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THURSDAY Nov. 30, 1905

## THE NEW FEDERAL JUDGE.

Judge Charles E. Wolverton, who was appointed to the federal bench for the District of Oregon, to succeed the late Judge C. B. Bellinger, was President Roosevelt's choice for the high position, although several other prominent jurists of the state were urged by their friends for the appointment. Judge Wolverton indorsed Judge Bean for the position, he and Judge Bean being associated together on the Supreme bench of the state, and he had not himself at any time been an open or active candidate for the appointment.

Judge Wolverton is a pioneer of Oregon, having come to this state from Iowa when he was but two years old, which was in 1853, he being now 54 years old. He is described as being tall, his hair almost white, and his stately and dignified bearing give him the appearance of greater age.

At the time of his appointment Judge Wolverton was in Portland attending the sessions of the State Bar Association. The high judicial position of United States District Judge for the District of Oregon, is one of the highest honors which can be conferred upon a member of the bar in the line of his profession. The federal judgeship is a lifetime appointment, and carries with it a salary of \$6000 per annum. Judge Wolverton has been for 11 years a member of the Supreme Court of Oregon, having been elected to that office in 1894.

The mail service in many parts of the county is severely criticised for its inadequacy, and the inspector of mail routes has his hands full every time he comes to Crook. The most crying need for Prineville just now is a service direct to Lamonta. This point is only a few miles away, yet it takes from two to three days to get a letter there, as it has to go via Heisler and Madras. — Prineville Review.

There are many changes desired in the mail service in this county, but the "crying need" of more direct service between Prineville and Lamonta is one that probably exists only in Brother Kennedy's imagination. The Lamonta postoffice was never served via Heisler and Madras. Madras was formerly served through the Grizzly office, the Lamonta office being a way-point, but since the establishment of the Heisler-Madras route, the route south of Madras goes only to Culver via Haystack, and Lamonta is still served through Grizzly P. O.

The farmers of this section have been enjoying an ideal Fall, and one that gives a most promising outlook for the next crop, provided the Winter season is accompanied by sufficient rain and snow so that moisture may be stored up for the long, dry Summer season. The Fall has been ideal, because the days have been bright and clear and the ground in fine condition for plowing, and the farmers have had ample opportunity to do a great deal of Fall plowing. In anticipation of a

favorable season and consequent big crops, the farmers of this locality have been putting in every acre they could plow, and next year's crop, if the seasons are at all favorable, will be the largest ever harvested in Crook county, in point of acreage anyway.

It will be of interest to all who travel the Shaniko-Prineville stage road, to know that the last county court of this county took action in regard to building a new road around the McPherson Hill, and that bids for the contract of building the new road are being advertised for. The McPherson Hill is one of the steepest and longest grades on the Prineville road, and it has always been a bugbear to the freighters from the railroad to Prineville. The new grade will follow the creek around the hill, and will avoid the grade altogether. It will be a rather expensive piece of road-building, but taking into consideration the vast improvement in the road and the number of people who will be benefited by the change, the money is well spent. The change should have made years ago.

The county court has awarded the contract for printing the county delinquent tax list, the Bend Bulletin being the successful bidder. The statute provides that no bid exceeding 25 cents per nonpariel line shall be accepted. Last year the Crook County Journal secured the contract at 25 cents per line, no paper outside the county seat having bid for this printing. The Journal put in the same bid this year, but the Bulletin put in a bid of 12 cents per line, which being the lowest the county accepted.

## THE SLAUGHTER SALE

To-day and Saturday will be the last of the public auction sales of the bankrupt Malloy stock of general merchandise, and parties desiring to take advantage of the slaughter prices should not fail to miss these sales. After the auction, the goods remaining unsold will be sold at private sale until everything is closed out. Everything must be sold.

J. M. FOSTER,  
 For Merchants' Protective Assn.

## Big Plains Church Items.

A public Christmas tree will be given at the schoolhouse on the Big Plain, on Christmas night, and a special program is being arranged for the occasion. Every one is invited to come.

Sunday school is held every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the schoolhouse, followed by preaching. A cordial invitation is extended to all who care to attend. — W. J. Branstetter, Sunday School Superintendent.

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AT THE SIGN OF THE MADRAS FEED YARD  
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Hon. Thomas G. Hailey, of Pendleton, has been appointed by Governor Chamberlain to succeed Judge C. E. Wolverton on the Supreme bench of the state of Oregon. Mr. Hailey is a democrat, and his appointment was expected, although there were several other aspirants for the high position. He has been prosecuting attorney of Umatilla and Morrow counties, and mayor of Pendleton, and in both of these official positions opposed the "open" town at Pendleton. He has also been active in industrial movements in Eastern Oregon. Mr. Hailey will hold his present appointment until January, 1907.

## BURTON AGAIN INDICTED

Senator J. R. Burton of Kansas has been again found guilty upon six counts of the indictment charging him with accepting compensation from a St. Louis corporation for services performed before the Postoffice Department while he was a senator of the United States. He was convicted upon the former trial of the charge, but the Supreme Court remanded the case for a new trial. The penalty for the offense is a severe one, the maximum being a fine of \$10,000 and two years imprisonment for each offense, and the convicted forfeiting forever the right to hold any position of trust or profit under the United States Government.

## BIG BOOM AT ONTARIO

A big boom is reported to be in progress at Ontario, as a result of the prospects of that place being the terminus of the O. R. & N. line across Central Oregon, and as a result, real estate in that locality, especially town lots, are changing hands rapidly. It is reported that 200 lots changed hands in one day. It is believed at Ontario that the road from Nafion to that place, across Central Oregon, will be built at once, and the machine shops of the company will then be moved from Huntington to Ontario, in which event the town will immediately become a point of some importance commercially in that section of the state. The townsites of Ontario has been extended in a sort of panhandle along the proposed route of the railroad, and a number of new lots thus created, the new lots finding ready market among the enthusiastic residents of the town. Sheep ranches and cow-corrals are being platted into town lots, and Ontario is enjoying a "railroad boom" that would do credit to one of our Central Oregon towns.

## Grizzly Post Office Store

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Let us tell you; go to Grizzly Post Office Store, and you will find a full line of Hardware, Groceries, all kinds of Canned Goods, Calfies, and good assortment of Men's Furnishings. Also all kinds of Patent Drugs.

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.  
 U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
 November 14, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 9, 1906, viz:

William E. Lipford,  
 of Grizzly, Oregon, on H. E. No. 15,553, for the lot 2, 3, 4 and 5 1/2 sec 20, tp 13 s, r 14 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Charles Wawrinofsky, Harry Keenan, David C. Page and Hugh Gardner, all of Haycreek, Oregon.  
 p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

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E. Julius Tragilo,  
 of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 11,707, for the lots 2, 3, 4 and 5 1/2 sec 20, tp 13 s, r 13 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Fred Loucks, Charles Winters, Joe Barnach and Louis Arensmeyer, all of Madras, Oregon.  
 MICHAEL T. NOLAN,  
 Register.

## Educational Meeting Dec. 2.

10:00 A. M.—Opening song.  
 Relation of the Hollie to the School — R. A. Ford  
 Oregon School Law Compared with the School Law of Eastern States — C. M. Mason  
 Recitation — Miss Maud Kidder  
 Physiology and Hygiene of the Country School — Dr. Long  
 DINNER.

1:30 P. M.—Song.  
 Is Our School Course Crowded?  
 — " " " — P. C. Fulton  
 Benefits to be Derived from a High School Education A. C. Strange  
 Recitation — Floyd Bilyeu  
 Geography, According to the Course of Study Miss Grace Smith

This meeting is for the benefit of parents and patrons of the school as well as teachers, and every one interested in its welfare should attend. Every one is invited to contribute to the basket dinner.

A complete supply of legal blanks for sale including warranty and quit claim deeds, real, chattel and crop mortgages, etc. Justice court blanks and justice court work a specialty.—F. J. Brooks.

## BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

We have the following choice tracts of land for sale in this vicinity:

160 acres of farming land, 15 miles south of Madras. Good house and barn, all fenced; 80 acres now in grain and balance can be cultivated. The crop will be included in the purchase price.

240 acres about 10 miles southwest of Madras, on Little Agency Plains. All plough land; unimproved. Level plateau land, and as good as the best land in this vicinity.

640 acres of land five miles northeast of Madras. All under fence and 550 acres of it good plough land; balance good pasture land.

40 acres of land lying under Columbia Southern ditch; all irrigable.

160 acres of farming land lying 12 miles north of Madras. Has fine spring, upon it, and is all fenced.

800 acres of farming and pasture land, 15 miles north of Madras. Thirty acres can be irrigated and used for fruit ranch or garden spot.

Title to all of above tracts perfected. Abstract furnished if desired. Prices and terms reasonable.

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## MADRAS REALTY CO.

D. P. Rea, or  
 Max Luiddemann,  
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## Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
 November 25, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land States by act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Thomas Veltum,  
 of St. James, county of Wagonwan, state of Minnesota, sworn statement No. 2713, filed October 16, 1905, for the purchase of the nw 1/4 sec 22, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w. m.

Charles H. Crouch,  
 of St. James, county of Wagonwan, state of Minnesota, sworn statement No. 2712, filed October 16, 1905, for the purchase of the ne 1/4 of sec 20, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w. m.

Gertrude Anderson,  
 of St. James, county of Wagonwan, state of Minnesota, sworn statement No. 2714, filed October 17, 1905, for the purchase of the sw 1/4 sec 26, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w. m.

That they will offer proofs to show that the lands sought are more valuable for the timber or stone thereon than for agricultural purposes, to establish their claims to said lands before the Register and Receiver at the land office in The Dalles, Oregon, on February 6, 1906.

They name the following witnesses: Charles H. Crouch, Albert Anderson, Gertrude Anderson and Thomas Veltum, of St. James, Minnesota; Michael O'Connor and William J. Mason, of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any of the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the 6th day of February, 1906.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,  
 Register.

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