

LOCAL NOTES.

Ed Ferguson left for Prineville Monday morning.

G. F. Moorehouse has been unwell for some days.

The mother of N. P. Weider is one of our new residents.

A. C. Lucas made a business trip to Prineville on Tuesday.

W. W. Orcutt and Frank Orcutt were in Prineville Wednesday.

Charles Swalley is transacting business in Prineville this week.

Baseball is a popular sport at this place and a good team is in prospect.

The trout flies are out on the river and fishing is the popular amusement.

J. A. Ryan was a business visitor at Prineville on Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. H. Brock and J. R. Brock spent several days this week at the county seat.

The Deschutes river has been very high this season and shows few signs of receding.

W. A. Bell and wife left for Prineville Tuesday after having spent several days here.

Rev. Z. W. Commerford returned to Prineville Monday after conducting services Sunday.

L. C. Hoffman, of Walla Walla, Wash., came into town looking over the country with a view of locating.

Otto Gray, candidate for treasurer on the republican ticket, paid this section of the county a visit this week.

Lake county sheriff claims to have trailed the sheepkillers, who exterminated a band of sheep, into Crook county.

A. L. Goodwillie returned on Friday from Portland where he had been for several days.

L. A. Booth, of Prineville, spent Sunday on the river with designs on the fishy tribe. He left for home on the Monday stage.

James Overton went to Prineville Thursday to receive medical treatment. Mr. Overton has been suffering for some time for stomach trouble and is receiving treatment from Dr. C. S. Edwards.

W. E. Guerin, Jr. will participate in the coming campaign by making several speeches in different parts of the county. Mr. Guerin was prominent in republican politics in his home state, Ohio.

Some miscreant shot a cow belonging to W. H. Staats, breaking her leg. The act must have been purposely done as there is no hunting being done at this season. The perpetrator deserves a term in jail.

The registration for Crook county is not yet fully determined as some of the precincts have not thus far made returns. In most precincts the registration ran below the number registered two years ago.

Mr. Rasmussen, who has been engaged in carpenter work about town during the spring, has gone to Portland where he will receive medical treatment. Mr. Rasmussen's health has not been good for some time.

Thos. Neuhausen, accompanied by his wife, came over from Prineville Friday evening and will examine timber claimants and those who have made homestead proofs and have not yet been interviewed by a special agent.

The new water wheel of Reed & Steidl mill will be in place

shortly and lumber will be more plentiful. A great deal of attention has been given by the company to raising the head of water and securing an escape for the water from the wheel.

N. P. Weider is out of the list of enthusiastic ball players for some weeks to come. He was engaged in instructing A. L. Dudley in the proper method of catching a ball when the sphere caught the end of his finger and badly wrecked the digit. Mr. Weider had the finger attended to at Prineville Monday.

Dr. Edgington, of Wasco, Sherman county, came over Friday and will spend several days in looking over the country. Dr. Edgington is looking for land and has visited various parts of Crook county and is favorably impressed with the section. He will look over this section and may settle among us.

A. H. Kennedy left for Portland Sunday on a brief business visit. He expects to return tomorrow. During his absence L. N. Liggett is wielding the pen on the editorial staff on the Review. The office force at the Review is authority for the statement that brother Kennedy has designs upon a young lady near Moro who will soon become a life partner in the printing business.—Crook County Journal.

General Prine Arrested.

General Prine, who is well known here, was arrested this week at Prineville for an assault with intent to kill his mother, and on Wednesday was bound over to the district court under \$1,000 bonds which he failed to furnish, and was committed to jail. The accused is a horse trainer of about 35 years of age and has been much addicted to drink. The assault was committed Tuesday night of last week and the aged mother with her nose broken and otherwise severely injured was left without care until the succeeding Thursday, when neighbors came to her aid. Much indignation was felt towards the son, who was charged with crime, and there was talk of dealing with him summarily. Calmer counsel prevailed, however, and he will now await a trial in district court. On account of her age, Mrs. Prine may yet succumb to her injuries. The motive of the assault is not yet fully explained but it is thought that it was an attempt to obtain \$180 which the aged lady had in the house.

A New Town Probable.

Quite a settlement has sprung up at the Pickett Island crossing of the Deschutes this year, and it is very likely this will be the scene of a new town in three or four months hence. Pickett Island is the place scheduled for the crossing of the Corvallis & Eastern if that road is ever extended into Eastern Oregon, and capitalists are seemingly of the belief that such projection is not without the range of possibilities. Portland men, of whom W. A. Laidlaw is one, have erected a store there to catch all the advance trade. This store, it is said, carries a \$1000 stock of general merchandise and is already doing a brisk business among the people who have recently settled in the neighborhood. The advent of this new community has been quiet and unheralded, and about all the land in the vicinity of Pickett Island has been taken up by homesteaders. As the right of way for the Columbia Southern Extension also passes near by, it would seem to be a most desirable location for a city.

At any rate, we wish the new settlement all prosperity.

Portage Railway Convention.

Our Senior editor returned from the Portage Railway meeting in the Dalles Wednesday evening, where he attended four long and interesting sessions of the convention, participating as a delegate from Sherman county. Every county bordering on the Columbia river in three states Washington, Oregon and Idaho, was represented, and a powerful organization was perfected, with over 150 members, united to push that project to completion. Nobody is opposing. Mr. Taffe, as The Observer has before stated, has given free right of way, and the O. R. N. Co don't own all the earth and rocks and sand about there. Indeed, it is doubtful if the company has title to the land covered by its present iron and ties.—Moro Observer.

Rumor of Hill Railroad.

A dispatch from Klamath Falls to the Oregon Journal, says that a son-in-law of J. J. Hill and Chamberlain, the western manager of Hill's lines are at that place for the purpose of looking over the country to determine railway prospects. There is evidently a desire on the part of Hill to get into Central Oregon and cut it off from being a Harriman feeder, and probably lumber companies who own large tracts along the Deschutes and in Klamath counties are urging the building of a road. A Hill road would necessarily follow the Deschutes valley.

Harry Broker, formerly connected with the Bend Mercantile Company, is now the owner of a well patronized cigar stand in the Hotel Scott, Portland. Mr. Broker is doing well in getting into a position to enjoy the tourist trade during the Lewis and Clark fair. He is a member of two orchestras.

The state of New York has fallen in line and has appropriated the sum of \$35,000 for the Lewis and Clark exposition. This is the largest appropriation thus far made by any state outside of Oregon.

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