

## TO EXTEND LINE PHONE TO CRESCENT, SOUTH

Improvements in the Service On the Way—Schools in Crescent District—Water Power Conflict Settled.

CRESCENT, Or., Sept. 6.—Within thirty days, Crescent will have telephone communication with the outside world, according to Special Agent Merrill of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Co., who has made a complete tour of the Deschutes Valley, beginning at Shaniko and ending at Klamath Falls. Mr. Merrill's trip was for the purpose, he said, of acquiring data regarding the business that would likely come to his company if the line is extended through to Klamath Falls. An independent company, with headquarters at Prineville, has a line from Shaniko to Rosland, twenty miles north of here, and now has the wire and equipment for the extension. From the statements of Mr. Merrill regarding telephone business in Central Oregon, it is inferred that the independent company's holdings will shortly be taken over by the Bell people.

At the school election held here last week, W. H. Howard was elected director in place of J. Pool, resigned, and Joseph L. Ringo was elected to take the place of Clerk. George Hewitt, who tendered his resignation during the meeting of the board. Contracts were signed up for four teachers, as follows: Miss Iona Applegate at Crescent; Miss A. McMillan at Beaver's Marsh; Mrs. Jesse Strott at the Strotts' school, and N. Thompson at the Howard school.

George Hewitt, who, before coming to Central Oregon, four years ago, was an engineer on a Mexican railroad, has sold his ranch and will leave next month for the western coast of Mexico, where he has acquired a tract of 2,000 acres of land. Mr. Hewitt is much impressed with the possibilities of that country.

Conflict between the Forestry Department and Dr. Wisnart of Heppner, who has filed upon the water power site adjoining the townsite of Crescent, has been removed by the forester withdrawing claim for a station including that site. The Department in notifying Superintendent Nichols of the change, said it did not want to stand in the way of public improvements. The station will likely be established adjoining the townsite on the south.

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Jack Brogan and Will Malone, who have been looking after their live stock interests in the forest reserves, have returned to their home at Antelope. They report that on account of forest fires bears have been driven into the sheep range and are working havoc. One band of 2,000 sheep has already lost 200 head.

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### THE FUEGIANS.

They Are Stunted and Misshapen as Well as Hideously Ugly.

At the two extremes of the American continent dwell the most wretched races of beings—the Eskimos at the north and the Fuegians at the south. Of the two the Fuegians appear to be the lowest in the civilized scale, their general aspect being wretched and degraded.

Their hideously ugly faces express the grossest stupidity, and their persons are both stunted and misshapen. The average height of the men does not exceed five feet two inches, that of the women four feet eight inches, and owing to their habit of standing in a stooping attitude they look even less than their actual height.

But, although they are veritable pygmies in stature, yet their bodies are exceedingly large, and their general appearance is such as might result from tacking on to the trunk of a giant the arms and legs of a child.

Their color appears to be a copper bronze, but as nearly all are begrimed with smoke it is difficult to specify their precise hue. The very young children are light brown in color with the exception of the palms of the hands and the soles of the feet, which are of a dirty yellow.

The heads of the adults are covered with coarse black hair which falls in lank masses to the neck behind and on each side of the face, but is cut away from before the eyes.

The forehead is low and retreating, the nose broad, flat and furnished with immense nostrils, and the mouth is very wide, with thick, protruding lips, the upper one being very much elongated.

The eyes are small and placed somewhat obliquely, the iris is invariably black in color, and the white of the eye has a distinctly yellowish tinge. Moreover, owing apparently to the irritation produced by the smoke of the fires over which they are so constantly crouching, they are very generally clear eyed.

The teeth, although very much discolored, are, as a rule, regular and sound. The men have naturally only a few black bristles scattered over the upper lip and chin. These, however, are carefully extracted from time to time by means of two mussel shells, and very frequently the hair of the eyebrows is removed by a similar process. The males appear to pay no attention whatever to the dressing of their hair, but the women are somewhat more particular and may frequently be seen employing in its arrangement the toothed jaw of a porpoise in lieu of a comb.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### Halibut in Canada.

"One cannot be long in any hotel or restaurant in Canada without seeing halibut on the bill of fare," says a writer in Canada. "In this respect it assumes the position of a national dish. It is there on Christmas day and again on midsummer day, and there are not many days in between these two dates when halibut finds no place on the menu. So plentiful is halibut in the waters of the west coast of Vancouver island that Ernest McGaffey on one occasion watched a few Indians, with their crude fishing arrangements, catch 21,000 pounds in Clayoquot sound in one day. When it is remembered that a halibut sometimes weighs as much as 300 pounds perhaps this achievement will lose a tiny part of its glory."

### Color Harmony.

The key to all color harmony is simply this—that kindred or related colors harmonize, go well together, while unrelated colors are antagonistic to each other. Those colors are kindred which are side by side on the spectrum band or the color circuit. Red is kindred to orange because orange is an admixture of red and yellow; orange is kindred to yellow because of the yellow in the orange; yellow is akin to green because green is an admixture of yellow and blue.

### A Street in Moscow.

One street in Moscow, Miasnitskaya Ulitsa, is devoted almost entirely to stores selling machinery. The windows of these shops are large and of plate glass and display the various wares to good advantage. Many windows are devoted to large exhibits of various mechanisms, and at a certain hour in the afternoon these machines are so far as possible set in motion to give practical illustration of their workings.

### His Safeguard.

I knew that Mr. Rurales lived on a much traveled turnpike, and I asked him if he and his family were not greatly troubled by tramps stopping at his house.

"We're not troubled at all," he replied, smiling shrewdly. "There's a magical sign on the front gate."

"A magical sign?" I repeated.

"Yes," he said, with a grin. "It reads, 'Employment Agency.'"—Chicago News.

### Precisely That.

Braggaby—I tell you I'm overworking. I am turning out an awful lot of work just now. Nocker—That's just exactly the word your employer used in describing your present work.—Baltimore American.

### Plenty of Changes.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore.,  
August 3, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that—  
Mary DeCourcy,  
whose postoffice address is Bend, Crook County, Oregon, did, on the 19th day of October, 1909, file in this office her own statement and Application, No. 2024, to purchase the SW 1/4 Sec. 3, T. 20 S., R. 11 East Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1908, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement and that pursuant to such publication, the land and timber thereon have been estimated and valued, by applicant, the timber estimated 100,000 board feet at \$1.00 per M., and the land nothing; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of her application and sworn statement on the 10th day of October, 1910, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Bend, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.  
C. W. MOORE, Register.

### NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF PUBLIC LANDS TO STATEMENT AND ENTRY.

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., July 26, 1910. Notice is hereby given that the public lands in the following described areas which were excluded from the Deschutes National Forest, Oregon, by proclamation of the President dated May 20, 1905, if not otherwise withdrawn, reserved, or appropriated, will be restored to the public domain on October 22, 1910, and become subject to settlement on and after that date, but not to entry, filing or selection until on and after November 21, 1910, at the United States Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon. In T. 21 S., R. 15 E., Secs. 1, 2, 10, 11 and 12; in T. 21 S., R. 16 E., Secs. 3, 6 and 7 and W 1/2 of Sec. 8, Willamette Meridian. Warrant is hereby expressly given that no person will be permitted to gain or exercise any right whatever under any settlement or occupation begun after May 20, 1905, and prior to October 22, 1910, and all such settlement or occupation is hereby forbidden. JOHN McPHAIL, Acting Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office. Approved July 26, 1910. FRANK FIERCH, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore.,  
July 25, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that—  
Louetta Pulliam,  
of Tumalo, Oregon, who, on July 15, 1905, made Desert Land Entry (Serial No. 487), No. 57, for N 1/2 NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 20, T. 10 S., R. 11 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Bend, Oregon, on the 15th day of September, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Hubert A. Scoggin, Fred W. Leverenz, George J. Pulliam, Charles W. Thornwaite, all of Tumalo, Ore.  
C. W. MOORE, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of Interior,  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Or.,  
August 9, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that—  
William H. Howard,  
of Rosland, Oregon, who on February 24, 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 2024, for NE 1/4 Sec. 25, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 23 S., R. 10 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner, W. D. West, at Silver Lake, Oregon, on the 23rd day of September, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
George Hewitt, Frank Bogus, I. C. Caldwell, George Gty, all of Rosland, Ore.  
ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

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