

LOCAL NOTES.

Jim Black was a visitor in town Monday.

John Blair left for the county seat Friday.

C. C. Hutchinson left last Sunday for Portland.

J. R. Brock went to Prineville Friday on business.

Fred Marsh returned this week from a trip to Portland.

Frank Orcutt was a visitor to Prineville on Wednesday.

Mrs. Dr. Merrill and two children arrived here Monday.

Mrs. A. C. Lucas was a business visitor at Prineville Monday.

Jim Sharp, of Prineville, was a Deschutes visitor the first of the week.

Quite a number of new men have been employed by the D. I. & P. Co.

L. C. Whitted has taken a position as timekeeper with the D. I. & P. Co.

Charles Lytle paid the citizens and fish of this place a visit the first of the week.

J. M. Lawrence attended the republican county convention at Prineville Wednesday.

Miss Jessie Andrews passed through this place en route for her homestead near Rosland.

W. H. Staats and Thos. Triplett are attending the county democratic convention this week.

Geo. Schlecht left Saturday for Ashland, Wisconsin, being called there by the serious illness of his mother.

John Sizemore went to Prineville Friday on business and to greet brother democrats at the democratic convention.

The New York Cash store has received a new shipment of gentlemen's hats. All the nobby shapes at extremely low prices.

Fishermen are beginning to line the banks of the river. Some fine strings of trout have been brought in during the past week.

Hugh O'Kane returned from Portland today. He reports a lively interest being taken in this section and says that a number of families contemplate moving here.

Theodore Anne left Tuesday morning for Ashland, Wis., his former home, where he will spend several weeks settling up business matters.

Ovid Riley and Frank Glass went to Prineville Tuesday where they attended the republican county convention Wednesday, as delegates from this precinct.

T. C. Rowlee and C. E. Lovell spent several days this week at Prineville in the interest of the D. I. & P. Co. While there they purchased for company use a fine driving team from C. Sam Smith.

A. S. Collins arrived Friday from Prineville with a load of freight for the D. I. & P. Co. He was accompanied by C. E. Lovell, who had been making extensive purchases for the company at that place.

A corporation known as the White Rock Irrigation and Power Company, has been organized to irrigate several hundred acres of land in the vicinity of Tetherow bridge. About a mile of flume will be necessary to convey the waters to the land. The company's tract of land is said to be very level and admirably situated. J. T. Tetherow, Earl McLaughlin, John R. Rannels, John Hammond are the incorporators.

L. E. Allingham was over from Prineville the first of the week.

M. C. Awbrey was a visitor in Prineville Tuesday and Wednesday, and was a spectator at the republican convention.

Thos. Triplett left for Prineville yesterday to attend the democratic county convention as a delegate from this precinct.

C. D. Weisz sold his team of driving mares to the D. I. & P. Co. this week. The deal also included harness and buckboard.

Miss Caroline Anne arrived Monday from Clarkston, Wash., and will make her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Anne.

Farmers' Ditch Progressing.

Money for ditch stock is pouring into Butler & Co.'s bank in a manner very satisfactory to the managers of the Farmers' Irrigating company. The first note of \$10,000 was paid off a week before it was due, and money for the remaining notes will soon be on hand, Monday, N. C. Evans, secretary of the company, said he had just finished writing contracts for 50 of the stockholders. Many of the farmers had the ready cash to make payments for their stock, while the others find money lenders quite willing to advance loans on land that is to be irrigated.

The only bad feature is the continued rains which are delaying work on improvements to the ditch. Snow still covers the ground in places, and wherever excavating has to be done the ground is so saturated with water that work with horses would be impossible. Considerable repairing has been done on the lower laterals. As soon as the weather permits, N. C. Evans will run levels for straightening up the main flume. Lumber for repairs can be secured from Frank Davenport's Mount Hood saw mill, hauled to the head of the ditch and floated down as needed.—Hood River Glacier.

CONTEST NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William P. Vandevort, contestant against desert land entry No. 130, made Oct. 1, 1901, for SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 section 25 Township 12 N, Range 2 E, James C. S. Taber Contestee, in which it is alleged that during the first year after making said entry said contestee wholly failed and neglected to expend the sum of \$1 per acre or any part thereof, either in improvement, or labor or in the cultivation of said tract; that during the first year after making said entry (that is, between October 1, 1901, and October 4, 1902) or at any time thereafter, said claimant failed and neglected to file proof of labor performed upon said tract as required by law; that said tract has been wholly abandoned by the said James C. S. Taber; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 21, 1902, before J. M. Lawrence, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Deschutes, Oregon; and final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 31, 1902, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 12, 1902, set forth facts which show that after good diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by d. m. and proper publication.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE.

In the county court of the State of Oregon for Crook county.

In the matter of the application of Charles Brock for a retail liquor license.

To the Honorable county court of the State of Oregon for Crook county.

We, the undersigned, citizens, taxpayers and residents of the precinct of Bend, Crook county, Oregon, would respectfully petition that your Honorable court grant a license to Charles Brock to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in the precinct of Bend, in Crook county, Oregon, for the term of six months. For this we will ever pray.

- T. S. Michel, J. A. McCourt, C. J. Cottor, J. J. West, W. F. Shaw, J. E. Buchanan, John Steidl, A. W. Pope, S. DeLong, G. B. Brosterhous, W. H. Staats, Barney Lewis, A. H. Grant, Milton Young, M. D. Mayfield, J. D. Oerton, George Schlecht, L. C. Whitted, M. C. Awbrey.

Notice is hereby given that the above petition will be presented to the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon for Crook county at the next regular term thereof, to-wit, on the 4th day of May, 1902, or as soon thereafter as the said court can hear the same, and will then and there ask that the said petition be granted and a license be issued to the said Charles Brock to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquor and fermented cider in less quantities than one gallon at the precinct of Bend, in Crook county, Oregon, for the term of six months.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1902. CHARLES BROCK.

NOTICE.

In the county court of the State of Oregon for Crook county.

In the matter of the application of Shaw & Brosterhous for a retail liquor license at Bend, Oregon.

To the Honorable county court:

We, the undersigned, legal voters of Bend precinct, Crook county, Oregon, respectfully petition the Honorable county court of Crook county, state of Oregon, to grant a license to James W. Shaw and George Brosterhous, partners under the name and style of Shaw & Brosterhous, to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors or fermented cider, in less quantities than one gallon in the precinct of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, for the term of six months. And for this we will ever pray.

- Chas Brock, J. W. Donked, John Steidl, I. J. Reed, F. A. Reisdorfer, L. O. Reed, Oliver Johnson, A. W. Pope, Ed Halverson, A. C. Lucas, H. F. Hunter, Ole Erickson, M. J. Morrison, E. W. Gille, Wm Stephens, S. C. Rasmussen, J. L. Keever, Milt Young, John Elder, J. R. Brock, Emil Swanson, Dan Heising, S. DeLong, W. F. Stewart, George Brosterhous, J. E. Cox, Theodore Anne, C. D. Triplett, C. D. Weisz, Jas Overton, G. A. Rowson, Theophile St Michel, W. F. Stewart, J. O. Sheridan, Ed Brosterhous, Al Schwartz, M. Brady, C. M. Filley, Barney Lewis, J. E. Cox, W. A. Gandy, N. P. Weider, Nick Smith, Arnt Anne, Antone Anne, John W White, George Schlecht.

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Dated this 4th day of March, A. D. 1902. SHAW & BROSTERHOUS.

NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Crook county.

In the matter of the application of Severst Debing for a retail liquor license at Bend, Oregon.

To the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon for Crook County:

We, the undersigned, citizens, taxpayers and residents of the precinct of Bend, Crook County, Oregon, would most respectfully petition that your Honorable court grant a license to Severst Debing to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors and fermented cider in less quantities than one gallon in the precinct of Bend, County of Crook, State of Oregon, for the term of six months. For this we will ever pray.

- Gilbert Hagan, Emil Swanson, Theophile St Michel, George Schlecht, G. A. Rowson, K. E. Paulsen, Chas Brock, E. W. Gille, Jas Overton, Barney Lewis, W. Rosebush, S. C. Rasmussen, Ole Erickson, August Dreyer, Oliver Thorbjornson, H. H. Grant, E. McLean, George Brosterhous, J. R. Brock, Wm Stephens, J. W. Shaw, L. O. Reed, I. J. Reed, Ballard Gile, A. W. Pope, John Elder, J. D. Turner, N. P. Weider, A. C. Lucas, Arnt Anne, E. Benjamin, Theodore Anne, George Anne, Oliver Johnson, Antone Anne, A. C. Schwartz, W. F. Stewart, J. E. Cox, Will Marsh, G. B. Swalley, Magem Lepage, C. J. Cottor, Milton Young, J. C. Atter, John J. Dolken, D. M. Morehouse, F. L. Marsh.

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Dated this 4th day of March, 1902. SEVERST DEBING.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, February 27th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 22, 1890, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the State of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

Charles S. Edwards of Deschutes county, Oregon, state of Oregon, has on July 9, 1901, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 293, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of section 22 in Township No. 12 S, Range No. 2 E, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. M. Lawrence, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Deschutes, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May, 1902.

Pre-named Charles S. Edwards, Gianni Marsh, Richard King and James Hunter, all of Deschutes, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land are required to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of May, 1902.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

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