

LOCAL NOTES.

Ralph Caldwell was a Prineville visitor Wednesday.

M. C. Awbrey was a visitor in town the first of the week.

B. C. Low left Tuesday morning for a short visit in Prineville.

J. R. Brock was a visitor in Prineville the first of the week.

Frank Glass was a business visitor in Prineville last Saturday.

John Helfrich, of Lamonta, visited in Deschutes the fore part of week.

J. F. Booge and C. D. Wiesz returned Tuesday from a visit at Sisters.

Atty. George W. Barnes returned to his home at Prineville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank West were down from the Meadows the first of the week.

Joseph Taggart, Maxim LePage and Ed Brock went up the river last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Staats visited in Prineville during the fore part of the week.

John Ryan and H. J. Palmer returned from a visit at Prineville, the first of the week.

received. The jury allowed something like \$2 a piece for the kisses. If these kisses were worth that amount to the man alone, what was their total value? Here is an educational exercise.

Governor is All Right.

The effort of a few fourth class papers in different parts of the state, to make cheap political capital out of Governor Chamberlain's method of determining the need of a special session, has miserably failed. It is very easy to sit at a desk in an office where the scissors is the principal emblem of the profession and dictate as to the welfare of the people of Oregon. Governor Chamberlain is pursuing a businesslike, conscientious course, in studying the financial condition of the state, before he incurs an indebtedness of at least \$25,000 for the expenses of a special session, and every thinking taxpayer respects him more for this caution and solicitude for the welfare of the people. It is no small matter to determine the exact financial condition of the state, and no level-headed man would heap up this expense on the people without first satisfying himself that it is justified by conditions.—E. O.

Something Doing at Long Creek.

There is a rumor going the rounds to the effect that two of our fascinating young women had an altercation in town this week, but we are short of the particulars. It is said, though, that one of the combatants pulled three switches off the other's head and also kicked her in the stomach—below the belt. No arrests were made, but if this kind of business is kept up all the parties should be given a "benefit."—Long Creek Ranger.

Thos. Jones passed through town Monday on his return to his home at the upper stage station.

Thurman Moffat passed through town Monday on his way to Powell Buttes with a drove of cattle.

J. A. Tracy passed through town Monday on his return to the timber after a short visit at Prineville.

Mrs. A. L. Helferty, of Silver Lake, passed through Deschutes Tuesday on her way to Prineville.

A stock of Fry's Family Medicines or sale by W. H. Staats, Deschutes, and Smith & Wilt Sisters.

George Hobbs, of Powell Buttes, went up the river last Saturday with a load of grain for the stage stations.

George Whitsett, of Prineville, was at the Pilot Butte Inn last Sunday night on his way home from Silver Lake.

The Baptist Union Sunday School entertainment on Christmas Eve promises to be a grand one. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neil left last Sunday for their home at Prineville after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Staats at this place.

Miss Ethel Potter passed through Deschutes last Saturday on her way from Lava to the Matoles to which place she was called by the illness of a sister.

Work was begun on Creed Triplett's new building on Wall street last Tuesday. Mr. Triplett will have a complete stock of furniture on hand when the building is completed. The structure will be 20x30 ft. in size and two stories high.

We would advise all those holding timber claims, to investigate thoroughly all alluring offers to go into combinations to sell their claims, as it is not always gold that glitters. Some one has to be paid for their trouble in getting buyers, as well as the necessary office expenses, all of which you will have to pay if you are in the combine.—Chewaucan Post.

A New York young lady sued for breach of promise and it developed on the trial that she had some knowledge of bookkeeping and showed that under the contract some 1200 kisses had been

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, October 16, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements to-wit:

Ole Genness, of Buena Vista, county of Beltrami, state of Minnesota. Sworn statement No 2272, for the purchase of the sw qr sw qr sec 13, and sw qr se qr sec 14, and e hf ne qr sec 25, tp 22 s, r 14 e.

Peter Lindberg, of Bemidji, county of Beltrami, state of Minnesota. Sworn statement No 2273, for the purchase of the sw qr ne qr, e hf se qr, sw qr se qr sec 24, tp 22 s, r 14 e.

Nils Larsen, of Bemidji, county of Beltrami, state of Minnesota. Sworn statement No 2274, for the purchase of the se qr se qr, e hf se qr, se qr sw qr sec 25, tp 22 s, r 14 e.

Gust Berg, of Bemidji, county of Beltrami, state of Minnesota. Sworn statement No 2275, for the purchase of the se qr se qr sec 25, and nw qr nw qr sec 25, n hf ne qr sec 26, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w m.

That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1904.

They name as witnesses: Ole Genness, of Buena Vista, Minnesota, Peter Lindberg, Nils Larsen, Gust Berg, Arne Solberg, of Bemidji, Minnesota, Louis Nelson, of Bend, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the 13th day of January, 1904.
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Francis M. Roberts, Lima, (Rural delivery No 2) county of Allen, state of Ohio. Sworn statement No 2276, for the purchase of the se qr sec 13, tp 23 s, r 14 e.

Emil Nelson, of Seattle, county of King, state of Washington. Sworn statement No 2277, for the purchase of the se qr ne qr, ne qr se qr, sec 14, sw qr nw qr, nw qr se qr sec 13, tp 23 s, r 14 e, w m.

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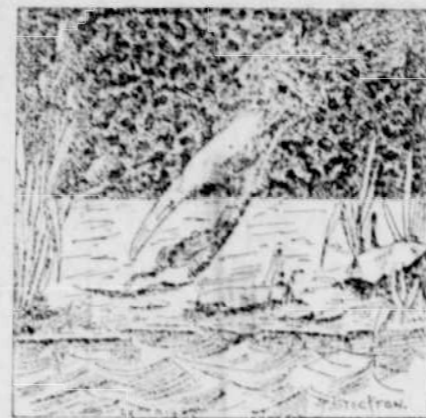
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