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## McHargue's Candy Kitchen

SPECIALTIES:

### LOG CABIN CREAMS, TURKISH NUGGETS

And a fine line of pure and home made candies on sale at  
The Pioneer Cash Store, Antelope  
Martin's Confectionery Store, Palmyra  
Fields Cash Store, Shaniko  
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Shipments of fresh made candies are made to the above named merchants  
each week—nothing but fresh candies. Money back if not as represented.  
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First-Class Meals & Beds

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Pres.: J. W. French, H. A. Moore, Vice  
Pres.: F. T. Hurlburt, Cashier.

Capital Stock, \$25,000. Deposits, \$200,000

EXCHANGE BOUGHT AND SOLD.

SALES ON ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

Agents:—J. W. French, H. A. Moore, F. T.  
Hurlburt, W. Lord, A. E. Hammond, J. H. Coe.

Go to the

Andy Allen

Feed Yard

When in THE DALLES

BEST ATTENTION GIVEN STOCK.

Third Street, near the Diamond Mills.

THE DALLES, OREGON

#### WINTER ON THE RANGE.

BY RICHARD BAIRD, OF AGENCY PLAINS.

How would you like to be a horse  
With mane and flowin' tail,  
A'pawin' down to find some grass  
But all without avail?  
The sn is deep, the wind is keen,  
The pony's master's dead;  
Or maybe he's just sleepin'  
In his soft and cozy bed.  
Oh! Why in pity don't he come  
And take that pony in?  
It seems to me it isn't right  
But just a dreadful sin  
To leave that dumb and faithful brute  
To suffer in the cold,  
No shelter, and no hay or oats;  
No wonder he looks old,  
I think maybe there'll come a time  
When somebody I know  
Will wish he hadn't been so cruel  
As treat that pony so.

#### ANTELOPE'S METHODS.

Fred Martin returned on Monday  
afternoon from the Agency Plains  
country, where he and Ralph Brown  
circulated for signatures a petition  
for the creation of Jefferson county. They  
secured about ninety signers, among  
them the most prominent residents of  
that section of Crook, which is ample  
proof of the popularity of the new  
county move in that section of the  
country. Mr. Martin says that had  
they not been pressed for time, a number  
of other signatures could have been  
obtained.—Antelope Herald.

Well done, Antelope, well done, but  
you seem rather modest about telling  
an eager public of the methods em-  
ployed in securing these signatures.

In consideration of your great re-  
luctance for self-praise, The Pioneer  
will condescend to give the public a  
little light on your perseverance and  
integrity. Nor shall we neglect to  
mention the course pursued in this  
great (?) event so that your deeds may  
be writ indelibly on the sands of time  
and acknowledged in the halls of fame.

The petition circulated by your  
emissaries among Agency Plains  
farmers was verbally defined as fol-  
lows: That the temporary county seat  
would be at Antelope, but that she  
had no men eligible to fill the county  
offices (??); that Antelope did not  
really desire the permanent county  
seat, and that she would offer no re-  
sistance if Madras were later to desire  
the county seat. Without consider-  
ing the negative, a large number of  
farmers were induced to sign that mis-  
leading document.

The ninety signatures of which  
Antelope boasts are not "ample proof"  
of the popularity of the new county  
move in that (Madras) section of the  
country.

The canvass made later by Madras  
parties on the Plains disproves that  
statement. About thirty of the men  
who signed the Antelope petition  
signed the remonstrance and also  
signed affidavits to the effect that they  
signed the Antelope petition only be-  
cause the real object of that petition  
had been misrepresented to them.  
Nearly all of these ninety men signed  
the remonstrance when informed of  
the underhanded object of Antelope's  
scheme, and one hundred more signed  
the remonstrance who had not signed  
the former, so that we have 190 sig-  
natures against the division.

As Antelope's signatures have nearly  
all been annulled, there remains a  
majority of nearly 190 signatures  
against a county division at this time.  
Does Antelope's insignificant minor-  
ity express "ample proof" of the popu-  
larity of the new county move at  
Madras?

#### HOOD RIVER A PROSPEROUS TOWN.

Hood river, far famed in recent  
years for its fine variety of straw-  
berries, is a growing, prosperous town.  
Her population has increased with her  
reputation, and this fair town has  
shown unusual strength in her effort  
to secure the creation of a new county.

She has one of the best newspapers  
of any town in Oregon, considering  
her age and size. The Hood River  
Glacier of January 19 announces that  
it has just installed a modern Simplex  
typesetting machine, which will ex-  
pedite the mechanical work consid-  
erably. Of the country newspapers  
which reaches this office the Glacier  
is second to none, and we congratulate  
its proprietors for this latest improve-  
ment.

It is not to be wondered at that The  
Dalles is opposed to the cutting off of  
Hood River into a new county. The  
Dalles would rather lose the Antelope-  
Shaniko spur, which has always been  
a burden to it, than lose this rich fruit  
country.

Now is the time to plant fruit and  
shade trees. The Dalles Nurseries  
(see ad in another column) handle  
nothing but home grown trees, which  
are fully guaranteed to be as repre-  
sented. Get their prices before buy-  
ing elsewhere. By leaving your orders  
at The Pioneer office they will receive  
prompt attention. Call and get a  
price list.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Theodore Rieger's new house has  
been completed.

Archie Mason made a business trip  
to Portland Friday.

James Kaas has built a 15-foot flue  
for McTaggart & By.

Loucks Bros. have just opened a  
splendid assortment of furniture.

Mrs. Lena Lamb has received the  
first shipment of groceries for her new  
store.

Sam Compton, the Grizzly saw mill  
man, was in town a couple of days  
last week.

J. H. Horney, a well known Hay-  
stack rancher, paid this office a call  
recently.

Mansell Wheeler, one of Grizzly's  
pioneers, was a business visitor in  
Madras Saturday.

Subscribe for The Pioneer and keep  
posted on all the news pertaining to  
Madras and vicinity.

Fred Phillips, of Madras, commenced  
driving the mail stage between Grizzly  
and Warm Spring Monday.

F. A. Blondin, the Shaniko barber,  
has bought half a lot from Fred Davis,  
with the intention of locating here.

The Strasser boys are determined to  
get water and will dig further down  
in the 60-foot hole which they dug last  
year.

C. E. Loveall, purchasing agent for  
Des Chutes Irrigation and Power Co.,  
at Bend, passed through Madras from  
Shaniko Friday.

N. P. Poulson is putting in spare  
time at making a large reservoir on  
his homestead, which is to hold 130  
barrels of water.

William Gomer, one of Culver's  
most prosperous wheat ranchers, was  
in town recently and paid The Pioneer  
office a call.

Morrow & Keenan have been haul-  
ing posts for a week past, which are to  
be used in fencing their school section  
between Round Butte and Madras.

Found—A pair of new overalls at  
the top of new grade north of Madras.  
Owner can have same by calling at  
this office and paying for this notice.

Henry Bachmann, of Dayton, Wash.,  
was looking for a homestead location  
at Round Butte this week. He in-  
tends to come across the country with  
his team sometime in February.

M. C. Mason, a Madras school di-  
rector, assisted Prof. Fulton in the  
eighth grade examinations last week,  
having been substituted for County  
Superintendent C. B. Dinwiddie.

J. T. Leeds, who came direct from  
Boston to Madras early last fall, has  
bought a lot here and is now building  
a small cabin, with the intention of  
building a substantial residence later.

Joe Montgomery was down from  
Grizzly visiting L. H. Hamilton re-  
cently. The new county road between  
W. E. Willis' and Mr. Hamilton's is in  
very good condition for traveling at  
the present time.

W. E. Willis, of Grizzly, feels rather  
depressed at the loss of a fine suit of  
clothes and a pair of shoes, which he  
found missing a few days ago. He is  
the happy owner of a new phono-  
graph.

Little Robert Henske is said to be  
improving rapidly from the injuries  
received in a barb wire fence last week.  
Rev. Traglio has been in constant at-  
tendance and proved himself efficient  
at nursing as well as preaching.

Prof. Fulton took a day off last Sat-  
urday and hunted jack rabbits. The  
daily routine of school work is strenu-  
ous indeed, and a little recreation is a  
necessity which professional men  
should not overlook.

Messrs. McElroy & Son, who have  
been employed by F. J. Brooks for  
several months; will establish a black-  
smith shop of their own at once, part  
of the lumber being on the ground.  
The dimensions will be 24x50.

William McMeekin, of Grizzly, spent  
several days in town visiting old ac-  
quaintances. He is a pioneer in Cen-  
tral Oregon and had charge of a saw  
mill at Mawry Mountain, 40 miles east  
of Prineville, last summer. It is his  
intention to establish a lumber and  
shingle mill this season at his place,  
two miles east of Grizzly.

The Oregonian is very much worried  
because the name Jefferson was sug-  
gested for the proposed new county.  
It would have it called Nesmith in-  
stead. The new county may not be  
created at present. But when it is we  
shall be content with Jefferson. Who,  
in fact, knows anything about that  
"great" (!) Nesmith, for whom the  
Oregonian would name a county?  
Most people in our own State have  
never heard of Nesmith, and the out-  
side world does not even know the  
name of the Oregonian's pet.

## Special Cut Price Sale

AT THE

## Pioneer Cash Store

FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY

In order to give us more room for the new stock now coming in, and to  
enable us to take care of our fast growing business, we are going to in-  
augurate a cash Clearance Sale for the next two weeks. The following  
few articles will give you an idea of the prices that will prevail:

Ladies' Kid Gauntlet Gloves, in dark and light colors, just the thing for riding and  
driving..... Reduced from \$1.25 to **\$1.00**

Ladies' Knit Underskirts..... Reduced from 85c to **.70**

Ladies' Black Kid Gloves..... Reduced from \$1.50 to **\$1.00**

Boys' Kid Gloves..... Reduced from 50c to **.35**

Men's Working Shirts..... Reduced from \$1.00 to **.85**

#### In the Grocery Department

Tomatoes..... 2 cans for 25c  
Peas and Beans..... 25c per can  
Corn..... 15c per can  
Blackberries, Strawberries, Peaches, Apricots,  
Cherries, Apples and Pears..... 25c per can  
Bulk Raisins..... 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c  
Tapioca..... 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c  
Pearl Barley..... 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c  
Sago..... 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c

#### Perfumes, Soaps and Toilet Articles

Quinine Hair Tonic..... 25 and 35c bottle  
Toilet Glycerine for chapped hands..... 30c  
Violet Toilet Water..... 60c bottle  
Elysian Perfumes, all odors..... 40c oz

#### Toilet Soaps

Medicated Skin Soaps..... 10c cake, 3 for 25c  
Balsam Toilet Soap..... 10c cake, 3 for 25c  
Oil of Dandelion Skin Soap..... 10c cake, 3 for 25c

For the balance of the month of January we offer 1/4 off on all Ladies' and  
Men's Underwear. Also 1/4 off on all Children's Wool Hosiery.

Come and see our Bargains. We are sure goods and prices  
will please you.

## T. J. Malloy & Co.

Main Street, - - - Madras, Oregon.

Reserved for

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