

LOCALS CORRALLED ON HOME ROUNDUP

J. M. Stry drove in Tuesday.

R. H. Bayley was in from his ranch Saturday to trade.

Frank Murk is expecting some goods from Shaniko.

M. C. Aubrey returned this week from two days spent at Bend.

F. W. Leverage on Monday placed his order for a farmers' phone.

Jay and Sam Nichols had a very sick horse to cure for this week.

G. W. Updike returned to Laidlaw and headgate Monday from Prineville.

A. J. Harter was one of those who rode the goat at Prineville Saturday night.

Charley Low left Tuesday for Shaniko after a load of freight for G. W. Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patton and baby, and Jack McCormick, were in town Saturday.

J. C. Thorp caught 100 mountain trout in five hours Sunday in the Deschutes.

C. P. Becker has ordered 10 extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

Mrs. L. J. Witte has ordered 12 extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

E. B. James has ordered 15 extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

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Bob Horner, 11 years old, caught a whopping big fish, 16 inches long, off the wagon bridge Sunday.

R. B. Mutzig of Bend was in town Tuesday to confer with his attorney, W. P. Myers, on legal matters.

D. H. Kochenderfer is building a flume on his ranch together with several thousand feet of laterals.

M. N. Neill of Sisters has ordered two extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

Miss Fay Gerking returned to her father's ranch this week, after performing culinary duties at Tullar's restaurant.

G. W. Couch doctored a serious wound on one of his horses this week, the animal having torn itself on a barbed wire fence.

W. W. Long this week tore down his town barn, transferring the structure to his ranch to be rebuilt and used as a hay shed.

C. L. Johnson walked in this week from Madras, after taking the Bend stage that far from Shaniko. He is a son-in-law of L. V. Root.

Mrs. J. C. Thorp has raised 75 chicks from 5 hens, and has out, now, 74 more ovarines, 20 under one sifter. Fifteen chicks per hen is the way they raise poultry in Laidlaw.

Have you got an American battleship premium souvenir postal card at the Chronicle office? Subscribers and advertisers get one for each 50c, in trade;—or 3 for 10c.

Kirk Whited was in Laidlaw the fore part of the week from his ranch on the east side of the river, prior to his departure as far as Redmond with Commissioner Bayley.

Meredith Bros., at Cline Falls, are closing out everything at cost. Goods of all kinds in their big stock of general merchandise must go CHEAP. It is "up to you" to buy now.

Catholics in Laidlaw are requested by Father Hickey to perform their annual Easter obligation. He will hold services at Bend today, tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday. Masses on the latter day being at 8 and 10 o'clock.

C. E. Neilson, of Algona, Iowa, is at Bend with a view to investing in land. Here's a chance for the Laidlaw development league to get busy, print some literature and mail it to such strangers as Neilson and his friends back east.

W. P. Myers made two horseback trips to Bend Thursday and Friday on legal business. Attorney Myers appeared as counsel for the defendant in the case of Joseph Buckholtz against Marion F. Hodson, for a timber and stone entry.

John R. Fryrear was a caller at this office Friday night from Desert Spring ranch, east of Sisters. He had spent the previous week searching the mountains for his estray team, but found only one of the horses, on which he made a round trip to Laidlaw.

Correspondents wanted.

D. H. Kochenderfer and family were in for church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Couch paid a visit to Bend Monday.

Albert Harper's little son is just recovering from mumps.

F. V. Swisher brought in a load of fertilizer Saturday evening.

For first class jewelry repair work see G. W. Horner, Laidlaw.

Try Thorp's Herb Nourishment free at City Barber Shop for next 30 days.

G. W. Couch is bound Shaniko way after some goods for his father, J. L. Couch.

Mrs. Ella M. Ives came in Saturday to spend Sunday in town and attend church.

H. W. King fished at White Rock ranch Sunday, being the guest of G. W. Allen and family.

List your land or property with the Deschutes Valley Land & Investment Company.

Charley Boyd of Bend was in Laidlaw Sunday enroute to C. W. Allen's ranch down the river.

Wanted to buy—furniture on advertising contract. Address the editor of the Chronicle.

Ted Henry, who has been at Portland since last December, is expected back in Laidlaw soon, to help on the Tullar ranch.

H. W. King informs ye editors that, in all probability, the state engineer's surveying outfit will remain in Laidlaw until June 1.

Frank Edwards of Gist was in Laidlaw Saturday, on business for his sister, Emma Edwards, also of Gist. She is about to make proof on a fine homestead in this district.

Grover G. Gerking came in from the ranch Saturday to take Ray out to his father's Valley View stock farm, but it was noticeable that all the Gerkings were on the plaza again Sunday.

The Chronicle requests all farmers and ranchers who are sowing this spring to notify this office of the kind of crops being put in, number of acres, crop outlook and progress of farm work.

Franklin Seabury Tullar, 8 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tullar, caught a dozen mountain trout from the foot-bridge Saturday. When a small boy can do this well it speaks volumes for the piscatorial possibilities of the Deschutes.

Column rate will be paid to anyone who will get the courthouse news at Prineville for the Chronicle; county official, deputy, lawyer or lawyer's clerk preferred. Write at once, submitting first batch of news without awaiting a reply.

Edward Dean, who makes his home with the family of B. F. Nichols, was taken violently ill with heart trouble Sunday, and for several hours fears were entertained for his recovery but after careful and unremitting nursing he finally came around O. K.

Timber claims, desert entries and homesteads, to be legal, should be proved up by publication in the newspaper nearest the location of the land. Laidlaw is the nearest town to many of these claims, and the Laidlaw Chronicle is the paper to print your notice of publication in.

J. W. Brown, who has the George place rented in addition to his own land, is putting in 50 acres in mixed grain on the two ranches. His 400 gooseberry, currant and raspberry bushes, which were nipped by frost in 1907, are being carefully guarded this year with a good crop of small berries in prospect.

Rev. C. L. Lowther, the Methodist preacher on the Bend circuit, who holds services in the Laidlaw church every second and fourth Tuesday night, went to Gist Monday to arrange for services in the schoolhouse there the fifth Sunday in May, and if possible oftener than once a month. His next date in Laidlaw is May 24.

Put in your order now for the fine 12-page "blue and gray" Memorial day edition of the Laidlaw Chronicle! Two extra copies will be furnished free to all PAID-UP subscribers who speak in time. Extra copies will be mailed or supplied to all others as follows: Prior to May 7, 1c. a copy; then to May 14, 2c. a copy; then to May 21, 3c. a copy; then to May 28, 4c. a copy; after May 28 (day of publication), 5c. a copy or 6 copies for 25c.

George W. Snyder was in Saturday.

W. H. Hall was a caller in town Saturday.

George W. Couch was in from Deer Park ranch Saturday.

H. F. Ganit was scheduled for Bend about Sunday on business.

Neil Ray is due to leave for Portland, where he will remain indefinitely.

Jim Harter left Wednesday for Warm Spring Indian reservation to trade horses.

Hallie and Alva Parker and Elta Meeker fished in the Deschutes Sunday with success.

M. S. Bullard has issued a black-smithing price list composed at the Chronicle printery.

Albert Harter has ordered two extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

W. P. Thorp has ordered 25 extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

Perl Neill has ordered six extra copies of the Chronicle's blue and gray Memorial day issue.

C. W. Allen with in town Friday.

Mr. Hepps of Bend was down Tuesday.

A. F. Ramsey went to Prineville Saturday.

Walter Wheatly was in from his ranch Friday.

William Brown was in town from the Redwood ranch Monday.

J. W. Brown was in town Friday from his Primrose ranch.

Frank Murk was a caller at the Chronicle office on business Monday.

W. P. Myers' saddle horse was badly torn on barbed wire Tuesday.

C. S. Benson, the Bend attorney was in Laidlaw on legal business Tuesday.

Biddy, a faithful old horse owned by J. C. Nicholls' has been very ill this week.

Weather permitting, the editors of the Chronicle expect to visit Tumalo Friday on a scout for new business, and to greet the old friends of this paper.

BATHSON TAP AT THORP'S, 25c

James R. Bonham got his wagon fixed at the village smithy Saturday, and was here Sunday also.

County Commissioner R. H. Bayley left for Prineville Monday to attend the session of county court.

S. H. Davis and wife spent part of Sunday and Monday with their daughter, Mrs. W. P. Myers, and family.

Miss Nellie James anticipates another summer sojourn at Salem and Forest Grove after school closes a month hence.

Clyde Meredith and Dryden Rannals, both of Cline Falls, at work on the surveying outfit, spent Sunday with their folks.

E. B. James is moving his farmers' phone from The Corner Store to the James house on Cook avenue. He will also install a long-distance desk phone at the store.

Wanted to Borrow.—\$125, payable on or before two years. Security 1st mortgage on 160 acres patented timber land; 10 percent interest. Address "C" care Chronicle, Laidlaw, Ore.

William P. Thorp has fixed his bath palace so that any of the unwashed may wet themselves merely by turning on the faucet in the tub. The supply is artesian in origin, and tankorial in source.

W. R. Cook, democratic candidate for county school superintendent, will return here in a week or ten days on his way home to Culver. He is figuring on making a deal with J. C. Thorp for 40 acres of improved land.

A. D. Parks' horse was taken violently ill Tuesday and not expected to live.

L. H. Root and C. H. Spough were seen going through town a-fishing the first of the week.

C. G. Bennett returned Friday from Madras, where he went on a 3-day errand for W. P. Myers.

C. W. Allen has seeded 20 acres to grass, clover and alfalfa. He will have 70 acres in mixed grain this year.

Miss Margaret Chisholm came in Wednesday, and was a caller at this office, ordering 30 Memorial day papers to send east.

W. D. Barnes left for Prineville Saturday to take advanced degree work in the Odd Fellows' encampment, returning Monday.

W. E. Burkhard, owner of Clover Dale ranch; Thomas Stockley, F. M. Phillips and Alex Leverage, all substantial farmers and stock raisers of Gist, came to Laidlaw Saturday to register in the precinct, but all notaries public except Mrs. Stella D. Myers were out of town, and they couldn't see her. They will now have to swear in their votes at the June election. Notary W. P. Myers' commission had expired April 30, and is not yet renewed, though it will be soon; Notary A. F. Ramsay was at Prineville, Notary A. P. Donahue was at Portland, and William G. Stiles was also absent. Notaries John A. and Florence E. Seabury had not yet received their authority, either.

UP-TO-THE-MINUTE NEIGHBORHOOD BITS

Tumalo.

TUMALO, May 10 (Special Correspondence)—Mrs. George W. Wimer and Alice were visiting Mrs. Baker yesterday.

W. G. Hightower was down from Rosland last Tuesday and Wednesday taking out the remainder of the machinery from his Tumalo mill. He has now got all the machinery on the ground at Rosland and will have his mill ready to run in a few days.

L. H. Root and John B. Wimer fished near Laidlaw yesterday. Mr. Root never comes home empty when he goes fishing; it seems he can catch fish about as well where they ain't as where they are, but on the other hand John B. Wimer has to find them before he can catch them.

The Chronicle made a mistake when it published the Prineville circuit court proceedings last week, and other Prineville news. This is a new departure for the western Crook county papers, and it was very much appreciated by every one. We hope the Chronicle will keep the good work going on as we want to keep posted on all the news from the county seat.

Pleasant Ridge.

PLEASANT RIDGE, May 13 (Special Correspondence)—Mr. Green has 20 a. ready for seed.

William Burchell has 15 plowed and ready for seed.

W. L. Perry was home Sunday, returning to the ditch camp in the evening.

J. A. Voshug has in 20 acres of wheat, the rest of his 40 being seeded to alfalfa.

Mr. Chesler has the trees all cleared from his 40, half of it saged ready for plowing.

Mr. Irvin has his barn moved from Redmond to his farm, and is holding forth under the junipers. Irvin is sure to make it go.

Miss Francie Harader closed a successful 3 months' term of school Friday. We are sorry she has decided to lay down the rod for another calling.

The road from Perry's to Green's is fenced and cleared. It is a matter of but few weeks until it will be extended past the school house to intersect the Bend road.

Gardens are up, cherries and strawberries in blossom yet frosted, still we hope for summer. Of one thing we are sure—we will have summer when it comes to any part of the North West.

We are very sorry to note that D. Green-hugh, sr., has been very low again, this time near pneumonia. He is mending nicely, however, and with his constitution we here to see him cut again before long.

Friday night, the ladies and society gave a refreshment social at the school house. The young people, assisted by the young people of Cline Falls, rendered an interesting program, after which ice cream, cake and coffee were served by the ladies. Cline Falls was well represented. The proceeds were \$10.

Redmond.

REDMOND, May 10 (Special Correspondence)—Once more we take pen in hand, (begging the compositors pardon for its being a pencil) and sit down to write a little. We are enjoying a pretty fair prospect of good health, as Mr. Park sat up Saturday and took dinner with the family, after having been on her back for over three weeks, so we hope these few lines will find all your readers as prosperous.

The young folks Sunday night League or Endeavor meetings are well attended.

A week ago today the attendance at Sunday school was 71. Look out for us when we come over there next Sunday to the convention.

A meat market has been opened at the old stand with H. D. Spencer in charge. Fresh supplies every day, so come and get your meat.

And so the Democratic nominee for county judge is our former neighbor Wright at the west end of Cline Falls, bridge instead of Ochoee Wright with the same initials but transposed. We thought there was something familiar about the sound of that name.

J. E. Lamb and M. E. Landes will meet Lamb Senior and other Nebraskans in Shaniko this week. Mr. Hopkins comes with the car which they are bringing, and with two teams in the car they will endeavor to clean the whole thing up at one trip. We will all be glad to see J. K. back again.

Several of our citizens made trips to Prineville the past week. Some of them went voluntarily, as F. T. Redmond, Mrs. McLaughlin and mother, but most of them went on account of a little slip of paper received from the county sheriff. Most of them also returned. F. W. McCaffery and C. R. McLaughlin staying to serve as jurors.

It looked a week ago as though we needed a push committee to keep Redmond from being depopulated. There was Mrs. Irwin, who joined her son at Pueblo, Colo., Mr. Bauer and family, who went out with C. W. Munn's team for a Portland suburb, one family of Oakes who had to go back to Minnesota to look after some business matters, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin McCaffery, who rumor said were about to leave. We notice that Benny and his wife are still with us, however.

But the tide has changed and we have to report our rivals as usual. Mr. Gibson's mother is here from Indiana visiting. J. L. met her in Shaniko. Mrs. Hansen's brother visited it in from Shaniko. (Paddy over-remembered, Mr. Seabury, and have a remembrance.) Two families of Spencers joined their father and brother here, and J. E. Lamb with son DeWitt and family and neighbor. Hopkins and family are on their way from Rock county, Nebraska and are expected in by the close of this week.

Madras.

MADRAS, May 14 (Special Correspondence)—Fishing is good in the river; trout flies are out and a good many people are now eating the piscatorial dainties.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Snook, a daughter.

O. G. Culver of Culver has been recommended a notary public.

Miss Clara Healy of Culver has accepted a position in the J. P. Hahn store.

Miller McPherson has removed from Blizard Ridge to his father's ranch on Hay Creek.

Madras is in need of rain. Warmer weather in the grain belt of this district is essential to a good stand of wheat and oats.

A large number of women went to Prineville to attend circuit court, some of them being drawn as jurors, or subpoenaed as witnesses. Would it not be better to have a county seat here?

Some of the farmers near here have had to re-see their grain, as the heavy freeze and wind killed some of the first seeding, but the wheat that was put in last September is looking fine. A great deal of wheat is being hauled to Shaniko.

League Meets May 15.

There will be a special meeting of the Laidlaw Development League, Friday, May 15, at 8 o'clock.

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Ruth Bayley is a new scholar of Miss Nellie James.

John C. Stiles went to Sherwood Bro's ranch at Pleasant Ridge Friday after seed oats, stopping in town enroute to leave \$1.50 with the Chronicle force.

Mrs. Eugene Fickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dayton, arrived in Laidlaw with her baby last Friday night from her home at Gresham to spend the summer.

George Donahue, while in town this week, took occasion to prove up on his timber claim before Commissioner H. C. Ellis. His witnesses were F. E. Dayton and R. G. Sturgeon.

Combination Mary Lad, out of Foresta, now ready to stand for service either at Frank Murk's ranch or Wm. Brown's place. Price, \$3 when cow is in calf. When inconvenient to call, notify by farmers' phone.

Weather This Week.

May 8.—Partly cloudy; cold.
May 9.—Cloudy and cold.
May 10.—Fair and warmer.
May 11.—Partly cloudy; cold.
May 12.—Clear and cold.
May 13.—Clear in morning, cloudy in afternoon; hail, thunder and lightning and soaking rain at night.
May 14.—Heavy showers.

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