

**LOCAL BITS.**

W. F. Arnold of Sisters was a Bend caller last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. O. Fry and daughter will leave Monday for a month's visit at Independence, Or.

Dr. W. S. Nichol went to Portland last week on a business trip. He is expected home today.

Miss Inga Sather left on the stage Thursday morning for Portland, for a visit of a few days.

Dan Heising and wife left this morning for the valley, where they will pick hops for about a month.

J. H. Edwards, a prominent rancher of the Sisters country, was attending to business in Bend last Monday.

Lumber was being hauled from Bend Tuesday to the Baldwin ranch to be used in building a bunk house.

John White of the firm of White & Hill, returned Monday from a trip to Silver Lake, where he went to take a timber claim.

Nick Smith and family will go today to their homestead on the river south of Bend. They will be gone a week or more.

The work of weatherboarding the Pilot Butte Inn livery stable, was begun yesterday morning, after which it will be painted.

John Steidl and family returned Monday from Portland where they attended the Sells-Forepaugh circus and had a good time in general.

Oranges, bananas, peaches, pears, grapes, and table apples will be received at the postoffice store Saturday; also choice butter. 24¢

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mutzig and daughter left Wednesday for Albany. From there they will proceed to their home in New York.

Topic for Christian Endeavor next Sunday evening, "Spiritual Blindness." Reference, Isa. 23:16. Mrs. Una McMillan, leader. Consecration meeting.

William J. Law of Minneapolis arrived in Bend last evening. Mr. Law, with others, is interested in timber hereabouts and came to confer with B. W. Lakin.

Mrs. C. A. Jones will soon build an addition to the house occupied by C. M. Weymouth, and will have the Weymouth house and her own residence shiplapped.

Next Monday is labor day, a legal holiday. The bank and postoffice will be closed during the day and the telephone office from 12 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. Eva Steele is on her way to Bend from her summer's visit in Michigan. She left Milwaukee on the night of the 23rd and will probably stop a few days in St. Paul.

George Reed was released from quarantine and incarceration in the

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lock-up last Tuesday. He was fined \$40 by Justice Ellis for his recent disregard of quarantine regulations.

W. T. Casey was in Bend this week from his Powell Buttes ranch, looking for a house into which to move his family. He will move to Bend in order to send his children to the city schools.

The opening of the new school house has been postponed one week, until Sep. 10. Consequently the youngsters will have seven more days of vacation. All should take notice of this postponement.

E. A. Smith, and Albert Mayhew have gone to join Rankin's surveying crew working in the Cascade range. They have ordered their mail sent to Hazeldell. Osborne Edwards will join this crew later.

Two new phones have been installed recently: J. I. West, No. 33, and B. W. Lakin No. 1. Five other phones will soon be installed, for Dr. C. W. Merrill, Dr. W. S. Nichol, Dr. L. L. Scofield and at the pumping station.

Several Bend people have been cruising in the Silver Lake timber the past week. They were Charles D. Brown, C. M. Weymouth, Elmer Niswonger, and Ralph Sheldon. Mr. Sheldon filed on a claim. The party returned Tuesday night.

A. H. Grant reports a very peculiar thing with his raspberries this year. This year's shoots have put forth blossoms and have produced ripe fruit, something heretofore unknown. It has always taken the second year to produce fruit.

Miss Eva H. McGillvray, a niece of W. J. McGillvray, who recently came West from South Dakota, last week made a trip into the Silver Lake country and filed on a timber claim. Miss McGillvray will remain in the West for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Drake left for Portland this morning. From there Mr. Drake will go to Boise, Ida., to attend the National Irrigation Congress, which convenes at Boise the first week of September. Mrs. Drake will remain in Portland and visit friends.

C. A. Chapman and daughter Ethel went to Prineville Monday morning to attend to business matters. Later they went to Forest, Cline Falls, Redmond and Sisters. Miss Ethel was soliciting subscriptions for the Pacific Northwest, which is conducting a contest in which she is interested.

A. A. Anthony will soon begin building a house for R. B. Mutzig on the lots on the northeast corner of block 15, across the street from E. F. Batten's residence. The structure will measure 26x32 feet with 10 foot posts. Mr. Mutzig has acquired a little more than three lots and is planning on a fine yard and a pretty residence. It is a good location.

Last Friday, while Dr. Coe was making a professional drive to Laidlaw, one of his horses fell beneath the tongue and began to flounder and kick. In attempting to unhitch the animal, the doctor was kicked on the back of the left hand and the bones of the third and fourth fingers were broken. As a result the doctor now carries a bandaged hand.

Charles L. Wimer brought in a sample of alfalfa Saturday grown on the George W. Wimer & Sons ranch at Tumalo this year that certainly is fine. This alfalfa was sowed in June, 1905. This year it was cut June 25 and again August 20, so the sample had a growth of 56 days. It stood just five feet high and cut about four tons to the acre. It is the Turkestan variety.

Millard Triplett has presented the Bend exhibit with an oddity in the way of an onion. The set

sprouted and sent up a large stalk with the roots growing beneath. On each side of the original set two fine large onions developed, each drawing its sustenance from the one set of roots. These two onions also sent up large stalks, making three stalks from the one set. Two of these are surmounted with large balls of well developed seed.

The Bend country is getting a lot of good advertising free of any charge, through the columns of the Wilbur Register, of Wilbur, Wash. The editor of that paper recently made a visit to this section, bought some ditch land, and is now describing this country and its resources in his paper. He says he has many inquiries regarding the irrigable land of Central Oregon—more evidence that people are much interested in the upper Deschutes valley.

G. T. Callihan is hauling lumber for a fine new house on his place east of Bend, joining the Jack Ferguson ranch. The main part will be 18x26 feet with 14 foot posts, and a wing will be added measuring 14x14 feet with 14 foot posts. Mr. Callihan recently moved into the Bend country with his family from South Dakota. He owns a half section here and plans to make this his future home. He and his family like the upper Deschutes valley very much.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan arrived in Bend Saturday evening. Mrs. Ryan having so far recovered from her recent serious illness that she was able to make the trip home. She is still, however, only in a convalescent stage, but is recovering her usual strength quite rapidly. Miss N. F. Dwyer of Minneapolis, a long-time friend of Mrs. Ryan, arrived West on a visit just in time to nurse Mrs. Ryan through her illness. She came to Bend with Mr. and Mrs. Ryan last Saturday.

Mrs. S. C. Caldwell and children started Wednesday for valley points, where they will visit relatives for a short time, finally settling at Salem where Miss Hazel will enter Willamette university. The other children will also attend schools at Salem. Mrs. Caldwell will probably remain there during the school year, although she may return to Bend in the winter. Andrew Robinson drove to the valley with Mrs. Caldwell and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mutzig and daughter.

J. Frank Stroud started Wednesday morning with a number of people for Shaniko, the crowd being composed of the following: Mrs. F. O. Minor, Miss Grace Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Ketchum, Dr. Merrill, Mrs. Stroud and Miss Fannie Osburn, Dr. Ketchum and wife, Mrs. Stroud and Miss Osburn will stop at Madras, but the others will go on to the railroad at Shaniko. Dr. Merrill will attend to business matters at valley points, Mrs. Minor will visit Mr. Minor's people at Portland, and Miss Jones will visit in Portland, Seattle and Bellingham. Miss Jones will be gone about three weeks.

Notice is hereby given that bond of F. O. Minor as trustee of the Bend Live Stock & Produce Co. has been accepted and filed. All parties owing said company are requested to call at the bank and pay without delay. Bills against said company should be filed at once.—F. O. MINOR, Trustee.

**Bids Wanted.**  
Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of Bend District No. 12 desires bids on 50 ricks of wood split, ready for the stove and piled in ricks in the school basement. Separate bids must be furnished on each of the following specifications: 12, 16 and 20 inch lengths and on limb wood, body pine and juniper. Bids opened September 4. The board reserves the right to reject all bids. 22-24

You want the news? Then read The Bulletin.

**Tumalo Items.**

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Coford of Tumalo started to the valley yesterday. They will bring back a load of household goods and some canned fruits. Mr. Coford is building up a nice home one mile east of Tumalo. We are glad to have such worthy people settle near us. F. N. Swisher, L. H. Hunt and Mr. Johnson and families started to the valley Thursday morning for the purpose of picking hops. They will bring back fruit. There are many people going to the valley to help in the hop yards and most of them will load with fruit on their return.

F. P. Smith will move his family to Bend today in order to be near school.

T. A. Jensen is about to wind up a long siege of haying. He has a fine crop of grain hay.

W. J. Hightower and family talk of going up to Sedro-Wooley, Wash., for the winter. We will be sorry to lose such worthy people, but they will no doubt return early next spring.

W. E. Guerin and E. F. Batten were at Tumalo yesterday. They intend to put up a telephone line from Bend to Sisters via Tumalo. We feel confident a line would pay them handsomely. Then it would go far toward building up the country.

Harry Hill of Bend tarried over night at Tumalo this week. He bought some fine fat cattle from G. W. Wimer & Sons for his meat market at Bend. Hill is a hustler and knows good beef cattle.

G. W. Wimer & Sons are very busy taking care of a large grain and hay crop.

**Party for Bride-to-Be.**  
The young ladies of the Christian Endeavor society will entertain at a shower on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Brown in honor of Miss Nola Kever, who will be married to Mr. B. E. Williams of Eugene, Oregon, next week.

**Now Has Pure Water.**  
Last spring Eugene suffered from a typhoid epidemic due to bad water supply. Since then the water company has abandoned the old wells and installed filters, taking water from an entirely new source. This water was tested by the state board of health, after which the board made the following report:

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 13, 1906.—Dr. Robert C. Venney, State Health Officer.—Dear Sir: The examination of the specimen of water from Eugene sent by Dr. Harris shows no contamination. There was an absolute failure to produce gas or even growth in fermentation tubes. Plates inoculated with varying quantities of the water failed to develop a single colony on any one.

The result is most remarkable and I fear an error somewhere before the water arrived here. It would be well to know just how this water was collected. Even the purest water usually shows some growth. Very truly yours,  
RALPH MATSON,  
Bacteriologist of the Board.

This insures that students attending the state university at Eugene may have no fear of contracting typhoid through impure water.

If you want to keep in touch with the development of this great Deschutes valley, READ the Bulletin.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
June 7, 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.

Charles S. Edwards, of Prineville, county of Crook, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 292, for the purchase of the swq of sec 23, 19 18, T 10 S, W 31.

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 his claim to said land before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Bend, Oregon, on the 8th day of November, 1905.

He names as witnesses: J. N. Hunter, George W. Triplett, John L. Rever, Michael Morrison, all of Bend, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of November, 1905.  
631-92 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

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Leave Shaniko.....	6 p. m.	Leave Bend.....	6:00 a. m.
Arrive Prineville.....	7 a. m.	Arrive Prineville.....	12:00 m.
Leave Prineville.....	12:30 p. m.	Leave Prineville.....	1 p. m.
Arrive Bend.....	7:00 p. m.	Arrive Shaniko.....	1 a. m.

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