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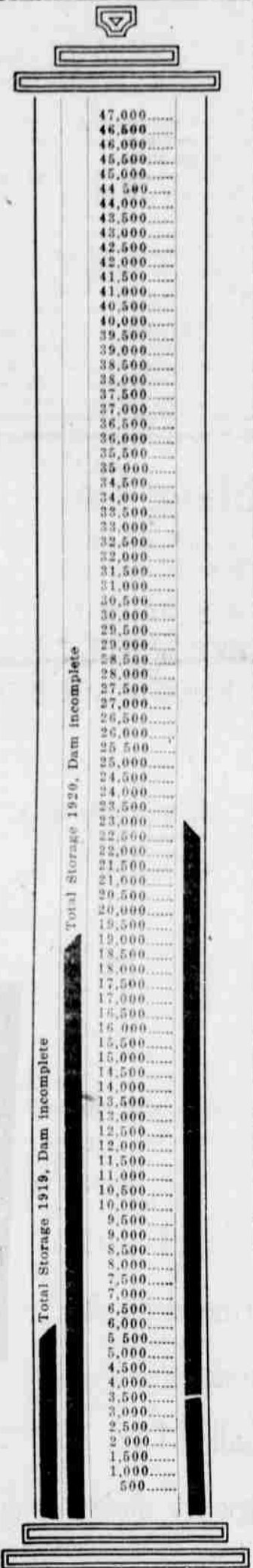
WATCH THE INDICATOR

Lake Ochoco has a total storage capacity of 47,000 acre feet of water.

The figures shown by the indicator gives the total amount of water in storage at the time the reading was taken at eight o'clock this morning by officers of the district, and the report is official.

It will be corrected each week for the benefit of those of our readers who are interested in watching the water supply raise for the crops this year.

The storage of 1919 and 1920 are also given at the left.



WARRANT OR NO RAID IS RULING

Washington, Feb. 28.—(U.P.)—Revenue agents must have search warrants to "invade private homes in hunting for liquor," the supreme court held today.

The decision, it is believed, will prevent widespread prohibition raids unless the federal government has information sufficient to obtain a warrant.

The court set aside the conviction of Lawrence Amos of South Carolina for having "moonshine" whiskey in his possession. Amos' appeal was based on the claim that the liquor was taken from his home without a warrant of search and seizure. The court ordered the liquor returned to him.

The ruling of the supreme court will not affect prohibition work in Oregon, according to Assistant United States Attorney Austin Fogel, as Oregon prohibition agents have been working under that ruling since September 13, 1920.

On that date Federal Judge Chas. Wolverton ruled that John Pitotto, 410 East 10th Street, had not violated the law when he fired his revolver at prohibition agents Delazon C. Smith and Harold M. Charlton, who were attempting to raid his house. In quashing the indictment against Pitotto, the court held that a search warrant must be obtained at all times before a private dwelling is entered, and that when the search warrant is obtained, it must contain pertinent facts on which a court case may be based.

LIQUOR VIOLATORS IN JUSTICE COURT

Ed Jones was fined \$200 by Justice Hyde last Friday morning, after he plead guilty to having liquor in his possession at his ranch on Grizzly.

According to Willard Wirtz, Mr. Jones had always up to that time been a good citizen, and for this reason, Mr. Wirtz, as district attorney for Crook county, recommended that he be given as small a fine as the law permits. Mr. Wirtz also recommended that Mr. Jones be allowed to have a reasonable time in which to raise the money for the fine and that he be allowed his liberty on bond, as he had two minor motherless children at home to take care of. Mr. Jones was given six months in which to pay his fine.

Not guilty, was the plea of Alex and Pearl Davenport, whose case came immediately after that of Mr. Jones.

John Fincher, city marshal, and David Jones, deputy sheriff, who raided the Davenport residence on the 18th of last month, were called as witnesses, and they testified that they found a number of bottles of moonshine in the Davenport residence, as well as a keg buried in the back yard and a bottle in the chicken house, together with evidences of moonshine, such as empty bottles in various rooms of the house.

It was also shown in the testimony that Mrs. Davenport offered the officers of the law a considerable amount of money if they would go away and say nothing of finding the liquor.

A bottle of the product found in the Davenport home was produced as evidence, and the sheriff testified that he had tested it and that in the keg, and that he found it to be 96 to 97 proof.

M. W. Skipworth, attorney for the defence, objected to the testimony at various points on the grounds that the search warrant used by the officers of the law was defective, but his objections were over-ruled by the judge, and testimony ordered to proceed.

The defendants called no witnesses, or otherwise defended themselves against the charges against them. Judge Hyde levied a fine against Mr. Davenport of \$300, and \$100.00 against Mrs. Davenport.

It is understood that the defendants will appeal their cases to the Circuit court which convenes next week.

HIGH School Notes

A splendid rally was held last Thursday night for the basketball team. One misfortune, occurred, which for awhile appeared as if it would put an end to the rally. This was the premature setting off of the bonfire. The rally was scheduled to take place at seven-thirty; but some one bent on having a little fun of his own, slipped up to the pile and set fire to it at six-thirty. The crowd that gathered was disappointed and it appeared as if everyone had lost their enthusiasm; but the Freshmen demonstrated their ability by immediately procuring a truck and going to the hills to gather sage, as all the rubbish and old lumber had been used in building the first pile. When the hands of the town clock swung around to seven-thirty all the high school students were on the job. They all jammed into a truck, like a pack of sardines, and were taken down to Main street. After giving a few yells, a march was made which lead through the show, back through the hotel and up to two lodge meetings. Not desiring the presence of the student body at either of the lodges, the bunch was hauled back to the high school. The fire was then replenished with more fuel and a marshmallow toast was then held. Everybody ate marshmallows and yelled until a late hour.

Bend Game 20-16

After a very close game, Bend succeeded in winning by a score of 20 to 16. With all the players working their hardest to help win, the contest was unusually close. A number of fouls were called on Prineville, but strangely, none were called against Bend. At the end of the first period the score stood 6 to 4 in Bend's favor. In the second half, everyone played to win. Guarding closer than ever, both teams were forced to resort to long shots. The scheduled period ended with a score of 16 to 16. A five-minute period was added, in which Bend secured the only two baskets made. Again Bend remained undefeated on her floor. On the other hand, this was the first defeat Prineville suffered on an outside floor. The lineup of the two teams follows:

Prineville	pos	Bend
Mills	center	Brosterhouse
Smith	for	Hovall
Almack	for	Oreil
Horigan	guard	Coyner
Jacobs	guard	Lehor

Student Body to be Organized

As a result of the informal election of a student body president, a motion was made in the assembly last Friday morning, that a constitution be adopted for an organized

student body. The motion meeting with unanimous approval, a committee was selected by the president to discuss the subject and draw up a suitable compact. Two representatives from each class were selected, and two faculty members were also chosen. By Friday morning, March 4, a report is to be submitted to the student body as to the progress made and also a discussion is to be held on any doubtful points. The committee chosen consists of Mr. Shippee and Mr. Platts, faculty; Hazen Cram and Eleanor Yancey, freshmen; Velma Shattuck and Jas. Newsom, sophomores; Margaret Nicolai and Chester Luelling, juniors; Mark O'Kelley and Clarence Mertching, seniors.

Baseball Season Starts

Baseball is getting a good start in high school now. The freshmen and seniors played a game Tuesday afternoon, resulting in a senior victory of 15 to 3. Only five innings were played. In the fifth inning the entire senior team took a trip around the bases at least once. Because of the lack of sufficient number of boys enrolled in the class, three players from other classes were selected to fill out the team. The juniors challenged the winners for a game Wednesday afternoon. After the preliminary class games, the baseball practice will be taken up in earnest in a short time. In the game already played, good material was displayed, while in the junior and sophomore classes some excellent material can be also relied upon. In a letter received from Burns, a return game for the one played there, at the close of school is asked. In addition they state that they wish to bring their track team along to compete in the inter-county meet to be held at Redmond. No answer has been sent yet, although they are due to play a return game here and everyone in the C. C. H. S. are in favor of having their team represented in the track meet.

Manual Training

Since new material has arrived, after a long wait, the Manual Training classes will commence work on articles for their own use. Three cedar chests and two library tables are to be made. Some of the students are working together on the construction of a glider. The remainder of the year the students are privileged to devote to the construction of whatever article they wish. Those not engaged in any work of their own will be provided with work on lockers in the manual training building and of other work of a like character about the school.

THE MARVEL OF IRRIGATION

The Turlock District, contiguous to the Modesto District, and separated from it on the north by only the middle of the Tuolumne River, parallels Modesto in the history of its development. Similarly, it enjoys the same advantages of situation as does Modesto.

Because of its extensive area the Turlock District is spread out in two counties, Southern Stanislaus and Northern Merced. The District comprises 176,200 acres, mostly lying in a body measuring 18 miles at its greatest width and 23 miles at its greatest length, plus a tail or strip of territory one-half to a mile in width extending in an easterly direction for a distance of about 18 miles along the Tuolumne River. Its boundaries are roughly outlined by the Tuolumne River in the north, the San Joaquin in the west, the Merced River in the south.

In general the topography varies from level to rolling, with certain areas too rough for economical preparation for irrigation under existing conditions. The area is made up of nine soil types technically known as:

Fresno sandy loam.
Fresno sandy loam (brown phase).
Madera and San Joaquin sandy

loam, undifferentiated.
Fresno fine sandy loam.
Fresno fine sandy loam, (brown phase).
San Joaquin sandy loam.
Hanford loam.
Fresno loam.
Freed of technical terms, this means an intermingling of soil types most of which are of a sandy nature, easily worked, fairly fertile, rapidly and thoroughly irrigated; soils in which crops mature quickly and evenly. From soils which may be termed "excellent" from an agricultural standpoint, the grades run down until certain types, because of the presence of stiff tenacious layers, hardpan or alkali, possess only a minimum of agricultural value.
An estimate of the soils represented by this classification gives:
Acres Pct
Excellent 95,700 55
Good 45,100 25
Fair 25,270 14
Poor (mostly because of alkali) 10,130 6
Totals 176,200 100
The district is solely agricultural. It possesses one large town—Turlock—covering 600 acres and credited
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SERVICE MOTOR SALES OPENS FOR BUSINESS

H. W. Howard Sells His Business To New Concern

"Service Motor Sales Company" is the name of the organization which takes the place of the Newell Motor Sales Company in the big concrete garage, just north of the W. F. King Company's store.

"The accent is on the 'Service' part," said G. A. Holmes, who is the manager of the new company, in an interview granted the Journal representative. "We are going to guarantee our work, absolutely" Mr. Holmes went on to state. "We want the auto trade of this country to feel that they can depend in us to do what we say we will, and make our garage their headquarters."

An important item in connection with the establishment of the new concern is the announcement of Henry W. Howard that he has sold to them his entire repair trade and auto accessory department. Mr. Howard states however, that he has reserved the agencies for the Buick and Chandler cars, as well as Republic trucks. He will have his headquarters with the Service Motor Sales Company, and as soon as possible all of the equipment of his present shops and all his cars now on hand, will be moved down the street to their new home. The new company will be associated with him in selling his cars. This will make the new garage the headquarters for all the Buick, Chandler and Republic trade of this country, which will be a big item, as these makes are very popular in Central Oregon.

The local agency for the Chevrolet will be taken over by the new company.

In connection with the garage, the Service company will have the most up-to-date battery service station in Prineville, with an expert in charge. An electric generator capable of charging 50 batteries at one time is being installed.

An important feature is the innovation of all night service. The all night service will start Monday for the convenience of auto patrons, and they will be ready and in position to tow cars both day and night. The need of a garage which would be open at night has long been felt in this country where much of the traveling is done by auto.

Mr. Holmes comes to Prineville from Gary, Indiana, and has already impressed local people as being a live wire. He saw service for a year and a half with the engineers in France, during the war, and belongs to the Legion. Mrs. Holmes arrived in Prineville with her husband, and they will make their home in the Young residence, one block east on Seventh Street.

Associated with Mr. Holmes in the new concern is Mr. Kringle, who is well-known to local people for his ability, having been connected with the W. F. King Company in charge of the office for some time. He will be much welcomed as a business man of the city.

THREE NEW HOUSES TO BE BUILT HERE

Three new houses go up in East Prineville, starting in the next week. Omar Wilson is building a new home directly east of the W. W. Wirtz home. Gujs McCord is starting a new house just east of his home, and E. J. Barrett is building a new bungalow east of the Chas. Ross house. The Johnson Creekers had a feel of the spring cleaning fever last Sunday, and dragged all the roads in that part of town, and pulled considerable sage brush. They can't be beaten for civic pride.

INAUGURATION DAY FRIDAY

Tomorrow is March 4th, one of the biggest red letter days of the year for the United States, for tomorrow, Warren G. Harding will be inaugurated as president, and Woodrow Wilson, who has served as the nation's head through four stormy years of war, as well as four years of peace, will retire to private life.

CIRCUIT COURT TO CONVENE MONDAY

Circuit Court for Crook county will convene next Monday for the March term, before T. E. J. Duffy, Judge of this district.

There has been no court in Crook county since the March term, a year ago. Court was put off twice last October, and finally dismissed until March, on account of the illness of Judge Duffy, and the inability of any other judge to come and take his place.

For this reason, there may be a little more business to come before the court next week, though so far very few cases have been filed at the clerk's office.

All naturalization matters which would have come up last October will come before the court at this time also, as 30 days are required to elapse by law between naturalization and any election, and for this reason, no new citizens could be made last October.

The following is the jury panel for the March term: Arthur Michel, J. O. Powell, Ben Sordal, D. W. Grimes, H. E. Darling, R. W. Zevely, N. F. McCain, John H. Wigle, C. W. Foster, Ralph Brees, C. W. Starr, Prineville; M. D. Nye, Austin Kizer, Warren Libby, Dick Mulholland, Roberts; C. O. Stover, Roy E. Gray, Geo. E. Knox, Post; J. O. Oberg, Supplee; James A. Moffitt, Frank B. Foster, C. B. Guinn, J. L. McDaniel, Chas. E. Parrish, Powell Butte; George Tackman, Frank Hackleman, J. J. Romberg, Barnes; A. M. Logan, Albert Noble, Wm. Treichel, Lawrence Lister, Paulins.

BIG K. OF P. DANCE ON ST PATRICK DAY

If you are looking for a chance to attend a jolly dance where you can have the time of your life without getting hauled out for it, be sure to attend the dance given by the boys of Luna Lodge, Knights of Pythias, on the evening of St. Patrick's Day, at the Legion Hall.

It is to be an old-time, hard-time affair, according to the committee in charge. The omission of that article of abomination, a stiff choker collar, will not only be permitted, but will be required in order to get in. The older the costume, the bigger will be the welcome to the wearer. Old-time dances, such as polkas, and quadrilles, will be interspersed with the modern steps and waltzes, and the committee promises good music and good eats.

The ladies will be made especially welcome, and there will be no extra charge for them.

If you had a good time at the recent Legion hard-time dance, don't fail to attend this one. The K. P.s expect to go it one better, and being the liveliest bunch in this town, we will bank on them.

LIBRARY PRIVILEGES EXTENDED BY CLUB

At the regular meeting of the Ladies Annex Tuesday afternoon, the ladies decided to extend the library privileges to others than Annex members and high school students, now having access to the library.

Under the new plan, anyone may withdraw a book if he wishes by paying the nominal sum of ten cents a month, or 20 cents if he wishes to withdraw two books at one time. The library is open each Tuesday evening at seven o'clock. Books may be held two weeks, a fine being imposed for books over-due.

It is to be hoped that many will respond to this effort on the part of the Ladies Annex to be of service to the community of a public library.

CHAMP CLARK DEAD

Yesterday's Portland papers contained the news of the death of Champ Clark, veteran speaker of the House of Representatives, at the age of 71 years. Death occurred from pleurisy and other complications.

BEND AND PRINEVILLE TIE IN B. B. LEAGUE

As a result of Friday night's basketball game with Madras, in which Prineville defeated the Jefferson county team on its own floor, 21-15, and Bend won from Redmond, the Central Oregon basketball championship now lies between Prineville and Bend, each team having won three games and lost two.

A game between Prineville and Bend is scheduled for next Friday night at Bend. This game is expected to be the hardest fight of the season, as Bend has won every game played on the home floor this year.