

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Prineville hotel of Prineville is a popular hostelry of that city.

Loucks, who has been on an extended visit to Portland, has returned and is again in the harness.

Will, a good looking young fellow of the Young district, made a pleasant visit last week.

Sanford, of Sanford & Fitzpatrick, the cash merchants of Shaniko, is doing business in this city the greater part of the week.

Agency Plains property recently sold when listed with Girthoffer, Shaniko, Ore. List concluded of the fact.

Rodman will give a grand parade Ball Friday night, December 23. A fine time is anticipated and everyone is invited.

Blanchard, who has a home near Madras, intends making substantial improvements there during the winter and spring.

Paxton was in the city last day interviewing our merchants. The Pioneer force were also made glad that we had not classed as a L.L.D.

Blanchard, who has accepted a position with Bidwell Cram, of Trout Lake, has a homestead near Madras, which he intends to move some in the near future.

Garrett, of Cross Keys, was in the city last week. While here he exhibited his skill in riding wild bronchos. It is said that Garrett is a splendid rider and he likes to enjoy the sport.

Grizzly Lake Lumbering Co. organized recently by Hawkins, of Prineville; W. H. Peck, J. H. Tom and G. Springer, of Culver. The above gentlemen will conduct first-class business in an assured manner.

Madras Drug Store is headquarters for Kris Kringle this week. Dear old fellow has left lots of things there that will just tickle the best girl, and a splendid assortment of jewelry suitable for any member of the family.

Ladies' \$20 gold watch will be one of the best sustained character in the masquerade ball given in Mart & Bye's hall December 23. Prizes, including chance on prize, to be sold before the dance or at the Barber and Rodman.

Brown, of Haystack, was in the city last week. He is very loud in his praise of Madras. He has lived near Madras for 20 years and used to herd cattle all over this country, but especially where Madras now stands, he being corralled horses here during spring and fall round-ups.

We are in receipt of a letter from M. Lamb, of Moro, in which she writes: "I will put in a full stock of confectionery, stationery, cigars, tobaccos, etc. Will try and be ready to do business by January 10, 1904. Miss Mae Jackson will assist me in the store and we will be in Madras to please as well as supply the necessities."

James L. Williams, of the Little Plain, brought in three carrots last week which averaged 15 inches in length and 17 inches in circumference. They are solid, sweet and a delicious treat. They were planted early in the fall and, having had no cultivation, are as near perfect as carrots can be.

It is astonishing the natives to just what can be grown here.

Now is the time to plant fruit and shade trees. The Dalles Nurseries (see ad in another column) handle things but home grown trees, which are fully guaranteed to be as represented. Get their prices before buying elsewhere. By leaving your orders at the Pioneer office they will receive prompt attention. Call and get a price list.

G. W. Kinder has just finished seeding 68 acres of wheat.

Mrs. W. A. Ellis, of the Little Plain, was a visitor a few days ago.

A large number of six and eight horse teams stopped over Tuesday night on their way to Bend from Shaniko.

Don P. Rea, who has been down the line on Auto business, returned Tuesday evening accompanied by A. E. Hammond, who is spending several days in the city.

James T. Smith, recently of Kansas, purchased Lot 7, in Block 24, in Madras, on Wednesday. He intends to build a cottage and will shortly move his family to Madras.

It is reported that three men were lynched at Bend the fore part of the week for robbery. It is said that two of the victims were Germans and one American. All were gamblers. We are not able to verify the report.

M. Glanzer, who has a homestead near this city, was a pleasant caller yesterday. He is intending to build a house 12x18 and a barn and will plow a goodly number of acres for spring sowing.

Riley Girthoffer, real estate agent, of Shaniko, was a business visitor the early part of the week. He is representing the Columbia Southern Irrigation Company, with headquarters at Shaniko.

As Christmas approaches don't forget that Santa Claus has left a complete assortment of holiday goods at the J. F. Morris store in Prineville with instructions to sell them at the lowest prices in the city. Call and see for yourself.

Monday's Oregonian was dated a day behind time, the date printed appearing as Monday, December 11th, instead of December 12th. This is the first time such a mistake has been noted, and is interesting only for its unusual occurrence.

The Auto road is rapidly nearing completion. Bridges, cattle guards and culverts have been put in as far as Rimrock Springs and the road has been rolled nearly to Crooked river. The autos will probably be running some time in January.

The Grizzly Lake Lumbering Co. will be able to furnish first-class rough lumber at their mill, 2 1/2 miles east of Lamonta, on the north slope of Grizzly Butte, on and after December 20, 1904. Your orders are respectfully solicited. J. H. Hawkin, general manager, Lamonta, Ore.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

MADRAS DISTRICT.

Rev. E. M. Mortimore preaches in school house at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. every first Sunday; Rev. C. A. Sias, second Sunday; H. F. Borden leads M. E. class third Sunday morning; Rev. O. W. Triplett preaches third Sunday evening and fifth Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday, Edward M. Mortimore, superintendent. You are respectfully invited to attend.

METHODIST HILL DISTRICT.

German M. E. Church, Rev. E. J. Fraglio, pastor. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m., Theodore Hartnagel, superintendent. Preaching services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8 p. m. and Saturday at 2 p. m. German school conducted by pastor. Every one welcome.

CULVER DISTRICT.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. preaching every third Sunday at 11 a. m. by O. W. Triplett, of Prineville.

AGENCY PLAINS DISTRICT.

William Branstetter, superintendent of Sunday school. Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Preaching by Rev. W. E. Fulgham and others at irregular periods.

NORTH END DISTRICT.

Sunday school held at Rev. Bell's residence in North Agency Plain. Rev. H. L. Bell, superintendent; Peter Vibbert assistant. Sunday school at 10.30 every Sunday. Preaching at 11.30 a. m.

MUD SPRINGS DISTRICT.

No regular announcements.

The Edward C. Pease Co.
EVERYBODY'S STORE
SHANIKO, ORE.

Agents for Standard Patterns.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR SANTA CLAUS

DEAR OLD KRIS KRINGLE will have his supply house at our store this year, and in order to satisfy his every want, we have the largest stock and best assortment of Holiday Goods ever shown in Central Oregon. You will be pleased with our display and find many new lines of beautiful and useful gift articles that you were unable to purchase in the country heretofore. Our showing will compare favorably with that of any of the large shops in the city.

HOLIDAY OPENING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5th, is the day we appear in our best smile and gala day attire. From then until Christmas you will find the store beautifully decorated and the big display of gift goods will be attractive one. Come and bring the children. You are welcome.

Are We Your Dealers?

IN order to be convinced that our prices are the lowest, you will have to write us for our wholesale price list to Farmers and Stockmen for Fall and Winter supplies. We carry a large and well selected stock of

- Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes,
- Overalls, Jumpers,
- Oils, Glass, and Family Supplies
- Of all kinds, including
- Comforts, Blankets,
- Tobaccos, Cigars,
- Men's Furnishings, Etc.

Also a complete line of

GROCERIES

Fresh, clean and pure. Also a complete line of

- HARDWARE, including
- STEEL RANGES,
- COOK and HEATING STOVES,
- SHELF AND BUILDERS' HARDWARE MATERIAL
- of all kinds. We are also agents for
- COOPER WAGONS,
- McSHERRY GRAIN DRILLS,
- SYRACUSE mouldboard and disc Plows,
- HARNESS and machinery of all kinds.

Send in your order and let us figure on it for you.

SANFORD & FITZPATRICK
SHANIKO, ORE.

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Who will open for business about December 1st, 1904, on the corner of Fifth and C streets, Madras, Oregon.

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At Lowest Prices for Best Goods. From our stock of Shoes, Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods can be selected the latest styles and best fit. Fresh and pure Groceries of all kinds.

Hardware, Tinware and Harness

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Old Weather is approaching and now is the time to buy your Winter's Supply.

WE HAVE A FULL AND COMPLETE LINE OF
Men's Women's Children's UNDERWEAR

An up to date and fresh stock of rubber and leather Footwear. It will pay you to inspect our new stock of Harness before buying elsewhere. We are headquarters for pure Groceries and up-to-date Dry Goods and Hardware of all kinds. Builder's materials at lowest prices.

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