

LOCAL MENTION

George Ray is in the city from his ranch at Post.

Big feed—P. A. C. Hall—Monday night—You come!

Rev. W. P. Jinnett will preach at Post next Sunday morning.

W. M. Davey was down from Lookout mountain this week to attend the meeting of the Alamedan Mining company.

Dr. Gail Newcom and Tom Rutherford, of the Laidlaw Bank, were over from Laidlaw Saturday on a business trip.

William Ellwood and Harry Cobern, who have been at work at the J. O. Powell place, left yesterday for Salt Lake City.

Mrs. John H. Starr, District Deputy Supreme Oracle of the Royal Neighbors of America, will arrive in Prineville Sunday to look after lodge matters in Crook county.

Ward Roark has sold his interests in the saloon business here to his partners, H. C. Daulty and Charles Redell. He and his brother, Pat, left during the week for Portland.

The services at the Methodist church on Sunday morning will be conducted by the Rev. W. K. Rideout. In the evening the pastor will preach at the usual hour. Subject: "The First Step in the World."

Carpenters are at work remodeling the gymnasium room at the club house. All the windows and side walls are to be sealed so that the room will be as comfortable as is possible to make it during the cold winter evenings.

Dr. E. C. Mohler, of the Elise-Mohler Optical company of The Dalles, is in the city on a business trip. Dr. Mohler will give one of his interesting and entertaining lectures at the Union church tomorrow evening. No admission will be charged.

The Old Time Ball, which was given at Athletic hall last Thursday evening, drew one of the largest crowds which has ever gathered in the ball room. More out of town people were present than have attended a dance here in over a year. In every way the event was a success. The dancing continued until well along in the morning.

The members of the Eastern Star successfully planned and carried out a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wigle at their home in the city last Saturday night. The evening was pleasantly spent and thoroughly enjoyed by those who accepted of the hospitality of the host and hostess and the list of good things on the refreshment card.

An unique entertainment has been arranged by the Sunday schools of Prineville. A "Bible Contest" in which six representatives from each school are to compete for the place of honor. The program, including music and addresses, and the contest will be given at the Presbyterian church the evening of December 22. A social hour with free refreshments will follow.

The ladies of the Methodist church have received from the Curtis Publishing company, a Ladies' Home Journal booth. The booth is the gift of the company to the fair which the Church Workers' Society will hold Dec. 16 in Belknap hall. Reproduction of 25 original Journal drawings is included, and the proceeds from the sale of these are to be donated to the society.

Byron Cady returned the last of the week from a six months' absence in the Christmas lake district which just now is drawing more settlers than any other portion of that section. The desert region which a year ago was barren of habitation now presents the appearance of a thriving agricultural region, many homestead cabins having been built to accommodate the large number of people who are now making the desert their home.

J. S. McMeon was in the city yesterday from Lamonta.

High Ester is in town from Paulina visiting his family.

Good program at P. A. C. Hall Monday night. Admission free.

H. J. Henly was in the city on a business trip from Haystack Tuesday.

James A. Smith was a business visitor during the past week from Suplee.

Roy Price was down from his ranch at Post yesterday on a business trip.

Jerry Ginner and George Stevens, of Madras have been spending the week in the city.

C. B. Allen was down from ranch at Lava this morning getting some of his winter supplies.

C. A. Niles and wife left Tuesday for Kennewick, Wash., where they will make their future home.

Miss Myrtle Scroggins, of Laidlaw, will open a term of school in the Mill creek district next Monday, November 27.

Wild ducks are coming into the rivers and sloughs in the valley in considerable numbers and hunters are enjoying good sport.

Levi Tillotson came in from Portland Saturday evening to attend the meeting of the Alamedan Mining company which was held the first of the week.

The new 200 pound bell for the First Presbyterian church has arrived and has been swung. It's mellow tones now unite with those of other church bells in the call to worship.

After a month's rest, Lookout mountain took on a small blanket of snow the last of the week which it will probably retain with additions during the balance of the winter months.

Since the new townsite of Paulina was laid out a short time ago, the owners have sold over twenty lots, on most of which new buildings are being constructed or arrangements made for their erection.

E. T. Slayton has purchased from the Fairbanks-Morse Company, a two-horse-power gasoline engine which he will have installed on his ranch on the Ochoco to pump water for the stock he is feeding.

A new planing mill has been bought by Birdsong & Co., for their lumber plant at Manry, and they will be prepared to furnish dressed lumber in about three weeks. R. A. Ammons passed through town with the machine Monday.

R. E. Simpson, the merchant, expects to leave shortly for St. Louis and Chicago to purchase his spring stock of goods. "I have already sold very largely of my winter stock," said Mr. Simpson, "so will have to hurry in my spring goods."

Sheriff Tom Allen of Burns, who was formerly a resident of Prineville a good many years ago when in the employ of Siebel & Co., has been in the city this week trying to find a few remaining land marks. The sheriff of Harney county came over with George Miller, twice convicted for murder, who secured a change of venue and will be tried here at the May term of the circuit court. The supreme court has twice reversed the verdict of the lower court in the Miller case and a change of venue was taken to insure an impartial hearing at the third trial. Miller has spent some time at Salem where he was confined twice for a short time prior to the decisions of the higher court of the state. Sheriff Allen said he was glad of the opportunity to get back again to Prineville and note the great changes that have been made since he was last here in 1879. His acquaintance among the present residents is rather limited however.

Basket Social Monday night at P. A. C. Hall. Everybody welcome.

A. M. Zevely and son Robert, who have been living at Bend, last week rented a house in Prineville and have come here to live.

John Morris is having a new house built on his property in the north part of town. It will be for rent. Henry Crabtree is doing the carpenter work on it.

Ladies do you know that Rideout & Foster carry a complete stock of ladies' and children's underwear and hosiery and also a fine line of ladies' lined house slippers? And do you know that you save money by trading with them?

Rev. Mitchell will not be present in his pulpit Nov. 26. He will conduct the services at Bend, Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Presbyterian church. Christian Endeavor is invited to meet in the evening at the Union church to take part with that Endeavor.

As a result of the geographical survey which a government party made through this section of the west a year ago, the Bureau of Printing in Washington has issued a volume profusely illustrated with views of Crook county and containing over 100 pages of descriptive matter. The pictures of this county are confined chiefly to the peculiar rock formations and erosions in the eastern part of the county, various views of the canyon of Crooked river and several plates illustrating the glaciers and their surroundings near the summit of the Three Sisters.

There were a few minutes of thrilling excitement Tuesday morning near the bridge which crosses the irrigation ditch below Forest. From the accounts one would judge that a ball game had been played. There was an error, a Starr play. Enos Rose made an assist, and the incident wound up with a home run hit which resulted in a foul. But it wasn't a ball game. There was a runaway in progress. J. H. Starr, of the Modern Woodmen, and Enos Rose were on their way some place when they stopped the team at the bridge, and slipped the bridles from the horses' heads to offer the animals a little water. The team took exception to the politeness and ran. Mr. Starr retained his place in the buggy until the carriage ran into a boulder when he gracefully took his place among the sage brush and rocks. Mr. Rose attempted to stop the horses by grabbing at the harness about their heads, but he, too, was assisted to a comfortable seat on the soft earth. Mr. Starr carries a well decorated eye and Mr. Rose is suffering from several bruises. The horses were caught a short distance down the road and with the exception of the injury to the buggy no other fatalities have been reported.

MARRIED.

Miss Abbie Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Gibson, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles E. Parrish, of Camp creek, at the residence of the bride's parents, eight miles north of the city, last Sunday afternoon. County Judge W. A. Bell performed the ceremony in the presence of a few invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morris and Misses Pearl and Maude Vanderpool were among those from the city who attended the wedding. The bride and groom were the recipients of a large number of pretty and useful presents. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Parrish were visited by a party of young people from the city who made up a serenading party.

Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence of C. V. Wilson, in this city, David W. Peck and Miss Ollie Cook of Haystack. The Rev. W. P. Jinnett performed the ceremony.

BORN

To the wife of Dr. Edwards, Tuesday, November 21, a ten pound girl.

To the wife of J. H. Prose, Monday, November 20, an eight pound girl.

Mrs. Frank Elkins, of Madras, is in the city visiting with relatives.

J. L. Smith was a business visitor during the week from his ranch near Paulina.

James Elkins is in the city from Madras and has entered the employ of his brother, C. W. Elkins.

Frank Glass was in town the first of the week from the Deschutes Irrigation company's headquarters at Redmond.

Farquar McKee and Walter Hyde last week opened up a neat tenor-lit parlor in the Henderson building on Main street.

Nine hundred mutton sheep belonging to E. N. Williamson were brought to the feed yards near Prineville, Monday, where they will be fattened for the market.

The first issue of the Laidlaw Chronicle, a four page, seven column paper, with the spirit of progress cropping out strongly in all its departments, was published the last of the week. The Chronicle is under the management of Fred Wallace and A. P. Donohue and will aid materially in the settlement and development of western Crook county's most prosperous section. The spirit of the people in the community is shown in the well filled advertising columns, the paper itself being neat and newsworthy and well qualified to be a capable booster for the right kind of people in the right place in Crook county.

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Notice of Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting and election of officers of the Prineville Fire Department will be held at the Fireman's hall Monday evening, December 11, 1915.

G. N. CLIFTON, Secy., WM. DRAPER, President.

Man's Unreasonableness

is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble. "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by J. H. Templeton's and D. P. Adamson's druggists, price 50c.

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In 10—12—14 and 16 Disc, all Right Hand, and with our patent hard oil cup on the discs. Also a Carload of

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Toys for the children. Books for the studious. Fancy Chinaware for the ladies and an elegant line of Fine Albums, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Horn Novelties, Mirrors, Pictures and one thousand other useful and ornamental articles that are Desirable Christmas Presents. Don't wait until the cream is gone but come in now, make your selection and have us set it aside for you.

Hand Painted Shells Free With Purchases

We have a limited number of Beautiful Hand Painted Shells, worth 50 cents each which, while they last we will give away absolutely free, one only to each person making a three-dollar purchase.

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The General Furnishing Store

I Will Give You a Fine Present

Recently I purchased the Johnson, Booth & Co. Store including their Fall purchases then enroute from Shaniko. These and every article then in the house have been marked down to a low price. Now to make room for extensive improvements in my store, on Friday, November 25, will begin, for cash only

A GRAND HOLIDAY SALE

Everything in the Dry Goods, Clothing, Hat, Men's and Women's Furnishings and Footwear departments is included in this Great Holiday Sale

The Proposition One-Sixth Will Be Returned to You Affords You Chance

With every purchase you will receive in addition to the articles purchased, goods of your own selection from these departments, to the amount of ONE SIXTH of your Purchase

If your bill is \$12 you get \$2 worth—If \$24 you get \$4 worth, etc., making you a very substantial HOLIDAY PRESENT

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