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COE TO BE MAYOR

GETS ELEVEN VOTES MORE THAN CALDWELL.

Theodore Aune, H. E. Allen and M. J. Kelley Elected Aldermen and Ed Kelley Marshal—153 Votes Were Cast at the Election.

One hundred fifty three votes were cast at the city election yesterday as follows:

FOR MAYOR	
U. C. Coe.....	82
S. C. Caldwell.....	71
Coe's majority.....	11
FOR ALDERMEN	
Theodore Aune.....	142
Herbert R. Allen.....	91
M. J. Kelley.....	82
A. C. Lucas.....	77
A. M. Lara.....	63
(The first three were elected.)	
FOR MARSHAL	
J. E. Kelley.....	88
C. A. Chapman.....	63
Millard Triplett.....	1

Kelley's plurality..... 24
Only one of the regularly appointed election board appeared for service—V. A. Forbes. H. J. Overturf and I. C. Bozell were sworn in for the additional judges and L. A. Shaw and E. C. Throne served as clerks. Some 15 votes were challenged during the day, but only three were excluded.
The newly elected officers will take their seats the second Tuesday in January.

TO READJUST LINE

More Taxable Property to Be Brought Into Bend District.

On the 4th day of next month the District Boundary Board will act upon a petition for changing the boundary line between the Bend and the Lava school districts so as to run as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the Bend district, thence south on the east line of range 13 east to the south line of township 20 south; thence west 15 miles; thence north 9 miles and thence west to the west line of Crook county.

This will add to the Bend district about \$527,000 of taxable property, on last year's valuation, leaving about \$200,000 in the Lava district. The south line of the Bend district is now near Wet-weather spring. This throws a fine body of timber into the Lava district where there are only half a dozen school children. Therefore that district literally has "money to burn" while the Bend district, employing nine teachers and running a full high school, is deprived of the revenue that should logically come here. The proposed readjustment will still leave the Lava district with a larger taxable valuation than that of Madras, which was last year \$91,158, or Redmond,

which was \$107,548; indeed, but seven of the 67 districts of the county show a larger valuation than will be left in Lava district after the proposed change is made, and none of the districts have less need for the money.

RECOMMEND 10 MILLS

Such is the Need of Bend School District—The Detailed Estimate

The School Board met at Chairman Triplett's store Monday evening, all of the Directors being present. The bill of the Patterson Drug Company for \$17.05 was allowed. The Clerk reported unpaid warrants outstanding from the school year of 1909-10 of \$1,195.81, exclusive of interest on them from date of issue. This deficit was caused by the exemption from taxation of the properties of Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company.

After full consideration the Board decided that the following be submitted to the voters of the district as the Board's estimate of the expenses for the year:

Salaries for year.....	\$6,705.00
Interest on bonds.....	325.00
Fuel and water.....	245.00
Incidentals.....	500.00
Deficit, 1909-10.....	1,195.81
Interest on deficit.....	71.75
Total.....	\$9,042.56

The Clerk then read the County Clerk's certified statement that the districts taxable property for the year 1910 was \$651,733. He also stated that the county apportionment for this district would be at the rate of \$8 per pupil; with an enrollment of about 200 pupils, this will give the district about \$1600 from that source.

In view of the expected enlargement of the district during 1911, it was moved and carried that the Board recommend a levy of 10 mills for the year 1910-11. There will be a meeting of the voters of the district at Millard Triplett's store this evening between 8 and 9 to vote on the levy.

RUSHING THE ROAD

Team Work Nearly Done—Progress at Crooked River Bridge.

E. W. Monahan, superintendent of construction for Henry & McFee, the Oregon Trunk Contractors, was in Bend Tuesday, and announced that the team work along the right-of-way will be completed within the next week, provided the ground does not freeze too hard. The excavation for the north pier of the Crooked River bridge will be completed Saturday. The cement for the piers has been delivered and the rock crusher is now in operation. The crushed rock to be used will be taken from the pits excavated for the piers.

Timbers are now being delivered for a large trestle six miles north of Redmond. Fifteen hundred feet of trestle just south of Crooked River is being rapidly completed, all of the piles having been placed.

ATHLETIC CLUB

ORGANIZATION FORMED BY BEND YOUNG MEN.

To Maintain Rooms and Have a Regular Instructor—List of the Charter Members and the Officers.

At a meeting held at Linster's Hall last Thursday evening the Bend Athletic Association was temporarily organized with the following officers:

President—A. R. Dorris.
Vice-President—Warren Wheelock.

Secretary—Guy McReynolds.
Treasurer—Prince Staats.

Sergeants-at-Arms—Willard Houston and Vern Hotaling.
Directors—D. D. Gardner, Willard Houston and Fred Lucas.

The charter membership roll was left open until last Monday, and 45 members were placed on the roll. The initiation fee is now \$5. The monthly dues of the organization will be \$1.

Warren Wheelock, Willard Houston and E. R. Post were named as a committee to draw up by-laws; Carl Hunter, C. M. Davis, and Alphonse Linster a committee on entertainment, and Willard Houston, Vern Hotaling and A. R. Dorris a committee on apparatus.

At a meeting held Saturday evening the association decided on red and white as the colors, and the winged B as the emblem. It was also decided to order the gymnasium apparatus on Monday. About \$50 will be spent for equipment at present, the usual athletic apparatus having been ordered.

At a meeting held Monday evening by-laws were adopted, and the previous election ratified. Arrangements were also made for a dance to be given at Linster's Hall, next Saturday evening, for the benefit of the association.

The association has arranged to secure the use of the basement room under Linster's Hall. The room is 20x50 feet, and will be large enough for the present uses of the club. Shower baths will be installed in the near future.

A. R. Dorris will serve as instructor for the class work, which began Tuesday. Mr. Dorris was a member of the Multnomah Athletic Club of Portland for four years, and served as an assistant instructor or during part of that time.

The charter member roll follows:

L. G. McReynolds	J. D. Holcomb
Prince Staats	Claude Kelley
C. M. Dorris	George Woods
E. R. Post	Vern Hotaling
A. R. Dorris	Leroy Hotaling
Willard Houston	Alphons Linster
A. L. French	John Sather
V. A. Harris	Fred Lucas
D. D. Gardner	Warren Wheelock
Leo Pelarske	Kenneth Minor
Carl Hunter	W. R. Wilkinson
S. G. Dorris	W. H. Gillilan
C. G. Springer	Fred Triplett
John Bates	August Zuliany
T. B. Wall	James Serravallo
A. C. Seely	Ivan McGilvray
Joseph Wornstaff	Lloyd Kelley
P. W. Brackett	Charles Carroll
D. M. Davis	Ted Hoke

Rowe's Economy Store

Rowe's Economy Store was opened to the public last Monday. Miss Veda Williams and Miss Iva West furnished the music during the entire day. The store was decorated for the occasion and was crowded throughout the day.

The interior of the new store is very neat and artistic; the shelves and tables are all red, while the ceiling and walls are papered white. The lighting of this new racket store is excellent.

Camp Moves South of Bend.

Joe Rock, railroad contractor, recently established a camp a mile south of the railroad crossing over the Pilot Butte canal. He now has a crew of 15 men clearing the right-of-way for the Oregon Trunk Railroad just south of the city limits.

Tumalo Neighborhood.

TUMALO, Or., Dec. 2.—The weather man promised a hard winter, judging from the way it has started in, his promise may be fulfilled. Stock is in good condition in these parts and everybody has an abundance of feed, so let her come.

John B. Wimer has gone to Grants Pass to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker have gone to make their future home at Roseburg.

Geo. N. Campbell of this place made a business call at Bend today. He has taken up a homestead near this place and says he intends to get busy and make a home.

CRIMINAL LIBEL

CHARGE OF ELKINS AND COMBS AGAINST PROHIS.

Prosecution of Committee of the Citizen's Good Government League, Which Opposed Re-Election of the Present Sheriff.

Monday at Prineville Sheriff Elkins and his deputy, John Combs, filed in Justice Bernier's court complaints charging the members of Publication Committee of the Citizen's Good Government League (by which name the Prohibition movement in Crook county is known) with criminal libel. The committee was composed of R. V. Constable of Prineville, G. T. Morehead of Madras, L. D. Wiest of Bend, and Ben Gotter, Earl Benton and L. A. Hunt of Redmond. They published a paper called "The Citizen's Call," which, during the recent campaign, spoke rather plainly of Elkins's administration of the Sheriff's office. J. A. Hoffman was manager of the Call and is included in the prosecution. Elkins failed of re-election by but nine votes.

The special inquirer complained of appeared in the Call dated October 29, but really issued about November 5. It criticized both Sheriff Elkins and Deputy Combs.

Warrants were served on all the defendants, who appeared before Justice Bernier this afternoon, waived examination and were held to the Circuit Court on bonds of \$250 each.

School Notes.

Last Thursday the Eighth Grade club met at the school house. The following interesting programme was rendered after roll-call:

Kangaroo Court: Judge—Marion Lawrence; Sheriff—Ralph Lucas; Clerk—Fred Triplett; Crier—Hugh Thompson; Complainant—Vancie Clark; Prosecuting Attorney—Clarence Sather; Prisoner—George Woods; Defendant's Attorney—Pay Deyarmond. Jury of six and three witnesses on each side. The charge was that the defendant had stolen a valuable ring from the home of the complainant. The trial resulted in acquittal.
Anne Linster and Irene Page sang a duet and there was a song by Frances Steidl. Robert Innes delivered a lecture and the Club Paper was read by Vancie Clark.

The school has commenced rehearsing the Christmas cantata.
Tillie Wood was absent last week on account of illness.

Lyle Richardson was in charge of the first grade during Miss Richardson's absence.

Monday the premiums were awarded to the following pupils by the Crook County Fair Association:

Marion Lawrence—Four firsts.....	\$ 4.00
Emily Schreder—One first and two seconds.....	2.00
Margaret Wiest—One first and two seconds.....	2.00
Estelle Thorson—Two firsts.....	2.00
Lyle Richardson—One first and one second.....	1.50
Marie Fox—One first and one second.....	1.50
Bruce Deyarmond—One first.....	1.00
Clara Vineyard—One first.....	1.00
Martin Vineyard—One first.....	1.00
Caroline Taylor—One second.....	.50
Francis Steidl—One second.....	.50
Claudia Triplett—One second.....	.50
Total—13 firsts and 9 seconds.....	\$17.50

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"AFTER MANY YEARS"

Justice Called to Appraise Estray Finds to be His Own.

Last week H. E. Stewart, who lives on the Waugh road seven miles northeast of Bend, reported to The Bulletin that he had taken up a bay mare and wished to take the necessary legal steps to find the owner or get pay for her keeping. He had complied with all requirements up to the point of having the animal appraised by a Justice of the Peace, for which service he was referred to Justice Orcutt of Deschutes precinct.

When the Justice went out to the Stewart ranch to appraise the mare he discovered her to be his own property. More than five years ago he had lost her out on the "desert" with a band of wild horses and had no tidings of her since that time. And he last saw her not a great distance from where she was rediscovered. The beast did not appear to have suffered any great hardship, but she showed no recollection of her owner. It was not necessary further to unwind legal red tape. Justice Orcutt lost his appraisal fee but gained a good bay mare.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY

A. M. Lara & Co. Entertain the Public in Appropriate Manner.

A. M. Lara & Co. entertained at their store on Friday and Saturday, the occasion being their third anniversary party and Christmas opening. The store was extensively decorated, Christmas trees and sparkling decorations having been arranged throughout the store.

Refreshments were served on the second floor, Mrs. A. M. Lara, assisted by several friends, presiding at the booth. Miss Veda Williams and Miss Iva West furnished the music during the afternoons and evenings. About 750 guests enjoyed the hospitality of the firm.

Leaders in Doll Contest.

The voting contest for the prize dolls offered by A. M. Lara & Co. continues to arouse the interest of the little girls in and about Bend. The 10 leaders in the contest follow, those living outside of Bend being marked thus *:

Myrtle Daily, 1046; *Ruth Wornstaff, 746; Goldie Conway, 254; Josephine Young, 241; Elma Wood, 177; *Leira Harriman, 152; Leonora Morris, 138; *Eunice Neff, 118; Zelia Morehand, 103; *Elsie Horn, 102.
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Mail Sacks Robbed

W. P. Vandever reports the robbery of a number of mail sacks on the Rosland route recently. He and others missed a number of letters about the 10th of November. This week some of them were found in George Siv's barn, near the county line, where the thief had evidently spent a night and explored his booty. Further investigation of the matter is now in progress.

TAX LEVY LOWER

COUNCIL RESCINDS 15-MILL VOTE AND MAKES IT 10.

Objection Because there was not a Full Attendance, but the Mayor Argues the Matter and His Forces Stand Together.

At an adjourned meeting of the Common Council held Thursday evening Alderman Kelley moved that the action of the Council on November 28, in levying a tax of 15 mills on the dollar, be rescinded. Triplett seconded the motion.

Sellers argued that the motion could not be reconsidered, as all who attended at the previous meeting when the motion was passed were not present, Overturf being absent. Mayor Caldwell called Kelley to the chair and took the floor, and stated that he believed a levy of 10 mills would be sufficient for all of the needs of the city, considering the increased revenue from the new valuations by the assessor. Oneil, Kelley and Triplett voted in favor of rescinding the previous action, while Hunter and Sellers opposed it.

On November 28 when the levy was first made the vote was a tie, Kelley, Hunter and Sellers voting in the affirmative, Oneil, Triplett and Overturf in the negative. Mayor Caldwell cast the deciding vote in favor of the 15-mill levy.

After the council had rescinded its former action, Triplett moved, seconded by Kelley, that the tax levy for 1910 be 10 mills. Kelley, Oneil and Triplett voted in favor of the action, Sellers and Hunter against it.

The Recorder was instructed to notify the County Clerk of the levy and the Council adjourned to Saturday night. As there was no quorum on the last named date the meeting was postponed until tonight, at which time the returns of yesterday's election will be canvassed.

AT THE HOTELS.

Hotel Bend.

L. R. Hedrick.....	Redmond
C. M. McKay.....	Portland
L. Frizzell.....	Silver Lake
Christ Ballo.....	Seattle
Mrs. R. M. Blake.....	Christmas Lake
L. C. Sismore.....	Shoshone, Idaho
Theodore Minger.....	Port Klamath
E. W. Monahan.....	Prineville
.....	Redmond

Pilot Butte Inn.

John M. Daun.....	Portland
J. A. Silvertooth.....	Shaniko
J. E. Younce.....	Fossil
G. E. Townsend.....	Portland
A. Paynter.....	"
T. A. Charette.....	"
Walter O'Neil.....	O'Neil, Or.
George O'Neil.....	"
H. A. Killam.....	Portland
T. C. Robinson.....	Crescent
George Kingsberry.....	Portland
E. R. Artherton.....	Redmond
W. C. McCanton.....	Portland

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Surplus.....	\$5,000

The Spirit of Competition.

When the Barbarians were sacking Rome, tearing through those magnificent palaces and public buildings, destroying all they came in contact with, suddenly came an edict that the works of art and statues were not to be molested, unless, said the chief, "that soldier that tears down our replace with as good."

And so it should be today. Do not criticize the work of another, unless your own work is as good. Do not tear down another's character, unless you are yourself without blame. It is easy to belong to the anvil chorus, else they would not be so many members.

How much more happiness there would be in this old world if we all looked on the bright side of things. How many more smiling faces there would be if we met our neighbors with a cheering word. How much better we would all feel if the knocker's hammer was buried, and we spent a little time every day in boosting our brothers. If another can carve a better statue or build a better mouse trap do not let jealousy cloud your vision, but compliment his genius. This will not deter you from striving to beat his efforts. You should thank him for setting the example, and then apply all of your efficiency and energy to produce a better article.—Harold A. Holmes.

1911 will soon be here with the regrets from 1910, and what might have been—its resolutions and good intentions.

Now is the time and Bend the place. Let's all get busy and build a city.

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