

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Slight snow Wednesday night. High winds Thursday, but not a cyclone.

Price is in from the southern part of the county.

There were five inches of snow at St. Monday.

J. W. Hamilton is quite sick with typhoid and neuralgia.

Palmer made a flying trip to the first of the week.

A Valentine craze did not get a start on Prinevilles this year.

Who have been hunting on the report deer a minus quantity.

The weather this week was not favorable to politicians and tender plants.

Only roads over in the Willow creek are reported in bad condition.

Glaze's cornet band will furnish for the dance next Friday night.

Hamilton says peace and poverty prevail in the southern part of the county.

Belonging of snow fell here Sunday night, but it was all gone by Monday.

P. B. Howard, who has been very ill the past two weeks, is slowly recovering.

Meyer and George Inelling, of the county, spent last Sunday and Monday at the fair.

There is still some money in the county, but it seems to be getting scarce.

At six weeks more rest for sheep and then the busy season of lambing begins.

It is in the middle of February, and the men report plenty of good beef to be had.

A recent term of circuit court in the county elected 11 candidates to the judiciary.

W. G. Wile, John Hampton and P. B. Howard came in from Camp creek at the masquerade.

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afraid to work at anything there is money in. Workers are always better respected than idlers.

An enthusiastic republican says he expects his party will elect at least two-thirds of the officers in this county next June. No democrat will believe it until after it is proven.

Sheriff Booth and Dick Vandervent found some play Indians at the masquerade which they could arrest, though they couldn't gather in those they found on the benches.

The republican central committee met last Saturday, and set March 1st as the date for holding their primary meetings and April 4th as the date of holding the county convention.

The report that Elder Ford will locate in Prineville is a mistake. He will reside in Walla Walla, though it is possible that an Adventist preacher may locate here in the future.

C. W. Elkins came down Saturday from Beaver. Although there is but little snow in that country, he says the Beaver cattle men are still feeling, and have about 4200 cattle up.

Miss Kiffin Gibson, of Post, bid farewell to friends and relatives on the 15th and left the state, going to The Dalles. From there she goes to Washington to attend the normal school of that state.

Taylor Hill returned Saturday from The Dalles, where he delivered 100 head of cattle to Mr. Buttrick to be shipped to Port Townsend. Mr. Hill reports the roads between here and The Dalles very muddy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Maling left by Wednesday's stage for The Dalles. From there they will go to San Francisco to attend the midwinter fair. They expect to be in San Francisco a month, and may remain all winter.

A. L. Skibbe, a restaurant keeper at The Dalles, severely stabbed a waiter named Watson on Wednesday last week, and there are prospects of the wounded man dying and Skibbe getting into the pen.

Messrs. Bowman and Baldwin crossed the Cascades from Sisters to the end of the O. P. They report having found only five feet of snow on the summit and one foot at the foot of the mountains on the west side.

Elders Kimb and Ford inform us that their meetings at Under church have closed for the present, however they may hold services there from time to time. At present they are holding a series of meetings at Clevered school house.

The populists are mentioning Wm. S. Uren, son of W. R. Uren, as a possible candidate for congress in the new district. He is a well known merchant, as a possible candidate for congress in the new district.

E. H. Hill, of Albany, brother of H. T. Hill, of this place, seems to be the populists' favorite for governor.

G. E. Dunsell, the county's prominent school superintendent, has been overhauled at Birchbush, Ill., his former home. He will be brought back, and no doubt will be given a few years in the penitentiary in which to meditate over his misdeeds. He is a moving object for that institution.

District Clerk Elliott has been endeavoring to get the persons of school age in this county, and reports some many experience. One man refused to allow his children enumerated because the district had failed to maintain a free school this year, and others didn't want their children counted because they might move out of the district.

Mark Orr left last Saturday for South Africa. He had intended going to San Francisco, but the reports of the fabulous richness of the gold mines of Africa attracted his attention, and he determined to cast his lot in the dark continent. The evening before his departure he was given a pleasant farewell party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Uren.

The following described losses came to the Castle ranch on Bear creek last July, and may be paid by the owner proving property and paying expenses: One yellow gelding with white feet and white strip in forehead, 8 or 9 years old, branded S C on right hip, and one brown gelding, star in forehead, right hind foot white, right fore foot red, five years old, branded S E on right shoulder.

On the 12th, the president made the following Oregon appointments: J. Barrett, to be auditor in St. W. H. Biggs, receiver at The Dalles land office, A. C. Cowing receiver at the Burns land office, T. A. Jones, register at Burns, and Wm. A. Wilshire, register at Lakeview. The Washington dispatches state that J. F. Moore, of Prineville, is in the lead for the office of register at The Dalles.

A terrible blizzard swept over the entire Middle West on Wednesday last week. It was the worst storm which has visited that section since the memorable storm of 1855. Snow fell to the depth of from 12 to 25 inches, and railroad traffic was suspended from the Mississippi river to the Rocky mountains. There was intense suffering and considerable loss of life occasioned by the storm.

Eugene is bringing a good deal about its communal government. It gets along this year with a small levy, and last year there was no municipal tax at all. The reason is they elect business men to office.

Prineville is affected pretty much the same way. We have been electing business men to office for a long time, and have got along without a municipal tax for five years.

Judge Sumner's labor was pretty well occupied last Saturday hearing arguments in the habeas corpus proceedings, wherein Leon Moore and Tom Yen, held for vagrancy, sought to be released from the custody of the town marshal. After hearing the arguments the judge remanded the prisoners to the custody of the marshal, and they have again begun working their way out of the county.

They are just as honorable to saw wood for living as to do anything else. Don't be

Burns must be in need of a little reform, judging from the following which sent up by the Herald: "Is Burns absolutely without law? And is it possible, if we have any law restraining fighting, obscenity, the lowest, villainous vulgarity and slang expressions possible for the human tongue to emit, that the town as a whole is powerless to enforce the law? How long is this state of affairs going to exist, or rather, be countenanced?" In another place it says the town is too poor to afford a marshal to suppress fighting and lawlessness. The town needs a guardian appointed.

Why will you insist upon your own learning possessions, when the world offers inducement for thousands of willing workers in the mechanical trades? The professions offer a life of luxury in nine cases out of ten, especially with the young man until he has spent half a lifetime establishing a reputation, while the master of a trade, if he has pluck and energy, can step into a remunerative position from the day he finishes his apprenticeship. Nine boys will probably succeed in the trades while one will succeed as a doctor, lawyer or prospector, and it is more honorable to be a first class workman at any trade than a failure as a "professional gentleman." Then why not encourage our boys to learn trades rather than study professions?

The Members. Wednesday evening's mask ball was one of those pleasant affairs which are always enjoyed by both participants and spectators. Everybody seemed to be there for fun and mutual enjoyment, and that all enjoyed themselves without saying. There were a number of loud-voiced, in fact elegant, costumes, while, as is always the case, there were some positively lumpy that they would have shamed the evil ones. Many characters were admirably sustained, but none so well, as the committee selected to award the prizes, as Mr. John Knox, representing Prof. Lippitt, principal of the Prineville public schools, and Miss May Holbert, representing an Indian woman. Mr. Knox so perfectly personated his prototype in appearance, dress and action that many of the students were quite confident that it was the professor himself calling them to "book" and chastising them for their misconduct. And Miss Holbert's representation of the "Jenny Maider" was indeed realistic. The character personated was as follows:

LADY CHARACTERS. May Holbert—Indian woman. Etta Lippitt—Frankie Anderson. Angie Lippitt—Sally. Lee Campbell—Sally. Mrs. S. F. Bellinger—Tilly of the valley. Eva Dicks—Tilly. Jennie Anderson—Tilly. Maggie Glass—Valentine. Maggie Knox and Lisa Ours—Tilly. Tilly Crooks—Moonlight. Minnie Crooks—Tilly. Mrs. A. Moore—Garnation pick. Mrs. L. Moore—Sally. Frankie Anderson—Tilly. Minnie Crooks and Laura Swalley—Moonlight. Mrs. M. A. Moore—Good luck. Sude Dalson—Familiar and. MRS. M. A. MOORE'S CHARACTERS. John Knox—Prof. Lippitt. Wade Holton—Alex. Mackintosh. John Swan—Tilly. James Hayes—Sally. Lucy Holton—Sally. Prineville—Dynamite girl. E. McCoy—Frank Holbert. W. H. Smith—Dynamite girl. Jim Crane—Elder Knox. (To be read at Prineville.) Elbert Belknap—Sally. Louis Velgrath—Sally. Arthur Milesworth—Sally. Frank Belknap—Sally. Alpha Belknap—Tilly. John Hampton—Tilly. John Wile—Indian police. Earnest Gerichson—Whom is my wife? Ora Belknap and Sam Hodges—Two big girls from the country. Alex. Mackintosh—Tilly. Walter Lippitt—Tilly. Carl Compton—Tilly.

Peccant to itself. Symptomatically successful has Hood's Sarsaparilla been that many leading physicians from all over the United States furnish testimonials of cures which amount to miracles. Hood's Sarsaparilla is not an accident, but the ripe fruit of industry and study. It possesses merit peculiar to itself.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. Sold by all druggists.

Democratic Club. Thursday evening a number of democrats met at the school house and effected the organization of a club to be known as the Democratic Democratic Club.

A motion prevailed that the officers of the club be president, vice president and secretary, to act as ex-officio treasurer. After the enrolling of 17 members, all of which were present, on motion of Arthur Hodges, Knox Holton was elected president, and on motion of J. W. Howard, G. W. Barnes was elected vice president and J. A. Daulton secretary and treasurer.

I. N. Lippitt, Arthur Hodges and J. W. Howard were elected to a committee on politics and invited a number of the members to meet at the school house on Friday evening of each week, and all democrats are invited to have one member.

DISOLUTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore existing between me and Walter O. D. Smith, in the firm of O. D. Smith, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that all debts due to or by the firm are to be paid to or by the said O. D. Smith, who is the only person authorized to receive or pay the same. O. D. SMITH. WALTER O. D. SMITH.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1894.

Call for Republican Primaries and Convention.

A republican county convention for Crook county is called to meet in Prineville on Wednesday, April 4, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing three delegates to the state convention, and for nominating a full county ticket, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The convention will consist of 48 delegates, chosen by the several precincts, as follows:

- West Prineville 5 East Prineville 4
Prineville 2 Black Butte 2
Cassidell River 2 Hay Creek 2
Willow Creek 2 Cross Keys 2
Upper Trout 2 Sattaman 2
Haystack 2 Mill Creek 2
O'Leary 2 Summit Prairie 1
Stovary 2 Hardin 1
Camp Creek 2 Bear Creek 1
Beaver 2 Farewell Bend 1
Ireland 1

The same being one delegate at large from each precinct and one delegate for every 15 votes or fraction thereof equal to or over 5 votes cast for Hon. W. R. Elkins for congressman, June, 1892.

The primaries for the election of said delegates and for nominating precinct officers will be held at the usual voting places in the respective precincts on Wednesday, March 21, 1894, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Resolved by the Committee, That all legal voters in Crook county, irrespective of previous political affiliations, who are now opposed to the proposed congressional legislation, whereby the raw material production of the South and West are put in competition with the cheap production of foreign labor, by being put on the free import list, and high protection duties upon goods manufactured from said raw material, in the interest of the one-board manufacturing cities of the East, are invited to meet with us and take part in our primary meetings.

By order of the republican county central committee. D. F. STEWART, Chairman. F. B. SOMMERVILLE, Secretary.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Most Perfect Made.

Gilliam County Wants It. The people of Gilliam county are becoming interested in the proposed new bridge across the John Day river, on the road leading from Mitchell, in this county, to Basco, in Gilliam county. Contributions for this improvement the Basco Journal says:

Nobody would the proposed bridge make Arlington the stopping point for about half of Crook county; it would make tributary to Arlington a vast territory in Grant county, situated along the John Day river. All the trade from those sections now goes to The Dalles, but when the bridge is built it will surely come to Arlington, as freight teams will be able to make the round trip to the latter point from two to three days quicker than to The Dalles. The bridge will not divert any trade from Gilliam county, but it will be the means of bringing to Gilliam county a large volume of trade that now goes to The Dalles. Once in a while a few freight teams come from as far up as Dayville by way of Fossil and Coconino to Arlington, but generally they, through fear of the river or the fall, prefer to take their load, etc., to The Dalles. Build the bridge, and it will be the exception and not the rule to freighters to go to The Dalles.

When Crook county is willing to pay half the expense of building the bridge in order that they may trade with us, Gilliam county will stand in her own light if she refuses to pay the other half.

\$1,000 for Nothing. Curtis Buntin, President St. Brooklyn, N. Y., spent \$100 with doctors, and at various points, in the effort to cure a bad case of rheumatism, but to no avail. Dr. Price's Lightning Remedy helped him from the start, and by its use he was fully restored. It will do the same for you if given a trial. Send 25 to the Dr. Price's Lightning Remedy Co., 48 Maiden Lane, N. Y., and they will send you express-address a month's treatment—two large bottles of their remedy. Agents wanted.

Black Butte News. Sisters, Feb. 13, 1894. While D. W. Allingham was hauling hay last week the top of the load slid off throwing Mr. Allingham from the wagon in such a manner that he struck on his back, almost breaking his neck. He is recovering slowly. The team ran off but were recovered by the heroic efforts of Master Andrew Bowman.

E. R. Cary says the worthy people of Prineville are the most generous people in the county.

G. D. Taylor was thrown from his car last week and was so badly injured, all limbs, but so bones were broken.

The Sunday school is well attended the ladies held a social every Sunday. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Adams is recovering.

Awarded Highest Honor—World's Fair. DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

The School Matters.

Quarterly examination of teachers was conducted at the court house this week by Supt. Belknap and assistants. Fourteen applicants were before the board as follows:

For state diploma, W. H. McFarland; for county certificate, Messrs. W. H. Davis, Frank Stroud and Wade Huston, Misses Tills Lafollette, Effie Williams, Susie Nelson, Minnie Crooks, Liza Wile, Frons Sullivan, Beattie Cramm, Gracie Stewart and Mona Terry.

A Reward of \$500 Will be given for any case of rheumatism which cannot be cured with Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy. The proprietors do not like this offer, but print it in bold type on all their circulars, wrappers, printed matter, and through the columns of newspapers everywhere. It will work wonders, one treatment curing any ordinary case. The two bottles will be sent to any address by express on receipt of \$5. Drummond Medicine Co., 48 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

Roll of Honor. Following is a list of pupils entitled to be placed on the roll of honor for the week ending Feb. 19, 1894:

- Charlie Mickel Frankie Dillon
Chas. Stroud Teresa Markham
Grever Ewing Hazel Howard
Lawrence Hilbin Una McMeekin
Cliff Leonard Ronda Claypool
Frankie McMeekin Frankie Bostwick
Iora Ward Clark Ewing
Eddie Swalley Willie Bostwick
Willie Bostwick Elmer Stroud
Charlie Summers Clarence Swalley
Winnie Cline Nora Swalley
HATTIE P. LINDA, Teacher.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

Call for Democratic Primaries and County Convention. A democratic county convention for Crook county is called to meet in Prineville, on Saturday, the 31st day of March, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing five delegates to the state convention, and of nominating a full county ticket, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The convention will consist of 64 delegates chosen by the several precincts as follows:

- West Prineville 7 West Prineville 7
East Butte 4 Crossed River 4
Bear Creek 3 Ireland 3
Stovary 2 Cross Keys 2
Willow Creek 2 Mill Creek 2
Camp Creek 2 O'Leary 2
Mihell 2 Beaver 2
Hardin 2 Sattaman 2
Upper Trout 2 Summit Prairie 1
Hay Creek 2 Farewell Bend 1
Haystack 2

The same being one delegate at large from each precinct and one delegate for every 15 votes or fraction thereof of 5 or more cast for Hon. A. S. Bennett at the election in June, 1892.

The primaries for the election of said delegates and for nominating precinct officers will be held at the usual voting places in the respective precincts on Saturday, March 24th, 1894, at 1 o'clock p. m.

By order of the democratic county central committee. Knox Huston, Chairman. Aurice Honors, Secretary.

Stop that Cough! Use Dr. Grant's German Elixer. It will cure incipient consumption, lung fever, pneumonia, bronchitis, whooping cough, croup, pain in the throat, and influenza. Pleasant to take and no danger from an overdose of opiate. Children cry for it. Ask Belknap & Sons and Templeton & Son for it, and take no other.

Business Change. Notice is hereby given that I have sold all my right, title, interest and good will in the business of the Prineville Hotel to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard, who will conduct the business in the future. Au Dooc.

Have You a Back Ache? If so, Dr. Grant's Kidney and Liver Cure will cure you. It will also cure Bright's disease, diabetes, inflammation of the bladder, yellow water, catarrhs or bed wetting, burning urine, brick dust sediment and all diseases of a like nature. It truly is the greatest gift to the aged. Sold by Templeton & Son and Belknap & Son.

Purify Your Blood! Dr. Grant's Syrup of Wild Grape cures scrofula or king's evil, malignant ulcers, tetter, salt rheum, erysipelas, ring worm, blotches, pimples, eruptions, boils, carbuncles, sore eyes, fever sores, swelling, tumors and all syphilitic affections of the skin, throat and bones. It acts as a gentle cathartic, cleansing and purifying the entire organic system. Sold by Templeton & Son and Belknap & Son.

In the Justice's Court of Prineville Oregon, for Crook County, State of Oregon. B. POTTER, Plaintiff, vs. HIS MENDOCILIAN DEFENDANT, To the Sheriff of Crook County, Oregon: In the name of the State of Oregon, we demand you to summon Ed. Mendenhall, the above named defendant, to appear before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace, in Prineville, Oregon, on the 15th day of February, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the address of said Justice of the Peace, to answer to a complaint of B. Potter the above named plaintiff, founded on an account, and wherein the defendant is charged with the commission of the action for which said complaint is filed, for which said action, together with interest at 8 per cent per annum from the 15th day of November 1893, judgment will be rendered against you, the defendant, if you fail to appear and answer said complaint. Given under my hand this 15th day of February, 1894. B. ELLIOTT, Justice of the Peace for said Prineville Precinct.

This statement is verified in my public office, by order of said Justice of the Peace, in the presence of a newspaper published in said precinct, county and state, named in said summons, and here by, and in said order, designated as the paper most likely to give notice to the said defendant, that such publication of this summons be made at least once a week for six full consecutive weeks, from the day of the first publication thereof, which order bears date the 15th day of February, 1894. B. ELLIOTT, Justice of the Peace for said Prineville Precinct.

BARGAIN SALES AT M. SICHEL & CO'S.

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Standard Patent Medicines, Paints, Oils and Varnishes, Dye Stuffs and Soap, Toilet Articles and Perfumery. STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS and STANDARD LITERATURE. A general variety of Druggists' Sundries, Tobacco and Cigars. Pure Wines and Liquors for medicinal use.

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OUR STOCK OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE, FURNISHING and FANCY GOODS, BOOTS and SHOES, LADIES' and GENTS' UNDERWEAR AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

Our entire stock is going at COST! Our prices Cannot be Duplicated. Remember cash buys cheap, and prompt attention is given country orders at

THE CHINESE BAZAAR. QUONG, HING & COMPANY, Props, AH TYE, Manager.

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The Largest Stock of STOVES, HARDWARE AND TINWARE In Crook County. GUNS, PISTOLS, AMMUNITION AND HUNTER'S SUPPLIES, Pumps, Pipe and House Furnishings, Hardwood, Woodenware, Granite and Cutlery.



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