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With all that there was in the world of grief, suffering and sorrow wishes for a merry Christmas a week ago seemed almost a mockery.

LAKE JOINS KLAMATH Lake county, so we learn from the Examiner, has joined Klamath in protesting the proposed Shevlin-Hixon-forest service land and timber exchange.

As we have said there are 9,117 acres of Lake county land involved. It is all cut-over and is eligible for classification as reforestation land.

POINTLESS NOTES One of our newspaper friends notes an OPA admission that it knew of the prospective food shortage and need of further ration restrictions back in October and he points to the fact that in spite of this knowledge the announcement was not made until after the election.

In the first five years of system operation the Bonneville power administration sold more than 21 billion kilowatt hours of power. The total is large and the administration makes a big point of the low kilowatt cost.

Past Year Arid And Also Chilly

Arid weather characterized the year 1944 in Central Oregon and Bend's precipitation for the 12 months, 8.90 inches, was the third lowest on record in the 42 years history of the Bend weather station.

Ration Calendar

Processed Foods: Book 4—Blue stamps X5 through Z5, and A2—GE valid indefinitely. Destroy A5 through Z8 and A5 through W5.

Good Luck, Kid



The WAY OUR PEOPLE LIVED by W.E. Woodward

A DAY IN A VIRGINIA PLANTER'S LIFE (APRIL 1713)

In the midst of a dream Edward Swain awoke, and for a time he hardly knew that he had been dreaming. It seemed very real, a scene from life, yet it was misty in spots, as dreams are.

aced barns. Slow-moving white and black servants were about their tasks with the accurate and unobtrusive regularity of unspoken labor.

farms to purchase fleeces, carried two seven-pound weights bearing the royal arms; the farmer selected a stone to balance these on a scale and the "stone" became a unit of weight.

Bureau Official Is Bend Visitor

F. A. Banks, regional director for the U. S. Bureau of reclamation, spent the weekend in Bend conferring with local bureau officials and studying the progress of the North Unit Irrigation project.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

By Peter Edson (United Press Staff Correspondent)

FRENCH people still have a number of misconceptions about the United States and the American war effort which the Psychological Warfare Division of the Army and the Office of War Information are trying to correct.

PARIS of the difficulty in France today is that the country is still a lot of isolated communities. Electric power is limited, broadcasting is limited, communication services of all kinds are limited and there is a shortage of newspapers.

Weather of Past Year Mess, Asserts Scribe Fred Othman

By Frederick C. Othman (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Jan. 1 (UP)—It was too hot or too cold or too wet or too dry all last year (that's official) and why I don't go back to southern California (adv.) I do not know.

September: The Atlantic hurricane swept up the coast, killing 390 more people and blowing down \$100,000,000 more stuff.

April: too darn much rain all over the place. St. Louis had the heaviest rain since 1893 and the biggest flood since 1894. It never had been so wet before in April in Peoria, Ill.

June: turn on the air conditioning. It was too blamed hot all over and too dry in the east and too wet in the middle west, and that wasn't all.

street that today I can't sit at all. I'll take California. I think weather bureau would, too, had his choice.

Two Cars Stolen Over Week End

Two automobiles were stolen Bend over the weekend, but quickly recovered by state-city police who found no trace of the thieves, police reports show today.



Remember—Every Day Is Bond Day! Bend-Troy Laundry 60 Kansas Phone 14

Advertisement for Bank of Bend, a home owned institution. Includes the year '1945' and the slogan 'MAY IT BRING A HAPPIER WORLD'.

Bend's Yesterdays

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO (Jan. 1, 1930) (From The Bulletin Files) With the commission and city manager form of government one year old today in Bend, Commissioners George P. Cove, N. R. Gilbert and J. F. Hosh announce they will turn their attention to codifying ordinance, and lists the paving of Newport avenue as one of the outstanding programs for the New Year.



Check Their Eyes Don't send your girl or boy to school handicapped with faulty vision. Dr. M. B. McKenney OPTOMETRIST

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WELL, PEACE IS RESTORED ONCE MORE IN THE McGOOSEY HOUSEHOLD. THE PARTY IS OVER AND FRECKLES HAS HAD A CHANCE TO SEE HIMSELF AS OTHERS SEE HIM!



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