

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Halloween social in Lara hall Monday evening.

Good team, hack, harness and buggy for sale. Inquire of Central Oregon Realty Co. 311f

Every hotel, rooming house and restaurant in Bend is crowded with guests now, and still they continue to come.

A. F. Shireman and S. H. Snider left last Thursday for a ten days hunting and fishing trip up the Deschutes.

G. W. Triplett was down from his homestead on the upper river, visiting with his Bend friends and relatives, the last of the week.

C. J. Mock, who owns 120 acres of irrigable land near Laidlaw on the Columbia Southern segregation, was in Bend Monday on business.

Miss Anna Johnson returned last week from an extended visit in Duluth, Minneapolis, and other Minnesota points, with relatives and friends.

M. J. Main, who lives with his family on a homestead on the upper Deschutes, came down the last of the week to work on the P. B. D. Co. power dam during the winter.

Dan Catlow of Portland, a friend of the Grimeses on the Pilot Butte ranch, is in Bend. He is pleased with the country and says he will probably invest considerable money hereabout.

L. A. Shaw has commenced the foundation for his building on the corner lot east of the Hotel Bend. The building will be 25x60 feet, one story, and may be used as a feed store.

Northern Lake county merchants are buying much of their flour of Crook county millers again this fall. Several freighters from that territory have been in Bend of late on the way to the flour mills of Madras and Prineville.

After several years faithful service on The Bulletin without a vacation, the editor, Chas. D. Rowe, is taking a vacation and rest. L. B. Charles, a printer, who has a homestead in the Fort Rock country, is helping set type and the printer's devil is writin' the items. Please bear with us 'till the editor's return.

The P. B. D. Co. sawmill was "shut down" for repairs a short time during the past week but is sawing steadily now. The largest days cutting since the mill started was 31,000 feet, but some of the mill men say that this record can be beaten easily, after the mill has been run awhile and everything is working just right.

J. H. Wenandy reached Bend last Friday with his new Forty Chalmers-Detroit machine. It is a beauty and a fast one. While coming in Chauffeur Fox opened up the throttle on a good stretch of road and the speedometer showed that the machine was traveling along at the rate of 55 miles an hour. This speed was kept up for some little time.

J. H. Gammell and son Chester of Heppner are here to look over the High Desert proposition with a view to the son's taking a homestead. The former has lived in Eastern Oregon for many years and believes the High Desert will be an excellent wheat belt. Mr. Gammell says: "Any land that is growing good bunch grass will grow good wheat, and the best bunch grass section in Oregon is the High Desert."

As near as The Bulletin is able to estimate, there have been about fifty homesteaders located, so far, on the north end of the High Desert, that part tributary to Bend. This means that sixteen thousand acres of the best wheat land in Oregon has been filed upon in less than

two months. With the land going at this rate, it will be seen that it is necessary for those who want some of this choice wheat land to "get a move on them."

John Smith, a Frenchman, who resides near Antelope was in The Bulletin office Saturday for the purpose of advertising for a horse which had escaped from him while he was looking for a homestead location on the High Desert. After the horse escaped Smith spent two days wandering around on the plains in the hope of finding the horse but was not successful and the third day walked to a settlement. He was three days without food and with but little water.

Rudolph Tittret, a Bohemian, was in Bend last week and, being a harness maker naturally visited the harness shop, which is owned by John Legat. During the conversation which followed the meeting of Tittret and Legat, the two gentlemen were agreeably surprised to learn that they had both come from the same section in the "old country," having lived only a few miles apart, as boys. Needless to say they have spent much time in interesting conversation since they met in Bend. Mr. Tittret helped Mr. Legat in his shop several days.

The Wenandy-Buntten Auto Co. is securing equipment to take care of all the passenger traffic that will come into this country for the next few months. The company has three 30-horse power Chalmers-Detroit machines and one forty, and another forty is ordered. The machines are all the 1910 model. The company makes daily trips from Shaniko to Madras, Prineville, Redmond, Bend, Silver Lake, and to any point in Central Oregon. The regular schedule from Bend to Shaniko is seven hours. The machines are kept busy and carry a load of passengers on practically every trip.

Remember the Halloween social Monday evening.

Job Bogue of Rosland was in Bend Monday enroute to Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bogue were Bend visitors Friday, from Rosland.

J. H. Wenandy has bought of E. F. Batten lots 6 and 7 block 20 in Bend.

J. J. Dokken has returned to Bend for the winter. He has been working near Crescent all summer.

Lee Caldwell and E. G. Rourke of Rosland are in the city on business. Mr. Rourke will soon establish a general store at Crescent.

Mr. Currie is secretary of the Minnesota Wholesale Grocers Association, with headquarters at St. Paul. He is interested to a considerable extent in timber in this vicinity.

A. M. Drake returned from Portland the latter part of the week. He was accompanied by Erskin Wood, son of Col. C. E. S. Wood, Mr. Drake's legal adviser, and a Mr. McMasters.

Chauffeur Fox of the Wenandy-Buntten Automobile Stage line made the trip from Bend to Madras and back Monday in 6½ hours, a distance of 110 miles, with a 40 horse Chalmers-Detroit machine.

Many bands of sheep are passing through the Bend country of late on the way from the Cascades to winter quarters. Monday, Morrow & Keenan's men of Antelope stopped here with a band of 3,000.

A reception was given Monday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Drake in honor of Dr. Homan, president of the Willamette University at Salem, Or., and of Dr. Walton Skipworth, district representative of the M. E. church for The Dalles district. Light refreshments were served, the hostess being assisted by Miss Ruth

Reid, Miss Marion Wiest, Miss Maude Vandervert, the Misses Markell, and Mrs. Maddock, Mrs. Vandervert, Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. Rowe. The affair was one of those pleasant informal social gatherings where everyone enjoyed himself fully and where the time passed most pleasantly.

The Ladies' Library Club will give a unique Halloween social next Monday evening in Lara hall. The customary pumpkin with the grotesque face, will be forced into use to light the hall and other decorative features will lend variety to the occasion. Pumpkin pie, doughnuts and coffee will be served to the hungry crowd that it is hoped will be present. Let everyone attend.

K. P. Notables in Bend.

Thursday night the Knights of Pythias of Bend had a very enjoyable session—one that will long be remembered by each member who was present. Several notables of the grand lodge and other prominent K. P.'s were present, including Grand Chancellor Frank Meneff, Past Grand Chancellor R. R. Butler of Condon and Supreme Representative W. L. Bradshaw. They came over from Prineville where they had been attending the fair and where they also attended a big meeting of the lodge. Dr. Rosenberg, Frank Elkins and John Combs, Prineville K. P.'s, came over with the party.

Past Grand Chancellor Mosier of Oregon and a Mr. Kirkendall, a member of the Washington grand lodge, were also at the meeting. Short speeches were made by different ones of the high officials and it was said that some very interesting talks were given.

A Friend of the Bulletin.

We are in receipt of the following letter which shows what one of our subscribers, at least, thinks of The Bulletin:

EDITOR BEND BULLETIN—

Dear Sir: First I want to congratulate you on the excellent newsy paper you publish. It is a dandy, sure, and a credit to yourself and to your people. I am always pleased to receive it and get the news of your neighborhood.

I am satisfied you are bound to have a good city, which means your success, which you richly deserve. I enclose \$1.50 for another year. Truly yours, W. A. CURRIE.

Tumalo Items.

TUMALO, Oct. 25.—Plowing and hay baling are now in full swing in this vicinity.

Elwood Roberts of Sisters passed through here one day last week returning from the fair at Prineville.

There is a good move on foot between the Farmers' Telephone Co. and the Pioneer Telegraph & Telephone Co. to connect the two lines by switch at Laidlaw, thus making connection with Bend and Sisters.

Nick Tarbut of Black Butte is in Tumalo tonight on business.

Mr. Woolley and wife were Bend visitors last Friday.

J. L. Spoo and son Herman are in Portland on business.

Reports are that Mr. Stockly and Mr. Burkhardt of Gist have sold their farms consisting of 160 acres each for a consideration of \$5,400 each.

Mr. Courtney of Laidlaw is doing considerable work this year with his hay press and has several large contracts ahead in this locality.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. J. M. Spainhour, which occurred at Pittsburg, Pa., on the 8th of Sept. Mrs. Spainhour was quite well known in this country having lived with her son, Chas. Spainhour, five miles east of Tumalo for some time. She was laid to rest in the old home cemetery at Lenoir, N. C., and leaves a host of friends in this section who will be sorry to hear of her death.

Laidlaw News Letter.

LAI DLAW, Oct. 25.—The instruments for the Laidlaw Concert Band were ordered last Monday and will arrive soon, as they were ordered from San Fran-

cisco. This band was organized about two weeks ago with a membership of 12, but enough instruments were ordered for a band of 14.

Several Laidlaw people attended the Crook county fair last week. Among those who made the trip to Prineville were W. D. Barnes, W. P. Thorp, Grover and Ray Gerking, Wm. Brown and F. R. Dayton.

Prof. J. A. Thompson and Miss Hazel Caldwell, teachers of the Laidlaw school, attended the teachers' institute at Prineville the first of the week.

A. D. Parks raised some fine apples this season on his ranch two miles north of town. His orchard is but four years old.

Rev. Radford, the new Christian minister, preached two very interesting sermons yesterday. Everyone seemed to be well pleased.

J. J. Johnson, state lecturer of the Grange, is in Laidlaw at present assisting in some Grange work. An open meeting will be held Tuesday night and an effort made to get new members.

Dolph Mukey, formerly of Spokane, has located near Laidlaw.

Horse Strayed.

Sorrel mare, white star in forehead; saddled and bridled. Strayed from camp in Fort Rock country. Return same to me and receive \$25 reward, or address

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