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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

All automobile owners who will give the use of their cars for county division work are requested to notify R. W. Sawyer, J. A. Kates or C. W. Ewkins. Gas and oil will be furnished.

Mrs. Bert Shuey has been ill. Fred Lucas is working at the Pilot Butte Hotel.

L. B. Meyer of Post, spent Sunday in town.

W. D. Barnes of Laidlaw, was in town Monday.

P. B. Johnson of Millikan was in town on Monday.

W. J. Jamison of Silver Lake was in town on Friday.

W. L. Ourley of Deschutes, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Agnes Lind of Redmond spent the week end in town.

Walter Coombs took a party to Silver Lake last Sunday.

The Bridge Club met last week at the home of Mrs. McKay.

George Stanley of Portland, arrived in town this morning.

George and Lee Hobbs of Powell Butte were in town Monday.

Mrs. G. A. Jones gave an informal dinner party Sunday evening.

J. C. Smith, who has been in Nehalem, has returned to Bend.

Byron A. Stover is working temporarily at the First National Bank.

J. B. Kennedy of Plainview, was registered at the Bend Saturday.

W. E. Saylor of Laidlaw, was registered at the Wright over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jamison of Silver Lake were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Fleming's daughter, Mrs. Rosen, returned from Portland last week.

The Baptist Woman's Union meets at Mrs. Foley's home Thursday afternoon to sew.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith went to Redmond last Friday to attend the potato show.

Don't forget the masquerade dance of the Fraternal Brotherhood on the twenty-ninth.

A party of fifteen girls held a "High Jinks" party in Sather's Hall last Friday night.

Born October 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Wing, of Linnton, Oregon a son named Thurlow Ben.

The Misses Taylor, Ritchie and Sider tendered a birthday party to Mrs. Lucas last Wednesday night.

The Ladies Altar Society will give a Silver Tea at the residence of Mrs. Skuse on November the fifth.

A. E. Edwards and Glenn Eyre returned from Silver Lake yesterday, after a very successful duck hunt.

Don't forget the Chicken Pie dinner at the Triplett building Thursday night, given by the Methodist ladies.

O. C. Henkle took Harry Wyse and wife, Elmer Niewonger, Troy Beaver and Miss Dolan to Crescent Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Ruff of Silver Lake, spent the latter part of last week in town. She registered at the Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Douglas of Imperial have come in to Bend so that their children can attend school here.

Mrs. Errington of Portland, who has been staying at the Klein's residence, returned home last Wednesday night.

Mrs. E. M. Thompson, who has been sick for the last six weeks with a nervous breakdown is recuperating in her home.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies Library Club in the Library building next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

J. N. Hunter, who has an apple ranch in Hood River sent the members of the high school four boxes of apples to celebrate Apple Day.

W. J. McGilivray, who has been in Minnesota for some weeks, spent a few days here, leaving for his home at Monroe, Washington, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Overturf returned from a week's hunting trip Saturday afternoon. While they were away they stayed at the Heyburn place.

George Bates, who has been in Eugene for the last month buying cattle, returned yesterday. He left 40 head five miles this side of Sisters in pasture.

W. H. Stants, Prince Stants, Bruce Deyarmond, Ralph Poindexter, John Steidl, Steve Steidl and Clyde McKay left for Silver Lake Tuesday, duck shooting.

The Subscription Club held its regular monthly dance in Sather's Hall. About fifteen couples were present and every one enjoyed a very good time.

Forest Ranger B. F. Smith, who has been working on the Tumalo telephone line, was in town today. He left this afternoon to resume his duties at Tumalo.

The young women of the M. E. church will have a candy sale at the Caldwell store on Thursday. The sale is being given to help toward the "Christmas Ship" fund.

Mrs. A. L. Reff of Lakeview, has come to town for the winter.

Mrs. J. H. Wenandy has just returned from a visit with her people in Drain, Oregon.

George A. Hider, general manager and R. E. Howes, special agent of the Union Pacific Life Insurance Company passed through Bend Monday on their way to Burns.

Fred Gilbert, who accidentally shot himself at Crane Prairie about two months ago, is able to be up and around again and is expected to return to town in about two weeks.

Mrs. Laura Coe and Mrs. Hugh O'Kane gave a card party at the former's residence last Wednesday night. There were fourteen tables. Charles Erskine won the gentlemen's

SALEM SUFFERS BUSINESS LOSSES FROM DRY RULE

Store Property Rentals Drop \$75 a Month in City

BANK DEPOSITS OFF \$300,000

Fourteen Business Houses Quit in Less Than Year. School Attendance Less

Many Oregon papers have been loaded down within the past three weeks with repeated assurances that "Business is Fine in Dry Towns."

The three most important Oregon cities to become "dry" nine months ago were Salem, Oregon City and Springfield.

If business is fine in those cities the taxpayers and most of the business men would like to have the "dry" explain just what they mean by "fine." If they had said "business is thin," then they might have been more easily understood.

Let them answer first about conditions in Salem. Ex-Councilman John D. Turner, of Salem, an attorney, is sponsor for the following facts about that city:

Salem went "dry" December 1 last, closing 15 saloons, three restaurants and two wholesale houses and withdrew liquor permits from eight drug stores and cut off an annual license revenue of \$15,400. Ninety men and a monthly payroll of \$7,700 were put out of commission. Most of the men have left the city. All buildings vacated by these concerns are still empty, except six, which have been occupied by tenants who have vacated other buildings, several of the best buildings being boarded over and used as billboards. More than five hundred modern dwellings are "for rent." Store property rentals on State street have dropped from \$185 to \$110 a month, but "business is fine."

Fourteen other business places have closed since December 1 last, aside from the saloons and restaurants. Included are three shoe stores—two by sheriff and one voluntarily; one of the largest drygoods stores has been sued for the first time in twenty years. Scores of clerks have left the city, causing the loss of more payrolls to the city, but "business is fine."

A leading prohibitionist promised to build 16 new dwellings if the city went "dry." Nine houses were begun, two have the windows and doors in, but have never been finished; no work has been done on the others, besides their bare frames.

Building permits from January to August, the last nine wet months of 1913, were \$388,925; from November, 1913, to September, 1914, the next eleven "dry" months, they were \$120,000 less, or \$268,160.

The grammar school opening day enrollment in 1913 was 12510; on the same day 1914, 1400, but "business is fine."

Bank deposits show a decrease of \$300,042 since the town went "dry," even after allowing for the \$485,000 deposited this year from sale of bonds in Boston. The decrease, therefore, really should be \$794,942, but "business is fine."

The attendance at the "Cherry Fair" this year was about one-half what it was the last "wet" year. The Ministerial Association before the election which made Salem "dry," told the Cherry Fair promoters that they would make up for the donations usually made by the saloons, but utterly failed to do so this year and the promoters refused to hold that carnival. The "Cherry Fair," consisting of 100 real boosters, but of no prohibitionists, then pledged their personal membership for the necessary funds, requiring the payment on their part of \$500. To rob it in, the Methodists then turned their church into a restaurant, put the kitchen in the pulpit and competed with the legitimate restaurants for the little business that their proprietors had hungrily looked for as a possible annual godsend.

Business must be "fine" in any city when building permits, payrolls, bank deposits, bankruptcies, closed stores, depopulated dwellings, depressed realty values, school enrollments and carnival statistics all tell so dreary a story of literal fact. Maybe the prohibitionists mean that the "agitating business" is fine.

(Paid Advertisement. Taxpayers & Wage Earners League of Oregon, Portland, Oregon.)

CLACKAMAS AND OREGON CITY HIT BY EMPTY TILLS

"Dry" Regime Followed by Query as to Receiver

CITY WARRANTS UNSALEABLE

City Council Calls Election November 9 to Raise Levy 8 Mills to Pay Debts

Oregon City and Clackamas County, of which Oregon City is the county seat, present as lamentable a condition in a business sense as a defunct corporation about to go into the hands of a receiver. In fact, a receivership for Oregon City already has been seriously discussed by certain of its creditors, and Judge Campbell of that city has declared his willingness to declare such a receivership, if formal application were made to him, as he would for "any bankrupt corporation."

A special election has been called by the city for November 9 "to relieve the financial condition of the city," the purpose being to vote \$250,000 5 per cent bonds and to increase the tax levy eight mills in order to take care of the new indebtedness.

On the part of Clackamas County the County Treasurer is confronted with an empty treasury for the first time in six years. The Morning Enterprise, a radical prohibitionist daily of Oregon City, in explaining this situation, says "the condition considered the result of delinquency of the county's tax rolls. County Treasurer Tufts refused the first warrants on the general fund Monday (October 12, 1914)."

Business must be "fine" in a city and a county when the treasuries of both are empty because of lack of money coming from their strong boxes, with a special election called by the city to increase its tax levy, with a receivership threatened and with "danger" signs strung along the length of the business portion of Main street by "order of the City Council," which read:

"Danger—Main Street Declared Dangerous—All persons traveling on Main street between North side of Moss street and South side of Third street do so at their own risk."

Banks are refusing to cash Oregon City municipal warrants. Since January first the city has issued \$39,991.03 in these warrants, according to the report of City Recorder John W. Loder, and these warrants are still unpaid.

The city tax levy in 1913 in Oregon City was eight mills. Two weeks after the city went dry the council increased this levy to 10 mills for 1914, and on November 9 there is to be a special election held at which the voters will be asked to sanction an additional levy of eight mills to meet the municipal indebtedness. Yet "business is fine in dry towns," and Oregon City is doing well.

Vacant buildings now stand on Main street, the chief business thoroughfare of Oregon City, as monuments to the memory of one garage, one clothing store, one restaurant and one livery barn now closed up, but formerly did good business. Fourteen vacant stores line both sides of Main street, and three vacant lots mark the places where three other stores formerly stood, but which have burned down. So little has been the demand for business property that the burned structures were never rebuilt. But "business is fine in Oregon City."

The Enterprise printing office, which formerly employed a large force of printers and bookbinders, and often worked night and day to fill orders, is now operating its job department crew but five days a week, yet The Morning Enterprise is one of the papers that has printed the Committee of One Hundred matter about "business is fine in dry towns."

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prize, and Mrs. C. S. Hudson the ladies. Refreshments were served and the affair proved one of the most entertaining ever held in Bend.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford for the wedding of their sister, Miss Grace Truman Ratliffe to Lewis Guy Reynolds at the Presbyterian church on October 29th.

NOTICE TO MY PATRONS.

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