

## LOCAL MENTION

### USE MADRAS FLOUR.

Charles Boyd of Bend was in the city this week on business.

Jerry Cramer and wife were up from Madras Monday and Tuesday.

C. M. Mudd was in the city from Laidlaw Monday.

D. F. Steffen of the Journal went to Bend Tuesday on business.

James Sharp came up from Madras Monday and is spending the week in town.

George Stevens and wife came up from Madras Monday. Mr. Stevens came for medical treatment.

F. E. Dayton, the Laidlaw merchant was in town on business Saturday.

Charles M. Lister was doing business in town from his ranch up the Ochoco Tuesday.

Dr. C. S. Edwards was called to Suptoe last Thursday to attend Mrs. Isaac Mills. Mrs. Mills is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Erickson of Bend, spent a few days in the city this week, returning home Wednesday.

Deputy Sheriff J. S. Smith went to Bend this morning on official business to be absent several days.

C. W. Thornthwaite, who has a homestead near Tumalo, was attending to matters in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss May Belle Reed deputy county clerk, has gone to Bend to remain a short time. P. B. Duak is assisting in the office during her absence.

**D. P. Adamson & Co.**  
Unique Pastry  
Holiday Goods  
Prineville, Oregon

W. F. King started to Shaniko Wednesday to meet Mrs. King and their daughter, who are on their way home from an extended stay in Portland.

R. B. Castleman, who came from Bend several weeks ago, suffering from a malignant case of typhoid, has recovered and is rapidly regaining his health.

Earl and Nate Warzweller returned home from Portland this week to spend the Christmas holidays. They are attending the Hill Military Academy in that city.

P. H. Mahen was in from Ralph Porhly's sheep ranch on Crooked river Tuesday and Wednesday transacting business and getting a stock of goodies for the Christmas celebration the boys will have there.

H. C. Ellis, superintendent of the Deschutes Telephone Company, was over from Bend Monday, looking over the telephone line between Prineville and Bend. He reports that Bend had quite a snow fall Monday.

All cash checks on our premium offer dated from June 1st, '05, must be in by Jan. 1st, '06. If the desired amount is not reached we will give a credit for the amount returned. No checks honored after this date.  
J. E. STEWART & CO.

**D. P. Adamson & Co.**  
TOYS, DOLLS  
HOLIDAY GOODS  
Prineville, Oregon

The committee in charge of the Christmas tree for the P. A. C. and Ladies' Annex request that all presents that are to be put on the tree be at the hall and in the hands of the committee by 3:30 Saturday afternoon in order to receive proper attention. All members of the two organizations and their families are invited to take part. The exercises will be opened at 8:30 p. m.

## Holiday Goods Given Away

With every cash purchase from now until Christmas we will give a ticket which will entitle the holder to a draw on the following articles

- One \$5.00 Easel Album
- One Large Dressed Doll
- One Daisy Air Rifle
- One Iron Shod Sled

We have a Large Assortment of Holiday Goods consisting of Fancy Toilet Articles, Pictures, Medallions, Toys, Dolls, Fancy Crockery, etc at prices a little below what others ask

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F. W. Smith, of Crook was in town today.

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T. J. Leach, of Culver was transacting business in the city today.

Charles Stanborough was over from Bend today.

At the Methodist church Sunday morning the pastor will preach a Christmas sermon. Subject: "The Manger and the Cross." At night the congregation will worship at the Presbyterian church.

The party of Oregon Eastern railway surveyors which has been working between Redmond and Bend is now camped at Bend and have the grade stakes set to within six miles of that point.

W. J. Hightower, of the Hightower-Smith sawmill company at Tumalo, leaves this week on a trip to the state of Washington, where his wife and daughter are now residing.

Irving Reed the young man who was seriously injured in a powder explosion while working at construction on the Arnold ditch about six miles south of Bend last week is slowly recovering. One of his eyes was destroyed and he received other serious though not fatal injuries.

Construction work on the Central Oregon canal of the D. I. & P. company has been completed to the old river bed and water is now flowing through the canal and down the ancient water way. J. C. Lewis who has had charge of this branch of the company's work has closed down operation there.

Colonel F. Smith is in town from the Columbia Southern Irrigating Company's tracts in the Tumalo basin. He has been supervising surveys which are being made preparatory to the construction of several reservoirs at the headgate of the main canal. The reservoirs will be used for storing water to be used during the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Windom, of Culver, were in the city Wednesday, and returned home today. Mr. Windom is of the opinion that unless some improvement is made in transportation facilities within the next few years that the farmers who have been raising wheat will have to change to feeding cattle and hogs or some kind of product that is capable of furnishing its own locomotion to market.

### MARRIED.

S. D. Perival of Madras and Miss Shell McReynolds of Bend were married Tuesday, December 19, at the home of Rene West at the latter place. The bride is one of Bend's popular young women and the groom is a well known young man of sterling qualities, now managing the Madras Pioneer.

### Notice of Examinations.

Eighth grade examinations will be held on February 1 and 2; May 17 and 18; June 14 and 15; September 27 and 28.

Examinations for county papers will be held on February 14, 15 and 16. Examinations for state papers will be held on February 14, 15, 16 and 17.

Teachers with pupils who expect to take examinations in February must report. Persons who haven't necessary papers and expect to teach this coming spring should be sure to come up for examination in February as no beginner will be allowed special examination except in cases of absolute necessity and others whose permits expire will not be allowed to take special examination for renewal except in cases of absolute necessity. See page 22 Oregon School Law.

C. B. DINWIDDIE,  
County Superintendent.

This is the shortest day of the year. The shortest day for the head of the family will be December 26.

### Notice of Meeting Crook County Cattle-men's Association.

Notice is hereby given that the Crook County Cattlemen's Association will hold a special meeting at Prineville, Saturday Dec. 30. All members are requested to be here without fail as important business is to be transacted. S. C. Bartrum, forest supervisor of Roseburg, will be here to allot range in the Cascade reserve. Meeting called at 10 a. m. sharp.  
C. C. DUSHAM, Secy.

### Notice to Stockmen.

There will be a meeting of the Crook County Stockmen's Association at the Courthouse in Prineville December 30, at which time Forest Supervisor S. C. Bartrum of the southern division Cascade Forest Reserve will be present and attend to the allotting of ranges for the coming year, and other important business. Meeting will be called in the circuit courtroom at 2 o'clock p. m. All members are requested to be present. Signed by T. H. LAPOLETTE, President.  
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**D. P. Adamson & Co.**  
Hand Painted China  
HOLIDAY GOODS  
Prineville, Oregon

### Lost-Information Wanted.

Information is wanted concerning the whereabouts of one Harmon S. Ensey, who is about 35 years old, 5 1/2 feet in height, weight about 160 pounds, has dark hair, sandy mustache, small twinkling eyes, deep sunken in his head. When last seen he wore a black soft hat, dark wool coat, overalls and heavy shoes. He was last seen driving a four horse team from The Dalles, Oregon, about November 15, 1904. His team consisted of one bay horse with star in forehead, one bay mare, with small stripe in face, one horse, weight over 1200 pounds. The leaders were a saddle and a small black mare brand not known. His wagon was Studebaker make 35 inch axle, with sideboards, extension bed, wagon boys, and was covered with canvas and had the name "Huddleson & Johnson, Cambridge, Idaho," painted on the sideboard. His wagon was loaded with bedstead, chairs, washing machine, bedding, pictures, canned fruit, one iron's saddle, one woman's saddle, two tables and other merchandise and a small tin box or safe in which he kept valuable papers. Anyone giving information concerning the whereabouts of this man or the location of the said animals or property will be liberally rewarded. Address all communications to Lot L. Feltham, Weiser, Idaho. 39p1.

**O'Neil Bakery**  
In the Miller Building  
Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes  
always on hand.  
Pastry of all kinds made to order.  
PRINEVILLE, - OREGON

### Taken Up.

Jersey heifer, 2 year old. Branded three quarter circle on right hip. Swallow fork right ear. Owner can have same by paying expenses.  
Oscar Cox, Lamonta, Ore.

## JUST RECEIVED

A CARLOAD

## Superior Grain Drills

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

## Oliver Gang, Sulky and Walking Plows

We have the new No. 5 Oliver Gang in two and three base. This is the best and lightest running gang plow ever put on the market. The frame can be adjusted so each base will cut 16, 14 or 12 inches, which combines three different size gang plows in one frame. Should you lose a horse, or if the ground gets dry and hard, you can reduce the size of your plow to suit the conditions and go ahead without losing one hour's time. THIS SAVING IN TIME MEANS MONEY TO YOU!

All Sizes and Styles of Oliver Walking Plows on Hand

Our Stock of Grain Drills, Plows and Extras is the largest in Central Oregon.

We Can Fill Your Wants

## W. F. King

## CHRISTMAS IS COMING

and you are beginning to wonder what you are going to give that sweetheart or other loved one as a token of your regard. Just arrived--a large line of

### HOLIDAY GOODS

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

### Hand Painted Shells Free With Purchases

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

## RIDEOUT & FOSTER

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

To get your holiday gift of your own selection--a chance to save 16 and 2-3 per cent on your purchases and to get clean new goods at a low cash price

REMEMBER THIS SALE CLOSING DECEMBER 30

## C. W. ELKINS

CALL AND SEE MY NEW GROCERY AND HARDWARE DEPARTMENTS