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Local Events of the Week.

H. W. Reed's son arrived in Bend a few days ago. He likes the place and the country, and will probably locate among us.

A party of young people, chaperoned by Prof. Hampton, made a visit to Lava island last Saturday. Prof. Hampton stretched himself out on a nice warm rock and went to sleep while the young folks fished. The professor's services as chaperone are much in demand now.

The Reception Saloon, Shaniko, offers the most tempting inducements to timber locators going into the woods. The very best brands of whiskies, such as Cyrus Noble, Old Pepper, Hunter Baltimore Rye and other standard goods, always to be had here. Call at the Reception.

S. D. Percival, foreman of the Silver Lake Central Oregonian, passed through Bend Wednesday, bound for Prineville. Mr. Percival goes to Prineville to make a personal investigation of the smallpox epidemic, having been delegated for that purpose by the citizens of Silver Lake.

The sawmill belonging to the P. B. D. Co. is undergoing a thorough repairing and cleaning up, to be ready for a big summer's work. Mr. Dorrance is the engineer in charge, and the sound of the whistle three or four times a day is the first symptom of the future manufacturing activity of Bend.

In setting up the account of Miss Marion Wiest's birthday party last week the compositor inadvertently got his fingers into the wrong box, picking up an 8 instead of a 7, and making the article read her 18th birthday instead of her 17th, a mistake which nearly caused the unlucky, blundering typesetter the loss of his scalp. We assure the charming little lady we had not the slightest intention of making her so old, and will make up for it on the occasion of her next birthday.

J. M. Lawrence, the new U. S. commissioner for Bend, arrived here on Tuesday, the 21st. Mr. Lawrence had a hard trip in from Shaniko, and was nearly starved to death. He was taken down to the "owl's roost," however, and fed on trout which the Bulletin force had caught. We counted the vertebrae of 49 stacked about his plate, the least of which was 11 inches long. If Mr. Lawrence is as competent a commissioner as he is a fish-eater, the people of Bend and the people who have any land business to do with him need have no fears.

Mr. Michael Morrison is hard at work building a house near Dad West's place. He hopes to be occupying it some time next week.

Mr. A. L. Hunter, of Burns, Oregon, a brother of Joe Hunter, has moved his family and furniture to Bend, and will make this place his home.

Gail Newsome, of Prineville, arrived in Bend yesterday, with a stock of badly-needed vaccine points. In a few days we will all have sore arms.

Mr. Steidl has moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Young, and we understand that the Vandeventer family will soon be seeking quarters elsewhere in the neighborhood.

Mr. J. M. Lawrence, our new U. S. commissioner, has taken up his quarters in the "bunkhouse," opposite the P. B. D. Co.'s store, where he is prepared to do all sorts of land business.

One of Mr. Wiest's full blood Plymouth Rock hens laid an egg on Thursday which was about the size of a small watermelon. Mr. Wiest says that this is a usual occurrence, and he intends to raise a strain of double-headed, four-legged chickens from these eggs.

The sounds emanating from the Pilot Butte Development Company's sawmill are causing the sleeping industries of this section to awaken. We hear the whistle now about four times a day, and it makes the prospective home builder feel good to see the lumber stack up in the yard.

Mr. D. F. Steffa, of whom we have heretofore made mention—several times, has nearly completed the list of avocations necessary to qualify for a license as jack-of-all-trades. He has now added trapping to his menu, and among a fine lot of pelts now in his possession we will state that he "skun the cat" yesterday on the limb of a juniper tree, and now has the feline peltry, along with some choice samples of skin from his own anatomy.

If a person had been passing down the road past Mr. West's house on Wednesday afternoon he would have seen all the symptoms of a combination miniature cloud-burst, whirlwind and volcanic eruption about those premises. The school board had a meeting in Mr. West's house, and all kinds of blue smoke and sulphurous vapors came out of the windows and knotholes during the session. We know of no personal damage, and Mr. West is thankful that his house was thoroughly fumigated at little cost to himself.

R. Bond whiskey is to be had at the Pioneer Saloon, Shaniko, J. J. Wiley, proprietor. A good grateful drink, refreshing, invigorating.

When you are at Shaniko, remember the Pioneer Saloon is the place to get fine liquors. The best is none too good for you, and we dispense the very best.

B. A. Strawbridge, T. H. McCann and E. I. Hurley, of Cass Lake, were in Bend today to file on timber claims. They were located by Walt Bivens, of Prineville.

Mr. A. M. Drake is expected home soon, and will probably bring in a lot of men to work on the irrigating ditch. He will also have some ditching machinery, and it will not be long until a part of the water of the lordly Deschutes will be slaking the thirst of the desert.

The annual statement of the financial condition of Sherman county—as printed in the Wasco News—showing \$35,536.75 aggregate cash on hand after all expenditures, is something of which the inhabitants of Sherman may well be proud; and it should cause the officials of some of the other Oregon counties to go to Sherman and find out how they do it.

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We have assurance now that Mr. E. E. Lytle of the C. S. Ry. will have materials assembled and preparations made to start work on the Bend extension this season. We have thought all the time that the paper talk about the O. R. & N. extending was simply a bluff, and are very glad to learn that the C. S. Ry. will extend its own road, and that very soon.

Bend to Celebrate.

If our proposed Fourth of July celebration is a success, it will be a great thing for Bend and its business men. There is no reason why it should not be a success, and a big one. Of course, the successful culmination of this celebration will have to depend upon the rustling ability of the people who have it in charge, and they cannot do it all. The people of Bend must co-operate and help the good cause along. Along the Deschutes here are any number of pretty groves where we can hold the jollification, and it will be, by long odds, the most pleasant celebration that has ever been held in Crook county. There is plenty of ice to be had for circus lemonade and ice cream, and we can go up the river and get a black pine tree for the greased pole. The program committee will meet in a few days and make a start on the list of events, and will make arrangements for a liberal display of advertising in the shape of posters and newspaper writeups.

Let everyone join in the good work and help the committee in their labors. It will be to the interest of every one, and the community should step up as one man and add their individual mites.

Baseball Association Organized.

On Saturday evening, the 18th, the baseball enthusiasts at Bend met at the district schoolhouse and perfected the organization of the Bend Baseball Association. The following officers were elected:

Arle C. Hampton, president.
Don P. Rea, vice-president.
A. G. Richardson, sec. and treas.
D. F. Steffa, manager.
Chas. Brock, captain.

The association now consists of about thirty members, numbering nearly all the younger people of the vicinity, and its subscription books are open to all comers. A great deal of interest has been shown by the young men of the community, and they have contributed their initiation fee of fifty cents each very cheerfully.

Mr. Richardson is the man with the dough. He has ordered a complete outfit and intends to superintend the erection of a commodious grandstand, work on which will commence soon.

On Wednesday evening of this week another rousing meeting was well attended at the schoolhouse, in order to ratify the constitution and by-laws and to receive reports of committees, etc. It was suggested that the Baseball Association correspond with one of the Prineville teams or some other team in the neighborhood and open negotiations for a game on the Fourth of July. It was also suggested, incidentally, to this, that the association get up a regular program for a celebration on that day. The following committee was appointed to arrange the program and to invite the co-operation of the firms, business men and citizens of Bend: D. P. Rea, D. F. Steffa, Chas. Brock, Will Brock, H. J. Palmer.

A committee of three was appointed to superintend the work of preparing a suitable ball ground, consisting of: I. M. Stewart, Chas. Stroud, Ed Hill.

There will be a meeting of the Association on Thursday, the 30th, and everyone interested should turn out in force, as we want to make the ball team a winner and the prospective Fourth of July celebration a sure go.

How to Cook Trout.

Many of the best cooks in the country cannot cook the speckled trout. If you simply throw them into the frying pan and cook them as you would a steak, your effort to tickle the palates of your epicures will be a flat failure, and they will arise from the table after trying to eat a piece of one fish—and forcing that down—wondering whatever there can be in trout that people try to eat them. If the following rules for preparing the fish for the table are adhered to, you will find that you will never have enough to go around:

1. Roll them in a mixture of flour and cornmeal, and, after greasing your pan well with lard (butter better, but not essential), place fish over a medium brisk fire.

2. Season thoroughly with salt and pepper. Don't be sparing with either.

3. Fry till there is a beautiful crust of brown on under side of the fish. Don't turn until brown.

4. Turn, and season the cooked side. Sprinkle pepper and salt on until you have enough, and then add a little more.

5. Then fry the other side till the brown covers the specks on the fish.

6. Serve hot.

Follow these rules to the letter, and you have a feast—a gorge. Omit one of them and your fish are spoiled for the table, but can be utilized for fertilizer. This recipe is given gratuitously by the Bulletin force to the public, and can be attested to if necessary. We claim

no monopoly in the art of cooking trout. But it isn't every cook that prepares them properly.

Pin this over your range.

The following we clip from the Wasco News. We do not vouch for the efficacy of the recipe as a preventive of smallpox, but as a good spring medicine for everyone, even those in the best of health, it is undoubtedly worth trying: "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and one of the best remedies for the prevention of smallpox is a mixture of equal parts of salts, sulphur and cream of tartar. The dose should vary from a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful each day, according to the effect it has upon the patient—just enough to keep the bowels regular." This, together with disinfection, vaccination, and isolation, and a hot bath thrown in semi-occasionally for variety, should guarantee the absence of smallpox, and deserves the consideration of thoughtful people.

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