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COUNTYSEAT ITEMS

(Crook County Journal.)

Fred J. Gutendorf, who has a ranch near Madras, has accepted a position with A. H. Lippman & Co. until harvest.

G. M. Cornett returned from Shaniko Tuesday. He says if there is to be a change in the present mail service he does not know of it.

W. R. Cook was in town Saturday. Mr. Cook is arranging to close an eight-months term of School at Lamonta, Friday, May 10. There will be exercises appropriate to the occasion consisting of songs, recitations, club-swinging and instrumental music. This will be followed by a basket social.

Many will regret to learn that Arthur Hodges and family will leave some time during May for Boise, Idaho, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Hodges has lived here for 36 years and during this time has been closely identified with the growth of Prineville. He was for 14 years county clerk of Crook county and has witnessed many changes in the development of the country. He has sold his town property to Mark Powell for \$3500. A change of climate was deemed advisable for the health of his family.

Married, at Cross Keys, Wednesday, May 1, Rev. Jinnett officiating, James H. Douthitt and Miss Ida Guyton. The groom is a well known stockman of Crook and Wasco counties, and the bride is a young lady of Kent.—Prineville Review.

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JOHN P. RAMSEY DEAD

John P. Ramsey, father of W. H. Ramsey of Agency Plains, died at his old home in Missouri on March 22, 1907. He left here last Summer, after offering final proof upon his homestead entry on the plains, as it was his desire to spend his last days at his old home, and he realized that the end was drawing near. Mr. Ramsey was quite feeble when he left Madras, and he never regained his strength.

Ed Harbin left the latter part of last week for the Matoles, where he will make a thorough hunt for the body of Rev. Homer M. Street, who was blown into the stream some time ago by a dynamite explosion. No trace of the unfortunate man's remains has been found so far, and Ed needs the \$500 reward offered for the recovery of the body. The task is a grewsome one, but Ed is used to grewsome tasks, and if anyone can find Street's body he can. He expected that a thorough search of the river would take some time, and it is so large that if the body is ever found he expected that it would be largely the result of an accident.—Prineville Review.

Dedicatory exercises at the new church of the Menonite Brethren in Christ, at Opal Prairie, will be held on Sunday, May 19, at which time Presiding Elder H. J. Pontius of Bellingham, Washington, will be here. The new church building has just been completed at a cost of about \$1000. The land upon which the church house is built was donated to the church for that purpose by Frank Hunter. The first services in the new building were held there last Sunday, but the dedication has been postponed to await the arrival of the presiding elder.

TELEPHONE LINE SOLD

The local telephone line between this place and Prineville, known as the Farmers' Line, has been purchased by the Deschutes Telephone Company, of Bend, who took over the property last Thursday. The Farmers' line was built by Jack Summers several years ago, and connects this place, Culver, Haystack, Lamonta and a number of ranches along the route with Prineville.

The Bend company which bought the line now owns considerable line in Crook County. Originally organized for the purpose of building a line between Bend and Prineville, the company's line has gradually been extended until it covers practically all of Western Crook at this time. It has lines to Redmond, Laidlaw and Sisters, and also south of Bend.

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| Daily Pass. | | Daily Pass. |
| Leave | Biggs | 11:50 a.m. Arrive |
| 2:15 p.m. | Gilberts | 11:15 a.m. |
| 2:30 p.m. | Shike | 11:00 a.m. |
| 2:50 p.m. | Wasco | 11:00 a.m. |
| 3:12 p.m. | Rhodyke | 10:45 a.m. |
| 3:15 p.m. | Fanning | 10:45 a.m. |
| 3:35 p.m. | Hay C. Jr. | 10:21 a.m. |
| 3:36 p.m. | McDonalds | 10:22 a.m. |
| 3:48 p.m. | De Moss | 10:05 a.m. |
| 3:50 p.m. | Moro | 9:55 a.m. |
| 4:08 p.m. | Erskinvillie | 9:37 a.m. |
| 4:29 p.m. | Grass Valley | 9:20 a.m. |
| 4:55 p.m. | Bourbon | 8:55 a.m. |
| 5:11 p.m. | Kent | 8:40 a.m. |
| 5:21 p.m. | Wileox | 8:30 a.m. |
| 5:50 p.m. | Shaniko | 8:00 a.m. Leave |

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