

**As Down Went McGinty**

Down goes prices on Mens' and Boys' Overcoats, Ladies' Cloaks and Jackets, Fascinators, Mitts, Ladies' and Gents: Heavy Underwear, all going AT COST

**Prices Flattened to the Thinnest.**

The values will tempt the most grudging pocket book. If you contemplate buying, don't think it over too long, but buy where prices are consistent with the cost of production.

**J. F. MORRIS.**

**Crook - County - Journal.**

THURSDAY, MAR. 28, 1901.

THIS PAPER is kept on file at the Advertising Agency, 54 and 55 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, California, where contracts for advertising can be made for it.

Onion sets at Elkins & King.

Wurzweiler & Thomson sells children's school handkerchiefs 3 for 5 cts.

Baby's first shoes free at Simpson, Wilson & Co.

See our soap display in the window. Choice for 3c at Fye's.

Mrs. Ora Poindexter is rapidly recovering from her recent serious illness.

Mens' shirts formerly \$1 to \$1.75 your choice for 50c. at Simpson, Wilson & Co.

Wm. L. Morford has taken a home-stead and will soon be among our prosperous farmers.

Roy Gray, youngest son of ex-sheriff Gray, is suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Fred Claypool has taken a position with Wurzweiler & Thomson at the grocery counter.

H. H. Davis and family have returned here, he having sold his mercantile interest in Lawton.

J. N. Weddle, Adolph Davin and Marian Escalle were registered at the Prineville Hotel Sunday.

S. J. Newsom went to Shaniko this week to meet his son G. H., who has been studying medicine at Portland.

The colored population donated \$10 each to the city treasury one day last week in payment for a little fiction.

Hon. W. P. Keedy and wife arrived here Monday evening on their way to Ochoco mines where they will remain during the summer.

Amos Barker is at the Poindexter Hotel nursing a broken and dislocated ankle caused by the horse that he was riding falling on him.

T. M. Baldwin's new residence on Second street in its new coat of paint presents as fine an appearance as any residence in the city.

Wurzweiler & Thomson have just received a complete line of Carlson, Carrier Co.'s best colored embroidery silks.

Ladies' \$5 mackintoshes for \$2.50. Mens' \$3 mackintoshes for \$1.50. Misses \$1 mackintoshes for \$2 at The Bazaar.

Several new and rich strikes are reported in the Trout creek mining district, notably one in the hill just east of Ashwood.

C. Bernard, of Beaver creek, who has been in The Dalles during the past winter, passed through here Tuesday on his way home.

Mrs. Cora Fry, who has been visiting the Journal man and other relatives in this state, returns to her home in Denver, Colo. this week.

C. Sam Smith returned Saturday from Shaniko where he and H. Taylor Hill went to deliver a part of the cavalry horses which they have been buying here.

Ed Clayton, J. W. Elliott and others delivered 108 head of beef cattle last week to Roe Grimes, agent for the Union Meat Co., who will ship them to Portland from Shaniko.

V. V. Blodgett, who was superintendent of the Ochoco placer mines for several years, returned last week from Colorado, where he was general superintendent of a large placer mine.

Messrs. Escalle and Rey, prominent sleepmen of Paulina, were in the city Monday after their spring supplies. They have had excellent success this season and their sheep are in fine condition.

E. G. Butler and Miss Emma Pike were in town Monday looking after some land business. Mr. Butler reports stock in good condition around Cross Keys, the most of them having wintered on the range.

F. W. Kehl, of Duluth, Minn., is inspecting timber land in this county with a view of purchasing a large quantity. He considers yellow pine lands a good investment where they can be reached by any means of transportation.

Mrs. J. H. Oakes and children will leave here for their new home on the banks of Bridge creek, in Wheeler county, in a few days. During their residence here Mr. and Mrs. Oakes have made many warm friends who regret their going away.

We omitted to mention in our last issue the sudden death of John Loftus. He had lived here ten or fifteen years and although he had reached the allotted span of life had until a few months ago supported himself, but since then has been a county charge.

From present indications there will be considerable building activity in this city during the coming summer. There is a good demand for city property at fair prices with quite frequent sales and our growth will be as it has been for a long time gradual but sure.

**Proceedings of Mass Meeting.**

The mass meeting held at the court house last Saturday evening for the purpose of devising ways and means of obtaining a water supply for irrigating purposes in the city resulted in practically nothing. The meeting passed a resolution that "We want other means of irrigation than that afforded by the Light and Water Company" or words to that effect. The subject of purchasing the old Maling ditch was discussed and a committee of five appointed to inquire into its cost, the cost of water, of repairing same, the cost of water to consumer, etc., with instructions to report at a mass meeting to be held at the court house next Saturday evening. The discussion elicited the fact that neither the city nor any private corporation or person was willing to buy the ditch and after quite a lengthy discussion the meeting adjourned.

The agitation of this matter arises from the alleged fact that hose sprinkling for a few hours each day will not properly irrigate land, that the company's rates are too high and that it refuses to furnish water for irrigation. It is that form even unless the prospective user also takes water or pays for the use of water in his house. To this latter proposition many object and the first many affirm that it is true, while others assert that hose sprinkling is amply sufficient for all purposes.

To the proposition of the city's purchasing and maintaining the ditch system there is serious objection for the reason that that portion of the city north of Ochoco has an independent ditch system sufficient for all purposes and would be compelled to assist in the purchase of a system for the south side without receiving any benefit therefrom.

Looking the matter squarely in the face it appears that if we have an irrigating system that it will have to come through the efforts of some person or corporation who can make money out of the investment. That being the condition the report of the committee will be of little or no value to the coming mass meeting or any one else for the simple reason that if a corporation or person decides to take hold of the matter he or it will investigate independently of any report made by the committee.

From the experience of Messrs. Smith & Hill it is evident that parties desiring to sell horses to the government must have them well bred, of good soil colors, and not less than five or more than seven years of age. The demand is not so urgent as it was a year ago, consequently the government is more particular in its selection.

Chris Cohrs, Prineville's veteran livery stable keeper, and Frank Bonney, who has been with Smith & Clock at the Reception for a long time, have purchased the Hamilton stables of Davenport Bros. for a consideration of \$1600. These gentlemen now own both the Hamilton and Reddy stables and are prepared to meet the wants of every customer.

Our correspondent from Lamonta informs us that Messrs. Eckman and Shaw, of Laoma, recently purchased a carload of heavy draft horses in that vicinity, for which they paid good prices, and that Mr. and Mrs. Lee, traveling salesman for Pease & Mays, have been there taking orders for merchandise. He also states that Mr. Lee is a big, jolly good natured fellow, that his wife is his equal in every respect and that both of them are always welcome.

**Hay Creek Items.**  
Dave Pock, of Haystack, passed through Hay Creek a few days ago on his way home from Shaniko, where he has been after freight for the Haystack store.

Ralph Brown, representing the firm of Pease & Mays, paid this vicinity a call last week. He did quite a lot of business here, and says that Pease & Mays will move into their new store at Shaniko sometime in May.

J. H. Gray came as far as Hay Creek with his bunch of cavalry horses. Hearing that the man who was to receive them at Shaniko had disappeared he sold part of his band to Mr. McDonald and returned home. Though loss in number, Mr. Gray's bunch of horses were far superior to the other bunches that have passed this way.

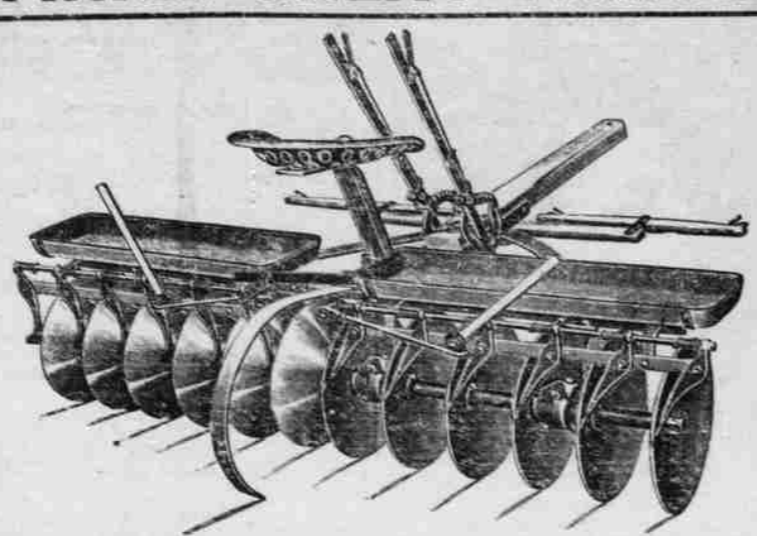
Charles Parrish and George Lytle left on the 21st for Shaniko, where they will lead freight for the B. S. & Co.

Charles Gulliford, Mrs. J. Prose and Mrs. P. L. Lufelle, of McKay, passed through on Friday of last week en route to H. J. Jey, where their father, Wm. G. J. Jey, is seriously ill.

H. J. Creek, March 25, 1901.

**Horse Lost.**  
Strayed from a pasture near Ochoco mines, in May, one dark bay horse weighing 1050 pounds, white spot in forehead, heavy black mane and tail, branded JE connected on left side. \$5 reward for his return or information leading to his recovery.

**THREE GREAT FARMING TOOLS.**



OSBORNE RIVAL DISC

OLIVER PLOWS.

RODERIC LEAN STEEL AND WOOD HARROWS

FULL LINE OF GARDEN TOOLS.

**ELKINS & KING.**

**Facts and Figures Concerning Salt.**

The price of salt has advanced to a very high figure within the last few months, making a luxury out of one of the stockman's staple commodities. If you are a stockman it is to your interest and profit to consider

**The Merits of the Different Salts**

Offered on the market, and ascertain if you are buying the salt that is the cheapest For your information and benefit we mention the fact that we consider

**Sulphurized Rock Salt**

To be the best and cheapest salt offered for sale. It costs a trifle more than the common stock salt, nevertheless it is the cheapest considering its lasting qualities and health results.

It is put up especially for sheep and cattle and is composed of 95 per cent pure ground dairy salt and 2 per cent of pure ground sulphur, pressed into 50 pound blocks, encased in wooden boxes. It is not affected by rain, snow or any kind of weather, and will go three times as far as common coarse salt. It contains no lime or magnesia, and screens on the surface from licking. Give us a trial order, or say only one 50 pound block. We think you will be persuaded to re-order. Our prices are

**75 cts. PER BLOCK. \$27.50 a Ton.**

**PEASE & MAYS, SHANIKO, OR.**

**JAPANESE BAZAAR.**

The Place to Buy and Get the Most. For 5 cents you can get a little more here than

Elsewhere.

- 5 cents 3 papers Wire Hair Pins.
- 5 cents 3 papers Sharp's Needles, or 8 papers ass't, 10c.
- 5 cents 4 papers Adamantine Pins.
- 5 cents 2 papers Safety Pins.
- 5 cents 7 dozen White Buttons
- 5 cents 2 good child's white linen handkerchiefs.
- 5 cents 1 bottle of mucilage with brush.
- 5 cents 1 good ladies' white linen handkerchief.
- 5 cents 1 1-2 papers of matches.
- 5 cents 2 good Col. Fellows cigars
- 5 cents 1 package of white wove envelopes
- 5 cents 6 No. 1 Spencerian pens.
- 5 cents 1 good rubber return ball.
- 5 cents 1 box wood tooth picks.
- 5 cents 1 bar of J. S. Kirk & Co. soap, any kind

Our Five cent articles cannot be bought elsewhere for double the amount, and we have a good many other things that have been sold for the past twelve years for five cents and we are not mentioned for LEADERS.

**N. A. TYE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will sell at public auction on the 6th day of April at 2 o'clock p. m., at the residence of the late J. W. Hines, the following articles, to wit: 2 cook stoves, 1 nesting stove, 1 wood box, 1 spring mattress, 1 lot of 3 wedges, 1 pitcher, pump and 1 sledge, 1 tent and poles, 1 lot tools, 2 knitting machines, 1 lot knitted socks, 1 lot seven blankets, and 30 other articles for camp and household use, one house lately occupied by J. W. Hines.

The above sale is by order of the County Judge of Crook county, Oregon. W. C. CONGLETON, Sheriff. Dated at Prineville, Ore., Mar. 24, 1901.

**Wurzweiler & Thomson**

Are showing Advance Styles in Spring Goods.

**The Latest in**

Ladies' Waist Silks, Ladies' Silk Waists, Ladies' Neck Bands, Bangle Belts. Dress Goods.

**New Goods Arriving Daily.**

**THE REDBY**  
(Corner 4th and B Sts)  
**Prineville, Oregon.**  
FREE SAMPLE ROOM ON MAIN STREET  
RATES, \$1.25 to \$2.00. PATRONAGE SOLICITED.  
The Only First Class House in Town.  
Special Accommodations for Traveling Men.  
CHRIS COHRS, MANAGER.

**This Fall**  
You will need a few new farming tools. The great P & O Gang-Plows, Cultivators and Steel plows, harrows, etc., being made of high-grade material with first class workmanship, have stood the test since 1842 and yet keep the procession by several miles ahead.

**Gang-Plows.**

ACKNOWLEDGED THE SUPERIOR OF ALL MAKES. The earliest handled, lightest, most durable and true the soil perfectly. Can be adjusted to work on side hills, where others fail. Have steel, proof iron bands and many points of superiority over all others. Made in all sizes with TRIPLE or CHILLED bottoms and Riding 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Manufactured by PARLIN & BRENDORFF CO., CANTON, ILLINOIS.

**SUPERIOR DISCS AND HOE DRILLS**  
And Seeders are too well known to need an introduction and we merely beg leave to remind you that we are agents for them. Walking Plows—Galleg Steel—Sulky and Gang. The famous "SUPERIOR" DRILL—in dress parade and for sale. Terms consistent, quality considered.

**STILL HEADQUARTERS FOR**  
Fine Horseshoeing and Wagon Work.....

**South End.**

**Type Writers**  
of all makes sold and rented. Mimeographs, Hektographs, Office and Duplicating Goods, Desks, Letter Presses, Etc.

**OUR LEADER.**

Write us for prices on Rubber Stamps, Seals, Etc.

**Coast Agency Company.**  
2003 STARK ST.  
Portland, Oregon

**A. H. Lippman**  
Sells Furniture, &c. for Cash and on Easy Payments.  
1-4 down, balance in monthly payments  
POSITIVELY, NO GOODS CHARGED.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,  
March 4, 1901.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before A. C. Palmer, U. S. Commissioner at Prineville, Oregon, on Thursday, April 11, 1901, viz: E. W. D. G. J. JAMES, of Prineville, Oregon, H. E. No. 7933, for the SW 1/4, NE 1/4, SE 1/4, NW 1/4, and E 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 24, Tp. 15 S., R. 8 E., W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Oscar Crain, John Johnson, R. E. Darsey, J. H. Gray, all of Prineville, Oregon.

JAY P. LUCAS,  
Register.