmth from a subterranean volcanic source, was reported by C. A. Yarnell and H. D. Elde, Bend fuel dealers.

Prune drying in Linn county closed last week and it is now possible to give a fair estimate of the loss to the crop from the continuous showers of the last month. The loss in the county is estimated at one-third of the entire crop.

Postmasters have been appointed in Oregon as follows: Maggie L. Demaris, Barnes, Crook county; Belle M. Ladd, Geneva, Jefferson county; Sidney E. West, Lower Bridge, Deschutes county.

As a result of a general force reduction order issued by the Southern Pacific company, 32 railroad employes have lost their positions in various departments of the service in Roseburg.

The Princeton university debating team, which is coming west to meet the teams of Washington and California, has asked for a debate with the University of Oregon during Christmas holidays.

The Bend commercial club immediately will file a complaint with the state public service commission as the first step in a campaign to secure railroad construction to connect Bend with Burns and Crane.

Work on the Hood River end of the Mount Hood loop highway, for which bids have already been called, will be delayed until later and, instead, improvement of the route between Sandy and Zig Zag will be started at once.

One result of the grand jury investigation of the building of the new schoolhouse at Bay City, Tillamook county, is the arrest of Henry Butler, a former school director, on the charge of receiving \$400 from one of the contractors.

At least \$50,000 will be spent by the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association during the coming year in advertising to the world the merits of Oregon prunes. The Oregon product will be advertised under the name of "Mistland."

The seventy-second session of the Congregational conference of Oregon and the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Union and the Oregon branch of the Woman's Board of Missions for the Pacific Coast met in Forest Grove.

Edward Heard and Seth Hart of Haines have filed application with the state engineer for permission to appropriate water from Rock Creek lake reservoir, for a supplemental supply for the irrigation of several hundred acres of land in Baker county.

Hood River apple growers are making fair progress in harvesting their crop despite unfavorable weather conditions. The total yield of the season is now estimated at 1,200,000 boxes, or 60 per cent that of last year. The crop will be about 50 per cent Newtowns.

Oregon Agricultural college hens have added another victory to their credit by winning first place in the all-northwest egg-laying contest conducted at the Washington State college at Pullman, according to Professor Dryden, in charge of poultry husbandry.

Hundred of thousands of acres of lodge pole and jack pine in central Oregon, valueless for timber, may become an important industrial resource. Experiments conducted under the direction of John Steidl of Bend and Dr. U. C. Coe of Portland have demonstrated that a good grade of commercially valuable paper can be manufactured from the pine.

The Langella valley irrigation district has made application to the irrigation securities commission for the certification of \$200,000 of a bond issue of \$900,000 which was voted for development of the project. This district includes an irrigable area of approximately 20,500 acres and is located in the upper part of Lost River valley near the town of Langella Valley in Klamath county.

This week is "buy a note secured by livestock" week among the bankers of the state, according to announcement of C. D. Rorer, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Oregon Bankers' association. Mr. Rorer sent out a bulletin to the members of the association calling attention to this campaign, which is planned by the agricultural committee in order to help the livestock situation.

The application of Fort Klamath Meadows company of Fort Klamath covering the appropriation of 116 second-feet of the waters of Four-Mile creek, Seven-Mile creek and Ann creek, tributaries of Upper Klamath land, for the irrigation of 9318 acres of land has been approved by Percy A. Cupper, state engineer. It is estimated that the construction work will cost approximately \$240,000.

Immediate opening of the Tillamook highway near Willamina, which Herbert Nunn, state highway engineer, in a communication sent recently to the Oregon public service commission, alleged was in almost impassable condition because of operations of the Willamina & Grand Ronde Railroad company, was directed in a letter prepared by Fred G. Buchtel, chairman of the public service commission and directed to officials of the railway.

The Oregon State Chamber of Commerce has announced that it has secured the services of J. W. Brewer as field secretary and a campaign is to be started immediately for the organizing of farm clubs throughout the state. George Quayle, general secretary of the chamber, reported that Mr. Brewer's work will pre-eminently be to encourage land settlement, to get people on the land and to encourage those now on the land to stay there.

AS A CITIZEN OF OREGON YOU NEED THE PORT OF PORTLAND
If you owned a store you could not make a big success unless your business methods were as modern as your competitor's. Unless Oregon develops her shipping facilities she cannot expect to get her share of the world's business. It rests with the citizens of this state whether Oregon shall develop her wonderful resources and reach out for bigger markets, or remain practically an inland state.
To become a real port, a 30-foot channel must be dredged in the Columbia and Willamette Rivers from Portland to the Pacific Ocean. This will enable farmers, stockmen and lumbermen in the interior of the state to reach the markets of the world at a lower freight rate and a greater profit to themselves.
The taxing and bonding power to make these improvements can be granted the Port of Portland only by the people of the state. You and every other citizen will benefit if you, on November second,
VOTE 810 YES ON THE BALLOT—THE PORT OF PORTLAND DOCK COMMISSION CONSOLIDATION BILL.
OREGON PORT DEVELOPEMENT LEAGUE.
L. W. Trimble, Secretary.

Noted Bachelors. Among the most famous bachelors in the world's history are: Michael Angelo, Rafael, Petrarch, Alexander Pope, Sir Isaac Newton, Schopenhauer, Charles Lamb, Whittier, Swinburne, Alfred de Musset, Voltaire, Tilden, the scientist, Cecil Rhodes, Phillips Brooks, John Burroughs, President Buchanan, Walt Whitman, Lewis Carroll, Henry James, Lord Kitchener, Chopin, Liszt, Beethoven, Nicolo Paganini.
Liberal Offering. One Sunday while at church, there was a special speaker, and the preacher asked for a liberal silver collection. As the plate was being passed I grabbed for a dime, the only piece of money I thought I had. I pulled out a penny and deposited it in the plate. It was not until the gentleman next to me smiled that I noticed my error. —Chicago Tribune.
Merry Little Sunshine. Visitor—I just looked in to cheer you up a bit and I'm very glad I did, for I met the doctor going out and he says you are worse than you think and may not recover.—Boston Transcript.
Why Norwegian Husbands Are Happy. In Norway a girl must have a certificate that she can cook before she can be married.

Cotton Spinning in Japan. Cotton spinning in Japan is regarded by many to be as important commercially as the silk industry.

Another Question. A French woman claims to understand the language of frogs. But will she give the frog a chance to talk?

STEAK
Have you tried one of our steaks. It is our especial pride to give you a steak that is so tender it will fairly melt in your mouth. Order one today and if you don't say it is the best steak you ever had we will be greatly disappointed.
New Meat Market
F. T. Cox, Prop. Next Door to Post Office

OFFICIAL BALLOT
EAST PRINEVILLE PRECINCT NO. 1
FOR CROOK COUNTY, OREGON, NOVEMBER 2, 1920
Mark a (X) Between the Number and Answer Voted

SHALL THERE BE ISSUED BONDS OF CROOK COUNTY TO FUND WARRANTS DRAWN ON ITS TREASURER TO EVIDENCE DEBTS AND LIABILITIES IMPOSED ON IT BY LAW AND WHICH THE COUNTY IS POWERLESS TO PREVENT IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000), THE LENGTH OF TIME OF SAID BONDS SHALL RUN TO BE AS FOLLOWS:

- \$10,000 thereof for six (6) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for seven (7) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for eight (8) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for nine (9) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for ten (10) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for eleven (11) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for twelve (12) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for thirteen (13) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for fourteen (14) years from date of issue;
\$10,000 thereof for fifteen (15) years from date of issue;

to bear interest at the rate of six per cent (6 per cent) per annum?

322 YES
323 NO

In view of the desperate situation of this county financially, the County Court earnestly urges the people to vote favorably on the above question. It does not mean that a single dollar of indebtedness will be created, but simply gives the county court an opportunity to sell bonds to take care of warrants already outstanding. These warrants were inherited when the county was last divided, and under the law as it now stands there is not one single chance to pay them off except by an issue of bonds. If this manner is adopted, we will be able to make a small levy each year with which to pay interest and sinking fund and take up the bonds as indicated on the above ballot.
We urge the people to vote for this proposition and put the county on a cash basis.
N. G. WALLACE, County Judge.