

LOCAL MENTION

J. P. Butler was in from the Williamson ranch the last of the week attending to business matters.

Frank Corwin, of Culver, was transacting business in the city several days during the past week.

J. H. Wight and wife left Monday afternoon for the Cascade mountains where they will enjoy an outing for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Goodberry, of Prineville, and daughter Mrs. J. J. Schaeffer of Kent, are visiting in Moro the guests of Mrs. E. H. Moore—Moro Observer.

Mrs. L. P. Blair, Miss Blair, Chas. Blair and Miss Packer left last Friday morning for their home at Pittsburg after a two weeks visit with John Blair.

W. C. Black and wife returned home the first of the week from a month's visit at Pandina. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lester.

Martha Pratt came in from Bend Friday where he has been engaged on the engineering crew during the past month. He left the first of the week for his ranch at Madras.

Misses Griffin and Sawyer, of the Point Mission, California, who have been here assisting Rev. H. C. Clark with revival services at the Methodist church, left for their home last week.

The past week has been the hottest of the season, the thermometer last Friday reaching 94. Nearly every day since the mercury has ranged in the neighborhood of the century mark.

E. N. Gilliam was in the city from Culver the last of the week on business matters. He came up to see how his brother, Alfred, who is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, was getting along.

B. F. McKee, father of Mrs. J. B. Henderson, accompanied by T. P. Soules are in the city from Woodburn visiting. They came over the mountain route across the Cascades, spending a week on the way.

Mrs. H. P. Belknap left Tuesday for Collins Springs on the Columbia where she will spend a couple of weeks. Dr. Belknap will join her there about the last of the month when they will both go to St. Louis to view the exposition.

Postmaster Summers has been out to Bend during the past week installing the telephone line there. It is expected the line between Prineville and the river point will be finished and ready for use about a week from next Monday.

C. C. Mickelson was in the city the first of the week from his ranch at Powell Buttes. Mr. Mickelson has 120 acres of wheat which was sown this spring and he says the crop speaks very well for the productivity of the soil in that vicinity.

Tom Clark and Harry Smith returned last week from a trip to Suplee and Canyon City. While out in the south eastern part of the county, Mr. Clark spent his time looking over the Duck mountain irrigation project in which he is interested.

Mrs. J. H. Prose and daughter returned last week from Halsey where they have been enjoying a two month's outing in the mountains. They were accompanied by Mrs. Prose's sister, Miss Grace Guilford, who will spend a few weeks here visiting with relatives.

KOLA CHERRY

An invigorating drink for Summer. It is something new in Prineville. D. P. ADAMSON Serves It.

J. A. Bayl left on Friday's stage for Portland where he went in answer to a telegram announcing the sad news of the death of his wife. A message had been sent two days before stating that Mrs. Bayl was sinking rapidly, but it was not received in time for him to reach her bedside before death called her.

Wm. Adams and son, Boyd, returned this week from a three months visit at the St. Louis Exposition and other points in the east. They stated that the weather was extremely hot while they were in St. Louis, although even that did not detract from the interesting sights to be seen there.

B. Gormley has been making considerable improvement in his 11th establishment this week, a new room having been added and the walls arranged with showcases. Mr. Gormley is making room for a big line of fall goods which are on their way here and which will be shown off to better advantage under the new arrangement of his store.

Hon. J. N. Williamson who has been attending the meeting of the Development League in Portland, is spending today with his family. He expects to return to the metropolis for the purpose of meeting the delegation tomorrow night and on Sunday night will leave for Pendleton to attend the irrigation meeting. Mr. Williamson was attended in the same suit he wore in Portland and says he feels flattered that the Oregonian cartoonist should be endeavoring to find out who his tailor is.—Dallas Chronicle.

Mrs. W. F. King is in Albany visiting with the family of County Treasurer James E. King, father of C. M. E. King of this city.

Lewis McWhorter was in the city the first of the week from Lookout mountain where he has been looking over some of his mining property.

Ernest Miller was in the city from his ranch near Lamonia Saturday. He stated that the Haystack country would have a good wheat crop this year.

Dr. E. O. Hyde, accompanied by his brother, M. Hyde and son of Albany, returned home this week from a visit with friends and relatives in Albany and vicinity.

Wm. Wight, Mrs. C. M. E. King and Mrs. P. B. Howard returned the last of the week from the Cascade mountains where they have been on a sporting expedition for several weeks.

R. C. Basse, general manager and one of the owners of the great Hyde Meadows mine, passed through Thursday en route home after a visit East, during which he purchased additional machinery for his mine.—Sumpter American.

Ice Cream Soda

Also Ice Cream, Plain Soda, Crushed Fruit and other soft drinks can be had at D. P. ADAMSON'S.

Sheriff Smith and family returned the last of the week from the Suplee hot springs and the Buck mountain country where Mr. Smith was looking over his company's irrigation project in that section.

T. Tillotson came down from Lookout mountain the last of the week. Mr. Tillotson was highly pleased over the rich strike which has been made and says he left the parties interested doing a war dance at the mouth of the tunnel.

Another large force of men began work on the Great Southern railroad last week, the company having let a contract for grading between The Dalles and Seaside's place several miles south of the Columbia. The company is pushing its work as rapidly as possible in an effort to have the road completed so that this year's grain crop can be hauled out.

An atmosphere filled with smoke for several days during the past week gave evidence of the fact that a forest fire is doing considerable damage in the Cascades. The last of the week the haze was so thick that it was impossible to see the firs along the Deschutes river which are generally plainly visible from town. Persons coming over from Bend stated that the smoke was so heavy in that region it was impossible to see the Three Sisters.

Antelope is to hold a baseball tournament during the early part of September and invitations have been sent to the local team Fossil and Haystack to participate in the series of games for which a purse of \$400 will be offered. The tournament will last three days and two games will be played each day. Owing to so many of the members of the local team being away to definite engagements has been made by the Prineville ball tossers to accept the invitation.

U. S. Special Agent T. D. Neuhansen, whose investigation of the claims of settlers and occupants of tracts within the Sherman county overlap district is now in progress, has assigned the following dates for taking the statements of claimants: At Grass Valley, August 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20. At Wasco, August 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25. Those who have failed to make their showing before the Special Agent at Moro will have a further opportunity to do so on August 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30.

The Journal received a communication from a committee of sleepers last week which it was requested to publish. The note was signed "By Order of the Committee," but no names were attached. If the writers of the letter will send in their names, so the Journal will know whom to hold responsible, this paper will publish the contents. We cannot at any time publish a letter such as the one referred to, unless it is signed and then it would go into the columns the same as any other paid local advertisement.

Wool men who often complain about the low price of Oregon wool, might be interested in knowing that about 30 tons of wool washed out of wool used by the Pendleton Wool Mills is now being dumped into the river bed at the Lee street bridge, says the East Oregonian. This wool was sold for at regular wool prices and is washed out of the wool in the scouring process, and as the rats are now being chased up, this high priced wool is dumped into the river, the woolen mills buying no use for it. The proportion of dirt in the unwashed wool may be judged from the difference in price of washed and unwashed wool. The unwashed article sells for about 15 cents, while the washed wool is worth from 55 to 65 cents. The weight is reduced about 65 to 70 per cent in the washing.

W. E. Guerin, Jr., passed through the city last Friday on his way to Portland on business connected with the Deschutes Irrigation company. Mr. Guerin stated that arrangements had been made to complete the automobile line between Cross Keys and Bend and that work on the road would be begun again. The road is to be eight feet wide, with water ditches for the drainage on each side, and the road itself will be treated to a coat of petroleum so that it will be serviceable in the winter as well as the summer. He said the line would be in operation inside of three months. The road will run from Cross Keys to Bend by the way of the Haystack country and Forest's place on Crooked river.

FISHING TACKLE

Before Buying Your Outfit for the Season Have a look at that line at D. P. ADAMSON'S.

A letter received by Edwin Stone, of the C. & E. from Hon. John Minto, of Salem, reports progress in his efforts to get a wagon road from the end of the Corvallis and Eastern across the mountains to a connection with the roads of Crook county. The Marion county Judge promises to bring the matter up before the county court, and the courts of Linn and Marion will be asked to do something. The distance from Detroit to the Metoles by the route investigated by Mr. Minto is only four sections, or 24 miles, so that the actual requirement will probably not be over twenty miles, perhaps not that much. It is a very feasible proposition, and if successful, it should be, will be a big saving in distance traveled over the Wagon Road route, now necessary in crossing the mountains.—Albany Democrat.

A woman, who was traveling with her husband and two boys and whose name could not be learned, was seriously injured last week in an accident which occurred a short distance west of the Cook creek toll gate. One of the horses became unruly and began to balk. The wagon was on a grade at the time and was run backward into a ditch by the side of the road and upset. The weight of the vehicle striking full on the woman who was thrown on her back. One of the little boys was also pinned down by the load and was only extricated by the use of a long pole with which the wagon was piled up. Dr. E. O. Hyde, who was returning from Albany happened to arrive at the place just a few minutes after the accident, gave the woman medical assistance. She was unable to move herself and was carried to a cool spot where a camp was struck. Dr. Hyde stated that the woman's spine was injured and he believed the injury would have fatal results. The little boy escaped with a few bruises. The woman and her husband were on their way to Independence from here where they have been living.

Cook Items.

Miss Alice Smith finished a successful term of school at Price last Thursday. She left for Prineville Friday.

T. F. Long and son, Dick, of Pine creek are working for A. Hacklemann at present.

E. E. Hollis had the misfortune a few days ago to have his harness torn to pieces by a runaway horse.

Men are scarce from their teeth in this vicinity, especially hay hands.

Dick Long is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism in his hip.

New Store to Open.

J. S. Kelley will open a hatter store soon in the building formerly occupied by G. T. Mann as a restaurant. Mr. Kelley intends to make the venture an unique one in that line of business, and no doubt will enjoy a liberal patronage. He will make a specialty of ladies and gents shoes besides carrying a full line of notions. The shoe department will be supplied with the latest styles of footwear, the intention being to carry not a large assortment, but one which will be replenished with new goods as often as possible.

Mr. Kelley will continue to carry on his photographic business, and will devote as much time as is necessary to his studio.

Stage Robbers Under Arrest.

During the latter part of last week Sheriff Brown, of Baker, phoned Sheriff Ambrose that the men accused of holding up the Canyon-Whitney stage a few weeks ago were under arrest at Pocatello and that he would bring them back for trial, if this county would pay the expense. Deputy Geo. Brierly replied that the county could not undertake such an agreement in view of the doubt of the guilt of the crime and identity of the prisoners. Last Sunday Judge Traylor took the matter up with Judge McHaley, and was finally instructed that the crime

was committed in Grant county, and the right of arrests had been made, this county would pay the expense of return and also prosecution. This was the solution agreed upon and if the place of hold up was in this county all expenses will be borne here, but if in Baker, then the costs and responsibility of prosecution devolve on Baker county.—Prairie City Miner.

Horse Rustler Is Arrested.

Oscar Baldwin, who has been working at different ranches in the vicinity of Prineville since last May, was arrested last Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Liggett on a charge of horse stealing, upon information filed by Rev. Stas, of Haystack.

Last May two horses were stolen from Rev. Stas and since that time he has been using every effort to locate the animals and the thief. Recently he learned that F. M. Post, of Post, had in his possession two horses answering the right description. Mr. Stas last week went to the Post ranch where he identified the team and learned that Mr. Post had purchased them last May from a man giving his name as Baldwin. Rev. Stas returned to Prineville and immediately swore out a warrant for the latter's arrest. Saturday night Baldwin was seen on the street and taken into custody. He will be given a hearing the last of the week as soon as Mr. Post can get down from his ranch to give in his testimony, and no doubt will be bound over to the grand jury to await trial at the October term of the circuit court.

Died.

In Portland, Thursday, August 4, Mrs. J. A. Rayl.

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Notice of Meeting of Board of Equalization

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the Board of Equalization will attend at the office of the county clerk of Crook County, Oregon, on the 29 day of August, 1904, and publicly examine the assessment roll for 1904 and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of land, lots or other property, and it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed and if it shall appear to the said board Equalization that they own any lands, lots or other property assessed twice, or in the name of a person or persons not the owner thereof, or assessed under or beyond its actual value, or any lands, lots or other property not assessed, said Board shall make the proper corrections.

B. F. JOHNSON, County Assessor. Note.—All parties not assessed for the year 1904 will please call at the court house or send in list of assessable property immediately.

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Teachers Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Crook County will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Prineville, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, August 10, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 13, at four o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday August 10, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 12, at four o'clock p. m.

FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD GRADE CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

PRINCIPAL CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.

C. B. BRISWILER, Co. Supt.

Announcement.

I wish to announce that I have opened a new store in the building formerly occupied by Mrs. Wiegand, the photographer. My entire stock of millinery goods will be sold out at 50 cents on the dollar, or I will dispose of the stock to one person at the same discount. Mrs. Ed. Bradford.

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