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COMMISSIONER IS SUPPORTED

COUNTY PAPERS FOR BAYLEY

La Pine and Prineville Newspapers Show up Character of Attacks Against Candidate — Redmond Stands for West Side Man.

The following clippings from county newspapers indicate the general sentiment regarding R. H. Bayley, candidate for nomination and re-election as County Commissioner. Three papers are not quoted. The Madras Pioneer is entirely non-committal. The Culver Tribune, Springer's spokesman, is against Bayley. The Prineville News, edited by Pollard and Lucy, is bitterly hostile.

La Pine Favours Bayley.

"W. H. Lucy (we'll tell you about him later) is aiding County Judge Springer in an attempt to defeat R. H. Bayley for Commissioner. One of the things they say against Bayley, and the most serious thing they can find, is that he paid \$800 too much for a car of steel culverts. Upon investigation it is learned from such good authority as O. Laugaard of the Tualatin Project, that the culverts bought were more than \$800 worth better than the cheap ones that Lucy says ought to have been purchased. Now about that fellow Lucy, who is doing the dirty work for Springer. He is reported to be an ex-convict, now under parole after having served several years on a charge of manslaughter." — La Pine Intermountain.

Journal Defends Bayley.

Referring to the charges against Bayley recently made by H. H. Clow and W. H. Lucy, the Crook County Journal of Prineville, has this to say:

"The statements were issued, apparently, according to Mr. Bayley, by Mr. Clow because of a private animus held against Mr. Bayley. Mr. Clow was recently janitor at the courthouse and was succeeded not long ago by T. N. Balfour because of the dissatisfaction he was giving. All the county officials practically, asked for his dismissal. Later he wrote to Mr. Bayley and wanted to know if it were satisfactory to him if he chose to be purchasing agent for the county, to buy all the supplies for the different offices, for the road supervisors and everything needed by the county. Mr. Clow wrote that Judge Springer had been interviewed and was favorable to Mr. Clow's employment in the new capacity with a larger salary, perhaps, than he had been getting as janitor. This is the kind of economy that Mr. Clow desired before he thought all chance had been lost to get his hands into the county treasury, according to Mr. Bayley.

"Mr. Bayley replied that the need of a county purchasing agent was not apparent to him and he would not sanction the addition of another office unauthorized by law and saddling more expenses upon the over-burdened taxpayers, although Judge Springer did favor such a move. For that reason Mr. Clow has felt a call to reveal the apparent cause of high taxes to the voters at this time when

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SAM EVANS CANDIDATE

Sam Evans, of Klamath Falls, editor of the Northwestern there, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for congressman from this district. Advice from the south indicate that his name will be written in on the ballots by Democrats.

R. L. BREWSTER HERE

R. L. Brewster of Prineville, candidate for the Republican nomination for County Surveyor, was here Monday. Mr. Brewster has many friends here, and it is apparently certain that at this election he will receive an even better vote in Bend than he got two years ago, when Rice defeated him in the county by a small margin. Reports from other communities indicate his election.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION OF CREAMERY EFFECTED

At Meeting on Saturday Officers Were Elected and By-Laws Adopted—Much Assistance by Prof. French

The largest number of farmers that has yet turned out came in to the meeting for the organization of the creamery on Saturday. Permanent organization was effected, much assistance in this connection being given by Prof. H. T. French, who happened to be present.

As the first business of the meeting a committee consisting of Messrs. Smith, Alt, Moore, Sipchen and Waugh, with Prof. French as adviser, was appointed, to prepare articles of organization and by-laws and the meeting adjourned with the committee was in session. Meeting later the committee reported and the report was adopted. Officers were elected as follows: President, P. H. Deneer; vice-president, L. C. Roberts; secretary, E. D. Havemann; treasurer, E. Garrett; trustees, Geo. Mayfield, W. Alt, J. Pedersen, J. Moore and Charles Sipchen.

The articles of incorporation have now to be passed upon by the secretary of state at Salem and on their return the creamery will be ready to begin business. The next meeting will be on May 23. In the meantime the committee appointed last week is to continue the collection of subscriptions and also to solicit more cows.

DISTRICTS ARE COMBINED.

At a recent term of the county court the two Bend justice precincts were consolidated and J. A. Kestres appointed justice. The new district is coterminous with the boundaries of the city.

TO BUILD NEW BRIDGE.

During his recent trip to the Metolius Forest Supervisor Merritt took steps to have a new bridge put in at the Allingham ranger station. The present bridge, while still in use, is considered as not safe, especially for heavy automobiles, and it is to be replaced.

SUNDAY NIGHT FIRE.

Fire starting from an unknown cause about 11 o'clock Sunday night destroyed the cabin occupied by Prisco Prisco and his family, some of the furniture and the clothing of the family was saved.

ROAD WORK BEGUN.

Cinder hauling from the Pilot Butte pit began in earnest. Oregon street has now been covered with cinders for its whole length between Wall and Bond and on Wall a reet the work has been finished from Oregon to a point a short distance beyond the Pilot Butte hotel. A little later the road roller will be brought into town and all the streets on which cinders have been placed

COUNTY MAKES GOOD SHOWING

CASH BALANCE NOW IS \$107,389.58

Receipts Totalled \$341,481.61 for April, of Which \$309,995.36 Is Amount From 1913 Taxes—Treasurer Had Busy Month.

PRINEVILLE, May 11.—Crook county is in exceptionally strong financial shape just now, according to the report for the month ending April 30, just issued by County Treasurer Ralph Jordan. In cash on hand there is \$107,389.58.

The detailed report follows:

Receipts.	
From tax collections	\$309,995.36
1913	3,328.55
1911	836.98
1910	318.41
1909	482.12
'07 and '08	563.94
Clerk's fees	2,151.71
Justice court	5.00
Misc.	1,512.19
Balance	22,287.25
Total	\$341,481.61

Disbursements.	
(Name of fund.)	
General	\$126,811.23
County school	26,592.20
Spl. school districts	49,607.86
High school	7,479.69
Bonds	10,000.00
Interest on bonds	716.90
Cities and towns	11,937.41
Scap bounty	164.70
Union high school	1,416.11
Forest patrol	573.25
Total	\$234,992.03
Cash on hand	\$107,389.58

CROP REPORT FAVORABLE.

The Government crop report issued May 7 showing the condition of various crops as of April 1 is very encouraging. The condition of winter wheat is set at 102 for Oregon as against 95.9 for the United States and a tremendous yield is forecasted, being more than 100,000,000 bushels over the yield of 1913. The condition of rye in Oregon is 109 as against 93.4 for the rest of the country and a 10 year average of 96.

CONCERT TOMORROW NIGHT

Well Selected Program Offered by Bend Glee Club.

Tomorrow, Thursday, night the Bend Glee Club holds its concert, and judging from the interest manifested in the event already the entertainment, like the one given last year, will have a large audience.

Fourteen young women will perform, and all of them have been practicing for months. The program will be very diversified, including choral numbers by the entire club, duets, trios, and quartets, violin solos and piano solos. Selections have been made of popular songs, so that an audience of general taste will find much to please it. Owing to the unexpected absence of W. J. Sprout, who was to have played violin duets with Mrs. E. V. Ward, that number

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MORE TROUT IN THE DESCHUTES

FISH HATCHERY HERE PROBABLE

Master Fish Warden in Town Last Week—More Lakes Will Be Stocked—Change of Law For Deschutes Will Be Recommended.

More attention to the needs of the Deschutes country by the state fish authorities is what R. E. Clanton, master fish warden, promises, Mr. Clanton arrived last week and since then has made a trip to mountain lakes, in which trout probably will be planted this summer.

At least two carloads of trout from the state hatcheries, and probably more will be brought to the Deschutes this spring, says Mr. Clanton, while plans are now being made to place some 300,000 fish in Walde, Summit and Fish lakes, and perhaps others. It is also hoped to put more fish in Sparks Lake which already was partially stocked. These fry will come from the small hatcheries already in operation at Crescent, Davis and Odell lakes.

Mr. Clanton will recommend to the Commission the establishment of another small hatchery directly at Bend which will do much to serve the entire Deschutes river with trout, and accomplish that at a smaller expense than now, when the fry are brought in by railroad from long distances.

Ideal for Hatchery Here.

"The average temperature of the Deschutes is ideal for a hatchery," said Mr. Clanton in speaking of the importance of a hatchery here. It is believed that with the support of local sportsmen the hatchery will be granted without any difficulty.

Mr. Clanton will also recommend that the Deschutes river and tributaries, at least above the Metolius and including that river, have a closed season restored to them. Under the present law fishing is allowed the year around, a practice which threatens extermination to Deschutes trout and which is being severely criticized by Central Oregon sportsmen who are interested in preserving fishing for the future. Deputy District Game Warden Clyde McKay will circulate petitions endorsing a revision of the law. It is proposed to renew a closed season from November to April first. It will also be recommended that all lakes being stocked remain closed for two years, to give the small fish a chance to propagate and grow.

Brook Trout, Too.

Among the fish which will be sent in later will be many Eastern Brook Trout. These, it is believed, will do very well in smaller streams. In connection with the arrival of the fish car, it is proposed to have an informal exhibition of it, with a talk by the men in charge explaining its use and the methods of fish propagation and distribution about the state. In other places where this has been done school children have attended and much of educational value and general interest accomplished.

The trip just completed included visits to Big and Little Lava Lakes and Cultas Lake. A fish trap was installed at the inlet of Cultas from which spawn will be taken. Another

one may be placed on the upper Deschutes near Lava Lake. A serviceable boat is now at Cultas Lake.

BENDEMEER IS SOLD.

A tract near Portland owned by former Bend men, J. M. Lawrence and F. F. Smith, has been sold for \$12,000. The land, embracing 257 acres, lies in the Tualatin Valley and is known as Bendmeer. The purchasers have placed the agency of the property with Max Lueddeman, formerly editor of the Madras Pioneer, who is now in the real estate business in Portland.

NEW ICE PLANT BEGAN OPERATION LAST THURSDAY

Plant Has Daily Capacity of Seven Tons—Total Cost About \$12000

Ice making at the newly constructed ice plant of the Bend Water Light & Power Co., began last Thursday, and the plant is now operating steadily.

This latest addition to the industries of the town is housed in a new frame building adjoining the old power plant of the company. The new building is 40x65 feet in size and is divided into three sections, an ice tank room, two rooms for storage and a third in which it is expected the creamery will be quartered. The plant has a daily capacity of 7 tons and 100 tons of ice can be stored. It was constructed at a total cost of about \$12,000 and employs two men. For the local business the ice will be sold to retailers, the company reserving to itself the outside field. For this business an elevator and runway are now being built by which ice can be transferred from the store room to cars on the track adjoining the mill of the Bend Milling and Warehouse Co.

FIRST ACROSS CASCADES

Forest Ranger Encounters Much Snow on McKenzie Pass.

The first attempt to cross the Cascades was made by Geo. W. Moody, a forest ranger of the west side of the Cascades, who succeeded in getting across last week with very little difficulty. Mr. Moody came over last fall with horses of his own and those belonging to Smith Taylor, of the Paradise ranger station, placing them in pasture here for the winter. He started from Sisters at 12 o'clock at night in order to make the trip across the worst snow drifts while it was frozen. A letter received from him by John H. Taylor, who accompanied him as far as the summit, stated that he got across without mishap. There is about 12 or 14 miles of snow on the McKenzie road and in many places the drifts are quite deep so there is little prospect of it being open for travel before the 10th or 15th of June.—Sisters Herald.

VOTING PLACES FOR FRIDAY.

Polling places for the primary election on Friday will be as follows: North Bend precinct, Triplett building on Wall street in the room formerly occupied by the post office, South Bend precinct, council room in Johnson building, Wall street. For the Deschutes Precinct it is expected to arrange a polling place in Kenwood.

AID IS OFFERED LOCAL FARMERS

AGRICULTURIST COMES FOR COUNTY

From His Redmond Headquarters He Will Assist the Farmers in Every Community in the Varied Problems of Farm Life—Work Starts

With the creamery successfully organized the Commercial Club luncheon on Saturday turned from the discussion of cows and shares and cream and butter fat to another phase of co-operative work for the benefit of the farmer. The consideration of this subject was unexpected, being the result of the unannounced visit to town on that day of the newly appointed county agricultural agent, Amos E. Lovett, from Redmond, and Prof. H. T. French, state leader in farm demonstration and field work, from Corvallis.

Both Mr. Lovett and Prof. French attended the luncheon at the Pilot Butte and both spoke on the work that Mr. Lovett is just beginning on. He comes into the county as the result of the act passed at the last legislature appropriating funds to carry on farmer's extension work in conjunction with the Department of Agriculture and the appropriation of \$1500 by the county court which produces an equal amount from the state fund.

In the talk made by Mr. French he expressed his belief in the future of the county and pointed out the necessity of preparing for the best use of the soil by the farmer. That meant teaching him to use his land properly and to turn the cheap products of the soil into the higher priced commodities for the market. He approved the creamery idea and offered his assistance in getting it started.

Mr. Lovett's talk was a short one. He asked for co-operation on the part of the farmers in the work he was beginning upon and pledged the aid of his office for all measures intended to benefit the farmer.

Describes His Work.

In the following letter to The Bulletin Mr. Lovett has described his work in detail:

The official title of the position which I hold is Crook County Agricultural Agent. The work is under the direction of the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, the U. S. Department of Agriculture co-operating. The work is co-operative in every particular, the aim being to assist those farmers in the county who wish assistance by co-operating with them in investigation of crops, soils, markets, etc., and advice as to the best methods of preparation and care of the soil, selection of best varieties and quality of seed and crops, the introduction and selection of animals for the farm and the improvement, where possible, of every phase of farm operations and farm life. I am not supposed to know all there is to know in any of these lines but shall co-operate with the farmers in discovering and applying them. We will use not only the experience of the older and more successful farmers of this section but also conclusions of the men who have studied the varied

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