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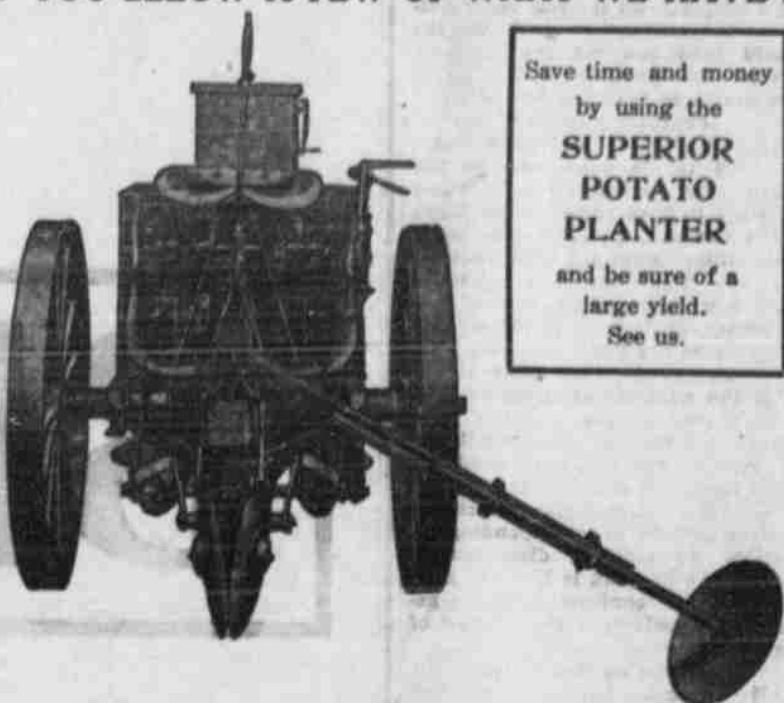
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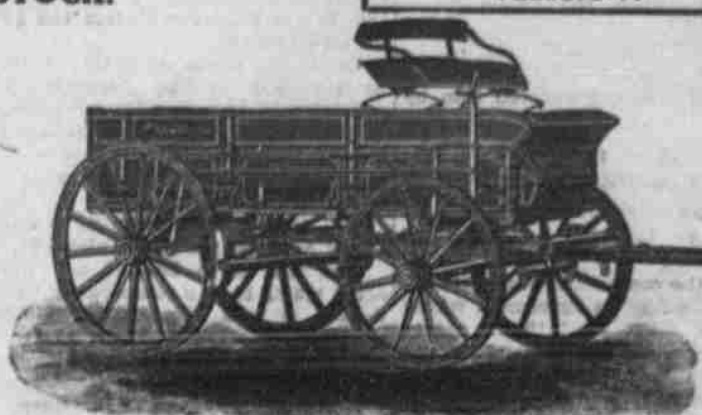
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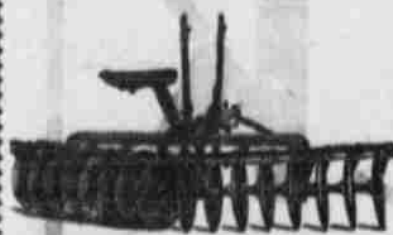


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Get this famous light running and durable plow—Has no equal.



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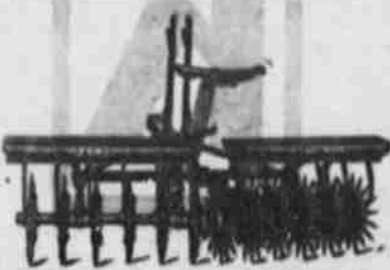
Save Your Back, Time and Patience by Using This.

IF YOU WILL CALL ON US for Flour, Feed and Farm and Mill Machinery, we can save you money, as we handle the best articles in this line that are manufactured. We will take pleasure in furnishing you with any information in regard to dry farming at our command. Call and see us and get better acquainted. Our Motto: Live and Let Live. Farmers invited to call and see our goods when in Bend.

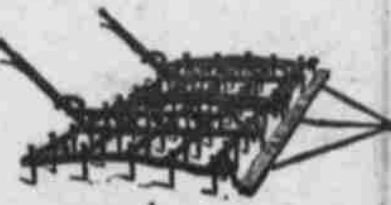
## Bend Milling & Warehouse Company.



Give Your Horse Feed Turned Out at Our Mill and He will be Fat and Strong



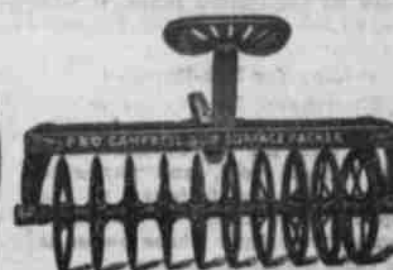
If you expect to raise alfalfa at a profit, you need this implement.



The Best Harrows on the Market. Get Our Prices.



The Superior Drill Assures Best Results. Get the Old Reliable.



If you expect to succeed at dry land farming, you need this tool.



OUR FLOUR MAKES THE HOUSE-WIFE REJOICE.

## Information for the Homeseeker

Every issue of The Bulletin records the progress of Central Oregon and the Bend country. If you are a homeseeker looking for a new location, or own property in this section, there is no better way to become acquainted with, or keep posted on, what is being done in this part of the world than by reading this paper regularly. Bend in your subscription at once, so as not to miss anything of what is going on in this big, resourceful country—this great inland empire that has now been opened for development by two great railroad systems.

### BEND.

Population, 1200 (estimated.)  
Location, on the Deschutes river, 135 miles south of the Columbia river.  
First regular railway train service inaugurated Nov. 1, 1911.  
Average annual precipitation, 16 inches.  
Highest temperature ever recorded 102 degrees.  
Lowest temperature ever recorded 19 degrees below zero.  
Annual mean temperature, 44.8 degrees.  
Average of 320 days per annum with sunshine.  
Elevation, 3629 feet (government record.)  
Climate dry and healthful the year round.  
Bend is the terminus of the Oregon Trunk line of the Hill railway system and of the Deschutes branch of the Harriman system. It is the distributing point and railway station for a large number of towns in Crook, Lake, Klamath and Harney counties.  
Daily stage line from Bend to Silver Lake and intermediate towns; to Powell Butte, and to Laidlaw.  
Auto passenger line and auto truck freight carrying line to Burns and intermediate points.  
Rural free delivery serves settlers living on irrigated lands east of town.  
The following are a few advantages Bend has to offer:  
Good graded and high school.  
Public library and museum.  
Electric lights and power, day and

night.  
City water system.  
Two good banks.  
Four church organizations—  
Unimproved land with water right sells at prices ranging from \$15 to \$50 an acre; improved land, from \$50 an acre up. The principal crops raised on this irrigated land are clover, alfalfa, oats, wheat, garden truck, small fruits such as currants, raspberries, gooseberries, etc., and all kinds of root crops, chief of which is potatoes.  
The country is ideal for dairying and hog raising, both of which industries are yet in their infancy. The yield of butter fat from the grasses on these irrigated lands is high, and pasturage is possible from six to nine months in the year. A creamery will be in operation here this summer, paying good prices for dairy products.  
Hogs are another paying industry, especially so in connection with dairying. Poultry do well here also and bring a profitable return.  
Dry Farming.  
A large dry farming territory lies tributary to Bend, with thousands of acres of good government land which can be homesteaded. A man can take 160 or 320 acres under the homestead laws and also 160 acres under the desert land laws. His wife may also take a desert claim, and unmarried women can take both homestead and desert claims. Patent to 160-acre homestead can be obtained by continuous residence of 14 months thereon, and the making of improvements. When such commutation proof is made the claimant pays the government \$1.25 an acre. Five years' residence is required on land taken under the 320-acre enlarged homestead act, commutation Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Catholic.  
Six secret and fraternal orders.  
Flour mill.  
Three sawmills.  
Creamery (building).  
Ice factory and cold storage plant (building).  
Good hotels.  
Stone passenger station.  
Biggest freight warehouse in Central Oregon.  
Handsome stone buildings (including \$20,000 bank and office building on which work starts March 1.)  
Bend is the first joint Hill and Harriman railway station south of the Columbia river which is located

directly on the Deschutes river.

### Irrigated Farming.

Bend is in the main Central Oregon irrigation belt, the surrounding territory being watered by the canals of the Central Oregon Irrigation Co. and the Arnold Irrigation system, not being allowed. Filings on government land may be made here before the United States Commissioner. The filing fees are \$15 for 160-acre claims and \$22 for 320 acres. The usual fee for location on government land is \$100. Names of persons doing a location business may be obtained by reference to the advertising columns of this paper. New settlements are developing rapidly in Millikan, Whitaker and Hampton valleys, southeast of Bend on the auto road to Burns. Government land is being rapidly filed on and will soon all be taken.

### Yellow Pine Timber.

Bend is situated in the yellow pine belt, there being 20 billion feet of timber tributary to this town. It is estimated. The Deschutes river furnishes excellent mill sites and logging ponds. Lumber retails locally at from \$10 to \$50 a thousand.

### Notice to Homeseekers.

Will locate you on good homestead and will let you work out location fee. See E. R. Post. 21f

You will find that one ton of coal will give you more heat than three cords of wood. Figure the economy. The Overturf-Davis-Miller Co.

**FIRE Insurance that PROTECTS**

M. S. Lattin & Co.

## NEW GRANGE HITS LIVELY CLIP

### Eastern Stars Making a Great Record.

Big Dance Inaugurates Hall Just Built by Volunteers East of Bend. New Organization Has Many Hustling Members.

The new Eastern Star Grange No. 482, established in the territory immediately east of Bend, has made a record which is said to be unsurpassed in grange work in the Northwest. Six weeks after first talk of getting up a grange was made, the Grange was fully organized and in operation, with a splendid hall of its own, and a prosperous membership. Six days after commencing construction of the hall, it was completed.

"That is going some! It shows there are some live wires in the country," was the way one enthusiastic organizer expressed it.

Building Rushed for Dance Saturday night the Grange held its first dance in its new hall, attended by 59 people. Tuesday morning work on the hall commenced.

Eighteen men, living in the vicinity, shared the work, all contributing their services toward erecting the building, which is 32 by 50. W. O. Waugh was overseer. The list of the volunteer workers is: H. E. Stewart, G. M. Erickson, Fred Reynolds, Nick Reynolds, W. H. Reynolds, Bert Torkelson, Philip Dencker, Philip Gardiner, C. M. Bragg, Clyde Wornstaff, Alonzo Moore, H. Helgeson, Andrew Moen, Lee Nickerson, Fred Nickerson, Arthur Cook and W. S. McNaught.

The hall stands upon an acre presented to the Grange by G. N. Erickson, the acre previously offered by H. J. Overturf being withdrawn, because Mr. Overturf sold the place from which the acre was to have been taken, and the new owner would neither give, sell or lease the desired land, say the Grange officers.

Dance Big Success. Dancing commenced shortly after nine Saturday night and continued until three thirty. At about midnight the Ladies' Junior Club served refreshments.

At the outset the music was supplied by Joe Aera, violin, and M. Kotsman, organ. After supper

these musicians were relieved by Jim Jones and C. R. Lowe.

The following persons, whose names were courteously supplied The Bulletin by Mrs. H. E. Stewart, were present from that community.

Messrs. and Mesdames Philip Gardner, Andrew Moen, W. F. McNaught, William H. Reynolds, F. P. Reynolds, George M. Erickson, W. O. Waugh, C. M. Bragg, H. E. Stewart, Mesdames Merrill, Taylor, John Kellam and M. Kotsman; Misses Anna Moen, Ada Cook, Jessie Moen, Louzetta Wornstaff, Gertrude Reynolds, Rada Cook, Miss Rowe; C. A. Lowe, Max Richardson, Joe, Clyde and W. J. Wornstaff, E. Hoech, Alonzo, Otis, C. and H. Moore, Arthur Cook, Bert Torkelson, Mr. Hunsley, Nick Reynolds, C. V. Barto, S. and Lee Nickerson, J. Jones and Joe Aera.

The following Bend people were at the dance:

N. P. Weider, Fred Bosell, Guy McReynolds, Steve Steidl, Miss May Gould, Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Moen.

Mrs. Jessie Boughton and daughter, Miss Edwin De Merrill, from Millican valley, also attended.

### Contributions Large.

In cash contributions, exclusive of the labor given, \$367.50 was subscribed. Below is given a list of the contributing persons and firms.

S. P. Reynolds	2.50
Clyde Wornstaff	2.50
Joe Wornstaff	5.00
C. R. Lowe	10.00
Alonzo Moore	5.00
Autis Moore	5.00
J. Peterson	5.00
H. E. Stewart	10.00
C. M. Black	5.00
W. O. Waugh	10.00
C. O. I. Co.	100.00
Philip Dencker	5.00
C. Kotsman	10.00
Dick Hunsley	10.00
E. Hoech	5.00
O. C. Cardwell	10.00
Cole E. Smith	2.50
Philip Gardiner	2.50
O. P. Dahle	4.00
O. C. Moen	5.00
W. J. Wornstaff	4.00
Oluf Swanson	5.00
Nick Reynolds	6.00
G. W. Hoech	10.00
Lee Young	2.50
C. W. Straight	1.00
Bert Torkelson	5.00
Arthur Cook	5.00
Bend Brick & Lumber Co.	10.00
Anton Aune	5.00
Bend Milling & W. Co.	2.50
Overturf-Davis-Miller Co.	10.00

R. M. Smith Clothing Co.	5.00
Bend Co.	10.00
Patterson Drug Co.	5.00
A. M. Lara & Co.	5.00
First National Bank	25.00
E. A. Sather	2.50
Skuse Hardware Co.	4.50
N. P. Smith	5.00
S. C. Caldwell	2.50
Deschutes Banking & Trust	1.00
W. C. McCuiston	1.00
H. J. Eggleston	2.00
M. S. Lattin	5.00
Hunter & Staats	3.50
O'Donnell Brothers	2.50
E. M. Thompson	2.00
A. L. French	2.00
Joe Aera	5.00
Bend Bulletin	2.50
Total	\$367.50

### Grange Officers

The officers of the new Grange are as follows:  
Master—O. C. Cardwell.  
Overseer—W. F. McNaught.  
Lecturer—H. E. Stewart.  
Steward—Andrew Moen.  
Asst. Steward—Louzetta Wornstaff.  
Secretary—Anna C. Moen.  
Treasurer—F. E. Mosler.  
Gate Keeper—Autis Moore.  
Chaplain—O. C. Cardwell.  
Ceres—Jessie Moen.  
Pomona—A. Moen.  
Flora—W. G. Waugh.  
Lady Asst. Steward—Minnie Moen.

### HARNEY HOLES STORE

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens Take up Homestead and Desert Claims There.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens, who recently arrived in Bend with a large stock of goods, will conduct a store at Harney Holes, in the homestead country. Last week they filed on homestead and desert claims.  
Mrs. Stevens was here last June as Ida Dinsmoor and took an extensive trip through Crook, Lake and Klamath counties. She was married last October to Mr. Stevens and they will make their home at Harney Holes. They shipped in a carload of household goods and stock for their store.  
Mr. Stevens has bought lot 14, block 1, in Kenwood.

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