

LOCAL MENTION

Dr. V. C. Gesner returned Tuesday evening from Portland.

G. H. Nye was in the city this week from his ranch at Bear creek.

Groceries cheap for cash or produce, at GLOVER'S.

Porter and Joe Quinn, sheepmen of Grizzly, were in the city last Friday looking after business matters.

Don't forget the closing out sale at THE BAZAAR.

If you have eggs, chickens or other produce, see GLOVER before selling.

EVER SHAVE?

Why not buy a GOOD SHEFFIELD RAZOR? All kinds of Barber Supplies.

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The city council at its regular monthly meeting last week raised the license on the city saloons from \$250 to \$400.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp, who have been living at Bend for several weeks past, expect to move back to the city again in a short time.

H. P. Thompson bought the Wm. Treloar ranch just north of this city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will move onto their newly acquired property this week.

The old reliable Peter Schuttler Wagons can be found at J. F. Morris'. Light build, durability and easy running qualities have sold a great number of these wagons and will sell more.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Ida Prose wishes to inform the general public that they can get the very best means to be had in Prineville at her boarding house. Next to W. H. Young's blacksmith shop. Call and Test them.

The report is current here that Eastwood & Dee, who have moved their saw mill onto timber lands recently pruned up on by them, have been served with notice by the Interior department restraining them from cutting timber on said lands until further notice. Mr. Compton has been served with like notice. We hope to hear that these reports are without foundation.—Madras Pioneer.

Three extra stage coaches were brought into play Monday to bring in a crowd of land applicants from Shauko. The party was in charge of A. E. Mathews, of Minneapolis, and Neil Smith, of West Superior, Wis. The party left Tuesday morning for the Deschutes and Silver Lake country to look for claims. Mr. Smith stated that he knew of over a hundred persons who were waiting at the two points mentioned for their party to make a report. If the latter was favorable, as he said it would be, the balance of the party will be in Crook county in side of a couple of weeks. Mr. Smith stated that the extreme cold weather in the east was partially instrumental in getting the people started towards a warmer climate and he said that it would be difficult to estimate the number of new settlers which would come into this part of Central Oregon during the present year. The members of the party were on the lookout for claimants and homesteads and expect to be gone about eight days before making the return trip.

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Quite a crowd went out to Bend the last of the week to keep company with the local theatrical troupe. After the performance of the "Arabian Nights" given there on Saturday night those appearing in the cast of characters and others were invited out to a supper given them by Champ Smith and brother James Smith.

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Stewart and Hodson's home cured meats at MICHEL & CO's.

Home made candies at THE BAZAAR.

Remember THE BAZAAR is headquarters for fruits and confectionery.

C. H. Erickson was over from Bend the last of the week on a business trip.

George Stevens was in the city from Sisters the first of the week. He has recently sold his business at the latter place to Miller & Zummel and was here to complete some matters connected with the transfer of interests.

John R. Howard was over from his ranch on the Deschutes the first of the week.

H. J. Hendy was in the city from his Haystack ranch for a few days during the last of the week.

We pay the highest market price for fresh eggs. Don't sell until you see us. One door south of Adamson's drug store. C. A. GLOVER.

A. C. Lucas has sold the Pilot Butte Inn at Bend to D. R. Smith, of Eugene, for the sum of \$6000. The new landlord will take possession the first of March. Mr. Lucas will continue to reside at Bend where his ventures in the past have proved successful.

The lecture given by the Rev. J. A. Mitchell last Friday evening at the Union church was well attended and enjoyed to the limit. Rev. Mitchell chose for his subject "Charles Dickens" and the many humorous incidents which he related found a responsive audience. A musical program of delightful numbers was also given.

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Thomas B. Neuhausen, special agent of the department of the interior, who has been prominently identified with the land fraud cases in this state during the past two years, has been placed in charge of all the special agents and government secret service men working in this state and will continue the investigations in different parts of Oregon which are now in progress.

Sheriff Smith has begun sending out the tax notices of the levies made on the 1904 roll. Nearly 2000 names appear on the lists this year, a material increase over those on the last assessment roll. The increase is due principally to the final proofs on homesteads and timber claims which heretofore have been exempt. Next year the list, owing to the rapid settlement of various portions of the county, will show several hundred new names.

Secretary J. H. Gwinn, of the Oregon Woolgrower's Association, has written the Eastern wool buyers in regard to sale dates to be fixed in Eastern Oregon this season. When he hears from them he will at once fix the dates of public sales for the entire district. Mr. Gwinn feels confident that unless a very high price is offered very little of the Eastern Oregon clip will be sold prior to the sale dates. The sales days have been a success and the sheepmen are satisfied with the results, as they have paid considerable money to keep up the organization.

A Wyoming buyer has purchased about 10,000 yearling ewes of parties residing in this country, the price being from \$2.25 to \$2.50 per head, according to quality of sheep. Makin and Falconer also contracted for 5000 yearling wethers for \$2 per head to a Montana buyer. Those still holding yearlings expect prices to strengthen and consequently buyers have been unable to contract large amounts.—Wallowa Chieftain.

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You can save \$1 to \$2 on Shoes At the RACKET STORE

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The large automobile which was being built at Portland for the lines between Cross Keys and Bend, has been about completed and was taken out for its trial spin in Portland, last week. Don P. Rea of Madras, and a party of newspaper men from Portland, took the machine for a 25-mile run, making the trip in about fifty minutes. Mr. Rea says the machine is a very powerful one, and that he believes it will prove satisfactory in the work for which it was built. The auto will not be brought out to Central Oregon for several months yet, or until the winter has passed and the auto-line can be put in good condition for continuous service.—Antelope Herald.

Sheriff Smith Gets \$350 Reward.

Sheriff Smith received word the last of the week from Sheriff J. H. Smith, of Mendocino county, California, that William Lambert had been sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of Frank L. Drake. Lambert was arrested by Deputy Sheriff James Smith at Bend and brought to the county jail in this city last November where he was identified by Sheriff Smith as the man wanted in the California town and for whom a reward had been offered. The sheriff received vouchers along with the letter telling of the murderer's conviction, and as soon as these have been filled out and returned he will receive the sum of \$350, the reward offered, with \$100 additional given by the California county for his clever piece of work.

Lambert's trial was held during the fore part of this month. The jury disagreed in the first instance and before the second trial had begun Lambert pleaded guilty in the hope of receiving the court's mercy. The judge imposed a life sentence. Lambert's partner, White, who, it is thought, was with the former when he came to Crook county, has not yet been found. A reward of \$250 is still standing for the latter's arrest and conviction.

Death of Samuel Courtney.

Samuel McDill Courtney, well known resident of the John Day valley, and a pioneer of 1845, died at the home of his daughter, Lizzie Clark, near this city, Sunday, February 5th, after an illness extending through several months. The direct cause of his death was a hemorrhage of the brain, which was probably superinduced by a paralytic stroke, which he suffered some time ago, and from which he never fully recovered.

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