

URGE ORGANIZATION Believed Association of Merchants Should be Formed to Frame **Proposal** for Change in Working Hours.

CLERKS' UNION

Merchants of Bend may open their places of business at any hour which pleases them without fear of treading ready to cooperate in any reasoning on the toes of the clerks' union. able plan of action which will look This is the result of action taken at a special meeting held by the union forward to a bigger and better Bend. Thursday night, when the matter of

opening hours first brought before SPECIAL TRAINING the public at the Commercial club meeting Wednesday noon. was threshed out. After a lengthy discus gion. In which the question was orgued from all angles. with the evident desire to give all due consideration to the merchant and the buy ing public, it was decided to eliminate mention of an opening hour from the contract now in force.

The clerks feel, however, that until an organization of merchants has been formed, they will be unable to make an agreement which would be binding in the best sense, and with this point in view, a motion was passed which sets the working hours. for members of the union at from chinists' mates for aviation engines, 9 o'clock in the morning until 6 aviation engine ignition, and miscelo'clock at night. The motion pro- laneous maintenance courses for the vides, however, that this shall only training of gunners' mates, instrube in effect until such time as the merchants of the city perfect an organization and propose a change, such a proposal to be signed in addition by a majority of the union firms who are not included in the retailers' association. In the meantime, there will be no objection to proprietors of stores opening their places for business one, or two hours early. As the matter now stands, there is only one important phase of the 1919 agreement which will not be open to change-the eight hour day.

Unions Commend Service. The proposition of putting on one clerk in an establishment from 8 to

5 o'clock, and another from 9 to 6 o'clock, was thoroughly discussed, and the final decision was reached 5 o'clock, and another from 9 to 6 that this would be inadvisable as the FIRE COSTLY busiest hour of 'he day is from 5 to 2 o'clock, and that, the entire working force is needed to take care of the mill trade at this time, while 6 o'clock, trade at this time, while

tween the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock

could readily be taken care of by the

proprietors without putting any ex-

would be entailed by putting on addi-

tional clerks during the last hour

An interesting phase was brought

out when representations from the

Timberworkers and the Carpenters

tions had voted expressing entire sat-

isfaction with the service being given

the public under the present busi-

that the clerks decided that the ac-

tion outlined was advisable, although

leaving the opportunity for a change

when the merchants' organization is

complete, going on record as stand-

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phlet on the aviation mechanics

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complete courses of instruction are

given, including those for quarter-

masters, carpenters' mates, carpent-

ers mates aviation coppersmiths ma-

ment makers, and dirigible crews.

MAIL GETS THROUGH

That 1.000 pounds of mail had

just been pushed through to Fort

Rock, at the end of a four days trip,

was the word received here by phone.

late Thursday afternoon by F. M

Chrisman, proprietor of the Silver

Lake stage line. The mail was taken

in by a four horse team, and was

the first to reach Fort Rock since the

big storm of last week

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of the day.

TOTAL LOSS

tra expense on the public, which Mrs. F. M. Christman Rouses in Early Morning Just in Time to Escape Flames—Irrigation

unions reported that their organizaness hours. It was after this report 600 for the building and several cards recently sent out, thousand more for personal property and printing plant equipment, a people in Bend and Deschutes county partly covered by insurance.

the post office, a barber shop, the ing can be obtained. Silver Lake Leader, owned by Mr. Chrisman, while on the second floor young men entering the navy, a pam- fames.

It is supposed that included in the fails .-- Owl Pharmacy, loss are all the records of the Silver school has just been received here Lane crigation district as well as Mr. Chrisman's personal business records. The district records, as far as engineering data are concerned, can be replaced, it is believed, while the districts minutes are in the peasession of the directors, who were (From the columns of The Bulletin on their way to Salem.

The Hotel Chrisman, near the leader building, was saved from the fi-mes by throwing snow on parts of e structure monared by the fire. Mr. Chrisman declares that he will ON SOUTHERN ROUTE vote against cigarettes whenever he is given the opportunity.

> stipation Hollister's Rocky Moun-tain Tea will drive Constipation to ter Marshal. You can't enjoy life and have Con-Halifax -- Owl Pharmacy.

Minister Wants to Help.

It is only natural that one who has been relieved from suffering should feel grateful and want to help others. big storm of last week. Wintering Stock—Pasture and gave me much trouble before I took feed for winter. Write or phone P. Foley Kidney Pills. I am ready at A. Devera & Son Translo Phone P. Foley Kidney Pills. I am ready at

regon. any time to speak a word for Foley acre lot of Steidl and Ree 38tfc. Kidney Pills."-Sold Everywhere, north of Nick Smith's place. A. Devers & Son, Tumalo, Oregon.



A 100 per cent increase in the

number of war savings stamps sold

so far this month over the amount

OFFICE.

GAIN IS NOTED

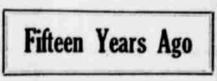
Records Destroyed.

disposed of at this the in November. Fire which is believed to have is reported by Acting Postmaster W. started on the first floor from a H. Hudson. In part this is due to cigarette stub, destroyed the Leader the fact that the baby bonds are bebuilding at Silver Lake 'early on ing bought for Christmas presents, Friday, occasioning a loss of \$4.- and in part as the result of the pledge Although there are doubtless many

t lephone message received here who have received cards, and who from Mrs. F. M. Chrisman at Silver Intend to buy war savings stamps to Lake, informed Mr. Chrisman. Mrs. the limit of their resources, only Chrisman was sleeping in their rooms \$1500 in pledges has come into the on the second floor when the fire committee of the Eiks lodge which broke out at 3:30 o'clock, but roused is endeavoring to increase the sale in time to escape from the flames, of war savings securities. All hav- returned clad in night attire. The loss is ing pledge cards are asked by the morning.

committee, to fill them out and re-

Sickening headaches, foul breath, a business trip to Spokane. were offices, and the Chrisman home. Constipation, means your bowels are The mails were saved from the asleep. Wake them up with Hollis-

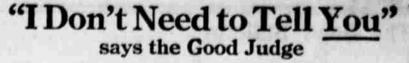


of December 23.3

A. L. Goodwillie was elected Mayor, and C. W. Merrill, C. H Erickson, J. I. West, D. Millan, C. Redfield, and F. A. Shonquest M. aldermen, in the incorporation election held Monday, which transformed Bend into an incorporated town. J. M. Lawrence was chosen Recorder,

A three year old black bear made the mistake of his life Wednesday evening, when he swam the Deschutes just below town. He was shot by B. H. Lantry. Apparently

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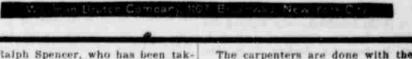
Why so many men are going to the small chew of this good tobacco.

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You get real tobacco satisfaction out of this small chew. The rich taste lasts and lasts. You don't need a fresh chew so often. Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put Up In Two Styles

RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco



Ralph Spencer, who has been taking S. D. Percival's place with The Bulletin for the past two months, when the windows and doors come, to Antelope Thursday the structure will be put in condition

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Kane and The building, a 72 by 26 structure, turn at once so that a fairly accurate Mrs. John Blair left Monday morn- the barn of J, H. O'Neil the first of which was erected in 1907, housed idea of what Deschutes county is do- ing for Portland. The two ladies the week, fell from the roof striking will spend the holidays with Portland on his left shoulder. He was not friends and Mr. O'Kane will make seriously hurt.

> Thomas Jones, who kept the halfway station between Rosland and alone on his homestead for years.

Ed Halvorson is building a five Honey room cottage on Kentucky street. The Deschutes Improvement Co., is about to open a branch office in Prineville to catch people who are looking for irrigated lands.

Cut out this You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's and Tar Compound. for coughs, colds and croup. Foley's Kidney Pills and Foley's Cathartic Sold Everywhere-adv. Tablets.

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Would You Like to Save from

for comfortable use W. R. Wilkinson, while shingling

Cut This Out-It Is Worth Money. Don't miss this. ter's Rocky Mountain Tea-it never Silver Lake, dropped dead of heart slip enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., fails-Owl Pharmacy. disease in Prineville last Monday. 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, III., He was \$4 years old and had lived writting your name and address clearly.

new Baptist church for the present



THE RUSH of Christmas buying is nearly at an end, and the results of holiday purchasing have, we trust, been as gratifying to our customers as to our own interests. True service to our patrons has been our constant aim, and it is with this same spirit that we wish to extend to the people of Bend and Deschutes County our sincere wishes for the utmost enjoyment which the season can offer, and a New Year unrivalled in prosperity and happiness.

> Larson & Company Jewelers

\$25.00 to \$50.00 on a

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