

LOCAL BITS.

Ovid Riley was a Bend visitor Wednesday.

Sather got in a large load of freight the first of the week.

All the October magazines can now be had at the postoffice newsstand.

Tom Sharp was in Bend Wednesday from his Crooked river ranch, a guest at the Drake home.

Ralph Sheldon is adding improvements to his residence by having it sided with shiplap.

George Bates was in town Wednesday and took a load of barbed wire out to his homestead up the river.

Mrs. C. A. Jones left Tuesday morning for a business and pleasure trip to Portland. She will be gone a week or 10 days.

Rev. Fr. Hickey is expected in Bend today, remaining until Sunday afternoon. He will celebrate Mass, hear confessions and lecture.

The father and sister of C. M. Redfield returned with him from the irrigation congress at Boise and will visit at Redmond for a short time.

During the disagreeable wind and dust storm Tuesday, word reached Bend that at Forest the air was so filled with dust that it was almost impossible for ranchers to see from their houses to their barns.

The funeral services of B. F. Zell were held at Prineville last week Thursday. Rev. J. T. Moore officiating. Mr. Zell was an Odd Fellow and the Prineville lodge attended the services in a body.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lakin and W. A. Gould left Tuesday morning for Shaniko and other outside points. Mrs. Lakin will visit at Spokane and Mr. Lakin will attend to business matters at Spokane, Portland and elsewhere.

Phillip Francis is building a house on his ranch southeast of town. The main part will be two stories high, 16x24 feet and will have a lean-to 14x24 feet. He is also building a barn 20x30 feet with a shed on each side 16x30 feet.

There is a change of time in the Tumalo mail stage. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays the mail now leaves Bend at 10 a. m. and arrives at Tumalo at 1 p. m. On these same days it leaves Tumalo at 1:15 p. m. and arrives at Bend at 3:15 p. m.

Mrs. Drake returned from her visit to Portland Wednesday afternoon and was accompanied by Miss Catherine Burns and Miss Liza Woods, both of Portland. Miss Burns is the daughter of a prominent Portland business man and Miss Wood the daughter of Attorney C. S. Wood.

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Leghorn chickens for sale.— Mrs. L. D. Wiest. 28-31

P. L. Tompkins left Thursday for a trip to Hood River.

Miss Marie Johnson of Michigan is visiting with Miss Anna Johnson.

C. S. Benson is building an addition on the south side of his residence, measuring 12x12 feet.

J. P. Johnson is building a substantial addition to his building on Wall street—a lean-to on the east end.

Mrs. Elsie Riley and daughter Mary were in Bend Thursday from their ranch five miles north of town.

C. B. Allen was in Bend Thursday from his ranch at The Meadows. He was on his way to Prineville after grain.

Miss Nellie Dwyer left this morning for her home in Minneapolis after a visit of several weeks with Mrs. John Ryan.

L. D. Wiest has been digging his potatoes this past week, the prize one weighing two and a half pounds. They are the Burbank variety.

John Vaughn and family returned Tuesday night from a trip of several weeks in Rogue River valley. They brought back a load of winter apples with them.

E. A. Sather's fine new storehouse is about finished and he is rapidly filling it with merchandise. It is a good tight building and makes a spacious store room.

Elmer Niswonger and Fred Hunnicutt returned to Bend Wednesday from the Silver Lake country, where they have been cruising timber preparatory to locating people.

While traveling through the mountains on his recent trip to the valley, "Bill" Brock shot and killed a cougar that measured seven feet from tip to tip. The old veterans, Nip and Tuck, treed the animal and "Bill" soon brought it down with his trusty rifle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Smith were in Bend Monday from their homestead in The Meadows country. They were on their way to their desert claim over near Powell Buttes to look after a grain and hay crop. They plan to spend the winter on their up-river homestead.

Christian Endeavor topic for Oct. 7: "Christ's Life. The Commandments He Left Us. Our Obedience." Text: John 15: 1-17. Leader, Mrs. Rose Shook. As this will be the regular monthly consecration meeting all members are requested to be present to respond to roll call.

A. M. Drake has donated to the reading room a copy of Campbell's Soil Culture Manual. This pamphlet is written by W. H. Campbell of "the Campbell method" fame, and explains in detail his method of dry farming and shows the remarkable results obtained thereby. It is a valuable pamphlet and makes interesting reading.

E. A. Getchell came in Tuesday from his homestead near Sisters and has been spending the week in Bend. Mr. Getchell has but recently returned from Whitman county and other parts of Washington and Oregon and is glad to get back to the upper Deschutes country, as his health is so much better here. He will leave soon for a visit in Minnesota.

C. A. Chapman received word that he had been appointed one of the judges of horses for the county fair at Prineville. While this is quite an honor, Mr. Chapman says that he cannot accept the appointment as he expects soon to commence work on his homestead and will be too busy. Mr. Chapman is a horseman and would make a good judge.

Don't borrow The Bulletin from your neighbor—subscribe for it.

L. D. Wiest shot and killed a hawk last Sunday that measured 53 inches from tip to tip of wings. This beats all hawk stories so far reported.

E. F. Batten has placed on exhibition in the reading room the prize beets and carrots of the season. They are beauties, firm and solid without a scab or blemish. Three beets weigh eight pounds, and the four carrots the same weight. The beets are the Market Garden variety, the carrots the Chanteney. They were both planted May 6 and harvested Oct. 1.

Will Brock and his mother returned the first of the week from the valley, where they have been visiting and getting fruit. While at Eugene "Bill" met Jeffries, the champion pugilist, who had just returned from a hunting expedition in the Cascades on the McKenzie river. Jeffries was disappointed in that he got no big game, and "Bill" has his promise that he will come into the Bend country next year, when Brock has agreed to show him the bear in its native haunts. Mr. Brock and Jeffries attended school together when they were boys.

On the walls of the reading room will be found three views of an experiment station at Cheyenne, where the U. S. government is carrying on experiment work with the state of Wyoming in dry farming. At this station they have a pumping plant by which they irrigate small tracts of garden truck, but the rest of their work is in dry farming and they produce great results, as the pictures show. The views were presented to A. M. Drake by Elwood Mead, U. S. government chief of irrigation investigations, on Mr. Drake's recent visit to the irrigation congress at Boise.

One of the most peculiar accidents that ever happened to a bucking horse was that which befell Barney Lewis' fine bay pony last Monday. The animal had not been ridden for about a week and when Barney got into the saddle, in front of the Pilot Butte Inn, the horse began to buck. In order to keep him out of the street Barney headed him into the vacant lot opposite the Inn, and as the horse made a lunge forward it ran its head against the top of a down juniper

WINS ADDITIONAL PRIZE.

Miss Ethel Chapman Receives \$5.00 Check from Pacific Northwest.

Miss Ethel Chapman, who is working for the free trip to the Jamestown Exposition for the winner in The Pacific Northwest contest, this week received a check for \$5.00 from the publisher as the prize for sending in the most subscriptions for the preceding week. In the letter presenting the check, Mr. Bates, the publisher says:

"I met one of your customers at the court house, Mr. P. O. Downing, who subscribed for a friend of mine, Mr. Baxter of Buffalo, N. Y. I am very glad indeed to get this subscription and Mr. Downing also compliments you very highly as to your methods of working and congratulated Crook county on the representation the county would receive by your representing same on our Eastern trip."

The Mr. Downing referred to in the above was in attendance at the Redmond fair in company with Messrs. Stanley and Stearns. Mr. Downing is a prominent business man of New York.

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