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FOURTH OFFERS BIG SURPRISES DURING PARADE

MANY FLOATS TO BE IN LINE

FIREMEN IN CHARGE

Redmond Band, Fire Department
And Floats To Participate—Many
Local Business Houses, Organi-
zations and Individuals Entered

A splendid array of floats, decorated cars and features has been arranged by the fire department, which has the management of this feature of the Fourth of July celebration. Chief T. W. Carlon, who has been active in securing representation in the parade, announces that he has 34 floats promised, in addition to the Redmond section, which will also be elaborate.

Most of the units in the parade are planned as surprises, and Carlon will not say what form they are likely to take. The parade will be led by Mayor Gillson as marshal of the day, followed by the Bend and Redmond city officials and the county officials. Next will come a platoon of firemen, with the fire engine. The Civil war veterans will be next, followed by the Shevlin-Hixon band and the Spanish-American war veterans.

Legion to March

Percy A. Stevens Post No. 4 will be next in line, a feature of its participation being that all ex-officers will be in the ranks and an enlisted man in command. Next will come the float bearing the Goddess of Victory, Miss Marie Fox having been chosen by the firemen for this honor. The marching divisions will come next, floats accompanying them if both are entered. The Elks, Moose, Knights of Pythias and other orders will be represented, as well as the Boy Scouts and other organizations.

Next will come the Redmond fire department and other organizations from that city and, finally, the floats. The exact position of the Redmond band, which has promised to attend, has not been fixed.

Floats Entered.

Floats and decorated cars will be entered by the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Co., The Shevlin-Hixon Company, First National bank, Central Oregon bank, Percy A. Stevens post, Miller Lumber Co., B. W. L. & P. Co., A. J. Goggans, Mannheim Bros., the Windmill, Jones' Dairy, American Bakery, Bake-Rite Bakery, Bend Hardware Co., Heyburn Hardware Co., Carmody Bros., Bend Garage, Central Oregon Garage, Southworth Bros. Garage, Deschutes Garage, The Bulletin, M. P. Cashman, J. C. Penney Co., Peoples Store, A. F. Larson, H. K. Brooks, H. J. Overturf, and others, who have not yet definitely promised to enter, or whom Carlon has not yet been able to see.

FLOWER SHOW DATE PLANNED

Bend's annual flower show will be held some time between August 15 and 20, in all probability, states Mrs. W. A. Myers, named as head of the Woman's Civic league committee in charge of the event. The exact time will, of course, depend on the weather. It is hoped that rooms in the Miner building, now under construction, can be secured to house the display.

In addition to the flower show itself, which will be largely along the display of last year, there will be a children's department, a potted plant division, and a section devoted to the showing of vegetables, which, it is expected, will chiefly draw its exhibits from the rural districts tributary to Bend.

It is planned to conduct flower sales at the city rest room, beginning in the near future. Mrs. Myers said, the proceeds to be devoted to the expenses of the show. Mrs. Myers is anxious that a large number of Bend people be found in the list of exhibitors.

ENGINE HITS TRUCK, DRIVER IS UNHURT

Switch Engine Stops Near Crossing,
And George D. Baker Drives On,
Unaware of Second Locomotive.

Hurled from the seat of his motor truck yesterday when the vehicle was struck by an engine at the Franklin street crossing, George D. Baker, expressman, was unhurt except for a few minor abrasions. The chief damage was sustained by the truck.

Driving west on Franklin, Baker stopped when he saw a switch engine approaching from the north on the passing track. The switch engine also stopped, and whistled to signify that another locomotive would pass, reports J. C. Wright, freight and passenger agent for the O.-W. and Oregon Trunk.

Baker apparently thought he was being signaled to proceed, for he started ahead. The second engine struck the center of his truck, brushing it about 15 feet off the right of way, but not overturning it. The engine was not going more than six miles an hour, says the agent, who immediately took Baker to the company physician for examination and treatment.

DISTRICT BOND ISSUES PASSED

The Silver Lake and Summer Lake irrigation districts have secured the approval and certification of their contracts and bonds, both of which go to Miller, Green & McDowell, general contractors, of Portland. The latter have promised the Silver Lake district that they will begin construction within 30 days.

The certification of the bonds means that the state will guarantee payment of interest for five years. The bond were sold at 80 cents.

As the construction of the Silver Lake district involves building a reservoir dam, it means that a great amount of material will be handled through Bend, and that there will be work for hauling firms and individuals, as well as day labor.

The immediate prospect of development in these two valleys may mean that construction of the Western Pacific railroad from Salt Lake to Summer Lake may be begun soon, according to local men familiar with the situation.

TWO ARE TAKEN ON A FEDERAL CHARGE

W. G. Phillips and William Williams, charged with transporting a stolen automobile across the state line from Washington, were taken to Portland Friday night to face the federal grand jury. They had been held in the city jail for 19 days. They went in custody of Deputy United States Marshal S. F. Race.

The boys declare the car was stolen by another man, but that they did not know it until they were in Oregon. Previous to being arrested, they went "joyriding" in the questioned vehicle with a number of girls living in Bend, all of whom state that the boys behaved properly.

REDUCED RATES FOR CONVENTION GIVEN

Both railroads connecting with Bend will give fare and a half rates to American Legion and Women's Auxiliary unit members going to Eugene to attend the state convention, it is announced. A full fare will be paid for the trip to Eugene, the buyer taking a receipt. Contingent on 250 of these receipts being turned over to the secretary of the convention, the half fare will be allowed for the return trip.

TO AID REALTORS IN ENTERTAINMENT

President R. S. Hamilton, of the Bend Commercial club, has appointed a committee consisting of Dr. J. C. Vandeventer, W. G. Coombs and F. E. Studebaker, to work with the realtors of the city in making plans for the entertainment of the home-seekers who will come by special train from the middle west late in July.

BIG MARKET IS PLANNED HERE

INVESTMENT OF \$50,000 PROBABLE

All Classes of Foodstuffs To Be
Handled Says Head of Farm Pro-
ducts Distributing Co.—Engineer-
ing Work on Building Finished

Bend will in the near future have a general market, handling practically all classes of foodstuffs, and representing a minimum first investment of \$45,000 to \$50,000. A fire-proof structure, covering 100x140 feet, on Bond street, just north of the De Armond & Gilbert building, will house the new venture, which is being financed by the Farm Products Distributing Co.

The company started operations recently in the small shop on Oregon which had been purchased by Metzger & Son only a short time before. From the very start business has been so good that J. M. Janssen, head of the new marketing organization, quickly realized the need for larger quarters. With this in view, the Moose lot on Bond street was purchased, and tentative plans made for a 50x140-foot building. As the possibilities became more apparent, however, another 50 feet on Bond was acquired, and now the general market idea is definitely outlined. Preliminary engineering work has been completed and plans for the building—a one-story structure—are virtually finished.

Plant Wins Praise.

Several departments for the market are planned, including fruit, fish, meats, poultry, confections, groceries, bakery and dairy products.

The venture is being made possible, chiefly, by the stock subscriptions of farmers and laborers. Mr. Janssen says. He is convinced that the new venture will greatly benefit not only the farmer, as the seller of produce, but the consumer as well. With this in view, he will ask an even more general subscription, he said, in speaking yesterday of the company's plans. The business will operate on a close margin of profit, making high prices to the producer and low prices to the consumer possible, Mr. Janssen says.

The present plant of the company was given high praise by L. S. Leach, representative of the Oregon dairy and food commissioner, following a thorough examination of the shop yesterday.

FINISH REPAIR OF C. O. I. CANAL

Repair of the break in the main C. O. I. canal at the Stanley ranch was completed yesterday and water had reached Alfalfa by afternoon. C. M. Redfield, of the irrigation company, announced at 2 o'clock. Repair work cost the company approximately \$300, he estimated.

Murkrats, burrowing in the walls of the canal, were probably responsible for the break, Mr. Redfield said. A few minutes before the earth holding in the stream of water was swept away, riders had passed along the edge of the ditch and had noted nothing unusual, he said.

A dam, thrown across the canal above the break, made it possible to deliver water to the upper laterals.

MANY YOUNG CATTLE IMMUNE TO DISEASE

Three Thousand Vaccinated Against
Blackleg, Reports Forest Head—
Sheep On Range Show Increase.

Practically all young cattle entering the national forest this year were first vaccinated against blackleg, according to H. L. Plumb, forest supervisor. For this purpose 3000 does of vaccine were distributed free of charge to stockmen through the forest service.

There are perhaps 1000 fewer cattle on government range this year than in 1921, says Mr. Plumb. The number of sheep, however, has increased.

BARRETT HERE ON INSPECTION

HIGHWAY CONDITIONS LOOKED INTO

Matters In Connection With Extension
from Allen Ranch Looked
Into—Commissioners To Make
Thorough Inspection Later.

On his first trip into Central Oregon since his appointment to the state highway commission to succeed the late Ed E. Kiddle, M. B. Barrett, of Heppner, arrived here yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Highway Engineer Herbert Nunn, on the last lap of a trip of inspection over the roads of eastern and Central Oregon. Practically all sections of state highways in Deschutes county on which work is now being done or planned, were gone over by the two officials before passing into Jefferson county on their way to The Dalles.

Entering the county in the morning on the new road from Redmond to the Crook county line, Mr. Barrett and Mr. Nunn went on to Sisters, turning back from that point to come to Bend by way of Tumalo. In the evening, accompanied by Representative H. J. Overturf and Judge Sawyer, they went over the south line of The Dalles-California highway to examine the condition of the cinder surfacing and consider other matters in connection with the proposed extension of the highway from the Allen ranch to the Klamath line. This morning, before leaving for the north, they inspected the Central Oregon highway east of town to gain information preparatory to making a recommendation for the expenditure of the cooperative fund now due from the state on this line. T. H. Foley, County Engineer Robert B. Gould and Mr. Sawyer were with the party on this trip.

A little later in the season Mr. Barrett and Commissioner Yeon plan to come here for a longer stay and a more thorough inspection of the county highways. As a result of this visit it is expected that matters of importance in the county road work will come out at the next meeting of the commission.

LOWER COSTS AID SHEEPMEN

Because of tremendously decreased costs, coupled with the unusually abundant grass both on the national forest and on private ranges, 13 or 20-cent wool will mean as large a profit to Central Oregon sheepmen as did the abnormally high prices prevailing during the war and for the first two years after the cessation of hostilities. This is the declaration of Tom Cronin and Pat Barry, prominent wool growers of Deschutes and Lake counties, who foresee good times ahead for the sheepman. Cronin is running 12,000 head of sheep this year and Barry has 4400.

Range in the two counties is easily the best in 16 years, affirms Cronin, despite the fact that grazing during that period has been steadily increasing year by year.

When wool was at its highest, expenses climbed right along with market quotations, sometimes increasing at an even more rapid rate, Cronin pointed out. Cost of private range gained 200 per cent, while the shearing rate averaged 30 cents per animal. Herders drew as high as \$175 a month, with board and part of their clothing furnished.

This year, however, the abundant grass has forced down the price of private range, shearing went down to from 12 to 14 cents per animal, and the current rate for herders will be about \$50 a month by the middle of summer, Cronin believes. Hay will be cheap, if needed, he predicts, but he does not consider that sheepmen will be forced to do much feeding during the cold months, as the winter as well as the summer range may be depended on to stand heavy grazing.

MONEY FOR SCHOOLS OF COUNTY DIVIDED

First Distribution of Two Per Cent
Levy Made—\$10,464 Bend's Share
of First Half of Two Funds.

The first apportionment of the state elementary school fund, commonly known as the two per cent levy, is being made in the offices of County School Superintendent J. Alton Thompson. The first half of the levy available in this county is \$10,885.09, and of this amount, distributed on the basis of the number of grade teachers, Bend receives \$5248.

The county school fund, based on school population, is also being distributed. The first half of the amount due for the year is \$9715.40, Bend receiving \$5216 of this sum.

STATE SHOOT HERE IN 1922

(Special to The Bulletin.)

ASTORIA, June 21.—The Bend Trapshooting club will next summer be host to the Oregon Sportsmen's association for the state trap shoot. It was decided last night at the meeting held here as a part of the annual meet. Dr. J. C. Vandeventer was elected president of the association, R. N. Buchwalter, vice president, H. D. Innis, secretary, and L. P. Casselberry, on the board of directors.

"This meet will bring to Bend a group of men who will more thoroughly appreciate the outdoor possibilities of Central Oregon than any other group of similar size which could be collected anywhere on the face of the globe," said L. Antles, secretary of the Bend Commercial club, on learning that the shoot would be held here next year. The Commercial club lent its support to the request of the trapshooting club that the tournament come here next year.

OFFICERS FIND LIQUOR CACHES

Several small liquor caches were found by Sheriff S. E. Roberts and Deputy Sheriff George Stokoe, who, accompanied by Sheriff Topping of Jefferson county, and State Officer Julian, visited the dance at Roberts hall Saturday night. One pint flask of moonshine fell into their hands when it was deserted by two men who were drinking outside the hall and who saw the officers coming.

One arrest was made, S. R. Selme, of Bend, being taken into custody on the charge of having liquor in his possession. The liquor in question was a quart of Central Oregon-made whiskey.

Selme pleaded guilty to the charge before County Judge Sawyer Monday afternoon and was fined \$50 and costs.

GALLAGHER NAMED TO GIVE ADDRESS

State Representative from Ontario
Is Selected To Speak In Bend
On The Fourth of July.

State Representative P. J. Gallagher, of Ontario, will deliver the Fourth of July address in Bend this year, it is announced by the celebration committee. A meeting of the committee and all others interested was held at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the county court rooms.

OREGON NITRATE CO. IS BEGINNING WORK

J. H. Morton, manager of the Oregon Nitrate Co., arrived from Seattle Thursday night, leaving Friday morning for Sheep Mountain, where the company has a crew of 20 men working, preliminary to actual mining operations, Morton says. Tests just completed show the nitrates are equal in value to those of Chile, Morton stated.

PROBLEMS FACE NEW BOARD AT EARLY MEETING

MUST PICK FROM TWO SUPERINTENDENTS

POSITION IS CROWDED

Action of Old Board In Declaring
Moore's Contract Void Decried
Hasty—E. P. Mahaffey and Mrs.
Richards To Be Sworn In.

The novel situation of a city with two school superintendents presents problems which will be among the first which the new school board will have to solve, is the belief of E. P. Mahaffey, who, with Mrs. Horace Richards, was Monday elected to membership on the directorate of the Bend school district. Mr. Mahaffey questions the right of the board previously in office to declare the contract with S. W. Moore void. As this action was followed by the signing of Mark A. Paulson as superintendent, the position is left badly crowded, and one of the incumbents will have to go, Mr. Mahaffey pointed out.

Mrs. Richards said that from the information which she now has at her disposal she considered that the old board had possibly been somewhat hasty in voting to dismiss Mr. Moore. She believed the question one which would merit further investigation.

1919 Election Recalled.

When the matter was brought up before the old board, four members, H. E. Nordeen, Mrs. E. M. Thompson, L. M. Foss and George Gove, favored the dismissal of Mr. Moore. C. A. Hayden opposed this stand. As the result of Monday's election, Mr. Nordeen and Mrs. Thompson are no longer members of the board.

Six hundred and twenty-two votes, the largest number ever polled in a Bend school election, were cast in the selection of directors. The previous high record was in 1919, when an unsuccessful attempt was made to recall Carl A. Johnson. The number in the 1919 election was 473.

Results Officially Declared.

Mr. Mahaffey polled the high vote in Monday's balloting with 351. Mrs. Richards had 330 to her credit, Mrs. Thompson was third with 282, and Mr. Nordeen had 262 supporters. Election officials said that the ballots would not have strongly indicated the existence of a ticket, pairings of various sorts being made. Few "single shots" were noted.

Immediately after the completion of the vote, the board met and officially declared the election of Mr. Mahaffey and Mrs. Richards.

BEND TO KLAMATH STAR ROUTE ASKED

Asking for star route mail service between Bend and Klamath Falls, a petition fathered by the Klamath Falls Chamber of Commerce will be sent to Bend in a few days. Secretary Antles of the Bend Commercial club is advised by letter. It will be endorsed here after it has been offered in La Pine for signing, and will then be sent to Congressman N. J. Sinnott at Washington, D. C.

The installation of a star route, giving direct service between the Deschutes and Klamath county seats, would greatly reduce the length of time required for mail to make the journey. At present matter must go by way of Silver Lake, or go by the long way around through Portland.

AGED WOMAN HURT IN TEAM RUNAWAY

Mrs. L. Reed of near Cline Falls, was bruised from head to foot when her team, hitched to a light wagon into which she was loading wood, became frightened and ran away. One wheel ran over a stump and Mrs. Reed, who is over 60 years of age, was thrown out on the ground and her shoulder dislocated. The men who were helping her load the wagon took her to her home, and today she was reported doing well.