

**LOCAL BITS**

Wall paper at the Merrill Drug Co. Bran, shorts and chop. Mutzig & Becker.

For Sale—Two choice lots on Wall street. The Crook County Realty Co., Bulletin Building.

See the celebrated Walk Easy shoe at the Bend Mercantile Co., something warm and comfortable.

If you want shoes repaired see W. T. Stephens about it. He lives at Deschutes.

For chicken feed see Mutzig & Becker.

The John Flinn punch at O'Kane's The Office.

Those German box are just the thing for this weather, at the Bend Mercantile Co.

Get your rubber goods at the Bend Mercantile Co.; new stock just arrived.

List your property with The Crook County Realty Co., Bulletin Building.

If you want comfort these chilly days get one of those good overcoats at the Bend Mercantile Co.

The new saloon of A. B. Estebenet was opened to the public last Saturday evening.

Every thing in the wall paper line at reasonable prices. Merrill Drug Co.

Richard Garman, the popular barber, has resumed duties in the Triplett barber shop after a week's vacation.

Gentlemen's warm socks, gloves, shoes, overalls, hats etc., at New York Cash Store, Deschutes.

Don't forget the band boys' masquerade on Feb. 14th.—all masks will be inspected—good order and a good time guaranteed.

Miss Grace Jones arrived in the city Tuesday evening. She will be with Mr. Tompkins's family until her house is completed.

J. D. Honeyman, having recovered from an attack of typhoid malaria, has resumed his duties at the Bend Mercantile store.

The Bend "Social Club" gave a dance last Saturday evening at the B. M. hall. Those who attended report an enjoyable evening.

Photographer Bledsoe is unable to attend to office duties owing to sickness in his family and being himself laid up with a sore hand.

For the Masquerade ball, a fine assortment of masks. Call and get your choice at New York Cash Store, Deschutes.

Marshall Lester collared several drinks this week, but having no place to put them he gave them a bit of fatherly advice and sent them on their way.

The new Flora Dora cocktail at The Office saloon.

The Rev. J. Anthony Mitchell and the Rev. John K. MacGillivray will hold a series of evangelistic meetings at the B. M. hall, beginning next Monday evening at 7:30.

Call and see the great bargains in left over Xmas goods at the New York Cash store, Deschutes.

The subject for the Christian Endeavor meeting next Sunday evening is, "How to win souls for Christ." Meeting at 7 p. m. in the Baptist church. All are welcome.

FOR SALE—Two houses and lots. Inquire of The Crook County Realty Co.

80 acres of irrigated land for rent cheap—Come in and talk it over. The Crook County Realty Co., Bulletin Building.

Christmas toys and games, for New Year's presents, at cost at Bend Mercantile Co.

At a meeting of the Bend Cornet Band Monday evening, preliminary steps were taken for the organization of a city fire department consisting of the band boys as a whole and as many more as may be deemed advisable. The city council has under consideration the matter of providing the necessary apparatus.

**READVERTISEMENTS CUT OUT**

Can Not be Had on Timber Land in Withdrawn Area.

The decision of Secretary Hitchcock that the withdrawal of land for forestry purposes is such an "adverse claim" as will defeat the readvertisement of a timber claim, no matter what the reason may be, affects a large number of entries in the Deschutes country. And a still more recent ruling that readvertisement that has been authorized in the withdrawn areas is useless and the final papers will not be permitted on proof made there-

under makes the decision far-reaching. In view of the wide interest in the matter the secretary's decision in full is here given:

June 27, 1901, M. Edith Curtis filed an application to purchase under the provisions of the timber and stone act, the NE 1-4 of Sec. 7, T. 31 N., R. 15 E., Lakeview land district, Oregon, and in due time notice of her intention to submit proof January 30, 1904, was advertised.

July 31, 1903, the township embracing said land, together with other townships was temporarily withdrawn for forestry purposes. There were exceptions, however, from the operation of said withdrawal all lands within the limits thereof to which any claim had been properly initiated prior to the date thereof, provided the claimants to such lands should continue to comply with the law under which their claims were initiated.

The applicant failed to submit proof on the day fixed in the advertisement, or within ten days thereafter. In explanation of such failure, she filed in the local office corroborated affidavit, wherein she alleged that she left her home in Michigan in ample time to reach the place named in the published notice on the day set for the submission of proof, but upon reaching a point a few miles distant from the place named she became ill, and had ever since been confined to her bed on account of such illness, and for that reason was unable to submit her proof within ten days after the date advertised. She asked, therefore, that she be allowed to readvertise notice of her intention to submit proof at a later date.

In passing upon this matter your office, by decision of June 30, 1904, held that because the applicant had failed to submit proof on the date advertised, or within ten days thereafter "or to file her application to readvertise within such time," her application to purchase had expired and the withdrawal of the land for forestry purposes had attached. Your office denied her application to readvertise.

From this decision the applicant has appealed to the department, alleging that your office erred in finding that her application to readvertise was not filed within "the time required by law," meaning, it is presumed, the ten days after the date advertised for the submission of proof.

Under the exceptional circumstances disclosed Curtis appears to have been entitled to ten days from Jan. 29, 1904, the date advertised, within which to submit proof upon her application to purchase, and to make payment for the land, but as before stated, she made default. The department has repeatedly held that it will not authorize the withdrawal from disposition of land applied for under the stone and timber act beyond the period first fixed for proof and payment. Curtis's application, therefore, reserved the land for other disposition, until the date advertised and ten days thereafter, but no longer. Hence, upon the expiration of such period, the applicant being then at default in the matter of proof, the withdrawal made July 31, 1903, for forestry purposes immediately attached to the land and the same thereupon ceased to be subject to settlement, entry, sale or other disposition under the public land laws.

In view of this holding the Department denies it wholly immaterial whether Curtis's application to readvertise was filed prior or subsequently to the expiration of said final proof period, for in neither event could her proof have been submitted under readvertisement until after the withdrawal had attached and the land had become no longer subject to sale under the timber and stone act.

The action of your office rejecting said application to readvertise, on the ground that the withdrawal had attached, is hereby affirmed.

**Saloon License Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that I have applied to the Common Council of the City of Bend for a license to sell spirits, malt and vinous liquors and fermented cider in less quantity than one gallon, on Lot 7 of Block 10, Bend, Oregon.  
Dated at Bend, Oregon, Jan. 16, 1905.  
C. E. HADLEY.

**Saloon License Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that I have applied to the Common Council of the City of Bend for a license to sell spirits, malt and vinous liquors and fermented cider in less quantity than one gallon, on Lot 12 of Block 10, Bend, Oregon.  
Dated at Bend, Oregon, Jan. 16, 1905.  
HUGH O'KANE.

**Saloon License Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that I have applied to the Common Council of the City of Bend for a license to sell spirits, malt and vinous liquors and fermented cider in less quantity than one gallon, on Lot 7 of Block 11, Bend, Oregon.  
Dated at Bend, Oregon, Jan. 16, 1905.  
A. B. ESTEBENET.

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Timber Land, Act June 8, 1895.  
**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
December 20, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 8, 1895, entitled, "An act for the sale of timberlands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by Act of August 4, 1897.  
Catherine McNeil, of Centralia, county of Lewis, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2439, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, NE 1/4, NW 1/4, and NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of sec. 13, Tp. 12 S., R. 15 E., W. 12.  
And will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 23rd day of March, 1905.  
She names as witnesses: Lauchlin McNeil, J. W. Curry, Nellie Halverson and Maude Harris, all of Centralia, Washington.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23rd day of March, 1905.  
JES-0127 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
November 30, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that Champ Smith, of Prineville, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 13, for the S 1/2 NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of sec. 7 and W 1/2 of sec. 8, Tp. 10 S., R. 12 E., W. 11, before J. J. Smith, County Clerk, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 12th day of February, 1905.  
He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: C. Sam Smith, Samuel J. Newsom, and Harry S. Smith, all of Prineville, Oregon; Colonel F. Smith, of Lamonia, Oregon.  
JES-01 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register

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2:15	11:50
2:25	11:19
2:30	11:10
2:50	11:00
3:12	10:45
3:18	10:40
3:25	10:30
3:30	10:24
3:40	10:18
3:45	10:15
3:50	10:05
4:05	9:55
4:08	9:50
4:20	9:40
4:55	9:25
4:11	9:15
4:15	9:10
5:55	7:00
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