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SETTLEMENT IS QUICKLY MADE

COUNTY COURTS AGREE ON TERMS.

Crook County Property Valued at \$288,000 and Debt Set at \$65,000—Delinquent Tax Question Remains Unsettled.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Except for the adjustment of special accounts, which must await auditing, the settlement between Deschutes and Crook counties following the division of Crook county was amicably arranged by the county courts of the two counties on Monday. All members of the courts were present at the meeting, which was held in Prineville, and in addition District Attorney H. H. De Armond, of Deschutes county, to advise on legal question connected with the settlement.

To a large extent the business of the settlement was made simple because of the precedents set at the time of the settlement between Crook and Jefferson counties two years ago. The same valuation was put on the county property as in 1915 and the same general procedure followed. Eighty-eight thousand dollars was the figure set for the value of the county buildings and the Crook county debt was agreed to be \$65,000.

Under the division statute, the whole debt is assumed by the old county, which also retains full title to all property. Road machinery in Deschutes county has been inventoried and will be sold to Deschutes if a price can be agreed upon. Whether Crook or Deschutes will collect delinquent taxes on property in Deschutes was left to the district attorneys for settlement.

An audit of the special accounts will be made soon and adjustments made based on it.

ATHLETIC CLUB IN FAVOR OF A POOL

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
BEND, Or., June 20.—To the Editor: I send you herewith a quotation from "Domestic Engineering," on a subject of interest to the people of Bend. The Bend Amateur Athletic club is working for this, and if the people believe in it they should give the club their support. The quotation is as follows:

"Educating pupils in the value of personal cleanliness, as a means of promoting health and hygiene, which in turn stimulates added mental efficiency, the Chicago Board of Education is carrying out a policy in public school education which is proving a constructive force in the making of future citizens.

"Other large cities throughout the country have adopted or are adopting similar policies in the scheme of popular education for the young. In New York City much progress has been achieved along this line, and today we find, besides the indoor pools, those which have been constructed in the open, on school roofs and within inclosures with the sky as a canopy.

"Sanitary engineers and representatives of the plumbing craft were advocates of swimming pools in the public schools years before these facilities were installed, and today men of the trade, along with other citizens, are interested in the movement to provide all public schools with pools and not restrict them to the poorer and thickly populated parts of the city." OFFICER.

FARMERS WILL FORM RED CROSS AUXILIARY

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Preliminaries toward the formation of an auxiliary to the Bend Chapter of the Red Cross were taken yesterday at the farmers' picnic held at the grange hall. A number of applications were signed to be sent to the local chapter and organization will take place later. Sixty-seven dollars was subscribed to the Red Cross fund.

Aside from enjoying the good things to eat provided by the ladies, the chief business of the picnic was a speaking program on which appeared Rev. H. C. Perry, Rev. R. H. Allen, H. J. Overturf, A. Whisman and S. L. Wiggins. County Agriculturalist R. A. Blanchard acted as master of ceremonies.

NOW IN THE NAVY



Lieutenant Roscoe Howard, U. S. N.
One of the first from this section to enlist in the navy last spring was Roscoe Howard, of Deschutes. Mr. Howard had had considerable experience in naval affairs, and was appointed a lieutenant in the reserve, later being ordered to active duty at Bremerton, where he is now stationed.

SMALL TROUT TO BE SHIPPED IN

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED BY DEPUTY WARDEN CUNNINGHAM—LOCAL HATCHERY TO OPEN ABOUT JULY 1.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
That he had arranged, while in Portland, for the shipment of 500,000 small trout from the state hatchery at Bonneville to the Bend hatchery, was stated by John Cunningham, deputy game warden for this district this morning. Mr. Cunningham has just returned from Portland where arrangements were made with game officials for the transfer of the trout fry to Bend.

The Bonneville trout will be taken direct to the local hatchery, from which they will later be distributed among the streams and lakes of Central Oregon.

Trout hatching at the local station will begin about July 1, when 300,000 spawn will be received from Odell lake. As in former years, Pearl Lynes, of Crescent, will be in charge of the hatchery.

Seventy thousand spawn shipped in from Odell lake were forwarded to Bonneville this morning on account of the inability of the Bend hatchery to handle them this early in the season.

GRANGE WANTS RODENTS EXTERMINATED

(From Thursday's Daily.)
At the last regular meeting of the Eastern Star Grange, No. 482, resolutions were adopted concerning the destruction of ground squirrels and pocket gophers, as follows:

"Whereas, the Plute ground squirrel and the pocket gopher are damaging our crops, and

"Whereas, many non-residents make no effort to assist us in their extermination,

"Therefore, be it resolved, by Eastern Star Grange No. 482, Patrons of Husbandry, that we go on record as favoring the passage of a State Pest Law, compelling the compulsory poisoning of rodent pests similar to the one in force in other states having such a law and which has been found satisfactory by the Biological Survey of the United States.

"Be it further resolved that the County of Deschutes be asked to appropriate not less than \$1000 for pest control next year.

"We also recommend the rat-proofing of all public elevators and all storage for grain and similar products.

"Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the newspapers and to R. A. Ward, of the U. S. Biological Survey, and to the Oregon State Granges, now in session at Astoria, Ore.

FIRST CAR OF WOOL GOES TO STANFIELD

(From Thursday's Daily.)
R. N. Stanfield is the purchaser of the first car of wool to be shipped this year from Central Oregon. The first shipment comprises 30,000 pounds, the clips of Murphy Bros. and Mike Angland. The wool goes to the Columbia Basin Wool Warehouse Company, of Portland.

NINE FROM H. S. TO BE EXEMPT

GRADUATES ALLOWED TO TEACH.

State Examinations for Deschutes Teachers to Be Held in Bend June 27-29—Examination Schedule Announced.

(From Friday's Daily.)
The nine graduates from the teachers' training course of the Bend high school this year will not be required to take the teacher examination for one year, five year, and life certificates which will be given in Bend, June 27, 28, 29 and 30.

The graduates of this department, according to J. Alton Thompson, county school superintendent, are qualified to teach for the coming year. If successful their first year they may be again recommended by the county superintendent for an additional year of teaching before they will be required to take the examination for state certificate. Those who hold life certificates and graduates of the state normal school do not have to take examination.

Three of the high school graduates have already secured schools for the coming year. Marie Brosterhaus will teach music and act as supply teacher in the Bend city schools. Gertrude Reynolds will have charge of the lower grades in Metolius. Frances Thompson has been employed to teach the Young school east of Bend.

Examinations for those whose certificates have expired will be held in the Bend high school auditorium, June 27, 28, 29 and 30, for Deschutes county teachers. An average of 75 will be required in 11 subjects for the one year certificates, an average of 85 in 16 subjects for the five year permit, and an average of 85 in 24 subjects will be required for life certificates. All grades which have previously been passed with a grade of 90 per cent need not be taken again, according to Mr. Thompson.

The examination schedule has been announced as follows:
Wednesday, forenoon, U. S. history, penmanship, drawing, music; afternoon, physiology, reading, manual training, composition, domestic science, methods in reading, course of study for drawing, methods in arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon, arithmetic, history of education, psychology, methods in geography, mechanical drawing, domestic art, course of study for domestic art; afternoon, grammar, geography, stenography, American literature, physics, type-writing, methods in language, thesis for primary certificate.

Friday forenoon, theory and practice, orthography, physical geography, English literature, chemistry, physical culture; afternoon, school law, geology, algebra, civil government.

Saturday forenoon, geometry, botany; afternoon, general history, bookkeeping.

DYNAMITE CAPS GO OFF IN HAND

THREE FINGERS ARE TORN AWAY.

Elmer Dyer, of Millican, Injured in Explosion Comes 28 Miles for Medical Attention—Heat Explodes Caps In Hand.

(From Saturday's Daily.)
Four dynamite caps held in the hand of Elmer Dyer, of Millican Valley, exploded this morning, tearing away the thumb and all except the little finger on his left hand.

The accident occurred on the homestead of Ernest Dyer, brother of the injured man, 28 miles east of Bend, at 9 o'clock this morning. Dyer was rushed to Bend by automobile and arrived at the Bend Surgical hospital at 11:20. He is under the care of Dr. Cousineau.

Dyer, who was alone at the time, was throwing away seven dynamite caps that were left in the house from excavation work on a well last summer. He had thrown three away, one at a time, and his brother plowing in the field had heard the reports, when the four remaining caps exploded from the heat of Dyer's hand.

The palm of Dyer's left hand is being stitched together, and his eyes, which are badly swollen, will probably be saved from permanent injury. Dyer's face, arms and stomach were badly, but not seriously, torn in the explosion. He is 23 years old.

PINE TREE LUMBER CO. IS THE NAME CHOSEN

A. J. Kroenert Is President-Manager, W. R. Wilkinson, Vice President, Frank Peterson, Secretary.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
The name of the firm of Gardner-Wilkinson Lumber Company has been changed to the Pine Tree Lumber Company, according to an announcement made today by A. J. Kroenert, president-manager of the new company. Under the terms of the articles of incorporation the other officers are W. R. Wilkinson, vice president, Frank Peterson, secretary.

Mr. Kroenert was formerly connected with an Oregon lumber company by the same name as that selected for the local concern.

DESCHUTES HAS 2423 SCHOOL CHILDREN

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
That Deschutes county has 2423 school children, to old Crook's 1146, and will hereafter be entitled to over twice the amount of state school funds that is allowed Crook county, was the statement of J. A. Thompson, county school superintendent, this morning.

Mr. Thompson was in Prineville yesterday securing Deschutes county school records.

The President's Proclamation

THE WHITE HOUSE, May 25, 1917—"Inasmuch as our thoughts as a nation are now turned in united purpose toward the performance of the services and duties which we have assumed in the cause of liberty and justice;

"Inasmuch as but a small proportion of our people can have the opportunity to serve upon the actual field of battle, but all men, women and children alike may serve and serve effectively by making it possible to care properly for those who do serve under arms at home and abroad;

"And, inasmuch as the American Red Cross is the official recognized agency for voluntary effort in behalf of the armed forces of the nation and for the administration of relief;

"Therefore, by virtue of my authority as President of the United States, and as President of the American Red Cross, I, Woodrow Wilson, do hereby proclaim the week beginning June 18, 1917, as Red Cross week, during which the people of the United States will be called upon to give generously and in a spirit of patriotic sacrifice for the support and maintenance of this work of national need.

"WOODROW WILSON."

SUPPOSED CUB BEAR FOUND TO BE ADULT

Animal Killed by Ranch Hand, Weighs Only 25 Pounds, But Is Full Grown.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
What is said to be a desert bear, weighing 25 pounds but full grown, and in appearance the same as a regular brown bear, except for a smaller neck and a larger stomach, was killed Monday on the road between Klamath Falls and the O. T. McKendree ranch in the Paulina Mountains. The dwarf bear was scared up a juniper tree and shot by Dan Driscoll, an employee of Mr. McKendree.

The bear, which is only 20 inches long, was believed to be a cub until after it had been shot and found to have hard paws and teeth, proving it to be several years old. Mr. Driscoll shot the bear with a pistol and, not knowing just what kind of an animal he had bagged, carried it home in a pocket on his pack horse.

The only bear of this known to have been killed in Central Oregon was shot about five years ago in about the same neighborhood as the one found Monday. Mr. McKendree, although having heard of the dwarf bears, had never seen one before. He is in Bend and will send the skin to a taxidermist.

BEND FOUNDRY IS STILL BUSY

PRINEVILLE RAILROAD BRINGS BUSINESS—QUICK JOB DONE FOR LOCAL SAW MILL—MANY ORDERS AHEAD.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Just as the construction of the saw mills at Bend was the cause of bringing considerable business to the country around the town, Bend is now enjoying a little extra business on account of the construction of the new railroad from the main line to Prineville.

One piece of business came to Bend with the tie contract obtained by E. F. Logan, and more is now being received by the Huffschtmidt-Dugan Iron Works, which has large orders in connection with the railroad building. For use in getting out their heavy castings the company has just put in a crane.

Of just how much importance the foundry is to Central Oregon was shown by a rush order received at the Huffschtmidt-Dugan plant recently. The main wheel of the log haul at the Gardner-Wilkinson mill, six miles from Bend, broke at 5 o'clock and an order was put in that afternoon for replacement. The foundry turned out the new wheel completed at 5 o'clock Monday morning in time to avoid a shut down at the mill.

Orders are now in for the casting of ten tons of gratings for the Shevlin-Hixon company. Six tons of boiler castings were made recently for the same company.

An order is also in for the casting of wheels for new lumber trucks that are to be built at the Gardner-Wilkinson mill.

Huffschtmidt & Dugan estimate their total output at the Bend plant to be six tons a week. At this rate they have, without any extra work being received whatever, orders which will keep them busy for the next two months. Five men are employed.

BEND WINS 10-4 GAME FROM JEFFERSON

Ten Hits Converted Into 10 Runs by Local Team at Culver—Merrill Given Good Support.

(From Monday's Daily.)
Bend converted 10 hits into as many runs yesterday at Culver against the reorganized Jefferson county aggregation and beat the Jeffersonians by a score of 10 to 4. The Madras-Culver team being unable to convert their 11 hits into as many scores, enabled Bend to bring home the victory.

Bend gave Merrill good support through most of the game.

Next Sunday Bend plays Prineville at Prineville, and Jefferson county plays Shevlin-Hixon at Bend. The Jefferson County-Bend lineup yesterday were as follows:
Bend—Hollinshead, rf; Merrill, p; Stever, 2bb; O. Johnson, c; O'Donnell, lf; Telow, 3b; Lynch, ss; Baker, cf; I. Johnson, 1b.

Jefferson County—McGhee, lf; Marion, ss; Overhulse, c; McKensie, 2b; Boring, p; F. Wiegand, 1b; Mead, 3rd; Moore, cf; Carnus, rf.

BEND BATTERY MAY BE FORMED

P. R. BROOKS READY TO START WORK.

One Hundred and Seventy Men Needed for Organization—Those Joining Not Subject to Draft, But are for Federal Service.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
Returning to town this morning, Philip Brooks, of the Pilot Butte Inn, brought further information concerning the formation of a battery of mountain artillery here, first reported in The Bulletin several weeks ago. Mr. Brooks has been working on the idea during his absence and is now ready to proceed in case the necessary men signify their desire to join such an organization.

According to Mr. Brooks, 170 men are needed for a mountain battery. They would enlist as members of the National Guard of Oregon, and as such not be subject to draft. They would, however, be subject to transfer to the Federal service. When called into the Federal service, they would go as a unit, thereby getting the advantage of serving together.

If two batteries were formed in Deschutes county Bend would become battalion headquarters.

It is Mr. Brooks' expectation to join the officers' training camp to open at the Presidio on August 27, but until then he is ready to devote his whole time to the development of the mountain battery, and in case similar units were formed elsewhere in this section he would arrange to visit them regularly for training purposes.

"Artillery is the crack branch of the service," Mr. Brooks said this morning, "and men who joined this battery here would be assured of the best of training. Uniforms and ordinary equipment would be issued as soon as the battery were formed, and pay would begin. Receipt of guns would depend on the Federal government."

Any who are interested in the formation of such organization are urged to communicate with Mr. Brooks at once.

BULLETIN ON CENTRAL OREGON FARMS

By R. A. Blanchard.
(From Friday's Daily Bulletin)
A recent bulletin from the U. S. Department of Agriculture should be in the hands of every dry land farmer in Central Oregon. The bulletin is written by L. R. Brethaupt, superintendent of the Harney Branch Experiment Station, and deals with many of the problems of the farmers of the Great Basin.

The publication takes up the production of the small grains on non-irrigated farms, land between 4000 and 5000 elevation. It deals with the varieties, tillage, rotations and equipment needed, discussing it in a practical way. It deals with the common pests such as sage rats and rabbits, together with the formulas for their successful poisoning.

Every farmer who is thinking of his business, should obtain one of these bulletins. They are free for the asking and can be procured by addressing the U. S. Department of Agriculture, division of publications, and asking for Farmers' Bulletin 300, "Grains for the Dry Lands of Central Oregon."

REPORT URGES ROAD

Proposed Road Gives Easy Grade to Sisters.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
As a result of an investigation made yesterday by viewers, a report will be turned in to the county court urging the opening of the proposed Dayton road which begins at a point two miles north of Tumalo and runs one and one-fourth miles west. The proposed road would open a new route and offer an easier grade to those making the trip from Bend to Sisters.

The board of viewers consisted of George S. Young, J. C. Thorpe and Frank May. Action on the new route will be taken at the July session of the county court.

A board of viewers consisting of George S. Young, Fred Wilson and A. F. Remy is today investigating a proposed road to run from near the Bend brickyard to the Tumalo reservoir.