

LOCAL NOTES.

A. Long left for Prineville Thursday morning.

C. D. Weisz is transacting business at the county seat this week.

J. Harcrow returned to Prineville after spending several days at Deschutes.

A. C. Stubling, of The Dalles, transacted business in town this week.

The government has issued twenty-one land patents to Crook county people.

C. E. Lovell went to Prineville for the purpose of purchasing supplies for company use.

Rev. Z. W. Commerford returned to Prineville after conducting religious services at Bend Sunday.

W. H. Staats returned from Prineville where he was in attendance at the democratic convention.

A fishing party composed of Messrs. Kelso, Lytle, Crabtree and Powell are busily engaged decreasing the number of fish in the Deschutes.

C. E. Dawson, the genial traveling man for Lang & Co., Portland, did business in Deschutes the first of the week.

W. I. Morhouse and J. I. West are the republican nominees for justice of the peace and constable for this precinct.

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

G. T. Sly, of Rosland, passed through this place on his way home after a visit of several weeks at points in Washington.

C. B. Allen and wife returned to their home from Prineville where Mr. Allen had gone as a delegate to the democratic county convention.

J. A. Rayl and wife are in Portland. Mrs. Rayl's health has been poor for some time, and she will receive medical treatment while away.

It is said that quite a number of mineral claims in the Cline Butte vicinity have been located on land owned by the Cline Falls Power Company. The land was formerly school land.

The D. I. & P. Co. has built two excellent bridges for their ditch where it crosses the Bear creek and Silver Lake roads. The bridges are stout structures and the approaches are well arranged.

Thos. Newhausen, special agent of The Dalles land office, will be in this place on official business next week. Mr. Newhausen has been a member of the government's land force for many years and is a very genial gentleman.

J. A. Ryan was down from his ranch Tuesday and has gone to Prineville on business. Mr. Ryan claims that he was unusually favored in the way of snow during the winter, but we suppose that it is the nature of farmers to complain about climatic conditions.

A. H. Kennedy, formerly of this place, has purchased the Prineville Review of Wm. Holder and is now sole proprietor of that publication. Mr. Kennedy has many friends in this vicinity who wish him success. Mr. Kennedy is one of the most expert job printers in Eastern Oregon.

Notice to Voters.

Now is the time to register. You have only up till 5 P. M. on May 15 to register, and it is imperative that registration be accomplished

as speedily as possible. Be sure and have your location—lot and block, or number of room when in hotel, or section, township and range when out of town. This is to facilitate registration and is equally a time-saver to the voter and the county clerk.

This registration is for two years and covers the coming presidential election.

Remember and bring your location, as the clerk cannot take time to look up plats or records, as there will be several hundred voters to register in the next two months.

J. J. SMITH, County Clerk.

Advertised Letter List.

The following letters remained uncalled for at the Deschutes post office for the month ending Feb 29th., 1904.

James Johnson Stanley Gray Mr Chas Hoffner Mr W S Holbrook

Parties calling for any of the above letters will please mention the fact that they are on the advertised list.

W. H. STAATS, Postmaster.

Ochoco Running Amuck.

A sudden onslaught of extremely hot weather brought the Ochoco up to the danger point on Saturday and Sunday, and a lively interest was shown in the welfare of the hose barn of the fire company and a stable on the bank of the river.—Review.

CONTEST NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, March 31, 1904.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William P. Vandever, contestant, against desert land entry No. 109, made Oct. 4, 1901, for N 1/2 SW 1/4 and S 1/2 NW 1/4, section 23, Township 17 S, Range 12 E, by 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 improvements or labor or in the cultivation of said tract, that during the first year after making said entry (that is, between October 4, 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 allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 21, 1904, 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, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

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 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 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 the County of Crook, State of Oregon, for the term of six months. For this we will ever pray:

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, 1904, 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.

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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:

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NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for in the matter of the application of Severt 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 respectfully petition that your honorable court grant a license to Severt 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:

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, 1904, 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 Severt Debing to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors and fermented cider in less quantities than one gallon at the precinct of Bend, in Crook County, Oregon, for the term of six months.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, February 25th, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 15th, 1897, 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.

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