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The best line of whiskies and cigars in Crook county at The Office saloon.

Secretary R. F. Guerin, of the D. I. & P. Co. arrived from Portland last Tuesday!

Dr. C. W. Merrill has this week treated his drugstore building to a new coat of drab paint.

We are in the wall paper business and won't be undersold by anyone. Merrill Drug Co.

J. F. Taggart has taken the stage drive between Rosland (Bogue's) and Silver Lake and will hereafter make his headquarters at Rosland.

Peter W. Christiansen, of Alden, Minn., has decided to cast his lot with the Bend country and has taken land in the D. I. & P. Co.'s segregation.

S. C. Caldwell, the plumber, left yesterday for Albany, where he has some contract work to finish before transferring his interests wholly to Bend.

Lewis McCallister and George H. Perkins, of Sisters, were Bend visitors Tuesday. Mr. Perkins has taken a homestead in the north-eastern part of 16-10.

Postmaster Grant this week installed 36 more lock boxes at the postoffice, making 64 in all. And the new ones are nearly taken already. The growth of postal business at Bend is fully keeping pace with other developments here.

Now Check O'Kane is dead. The little fellow was much bragged upon by his master and was soon to have his varied accomplishments exhibited to show his superiority over his brothers, but he woke up dead last Monday morning. No cause is known.

The work of blasting holes for new peeled pine telephone poles for the local exchange is in progress this week. A heavy blast at the Mutaig corner yesterday wrecked the new sidewalk and heaved rocks about in reckless fashion but didn't even crack a window.

Uncle John Sisemore has concluded to board at the Farewell Bend hotel, which was recently his, until spring, when he will go over to Jackson county and straighten up his affairs there. Then he is likely to return to the Deschutes country, though he has made no definite plans looking so far ahead.

Over in the new district two schools were started this week—one at Laidlaw, taught by Miss Grace Cook, and one at the Hightower & Smith sawmill, taught by Miss Belle Cook. There are several children at each place and they are too far apart to combine. Private buildings are used and the teachers are paid from private subscriptions.

Bull Creek Flat now comes up for recognition as a producer. J. H. Edwards, who caters to the Bend market most of the summer, brings in a red wethersfield onion that weighs a pound and a yellow danvers onion nearly twice as big. These are not marvelous for this country but they are offered to refute the notion that "they can't raise nothin' out there."

Dr. H. J. Whitney, John Byers and W. H. Granger, of Davenport, Wash. were in Bend last week looking for investments in irrigated lands. They found the reclaimed land of the Deschutes could be disposed of only in 160-acre tracts and that the requirement of \$1 a year for water service, whether water is used or not, would compel owners to make use of their land and not hold it for speculation. "It's a fine thing for the country" they admitted "but there is nothing in that to induce us to buy and idly hold for a rise."

The News of Tumalo.

The Tumalo school opened last Monday morning, October 21. There were five pupils enrolled, namely, Vera Mackay, Pearl Hightower, Alice Wimer, Laurence Smith, and Wilton Smith; Miss Belle Cook of Laidlaw is employed as teacher.

Mr. Smith, of the Hightower & Smith company, with his wife, made a trip to Prineville last Tuesday, returning on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, from Josephine county, are visiting at the Wimer home. Mr. Wimer is Mrs. Baker's father.

The News of Laidlaw.

A large two story hotel building is being erected by W. W. Long. It will be ready for use by the first of December at which time Mr. Long's family from Washington will come and take charge. H. H. Bayley has a substantial house and barn put on his farm two and one half miles west of town. He is now on his way to Shanks to bring out his family.

Laidlaw public school opened with a good attendance last Monday, with Miss Grace Cook as teacher.

G. L. Simmons has given up the joys of camp life and moved into his new building on his place two miles south of town.

J. C. Tullar will soon have a roomy livery stable completed.

Mr. Odell is putting up his cottage on his town lot and will live in town this winter.

Services are held over Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. C. George at Cook's Camp. All are invited to attend.

Bert Miller has moved into his new residence on his place one mile south of town.

The first effort to dispose of sewage scientifically in Bend is represented by the septic tank this week installed for the joint use of the Guerin and Lawrence dwellings and the Goodwillie bungalow. This is said to be a cheap and effective manner of disposing of sewage and if it comes up to the claims of the medical sharps who advocate it the sewerage problem for Bend is already solved.

DENTAL WORK.

PRINEVILLE OREGON, OCT. 24—Editor Bulletin: Will you kindly inform the people, through your paper, that I will be in Bend, Nov. 9th prepared to do all kinds of dental work. I can only stay a few days and those wishing work done please call promptly. HAROLD CLARK, D. D. S.

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, October 17, 1904.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James B. Green,

of Bend, Oregon, contestant, against H. E. No. 1212 made Dec. 21, 1903 for the NW 1/4, Sec. 15, T. 33 N., R. 14 E., W. 10. by Henry C. Houlton, contestee, which it is alleged that said contestee has wholly abandoned the said land, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months last past and that he has not settled upon and cultivated the said tract as required by law, and that such alleged abandonment is not due to service in the army, navy, or coasting trips of the United States, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence concerning said allegations at 12 o'clock a. m., Dec. 6, 1904, before J. M. Lawrence, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Bend, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on Dec. 10, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the U. S. Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Oct. 12, 1904, set forth facts which show that after due diligence on the part of this office can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publications.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION, U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, October 6, 1904.

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,

Charles B. Betts, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has on November 4, 1903, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1470, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 30 N., R. 10 E., W. 10.

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 the Register and Receiver of this office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 4th day of January, 1905.

He names as witnesses: Bennie Johnson, Fredrick A. Jette, David Morris and Nathan C. Hobbs, all of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 4th day of January, 1905.

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Charles B. Lewis, of Seattle, county of King, state of Washington, has on Sept. 26, 1903, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1223, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 30 N., R. 13 E., W. 10.

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 the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 5th day of January, 1905.

He names as witnesses: John H. Rowland, George Ford, Julius Singer, and Ernest H. Morton, all of Seattle, Washington, R. J. Gorman, and D. Eaton, of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 5th day of January, 1905.

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Nathan C. Hubbs, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has on November 4, 1903, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1470, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 30 N., R. 10 E., W. 10.

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 the Register and Receiver of this office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 4th day of January, 1905.

He names as witnesses: Charles B. Betts, David Morris, W. M. Hubbs, and Fredrick A. Betts, all of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 4th day of January, 1905.

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David Morris, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has on November 4, 1903, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1471, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 30 N., R. 10 E., W. 10.

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 the Register and Receiver of this office at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 4th day of January, 1905.

He names as witnesses: Fredrick A. Betts, Charles B. Betts, Nathan C. Hubbs and Willis M. Hubbs, all of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 4th day of January, 1905.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, May 21, 1904. 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: Robert Welsh, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No. 207, filed January 6, 1904, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 31 N., R. 10 E., W. 10. Nellie V. Turner, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No. 207, filed January 6, 1904, for the purchase of the NW 1/4, Sec. 12, T. 31 N., R. 10 E., W. 10. 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 the Register and Receiver, at The Dalles, Oregon, on November 15, 1904. They name as witnesses: George Welsh, Beale Welsh, Alice Welsh, John Welsh, Michael O'Connor, William O'Malley and Hugh Farmer, of The Dalles, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 15th day of November, 1904. MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE. In the county court of the State of Oregon for Crook county. In the matter of the application of Fred A. Shouquest & Co. for a retail liquor license at Bend, Crook county, state of Oregon. To the Honorable County Court: We, the undersigned, legal voters of Bend county, Crook county, Oregon, respectfully petition the Honorable County Court of Crook county, state of Oregon, to grant a license to Fred A. Shouquest & Co. to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors of fermented cider, in less quantities than one gallon, in the precinct of Bend, County of Crook, state of Oregon, for the term of twelve months. I. D. Wilson, G. C. Steinemann, A. H. Grant, C. M. Triplett, E. P. Brock, D. Pollock, R. B. Muttig, A. C. Lucas, Geo. A. Stevens, Ralph Sharp, A. M. Zevy, M. S. Mayfield, B. Houlton, G. A. Hanson, Frank Groot, John Kinsella, W. Briscoe, W. J. Pitts, A. Aune, Jas. Overton, Est. Mitchell, H. A. Hill, J. W. White, James Carter, C. Vandell, L. H. West, S. Debing, Ed. Housertson, J. W. Noble, J. J. Hanson, Geo. V. Baker, S. B. Heifrich, Frank Sherman, C. W. Patterson, A. L. Hunter, J. E. Hunter, F. J. Hodson, T. Home, Marion Carter, Theodore Aune, J. P. Johnson, Hugh O'Kane, W. H. Guerin, Jr., A. L. Goodwillie, D. McMillan, Warren Glass, Geo. M. Meyer, N. F. Weider, A. Sale, I. D. Turner, J. A. Smith, Angus Leiden, Chas. Argall, H. C. Sticker, W. S. Crowell, Chas. Brock, H. O. Davis, Thos. Foley, S. P. Spinkell, B. C. Low, Anton Aune, W. H. Davis, Wm. Moore, John Rifer, James Littleton, J. A. Gregory, M. V. Case, W. A. Laugh, W. M. Lytle, Wm. Crispin, J. E. Brock, F. Stewart, E. H. Heifrich, Murdoch Mackenzie, H. A. Wagner, J. S. Timm, H. P. Hunter, Gilbert Hagan, Origen Lussier, W. H. Finley, Henry Silver, George Aune, G. W. Gregory, Hugh O'Kane. 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 21st day of November, 1904, or at some thereafter, and the said Court can hear the same, and will then and there ask that such petition be granted and a license be issued to the said Fred A. Shouquest & Co. 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 a term of twelve months. Dated this 20th day of September, 1904. FRED A. SHOUQUEST & CO.

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