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CHANGE IN D.I. & P.CO.

Portland Men Buy Interests of Ohio Capitalists.

WESTERNERS WILL CONTROL

inconfirmed Rumor Says that Eastern Stockholders Are Out of the Big Irrigation Company.

Messrs. Baldwin, Stanley, Stearns, making this his home. Downing and other Portland members of the company, who now own all of the stock in the big irrigation project. It is also reported that esse I. Stearns, one of the large owners in the company, will move out to the desert, to give the proect his personal supervision. Al- officers must await the filling of the though no definite announcement vacancy. of the plans of the company has been made, it is believed that a

along the Deschutes during the resumed, when they will be discoming spring and summer.

that the Eastern capitalists have vertised and for the information of not disposed of their stock in the the public. irrigation company, but that policies advocated by the Western stockholders will hereafter be worked out. In other words, that the

management of the company's busi-SOLD AT \$40 AN ACRE ness will be left largely in the hands of Messrs. Stanley, Stearns and Baldwin.

Likes the Bend Country.

J. C. Wates of St. Johns, Wash., passed through Bend Wednesday on his way home from a trip into Christmas Lake valley. He was not very favorably impressed with that valley, fearing that on account D. I. & P. Co.'s trrigated Lands Are of its altitude it would always be quite frosty. Aside from the dangers of frost he said it was a promising section. On the other hand It is reported here that Messrs. Mr. Wates was very favorably im Johnston, Turney and other Ohio pressed with the Bend country. He capitalists who were interested in said he thought it one of the best the Deschutes Irrigation & Power irrgation projects he had ever seen. Company have disposed of their Mr. Wates will return here in a interests in that company to few weeks with the intention of

Business at The Dalles Land Office.

A communication from Miss Anne Lang, receiver of The Dalles | land office, dated March 6, says:

"There being a temporary vacancy in the office of register, all business requiring the action of both

"Applications to contest entries, or to enter land, and all other ap- ours and land ranges in price from \$75 to plications requiring joint action of \$300 per sere. large amount of work will be done officers will be filed as presented by this company on the desert but not acted on until business is posed of in their order.

"The land office remains open for Another report is to the effect the hearing of final proofs now ad-

> Yours respectfully, ANNE M. LANG,

Read The Bulletin.

That is the Price Paid for Redmond Land,

MANY BUYERS ARE COMING

Attracting Numerous Settlers-Other Neighborhood Notes.

REDMOND, March 11 .- We hate to reord this week that L. J., Welch has sold his eighty north of town. No need to mention it though for everyone here already knows it. We are pleased, however, to record the price, which was \$3,200. Mr. Meyers of Loveland, Colo., was the lucky purchaser and has returned to his home to wind up some affairs before taking charge of his new possessions. We hear that Mr. Welch

intends buying more company land. Other Loveland, Colo., visitors here

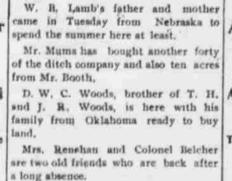
the past week were J. A. Nash, J. H. Schakel and D. W. Clampett who are all coming back, except Mr. Schakel who will remain for some time and open up a barber shop somewhere in this country, Loveland has an elevation of 5500 feet with soil similar to

Buyers who were here from Seattle were J. C. Mates, W. Gertz and H. A. Hyghland. These gentlemen left Sunday, I. J. Brown of Minadoka, Idaho, came in and is still here. H. H. Davies of Wilbur, Washington, who was here and bought an eighty in the fall is here again for some time. P. B. McCully of

here for some time. It will be seen from the above that

while politics may be strickly on the

LOCALIZATION AND ADDRESS CONVERSE



quiet and society conchant, business,

push, and enterprise are strickly ram-

Another very enjoyable card party and dance was given Saturday night at the hotel.

No saloon in Redmond again for a season, so we are informed. Mr. and Mrs. McGuffie and Mrs. O'Connor were Band visitors on Friday. W. Gillespie and family of Granville,

N. Dak., arrived last Monday and he has his house commenced. E. C. PARK.

Powell Buttes Items.

POWELL BUTTES, March 13 .- E. A. Busset lost a mare last week. George Iams and wife have left for the north.

J. J. Jones has been on the sick list.

Another settler for Powell Buttes, a bachelor.

the Buttes. Some old maids might exact facts, and write to acquainthink this a good place to find their ideal, but don'the fooled, girls, these bachelors have to haul water and they know women have to use water to cook and wash with.

C. H. Ellis shot a hawk which Klickitat, Washington, came from had been catching chickens from and all Missouri river points. St. Shaniko, on his wheel and will also be some of the ranchers. The bird Paul and all that portion of the measured four feet five inches from tip to tip of wings.

> Mr. Wrenels is back from an extended visit in Washington. He reports that his family will come hen the weather is well settled.

Charles Turner of the old river bed is offering a team, harness and wagon for \$150. Who wants a cheap team?

Hark, listen! Be still! What is that noise, sounds like roosters crowing? Oh, it's game cocks of of Deschutes county

treated.

days and many have young chick-

All Parts of the State Are Prosperous.

AN INFLUX OF HOME SEEKERS

The Low Colonist Rates Are Bringing Many Thousand People into This **Prosperous** Commonwealth.

PORTLAND, Or., March 11, 1907. -A contract has been let by the Portland Commercial Club for advertising which will reach about seven millions of readers, making prominent the low colonist rates to this state, and giving special attention to the agricultural resources and possibilities of Oregon.

The general passenger agents of all the different roads unite in the

belief that we are to have an especially large immigration, and urge not only the commercial and industrial bodies of the state, but all citizens, to bear in mind that these rates will continue until April 30, and it is a visable for them to see Old bachelors are plentiful around their station agents, and get the tances, friends and relatives in the older states. These rates have been given on several occasions in these columns, but it is well to repeat the fact that tickets from Kansas City Northwest, including the Dakotas, as well as Nebraska, Kansas, portions of Oklahoma, Missouri and Iowa, can be brought to almost any point in Oregon for \$25; from St. Louis for \$30; from Chicago for \$33, and from New York for \$50.

Building operations reported from all points in Oregon show greater activity than at any time in the history of the state. The smaller Prineville, crowing over the defeat towns are growing just as substantially as are the cities, and in many James Turner, who is on the sick districts of the state new farm ist, went to Prineville twice to be houses are being erected and more substantial improvements are being Quite a little gardening is being made than for many years past. All done around the Buttes these warm of the irrigated districts of the state are receiving many home-seekers, and the valleys and more thickly settled sections are entertaining a good many visitors who are looking for investments of every possible character. The demand for building material of all kinds is unprecedented. One brick manufacturer reports orders exceeding those of last year at San Francisco. this time 30 fold, while the orders placed for structural steel, cement and lumber are beyond the anticipations and expectations of the most enthusiastic Oregonians. In all the fruit belts of the state, are being put into orchards; in fact an appeal to the Supreme Court of there is prosperity on all sides. The the United States. The governespecially liberal. Railroad build, able decision. The ruling by the ing is under actual operation in a appellate court is considered a great good many districts and all persons who come to this state, either on the colonist rates or tourist rates which follow, will find all of Oregon

OREGON IS GROWING passed through Bend the first of the week on his way to Shaniko where he will meet his wife and then return to the mines about 35 miles southeast of Lakview. Mr. Mark's company is one of the largest companies developing mines in the Windy Hollow district, having had a force of men at work all winter. He has traveled extensively and is a mining expert and says that the mines at Windy Hollow will prove the equal of those at Goldfield and in many of the other recent large camps. Mr. Marks expects about 6,000 people to locate at the mines this spring.

NEW LODGE IN BEND,

Knights of Pythias Organized Local Lodge Thursday Night.

A local lodge of the Knights of Pythias was organized in Bend last evening, starting out with a membership of 16 knights. Visiting knights from Prineville were present to install the new lodge and did their work in a manner that was highly pleasing to the Bend men. The initiation of the new members began about 8:45 and continued until 7:30 the next morning, making an all night's job of it. At 12 o'clock the knights and candidates took a recess and repaired to the Hotel Bend where a threecourse banquet was served-a spread that elicited much praise from the knights. Work was then again resumed and carried on to the close.

The knights from Prineville were:

Judge W. A. Bell, chancellor comman-der and deputy grand chancellor. W. G. Woodard, vice chancellor. Charles A. King, prelate. Warren Smith, master of arms. H. A. Foster, master of work. Jerry Cramer, inside guard. Robert Zevelry, outside guard.

The officers of Deschutes Lodge No. 103, the local lodge, are:

N. P. Smith, Charles W. Merrill, S. C. Caldwell, Carlyle C. Triplett, past

chancellors. Urling C. Coe, chancellor commander. Charles D. Brown, vice chancellor. H. P. J. McDonald, prelate.

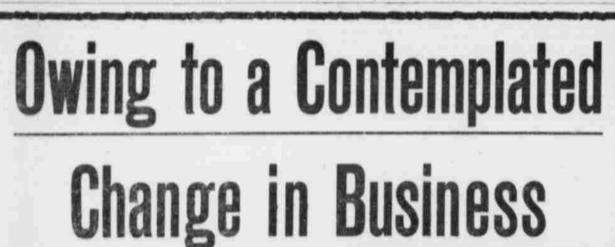
Chas. A. Stansburrough, master of work.

Chas, D. Rowe, keeper of records and scals.

Wm. B. Wilson, master of finance. M. J. Morrison, master of exchequer. A. Griffin, master of arms,

B. F. West, inner guard. Millard Triplett, outer guard.

WILL SERVE PRISON TERM



Receiver.

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Great Reductions in Prices for

CASH

To reduce stock. Come in and investigate our proposition and we will show you where you can save money by dealing with us.

- Bend Mercantile Company -

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ens running around the yard.

C. H. Ellis has put a shingle oof on his house over the tar paper. Now the cook won't be mad as a wet hen when it rains.

A. J. Mitchell of Elma, Wash., s visiting C. H. Ellis. He is on his way to Harney county to take a homestead.

Charles Turner bought two milch cows of J. R. Harvey. C. H. Ellis also purchased one. Mr. Harvey has several cows for sale.

H. W. Morrill and son of Bend are out at the Buttes putting in a rop on E. R. Halderman's ranch.

J. J. Jones has reuted his ranch o Burt Davis.

Tumalo Items.

TUMALO, March 12 .- We are having a little cold snap lately.

Mint Couch was in Tumalo today looking for seed grain.

Roy and Dryden Rannells went to Prineville Saturday on business.

Henry Schumacher was over to the Hightower & Smith mill Monday after a load of cross-arms and wire for the Deschutes Telephone both inviting and prepossessing. Company.

Mr. Boyd, who has a homestead on Tumello Creek, passed through here yesterday.

John Overturf of Bend passed through Tumalo yesterday.

Reports are that the Deschutes Telephone Company have pur-chased the telephone line from the C. S. I. Co. and will make many

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The commercial organizations are more active than ever before, but this does not excuse those that are sleeping on their rights and each and every one that is not already active should get busy.

Mining Expert Visits Bend.

Mining & Milling Company, sentence in prison.

J. N. Williamson, Dr. Van Gesner and Marion Biggs Lose Their Case in the Circuit Court of Appeals.

Ex-Cougressman J. N. Williamson, Dr. Van Gesner and Marion Biggs, Prineville men, have met with an adverse ruling from the Circuit Court of Appeals, sitting at

By a decision handed down last Monday the Appellate Court confirmed the conviction of VanGesner and Biggs and a term of prison now stares them in the face. Williamson's appeal was dismissed by the many thousands of additional acres above court because he has taken

appropriations by the government ment attorneys state that he has no for water-way improvements are possible chance of winning a favorvictory for the government.

These three men were thrice tried and finally convicted on the charge of complicity in Oregon land fauds. Upon their conviction, Williamson and Biggs were sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment and a fine of \$500 each, and Van-Gesner was given five months' imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000, Williamson's hearing in the Supreme Court will probably occur in about three months. It is gener-M. Marks, vice president and ally conceded that these men will general manager of the Lakeview not be able to escape serving their