

LOCAL MENTION

W. E. Ekins left yesterday for Portland on a business trip.

J. H. Horney was in the city from Culver during the past week.

O. H. Collier, of Culver, was transacting business in town Wednesday.

George Roelmann was in town on a business trip from Culver the last of the week.

Hugh Lister was in from his ranch at Paulina to spend the holidays with his family.

Arthur Wurzwiler left Wednesday for a few weeks visit with relatives and friends at Joseph.

M. L. Loucks, of Madras, was in the city yesterday and today to attend the January term of the county court.

John E. Ryan was in town Saturday on his way to his Deschutes ranch from a business trip to The Dalles.

J. H. Crooks began his term as city marshal Monday.

J. S. McMen was in town from his Haystack ranch yesterday.

A. P. Dawson was in town from Gitzely yesterday on a business trip.

B. F. Zell and wife were in town during the week from their Bear creek ranch.

E. B. Knox was down from Post Saturday to attend the meeting of the county's stockmen.

John McLeod and Sam Shepard were in from their Powell Buttes ranches yesterday on a business trip.

Miss Eunice Garfield, who has been the guest of Miss Una Stewart, left for her home in Portland last Saturday.

E. H. Sparks was over from Sisters Saturday to get a range allotment for the Black Butte Land & Livestock company.

Have you read the latest? Read Rideout & Foster's sale ad. It may mean money to you.

Postal Inspector Leach spent a couple of days in the city the first of the week. He and postmaster Summers made a round trip to Howard Monday to look over postal matters there.

Wm. Wurzwiler and two sons, Nate and Earl left Wednesday for Portland. Mr. Wurzwiler goes to attend to business while Nate and Earl will resume their studies at Hill Military Academy.

Rideout & Foster did a splendid holiday business and they are going after the trade in winter goods in the right manner by offering values that should appeal to all economical buyers.

S. P. Conroy, manager of the Madras Milling & Mercantile Company, was in the city yesterday to establish an agency for Madras flour. C. A. Glover is to have the exclusive handling of the new brand in this vicinity.

The Baptist church will begin revival meetings next Sunday. Rev. W. S. Cook will assist the church and pastor. He will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday, and Rev. J. T. Moore will preach at the same hour at the Claypool school house, Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. and Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Services during the coming week each evening at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited.

Father Hickey Here.

Rev. Father Hickey is making his Xmas-New Year's visitation of his large parish and is in Prineville today. He will hold divine services here tomorrow morning before leaving for Bend where he will officiate next Sunday. Father Hickey is anxious that all the Catholics of the surrounding country attend and consult with him on the advisability of erecting a little church in this section. He will baptize, celebrate mass and give all an opportunity to make their Christmas duty and he hopes and expects that all his people will avail themselves of this favorable opportunity.

The public and High schools opened again Tuesday after being closed for a week during the holidays.

Ralph Porfily was down from his Crooked river ranch the last of the week to get a grazing permit from the forest supervisor.

Miss Florence McCann was in the city yesterday on her way to her home at Bend. She has been spending the past two weeks visiting friends at Antelope.

Economy is the jubilant expenditure of money. That is why it will be economy for you to take advantage of Rideout & Foster's sale of winter goods.

WANTED—Pastry cook: One who makes a specialty of sugar cookies for shipment. Address H. T. This office in your own handwriting.

County court convened yesterday for its regular January session. The term this month will be a busy one as there is much business to be passed upon.

Andrew Morrow was up from Grizzly to attend the annual meeting of the Stock Growers' association which was held at the court house last Saturday.

A large number of people were in attendance at the dance given Monday evening at the residence of F. B. Bayant Powell Buttes. An enjoyable evening was spent by all who attended.

Presbyterian services will be held next Sunday at 11:15 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject for the morning sermon: "Christ's Only Writing." Evening theme: "How Christ and the World Look at Sin and the Sinner." Christian Endeavor will be held at 7 o'clock.

Congressman Williamson and Dr. Van Gessner are "at home" to their friends and acquaintances at their new residence opposite the High school. Things of wondrous and phantasmagorical culinary nature are said to be prevalent on the premises.

Arthur Clothier, of the Massachusetts Mutual returned Monday evening from a business trip to Portland. Mr. Clothier has nearly recovered from the injury to his ankle which was broken in a runaway accident several months ago.

Rev. W. P. Jimmet left on Monday's stage for Penawawa, Wash., to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. C. C. Smith, who died Dec. 29 at Phoenix, Ariz., of consumption. The body has been sent back to the Washington home where the interment takes place.

Ruth King was born in Preston, Cal., October 22, 1883 and was in her thirteenth year at the time of her death. The greater part of her life had been spent in this city where her sunny disposition and lovable character drew around her a host of warm friends and playmates.

The funeral services were conducted at the home Saturday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. Mitchell and Jimmet. Interment took place in the Masonic cemetery.

Musical Instruments

All kinds, in styles that are up to date and prices that are right. Come in and see them.

D. P. Adamson & Co.

Forest Supervisor S. C. Bartum, who has charge of the southern division of the Cascade reserve, left Monday noon for his home in Roseburg after completing the work of allotting grazing lands to Crook county stockmen.

Ed Crabtree and N. P. Wieder returned the last of the week from Lookout mountain where they went to look after the work being done on the Parquar McRea mining claim. The last of the year's assessment work on the Bernola property is also being completed.

Members of both departments of the Prineville Fire company will work faithfully in the interests of the Firemen's Masquerade Ball which is to be given in Athletic hall the evening of February 21. Last year the annual dance was highly successful and no pains will be spared on the event next month.

Geo. F. Holland, of the Western Historical Publishing company of Spokane, has been in the city this week delivering the volume, "The History of Central Oregon," a work upon which several men from the company were at work during last summer and the summer a year ago. The volume is a large one, containing 1100 pages outside of the illustrations and half tones, and is the most complete and in fact the only volume of its kind which has been compiled.

Most of the ice houses in the city are filled with their next season's supply of coldness, a rather unusual circumstance for this time of year. The recent cold spell has frozen the ice ponds several inches deep and cutting is being carried on as rapidly as possible in order to keep ahead of a chinook. John Geiger this week finished putting up 425 tons of ice which he says is much better than the usual supply. The work has been completed this year several weeks earlier than it was last season.

Chester Starr has resigned his position with the firm of Williamson & Gesner, in whose employ he has been for the past five years. During the past year he has had charge of the firm's Crooked river ranch. Mr. Starr has purchased the Charles Wilson residence in the High school block and will move into the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Vandeventer came over from Bend Saturday and were here until the first of the week visiting with friends. Mr. Vandeventer's ranch at Lava is soon to be the camping grounds of the railroad surveyors at work in the Deschutes valley.

The city council met last Monday. The new aldermen, O. N. Clifton, D. P. Adamson and Walter O'Neill, were sworn into office and other routine business transacted. The mayor in his annual message to the council recommended the building of betek dues in all residences and business blocks in the city. The committee on streets and improvements will consider the recommendations made and it is probable that an ordinance which will come up for action at the next regular meeting.

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Real Estate Transfers.

Levi Tillotson to H. S. Cram, Third Interest Black Bear mining claim. Lookout mountain.

F. T. Higgins to Mrs. A. C. Jordan, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 16 Tp 18 S R 17 E.

Archie Mason and wife to Jas. A. Messinger, Lots 12 1-2-16 Blk 12 Palmain \$3900.

Madras Townsite Co. to Matthew Lonsberry, Lot 12 Blk 33 Palmain \$150.

Peter Aplanalp and wife to Chas. S. Russell, E 1/2 SW 1/4 W 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 27 Tp 16 S R 12 E. \$1000.

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No better indication of the growth and rapid settlement of Crook county can be found than in the real estate transfers which, every week, show Crook county land passing into the possession of outsiders. Part of this is agricultural tracts, part city property and part timber land. Some of course is being purchased by county residents. In fact a great deal of it is changing ownership locally, but a large bulk of the transfers show that outside residents are acquiring holdings in this section. Government land is rapidly becoming a thing of the past, and with this change in conditions values are constantly rising.

THE LATEST

In card games are to found at Adamson's. We have

Block Panic
Stage Finch
Sherlock Holmes
Trolley, Etc., Etc.

Mail Order Answered Promptly

D. P. Adamson & Co.

Miss Utah Wright was the successful contestant for the large doll which Rideout & Foster offered as a premium to the one securing the largest number of votes. Miss Violet Lister was second and Miss Edith King received the third largest vote, and Lois Belknap fourth. The total vote cast was 2965 as follows: Utah Wright, 418; Violet Lister, 397; Edith King, 343; Lois Belknap, 327.

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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

VALENTINE BALL

Given by the Prineville Base Ball Club

ATHLETIC HALL

St. Valentine's Day, Wednesday, February 14, 1905

Supper at The O'Neil Restaurant

The Best Music and Floor Managers will be had

TICKETS \$1.00

Don't Get Cold Feet

But take advantage of this sale on Rubber Foot Wear and Underwear. We do not intend to hold over any of these goods, and will, while they are in season, offer them at prices that will move them quick. Every piece guaranteed to be this year's goods, and the rubber goods of the known Goodyear brand

How Are These Prices?

Men's one buckle Over Shoes	regular price \$1.75	\$1.35
" four " " " " "	3.00	2.25
" combination felts and rubbers, a snap at		2.50
" " " " " " (2 buckle)		2.90
Ladies' one buckle Over Shoes		95
" high top " " " "		1.50
Misses' " " " " " "		1.25
" one buckle " " " "		80
Children's one buckl Over Shoes		60

All Other Rubber Goods, German Sox, etc., at Proportionally Low Prices

Lay in a stock of Winter Underwear to last you over next winter. It will pay you at these prices

Men's heaviest fleece lined underwear regularly sold at \$1.50 a suit at	\$.95
Men's heavy all wool underwear. Regular \$2.50 value at	1.90
Ladies' fleece lined underwear, winter weight	50 cents a suit
Ladies' heaviest fleece lined underwear. Regular \$1.50 value at \$1.00 per suit	
Ladies' all wool Cashmere Underwear. Regular \$2.50 value at \$1.90 per suit	

Also a Great Reduction in Winter Hosiery, such as Ladies' Regular Fleece lined Hose at 20 cents per pair

Ladies' House Slippers at 25 per cent off

Ladies' and Children's Golf Gloves and Mittens at reduced prices

THESE PRICES GOOD UNTIL FEBRUARY 5th

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The General Furnishing Store

Western Lady Shoes

embody the latest and most approved styles for women. They are so perfectly designed that they fit every curve of the foot gracefully and with ease and comfort. Nothing better made no matter what you pay. Ask your dealer for Mayer

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Shoes next time you need shoes and get the best wearing, dressiest and most comfortable shoes you ever wore. Any reliable shoe dealer will supply you. If not, write to us. Look for the Mayer trade-mark on the sole. We also make the "Martha Washington" Comfort shoes.

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