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INTERESTING ITEMS

From Various Sections of
Wallowa County.

FRUITA.

Mr. Butler had the misfortune to lose his dwelling house and most of its contents by fire Tuesday of last week. But little clothing save that the family had on at the time the fire was saved from the hungry flames. The entire winter's supply of groceries, flour and etc. was consumed. The men folks of the family were away at the time and the fire was beyond control when Mrs. Butler discovered it, hence the family's great loss. The family came down from their burn home Wednesday. Mr. Butler will remain in the Park until spring with his family. Friends are aiding the unfortunates and will continue to do so until they are on their feet again.

Since my last paper to the Chief the weather has been clear and cold. Much ice is running in the river. The ground is hard frozen causing an empty wagon to proclaim its own approach. Cattle are gathering around last year's feed yards begging, mutely begging, or a few forkfuls of hay.

Tom Rich owner of the Grouse creek saw mill, is preparing to bank 200-thousand feet of logs near his mill for next season's run.

John Owens proprietor of the Freezeout creek saw mill will commence logging right away after the Christmas holidays. He hopes to get out logs enough to supply the needs of the down river settlers in the way of the very best quality of pine and fir lumber.

The L. J. Pizell cabin of which I spoke last week was pulled down a day or two ago, by the owner of the land on which it had stood so long. First this pioneer log cabin sheltered Mr. and Mrs. Pizell and their little daughter Ida, now Mrs. Wm. Himmelwright, the mother of three children. After several years residence in this cabin they abandoned it to bats and owls. These held undisturbed occupancy for half a score of years, then came the tramp of homeseekers. The owls took flight to some shady gorge in the mountains and the bats found other shelter behind the loose bark of some nearby dead pine tree. Barnyard fowls now took possession of the cabin just deserted by their dreadful foe, the owl. Here for five years they nested and reared their young, but now this historic cabin lies prone upon the ground never to rise again.

Grouse

The weather has been quite cold for some time. The snow is six inches at the river and three feet at the foot of the mountains. Everybody is busy feeding and a few are inquiring for feed which does not seem to be so plentiful as at the beginning of the winter.

Jake Smith was quite badly hurt by the falling of the saw mill roof which was caused by being heavily loaded with snow. He says that the only thing that saved him was the old engine bed near which he took refuge.

Arthur Fiddles is improving quite rapidly from the effects of a night spent in the mountains during our first snow storm.

Our country is increasing in population quite rapidly in the last month. Paul and William Moore, and E. Richmond, boys and Lee Dunning a girl.

Mr. Grinstead is carrying the mail from Flora to Grouse.

Misf Beach is teaching a very successful term of school in the new district. A basket supper was given last Friday night and the proceeds amounted to \$22 which was to be expended for the benefit of the school building.

School is also in progress in the Beesom district with an enrollment

of nearly 40 scholars. Literary on Saturday nights which is well attended.

A. D. Allen the assistant fish commissioner has closed a very successful catch, 8 million sock eyes and between 2 and 3 million chinooks. S. Holmes is building aware house and B. Wilson is gathering up the unneeded material for storage. Mr. Allen has worked very hard and should receive much credit. He is suffering from indigestion at present caused from being wet.

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Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon.
Nov. 18, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to commute and make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before John A. Rumble, U. S. Commissioner at Joseph, Oregon, on Jan. 6, 1903, viz:
H. E. No. 9147, James E. Montgomery of Joseph, Oregon, for the W 1/2 Sec. 21, SW 1/4 Sec. 23, NE 1/4 Sec. 22, Twp. 2, N. R. 46 E. W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Charles Wrenn, James M. Blakely, Bennett Davis and John Otto Wrenn, all of Joseph, Oregon.
E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon.
Dec. 3, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to commute and make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before D. W. Sheahan, U. S. Commissioner of Enterprise, Oregon, on Jan. 21, 1903, viz:
John W. Allen of Enterprise, Oregon, for the E 1/2 Sec. 1 Twp. 1 SR. 44 & lots 6 and 7 Sec. 4 Twp. 1 SR. 45 E. W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Robert L. Utz of Joseph, and William M. Snyder, Carrie O. Vest and James D. Zurcher of Enterprise, Oregon.
E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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H. E. No. 7676, Stelle Weatherby of Joseph, Oregon for the NE 1/4 Sec. 25, E 1/2 Sec. 21 and NE 1/4 Sec. 25 Twp. 2 S. R. 46 E. W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:
George U. Gowing, Robert L. Scott, and W. Hunter and Agnes M. Vest all of Joseph, Ore.
E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon.
Dec. 3, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. F. Burleigh, U. S. Commissioner at Lostine, Oregon, on Jan. 29, 1903, viz:
H. E. No. 7637, Newton V. Down one of the heirs and for the heirs of Mary Downs deceased of Lostine, Oregon, for the lot 1 Sec. 28 lots 1 & 5 Sec. 33 & lot 4 Sec. 34 Twp. 1 SR. 43 E. W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Newton J. Clark, Lewis Olsen, Ole Loftuen and John H. Cook all of Lostine, Oregon.
E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Delinquent Tax Notice.

All delinquent tax up to and including 1901 are now in my hands for collection and by a special order of the county court I am commanded to proceed to collect said tax without delay as prescribed by law, after due notice I shall proceed to collect said tax and when not paid in cash I shall levy upon and sell sufficient personal property to satisfy the amount of tax and cost. If there be no personal property then upon real property if there be any. This publication will be considered due notice.
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Sheriff Wallowa Co.
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