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McHargue's Candy Kitchen

SPECIALTIES:

DOG CABIN CREAMS, TURKISH NUGGETS

And a fine line of pure and home made candies on sale at
The Pioneer Cash Store
Madras
Mardia's Confectionery Store
Antelope
Purdy's Cash Store
Prineville
Edwards C. Pease and Dr. Perkins
Shaniko
Shipments of fresh made candies are made to the above named merchants
each week—nothing but fresh candies. Money back if not as represented.
Wholesale price on application.

J. L. McHARGUE, Prop.,
Shaniko, Ore.

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WILSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
and NOTARY PUBLIC
MADRAS, OREGON

BROWNHILL
ATTORNEY AT LAW
and NOTARY PUBLIC
in all the Courts of the State, also
Real and General Land Office.
MADRAS, OREGON.

EVANT & ESSON
DENTISTS
Over French & Co.'s Block.
MADRAS, OREGON

ANDERS, D. D. S.
DENTIST
in Block THE DALLES, OREGON
Long Distance Phone 841.

OLD CLARKE
DENTIST
of Dental Work at reasonable prices.
PRINEVILLE, OREGON

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in Drug Store.
MADRAS, OREGON

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REAR
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MADRAS, OREGON

tel Shaniko
JAMES McHARGUE, Prop.
Only One Price
Class Meals & Beds
All White Help
MADRAS, OREGON

OREGON BANKING CO.
SHANIKO, OREGON
W. French, Pres.; H. A. Moore, Vice
Pres.; F. T. Hurlburt, Cashier.
Capital Stock, \$25,000. Deposits, \$250,000
EXCHANGE BOUGHT AND SOLD.
ON ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

W. French, H. A. Moore, F. T. Hurlburt, J. H. Coe.
Go to the
Allen
Feed Yard
When in THE DALLES
ATTENTION GIVEN STOCK.
Street near the Diamond Mills.
MADRAS, OREGON

BAKED APPLE DUMPLINGS.

Peel and core as many apples
As your appetite may wish.
Six or eight—perhaps a dozen—
That would be a generous dish.
Make a dough-like cracker biscuit.
Roll it thin—with skill and care.
Place an apple lightly on it—
Take your knife and cut it square—
Large enough to fold your fruit in.
Then within the vacant place
Of the core, a bit of butter,
Cinnamon and sugar place.
Draw your square up well together,
Pinch it gently on the top,
So your dough will be protected.
Lest the cooking juices pop.
When your apples are all covered,
Take a fork and prick them through.
Twill prove better in the baking—
Half a dozen times will do.
Bake them slowly, and, while cooking,
Take a sugar, just a cup,
And a modest lump of butter—
And with light hand cream them up.
Adding extract, and your hard sauce
Set on ice, to harden more:
Lift your apples from the oven,
And your labors will be o'er,
Serve them hot—the sauce adds flavor,
And each dumpling, firm and brown,
Is a practical achievement—
Add a jewel to your crown.

MADRAS.

The name Madras is by no means a new one. Well do some of us remember the quaint stories about the crocodiles which we read when children. In those days we used to put the accent on the second syllable, thus: Ma-dras. Nowadays, though wrong, we have become accustomed to putting the accent on the first syllable, making it Mad-ras. The famous city from which our town has derived its name is the third city in India, capital of the presidency of the same name; situated on the Bay of Bengal, along the shores of which it extends for ten miles. The city, which has an area of 27 square miles, is built on a sandy plain only a few feet above the sea level, and the drainage is consequently bad. It consists of Fort St. George (the first British possession in India) and of twenty-three villages, which have grown together into one municipality. The streets are macadamized, but the street lighting, sewerage, means of transit, etc., are so poor that the city is often nick-named "The Benighted." The water supply is obtained from wells and the Red Hill tanks or reservoirs. The Cooum river, which traverses the center of the city, is little better than an open sewer, the mouth of which is silted up from the sea for a large part of the year. A similarly sluggish stream, the Adyar, flows across the city on the south. In the center of the town, but immediately on the sea, stands Fort St. George, which, besides the barracks for the British troops and other military institutions, contains the council house, in front of which stands the marble statue of Lord Cornwallis, the arsenal, St. Mary's Church (more than 100 years old), and other public buildings. Other buildings are the High Court; the light house, 128 feet high and visible 20 miles; the Madras club, the observatory and the hospital. The numerous residences of the European officials, civil and military, are generally palatial structures. Parks and gardens usually surround the houses and contribute much to the beauty of the city.

Madras is progressing industrially and has several large cotton mills, tanneries and an ice factory. It has several canals, the most important of which is the Buckingham, extending northward for 196 miles, and is an important railway center. Though destitute of any natural harbor, and thus unfavorably situated for commerce, Madras is in direct steam communication with Europe and the principal parts of the East. It exports hides, spices, tea, coffee, indigo, cotton and salt-peter; and imports cotton goods, canned goods, liquors, metals and horses. Recently a commodious artificial harbor has been constructed at great expense, and vessels are now comparatively well sheltered from the terrible hurricanes to which they were formerly exposed in the open roadstead, and passengers are no longer landed through the surf on catamarans and the native mas-salah boats, consisting of planks bound together with string.

In calm weather the surf breaks about 300 feet from the shore, with waves 3 feet high, while in stormy weather the break is 1,000 feet from the shore and the height of the waves is 15 feet. The heat is great but comparatively dry, and an invigorating sea breeze, called "the doctor," blows the greater part of the year from about noon to sunset. Madras was founded in 1639 by Francis Day, of the East India Company, who obtained a grant of land from the Rajah of Chaudragiri in that year, and was made a presidency in 1663. The fort has often been attacked—in 1702 and 1741 by the natives. In

1746 it was captured by the French, but restored two years later, and in 1759 it was unsuccessfully besieged by them. In 1833 it was swept by a great fire which consumed 1,000 houses, and it suffered greatly in the great hurricane of 1872.

Its population is over half a million. It is very gratifying to us who are residents of the new town of Madras, Oregon, that this town was so named. The name and its orthography is a practical one for all modern languages. The German, the Frenchman, the Swede; and, in fact, all Continental races, can speak and spell the word without straining in the least their lingual ability. Again, there is no other town of the same name in any State of the Union; consequently there can be no confusion of mail. These are some of the reasons why the Post-office Department accepted the name Madras and rejected the former name, Palmain.

LOCAL NEWS.

Joe Marnach is plowing with a gang plow.

Dr. W. H. Spook was at Shaniko Saturday.

Clarence and Irene Malloy are among the sick ones.

Gus Zemke is ill at his home north of Methodist Hill.

Plowing is now the order of the day among the farmers.

Forty-six thousand dollars are deposited in Bend's new bank.

F. F. Fisch, of Opal Prairie, paid this office a call recently.

Louie Voltraz brought a band of cattle from Grizzly Saturday.

Jesse Martin, of Opal Prairie, is the first man to put in this spring's crop.

S. L. Willis has quit the bar at Loucks Bros. and is now at work on his own building.

Ed Campbell and Frank Elkins have bought a bunch of cattle from John Palmehn.

Wm. A. Gritton and Roy Larsen brought A. J. Hennemann's furniture from Shaniko this week.

Rev. E. J. Traglio went to Prineville Tuesday to assist Rev. Jenet in revival meetings in the M. E. Church.

Henry Sachs is again working for Loucks Bros., having succeeded S. L. Willis, resigned.

Joel C. Rich is putting a fence around his homestead five miles southwest of Madras.

O. G. Oglevie, a traveling farm implement agent, spent a couple of days among Madras merchants this week.

A. C. Sanford, the well known Shaniko merchant, who has property in Madras, passed through here recently.

James Magness and Mrs. Max Wilson drove to Prineville Sunday to visit Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. John Cyrus.

Archie Mason has several men at work excavating for a large cellar, which will be under his proposed hotel.

McElroy & Son, who are building a new blacksmith shop in Madras, intend to do the public a good service by putting up a wind mill and watering trough for free use.

Madras boys won't need to be anxious about a raise in the marriage license fee at present. The feminine gender is too scarce here to affect anybody's pocketbook.

Not all the sheep-shooters are in Crook county. There is something doing in Lake county, too. Only the other day a sheep herder was shot at three times by an unseen foe.

L. H. Cochlin, brother of Mrs. T. J. Malloy, who spent three months in Madras this winter, has gone to his old home in Alberta. Mr. Cochlin hopes to return within two months.

S. P. Conroy has cleared all the sage brush from the mill site to get the ground in readiness for building the mill, for which the lumber is to be hauled as soon as the roads are passable.

J. W. Jackson and Max Wilson have given the Palmehn building a beautiful interior and exterior finish. It is all glass finish. The shelving is finished in gloss white. This makes it one of the neatest buildings in the county.

Don P. Rea, formerly of Portland, now of Madras, Ore., is in the city to remain several weeks. Mr. Rea is very popular, and it is probable that several parties will be given in his honor during his stay in Portland.—Portland Telegram.

Measles seem to have this community. The young, old, tall, small, rich and poor are having them and those that have not got them are liable to have them. So you don't need to be surprised at the condition of the Recorder this week.—Kent Recorder.

CELILLO CANAL.

The news that the Government has at last made an appropriation for the opening of the Dalles-Celilo canal will be appreciated by every Oregonian. Our own representative, J. N. Williamson, has played no small part in convincing the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the benefit this canal would be to Inland Empire commerce. It is the strongest measure that has as yet been adopted toward developing Central and Eastern Oregon. \$20,000 is the amount of the appropriation, which is to be spent this year. The entire amount to be expended is \$3,800,000.

A bill has again been introduced in Congress for importation of wool without duty. A representative of the Connecticut mill districts is the author—as might be expected. It is in the usual form of an amendment to the Dingley act, and provides that the amendment shall be effective 90 days after its final passage.

ELKINS & KING DISSOLVE.

W. F. King purchased the interest of C. M. Elkins last Tuesday in the well known firm of Elkins & King, and in the future will conduct the business himself. The closing of the sale marks the dissolution of one of the oldest and the largest hardware firms in the county, and was brought about in the most part by the condition of Mr. Elkins' health, which has been poorly for some time past. It was in the hopes of regaining his naturally robust constitution that he stepped down and out of the business of which he has been the head for many years.—Prineville Journal.

The Bend Telephone Company is making arrangements to extend the Prineville-Bend telephone line from Bend to Silver Lake. W. E. Guerin, Jr., president of the above named telephone company, will make a trip soon to Lake county to ascertain what inducements the people in that locality will make toward extending the line.

New Goods! New Goods! New Goods!

No end to the New Goods at the Pioneer Cash Store. Every freighter to or through Madras has something for this store. Inventory sale for the balance of this week. You will find prices right on everything. Come and see us.

T. J. Malloy & Co.

Main Street, - - - Madras, Oregon.

Reserved for

The Madras Milling and Mercantile Company