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REMIT PENALTY ON 1923 TAXES; 1927 ENDS TIME

Commissioners Vote For Extension

JUDGE IS OPPOSED

New Location of Highway Decided On In Preparation For High Bridge

Remission of penalty and interest on 1923 and 1924 taxes as provided for in chapter 314 of the general laws of Oregon, 1925, was authorized by the county court in an order passed Thursday. Commissioners George W. Sedgwick and J. S. Innes voting affirmatively and Judge R. W. Sawyer opposing.

Previously the court had made the measure effective in Deschutes county up to May 1, the time limit for its application to delinquent taxes of 1921. District Attorney A. J. Moore asked the attorney general for an opinion on the legality of this limitation of the provisions of the act. Attorney General I. H. Van Winkle replied that the act was mandatory upon all counties, although its wording in that respect is as follows:

"The county courts of the several counties of the state may and are hereby authorized to remit all interest, penalties and costs which have been or may be incurred on all taxes levied in their respective counties on the tax rolls for the years 1921, 1922 and 1923 to all taxpayers who, prior to May 1, 1925, or prior to the date on which foreclosure of certificates of delinquency could have been instituted under the law if certificates of delinquency had been issued, shall have paid the original amount of such delinquent taxes on the property affected."

Establish Highway Route
According to the interpretation given at the sheriff's office, 1922 taxes may be paid without penalty and interest up to May 5, 1926; and 1923 taxes up to May 5, 1927, under this law.

The county court at its meeting Thursday established the location of the Dalles-California highway from the end of the present traveled portion in the north end of the county to the county line, which is some distance south of the Crooked river canyon.

The highway, according to the order approved Thursday by the court, will keep to the west of the railroad to a point beyond the Jefferson county line, and will pass under the Oregon Trunk tracks at a fill in the railroad grade, not far from the present steel span across the canyon.

WILL HURRY WORK ON NATRON CUTOFF

New Sawmill to Be Needed to Make Tunnel Timbers

Work on the Natron cutoff will be pushed as fast as is humanly possible this summer, was the statement today of J. A. Ormandy, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, who was in Bend today. Two thousand men will be at work on construction as soon as the season advances enough to make this possible.

This was Ormandy's first visit to Bend, and he was here for the purpose of familiarizing himself with conditions in Central Oregon.

M. M. Moffitt, also an official of the Southern Pacific, was in Bend with Ormandy, to make arrangements for setting up another sawmill to cut timbers for tunnel work, on the west side of the summit.

Auto Accident Victim May Recover, Believed

That Peter Robertson, brother of Mrs. Alex McLennon of the Hotel Bend, is recovering from injuries which for a time were feared to be fatal, is the information received from The Dalles, where Robertson is in the hospital. Mrs. McLennon is with her brother.

Robertson and Walter McPherson of near Prineville were driving east from Antelope the latter part of last week when their automobile turned over, seriously injuring the two men. They were rushed by automobile to The Dalles.

Robertson, according to the Madras Pioneer, suffered a broken rib, which pierced a lung. McPherson suffered serious cranial injuries.

Oregon Football Hero Death Due to Injuries

Game of Three Years Ago Fatal to "Tiny" Shields

Kick In Back In Play Against Whitman Held Cause of Tuberculosis of Spine

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
PORTLAND, June 5.—Tiny Shields, football hero of the University of Oregon and captain of the 1922 team is dead.

Going into the game in poor condition, Shields saved Oregon from defeat at the hands of Whitman three years ago, but that victory cost him his life.

Word was received here that he died yesterday at the hospital at Camp Kearney, San Diego, from tuberculosis of the spine.

Shields was out of the line up in that Whitman game which was played in Pendleton in 1922. Whitman was going strong and it looked as if she would score. Thereupon Shields was sent in, and his sturdy playing halted the missionaries and brought victory for Oregon.

But Shields was kicked in the back. At first it was thought to be a minor injury. He finished the season with his team. On the way back from Honolulu where he went with his team mates to play two Christmas season games, Shields took sick with pneumonia. He recovered, but was soon on his back again. Then physicians learned the truth and operated on him. For many months Shields remained an invalid.

Last season a great Christmas benefit game was given for him here by his old team mates and opponents from northwest universities. The game was to provide funds to help Tiny get well.

Only recently Shields had told his many friends that he was improving. Then unexpectedly came the word that he was dead.

COURT HOUSE SITE HELD NOT AT ISSUE

Policy When Lease Up to Be Recommended

The joint committee of the Bend and Redmond commercial clubs, appointed to investigate the matter of court house facilities for the county, does not have as one of its tasks the selection or recommendation of a site for a court house which the county will be asked to purchase, it was stated today by J. H. Haner, who is one of the Bend club's representatives on the committee. J. S. Innes is the other and M. A. Lynch is the Redmond member.

Some time ago the county court asked the commercial clubs to make an investigation and to determine what in their opinion should be done about quarters for the county offices when the present lease expires. Haner pointed out. The committee which has recently been appointed is to make that investigation, and has not been named with any view to urging purchase of a court house site, as has been inferred by the editors of the Redmond Spokesman in an editorial published this week, which reads in part:

"Several citizens from Bend were in Redmond Tuesday to meet with the local commercial club to interest the local people in the proposition to purchasing a site for a court house in Bend. This subject came up several months ago and the local commercial body went on record as favoring only the leasing of quarters until after a period of years, giving as their reason that it would be hardly right now to make such an increase in taxation as the project would call for. The future, all of us hope, holds a largely increased urban population. We are in need of more people on the farms. This increase of population and the tilling of lands now idle will increase the amount of taxable property to an extent that no large per capita sum will not be needed. There appears to be no reason as yet advanced why this opinion should not stand. It is as sound now as it was when it was first propounded and no argument we have heard would tend to move us (this publication) from that stand."

9 Year Old Boy Charged With Murder of Infant

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 5.—A nine year old boy today was charged with manslaughter here.

The boy is John Veres of Lowell, Mass., who was formally indicted by the grand jury for the murder of Vivian Husson, aged 19 months.

He is alleged to have thrown her into the Merrimack river and, then thrown rocks at her until she died.

AMERICA JOINS IN SHARP NOTE SENT TO CHINA

Denies Responsibility For Deaths

FIRE IN DEFENSE

Business Conditions Generally Disrupted In China, Reported In Cables

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
WASHINGTON, June 5.—The United States government has joined with other powers in directing a sharp note to the Chinese government at Peking, rejecting its demands and placing full responsibility for the disorders and bloodshed at Shanghai on the demonstrators and rioters.

The note from the powers followed receipt of a note from China which demand release of arrested rioters and held the foreign authorities responsible for the killing of Chinese students.

The note, as made public by the state department here today, said in part:

"Demonstrating groups who were distributing subversive and anti-foreign pamphlets in the concession on Nankin road were requested to disperse and the leaders were arrested. 'The crowd which refused to obey the orders of the police then attacked them and attempted an assault on the police station.

"It was only then that the (foreign) police made use of their arms. 'It would therefore result that the responsibility of the event which followed rests on the demonstrators and not upon the (foreign) authorities of the concession."

SHANGHAI BANKS CLOSE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.—Generally disrupted business conditions and closed schools were reported in Chinese cables today to the Chinese Times here.

All Shanghai banks were closed, but banks at Peking and Tientsin were reported taking care of business there and at other points affected by the strike of laborers.

At Changshai and Sianktan, two of the largest cities of the province of Hunan, shops and schools were reported closed by the student strike. Foochow, Nanking and Peking schools also were closed.

The Times believes the Shanghai strike did not originate with Chinese, but was fostered by persons of other nationalities with "red" or radical tendencies.

Frisco Chinese Aid
The Chinese World today prints a story that Chinese sympathizers in San Francisco and Stockton have effected an organization to raise money to send to China for the aid of those out of work. One thousand dollars was called last night by this organization to the Shanghai Press, the World says.

Leaders in this organization are as yet unknown, the Times says, but the membership is made up of a laboring element of Chinese.

The cable to the Shanghai Press deprecated any violence by the workers, but appealed to them to maintain their rights.

Oregon State Grangers Endorse An Income Tax

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
DALLAS, Ore., June 5.—Oregon state grangers, in annual convention here, adjourned this morning to visit the Oregon normal school at Monmouth, after a busy day yesterday.

The grange yesterday went on record as favoring a state income tax, in a resolution which urged the initiation of such a bill for presentation at the next regular election.

Another resolution urging the governor to appoint a commission to investigate the schools of higher education with a view to see if the amount now provided by the millage tax could not be reduced, received the endorsement of the entire grange body.

Investigation Is Ordered
Of Attack Upon Consul

Night School Planned For Adults Next Fall

Legion and Bend District to Give Cooperation

Post Picks Delegates and Alternates to Attend Convention At Prineville

A night school for adults or Bend who, through circumstances, were unable to secure even a primary grade education when children, will be conducted in this city for a few months next winter under the auspices of the American Legion. This was decided at a meeting of the local post of the legion last night when the legionnaires by unanimous vote gave their promise to back the movement.

Founding of a night school in Bend for mill workers and others who would like to get a primary education was proposed to the legion men by Rev. Francis H. Ball, chairman of the Americanization committee. Rev. Ball has already taken the matter of founding a night school under consideration with G. W. Agee, city superintendent of schools, and it is probable that arrangements can be made to secure one or two rooms in the school gymnasium.

The Americanization chairman in his talk to the legion men warned against starting the night school with a "brass band flourish." Instead, the school should be started in an unpretentious manner, Rev. Ball advised. Commander John A. Runge named Rev. Ball, Leroy Fox and Don McBain members of the committee to make arrangements for starting the school next fall.

Delegates who are to represent the local legion post at the Prineville convention were elected at last night's meeting. They are John A. Runge, S. R. Brown and Charles W. Erskine. Alternates are Jephtha Smith, Phil Brogan and Frank B. McLeod.

An entertainment featured the meeting. The entertainers were Claude Smith and B. A. Stover. J. T. Coyle is chairman of the entertainment committee.

LEGACY IS DENIED, SHOOT RICH MAN

New York Importer Dies of Wounds Received

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
NEW YORK, June 5.—Thomas Leeming, New York importer, who was shot today in his office here, died at 2 p. m. in a hospital.

Charles Miller, arrested after the shooting, was ordered held on a murder charge.

Miller told Assistant District Attorney Jones he was an unrecognized son of the late Woodruff Leeming, of whose estate Thomas Leeming was the executor.

He said he was left \$15,000 under the will of Woodruff Leeming, but had been unable to collect it, excepting \$7,500 paid him last September under duress in New York.

Miller said he went to Leeming's office today to demand a settlement and was refused. He said he then shot Leeming.

Three Great Churches Consolidating Sunday

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
TORONTO, Ont., June 4.—As an important step toward Protestant unity, the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of Canada will merge Wednesday into one great body to be known as the United Church of Canada.

A total of 8,771 congregations with an aggregate membership of 2,500,000 will be affected by the consolidation, which is regarded in church circles as highly significant.

After next Wednesday, members of these denominations, which heretofore have maintained individual churches, will worship under one roof in each of the hundreds of Canadian cities and towns.

Fifteen hundred delegates will meet in the Toronto arena Wednesday to participate in the institution of the new United church.

Three Under Indictment
In Movie Kidnaping Plot

TOLL OF DEATH SHOWING GAINS, HEAT UNABATED

No Relief In East For Three Days

REPORT DROWNINGS

Pacific States Apparently Only Part of Country Unaffected By Wave

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
The most disastrous June heat wave since the weather bureau was established had increased its toll to 122 lives this morning when, for the fifth successive day, a rising tide of heat enveloped a large portion of the nation.

Souring temperatures, coupled with low humidity, were expected to continue havoc and suffering, with no relief in sight for the next three days.

Forty-four more deaths attributed to the heat during the last 24 hours have created a mortality list that has no parallel in the weather records for the month of June. Sixty-eight fatalities previously had occurred during the current heat wave.

Tropical weather had caused 10 more deaths in Chicago during the past 24 hours, bringing that city's total for the week to 19.

Nine additional deaths occurred in New York.

Pittsburgh reported four deaths, increasing its total to six.

Four Die in Boston
In Boston, where the maximum temperature was a record breaker—96.3—four persons were killed by the heat.

Washington, officially the nation's hottest spot with a maximum of 99, had three deaths and 32 prostrations.

While seeking relief from the heat, two persons were drowned at Baltimore.

In Detroit two persons died and three others were overcome by the heat.

Binghamton, N. Y., reported two deaths and several prostrations.

Two bathers were drowned at Philadelphia.

Albany and Syracuse, N. Y., each reported one fatality.

Prostrations occurred in St. Louis, Wilmington, Del., and Harrisburg, Pa.

Pacific Coast Cool
Only the Pacific coast seems to have entirely escaped from the heat wave. In some rural sections of the affected districts, fear is felt for the crops. Precautions against the possibility of forest fires have been taken in Michigan and Minnesota.

All heat records for the date have been broken in New York during the past 24 hours, when at one time the mercury reached 95.

The weather bureau today reported no relief in sight for at least 24 hours and added that the heat wave might run through Sunday.

Open Golf Title Goes To Willie MacFarlane

Scot Beats Bobby Jones On The Final Hole

First Playoff Round Tie, and Second of 18 Holes This Afternoon Is Required

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
WORCESTER COUNTRY CLUB, Mass., June 5.—Willie MacFarlane of Oak Ridge, New York, won the national open golf championship from Bobby Jones of Atlanta, Ga., here this afternoon by one stroke after a bitterly contested 36 hole struggle in the play off of a tie.

The first round of 18 today, which was to have decided the championship, was a tie. The outcome of the match was in doubt until the 36th green was reached.

Jones was four up at the end of the first nine of the second round of the day, but by steady, consistent golf, MacFarlane cut down this lead until they were all square again at the 15th.

The 16th and 17th were halved, the latter with birdies. Then Bobby caught a trap with his second shot on the 15th. MacFarlane was well on. The doughty Scot took two or the box putts for a four. Bobby played out of his trap but two putts were also necessary for him and he took a five.

Bobby missed his try for the single putt that would have continued the tie, and the crown of king of American golfers descended upon the brow of MacFarlane, and his supporters in the gallery rushed forward to embrace and congratulate him.

BANDITS WOUNDED IN LOOTING BANK

Two of Robbers Winged By Bullets, But Escape

(U. P. Leased Wire to The Bend Bulletin)
SEATTLE, Wash., June 5.—Bank officials fought a revolver battle with four bandits this morning, wounded or killed two of them and then were outdistanced in an automobile chase in which the hold-ups escaped.

The bandits got loot estimated at \$3,000.

The bandits rushed into the bank about 10 o'clock and commanded Vaughn Bosley, assistant cashier, and R. E. Worley, cashier, to "stick 'em up." The robbers then grabbed all the cash in sight and as they turned, stuffing bills and coins into their pockets, toward the door, Worley and Bosley grabbed revolvers and started firing. As the bandits jumped into the waiting car the officials reloaded and sent another stream of bullets into the car. With curses and cries of pain two of the men slumped on the seats, evidently hit.

The bandit car sped away toward Kirkland with Bosley and Worley, a commandeered car, in hot pursuit. The latter car, however, was soon outdistanced by the more speedy robbers' car.

Deputies were notified and armed posses are searching every woods and highway in the vicinity.

"Pirate" Cave Located On River Bank In City

Reports that pirates were making raids on the unprotected homes in the vicinity of the city park and making their headquarters in a cave on the banks of the river, resulted in an investigation today by Chief Peter J. Hanson, who found that it was true.

Approached by a tunnel about 10 feet in length, the pirates' cave was concealed by the river bank. Inside, the chief found numerous objects dear to the heart of boyhood, and a somewhat frightened group of pirates, ranging in age from 8 to 12 years.

The chief found that they were well behaved and law abiding pirates, but he also found that the roof of the cave was exceedingly thin—a heap of dirt over a few boards and a rug—and fearing lest some heavy animal should pass that way and break through, crushing some of the boys, the chief ordered them to dismantle their stronghold.

Shevlin Band Broadcast Will Be An Hour Earlier

Previously announced for the hour between 9 and 10 o'clock on the night of June 18, the Shevlin-Hixon band will broadcast a concert from KGW in Portland on the same date between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock. The Bend musicians, to be known as the Lumberjack band, will attend the annual rose festival in Portland.

RAIL OFFICIALS TO REACH BEND BY AUTOMOBILE

L. C. Gilman Accompanied By Engineers

SURVEY IS RUSHED

Hill Men Speed Up Location Work, Note Character of Country

High officials of the Hill lines, headed by L. C. Gilman of Seattle, vice president of the Great Northern, will arrive here this evening from Klamath Falls in private automobiles. The officials are in Central Oregon getting first hand reports on the progress of the surveys which are being rushed from Bend to Klamath Falls.

Among the officials arriving here this evening, probably quite late, will be a formidable array of engineering authorities, chiefs of engineering work of the Northern lines. The engineers accompanying Gilman and other officials to Bend will include A. H. Hogeland, consulting engineer of the Great Northern; A. J. Witchel, chief engineer of the Oregon Trunk; P. E. Thlan, assistant chief engineer of the Northern Pacific, and probably G. V. Lintner, construction engineer of the S. P. & S. system.

First Hand Data Sought
"We are here to get first hand reports on the progress of the surveys which are being rushed from Bend to Klamath at this time," C. A. Hart of Portland, general attorney for the Oregon Trunk line, said recently when interviewed in Klamath Falls.

"Also, we wish to look over the character of the country which the surveys are to be pushed through at the earliest possible moment." It is surmised that the officials are inspecting a part of the country today on their trip north to Bend.

"There are four crews in the field, and everything possible is being done to expedite the work," the Klamath News quotes Hart as saying. "Following the presentation of this survey data to the interstate commerce commission, a hearing will be immediately held in Portland before a representative of the commission, for the purpose of presenting arguments for or against the building of this line."

Wednesday and Thursday of this week, Gilman and Hart, accompanied by some of the engineers, visited country north of Klamath Falls through which the two parallel routes are being surveyed at present. The two routes join at Junction Point, south of Crescent. From this place, one line is being surveyed to Bend.

Railroad Men Gather
Gilman, it is said, is well acquainted with the country proposed to be tapped by the lines, which will give Bend an outlet to the south, and will make the Deschutes valley line a main line instead of a branch road.

Witchel and members of his party of engineers passed through Bend Monday on their way to Klamath Falls, where they joined the other officials of the northern lines.

At the same time the Great Northern officials were in Klamath Falls. J. H. Dyer, general manager of the Southern Pacific, and other officials of that same line were in the Klamath county city.

DEPUTY SHERIFF LEAVES

W. E. Van Allen, chief deputy sheriff of Deschutes county, has left this position and has gone to Port Angeles, Wash., for a visit of several weeks. It was announced today. His position in the sheriff's office may not be filled until fall.

TUNNEY-GIBBONS FIGHT COMING ROUND BY ROUND

Maybe Jack Dempsey will fight again some day; maybe he won't. But for the present he's an inactive champion, to say the least.

There are many to claim the title, or the right to fight the titleholder. Of these Tom Gibbons and Gene Tunney are among the greatest. They fight tonight.

The United Press leased wire will carry the round by round, blow by blow report of the fight. The Bulletin will receive this report, meeting the wishes of the fight fans of Bend.

Returns will be posted at this office and at the Palace pool hall on Bond street. The reports will begin at about 5 p. m. Pacific coast time.