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KLAMATH REPUBLICAN.
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1902.

LOCAL NEWS.

Wind and rain have been taking turns this week.

The term of circuit court at this place adjourned last Saturday.

There are twelve suits for divorce on the circuit court docket in Jackson county.

We are informed that Moore's Comedians will be here to give an entertainment Christmas night.

The cases of Bailey vs. Sly and Bailey vs. Whitcomb occupied the attention of Judge Baldwin's court yesterday.

The Lakeview Examiner reports that Walter D. Sharp, the cigar maker, is in Klamath Falls with a view of locating.

Due to the recent heavy rains, the roads are very muddy and travel is difficult and unpleasant. As a result the mails are necessarily late in arriving.

Perry Stanley who runs the electric light plant at Lakeview, caught his right hand in the machinery recently and had the finger nearly severed.

The cider mill at Medford now has on hand ten tanks of juice, each containing between 3,000 and 4,000 gallons, most of which will be converted into vinegar.

The Atlantic Coast has been swept by fierce storms the past week. A sixty-mile wind and a heavy fall of snow have caused much suffering and done great damage.

No mail arrived from the railroad Monday night on account of the stage being unable to cross Emigrant creek, whose waters had been swollen by the recent rains.

Sam Walker, charged with assaulting J. Davis at Bonanza with a dangerous weapon, furnished bond of \$5,000 last Thursday night and was given his liberty.

Oscarville Record: Mrs. Moore, of the Moore Comedy Company is quite ill, and all engagements have been cancelled. We hope to hear of her complete recovery soon.

J. Davis, who was struck with a billiard cue by Sam Walker in a Bonanza saloon a few weeks ago, is reported improving with a strong likelihood that he will recover.

At the meeting of the A. O. U. W. Tuesday night three candidates were initiated, followed by a banquet. The members voted to have a ball some time the fore part of next month.

Mr. R. C. Short and Miss Inez J. Turner were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride's parents at Pine Grove. Rev. J. B. Griffith performing the ceremony.

A catamount recently electrocuted itself by getting in contact with the wires of the electric light plant in Yreka. The animal had climbed one of the poles and thus touched the wire, which administered 2500 volts.

It is reported that Frank Dean and Jim Kendrick, both formerly of Lakeview, had a dispute over a game of cards at Walla Walla recently and the former shot and killed the latter. Kendrick whipped out a knife, when Dean pulled a gun and shot.

We understand that Theodore Kinsman, who recently sold his ranch near Bonanza to F. W. Bowne, has leased S. B. Gardner's ranch at Fort Klamath and will move there in the near future. Messrs. Kinsman and Gardner were at the Falls Monday.

Miss Alice Applegate who left for Lakeview last Friday, began teaching in the public school there Monday, having charge of the 5th and 6th grades, a position made vacant by the resignation of Miss Grace Driver, who returns to her home in the Rogue river valley.

Robert Williamson, who has been buying horses in Klamath county, was in Ashland on Wednesday with a horse which he had been issued from the court. It is later reported that Williamson, after a preliminary exami-

nation, was discharged from custody and the case dismissed, owing to a lack of evidence.

Henry Wilson, an Indian, fell under his wagon near Merrill last week, and it passed over his body, with a load of flour weighing 2500 pounds. He was badly bruised, but no bones were broken. He came to the Falls Friday and received treatment from Dr. Reames.

The order of Eastern Star held its annual election of officers Tuesday evening, with the following result: Mrs. L. F. Willits, W. M.; Ky Taylor, W. P.; Mrs. H. L. Benson, A. M.; Mrs. G. W. Maylene, secretary; Mrs. Ky Taylor, treasurer; Mrs. F. W. Jennings, Con.; Miss Lelliah Carriek, Asso. Con.

It is reported that a Benton county farmer killed a hog that was suffering from an attack of jaundice. On dressing the animal, its flesh was found to be yellow, and portions of it were taken to the agricultural college for analysis, resulting in the conclusion that the hog, when killed, was afflicted with jaundice.

Prof. J. R. Geddes resigned his position as principal of the Klamath Falls school on Saturday and departed Monday morning for his home at Mill City, Or. Miss Elizabeth M. Gill was chosen principal and her former position, thus made vacant, was filled by the employment of Miss Ora McGraw of Woodburn, Or.

Washington dispatch to Oregonian: The Land Office is trying to settle the question as to whether ceded lands in the Klamath reserve can be opened to homestead entry, or whether they belong to the State of Oregon under the swamp grant. The state claims its right before the reservation was located.

Altamont, one of the greatest speed horses on the Coast, died at Binghamton, Cal., November 13, aged 27 years. Until a few years ago Altamont belonged to Jay Beach of Fort Klamath, who purchased the valuable animal in Kentucky. At the time of its death, the horse was the property of J. M. Nelson of Alameda.

Only two weeks more before Christmas. This is the chief among holidays, and especially so for the children, who, first of all, should be given due consideration in the way of gifts and other essentials that will flood their young lives with sunshine and happiness. Without the presence and joy of children, Christmas would, indeed, lose much of its attraction and pleasure for mankind.

Ashland Tidings: At the hearing of an application for an order for a partial distribution to the nephews and nieces in the Henry Amerman estate, on Tuesday, in Jacksonville, a number of grand-nephews and grand-nieces appeared by their attorneys, H. L. McWilliams and F. M. Calkins, and filed an objection to such distribution. A petition asking for a distribution to them was presented and argued by Judge Crowell for the estate and H. L. McWilliams for the petitioners. The matter was taken under advisement by the county judge.

Sam Brown, the Indian, who, while under the influence of liquor, murdered his squaw by shooting her with a 22-caliber rifle in a cabin near Lakeview a couple of weeks ago, committed suicide by hanging himself in his cell in the Lakeview jail on Monday of last week. Brown took his life while Sheriff Dunlap was taking some other prisoners out to supper. The suicide was accomplished by hanging with a silk handkerchief. Tying one end to his neck and the other to a bar of his cell, four feet from the floor, the Indian threw his weight down and choked to death. He had been bound over to the May term of circuit court.

Ashland Town Talk: As a sad sequel to the deplorable accident which occurred at West Fork recently, in which the false alarm of an approaching train prompted Mrs. A. H. Kayler to leap from the West Fork bridge to her death in the waters of Cow creek below, comes the news that Mr. Kayler is insane. He was seriously injured while attempting the rescue of his wife, and grief and brooding over the affair, for it was he who mistook the lan-

tern carried in the hands of a track-walker for a coming train and caused his wife to jump, have driven him hopelessly insane. He has been committed to the insane asylum from Molalla.

The new contract for carrying the mails between Klamath Falls and Ashland has been awarded to Daniel A. Applegate of the latter place for \$4,600 per year, the change of management to begin on the 22nd inst. and continue until January 30, 1906. Also on that date a new schedule will take effect, providing for a continuous run, with no stop over night on the mountains. The new arrangement may not be so comfortable for passengers as the present schedule, but it will give quicker and more satisfactory mail service, and that is what the government pays for and what the people, depending on the line, want and need. The schedule to be in force from December 22 until April 30, is as follows: Leave Ashland daily at 5 a. m., arriving in Klamath Falls at 1 p. m., next day; leave Klamath Falls daily at 9 a. m., arriving in Ashland at 3 p. m., next day.

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

The stockholders of the Klamath County Agricultural association held a meeting at the court house Saturday, December 6, and attended to necessary business, among which was the election of the following directors: Alex. Martin Jr., Louis Gerber, Geo. T. Baldwin, Edward Fruer, I. A. Duffy, Geo. Hurn and John S. Shook.

The report of the secretary showed the association out of debt, with some of its shares still unsold. In order to further improve the track, build stock sheds and paddocks and complete the fencing of ground, it was voted to increase the capital stock 500 shares.

At the directors' meeting held Saturday evening, the following were elected officers: Geo. T. Baldwin, president; I. A. Duffy vice-president; Alex. Martin Jr., treasurer; J. G. Pierce, secretary.

STOCK NOTES.

J. W. Howard has sold his fine band of beef cattle at Merrill to Mr. Aiken of the Western Meat Co. of San Francisco. We understand the last two bands will be taken to Gazelle within the next two weeks.

The Olene Live Stock Co. sold about 1,500 head of sheep to John Freise last week.

Louis Gerber started 1,000 head of mutton sheep and two bands of beef cattle from Merrill last week, their destination being Sacramento, via Montague.

The recent heavy rains in California and the indications of early grass cattle, have had a tendency to rush the Nevada hay-fed cattle on the market and the result has been a rather dull meat market. We understand beef is no higher now than it was in October and all our stock raisers who sold in the fall can consider themselves in luck. xx

BONANZA "SQUIBS."

Mr. Allen of the Carr ranch who has been here lingering with typhoid fever for several weeks, is able to be out on the streets, and will return to the ranch in a few days.

Mrs. Elmer Wilson, late of Parker Station, is making her home here for a while.

H. L. Clopton, our Bonanza merchant is wearing an unusually broad smile this week. Why? Because he is papa to a bouncing girl.

S. L. Walker and family will make their future home in Klamath Falls. Mrs. Walker is making arrangements for removing this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrill made a business trip to the Falls this week.

Mrs. N. S. Drew of Hildebrand who had all symptoms of pneumonia, is on the road to recovery.

F. P. Grohs and family have gone to their winter home in Salinas, Cal. Mr. Grohs is well advanced in years, and his late, serious sickness has left him quite feeble.

A. T. Langell has purchased the J. Dodd property on the corner of Market and Mission streets and moved his family there last week.

Bonanza school stands second to

none in the county. A number of new pupils have been added and both teachers have all they can conveniently handle.

Henry Vinson had a valuable horse die last Monday night in the Morine livery barn. Hono.

SPRING CREEK.

Here are some facts concerning Spring creek, the famous fishing resort, gathered by Mr. C. E. Worden, during his service as allotting agent on the Klamath reservation, and will be of general interest: Spring creek is a stream three miles long, flowing in a southeasterly direction and emptying into Williamson river. The creek is seventy-five feet wide and three feet deep, with about a seven-mile current. It contains 225 cubic feet of water in one foot of creek, or 1,188,000 cubic feet in one mile. Thus, figuring seven miles of water for an hour, there would be 8,316,000 cubic feet discharged from the springs every hour, or 199,584,000 cubic feet in twenty-four hours. Reduced to gallons, there are 1,492,888,320 gallons of water flowing from the springs every day, which amount would give every man, woman and child in the United States about twenty-one gallons of water per day.

WATCH MEETING.

There will be a union watch meeting in the M. E. church New Year's Eve, consisting of songs and prayers, speaking and preaching, with fifteen minutes' recess for chats, etc. every forty-five minutes. Watch for programs. They will appear later. Come one! Come all!

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878—

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Lakeview, Oregon, October 27, 1902. 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, George McDonald, of Langell Valley, county of Klamath, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1644, for the purchase of the NW quarter NW quarter, of Section No. 12, in Township No. 41 S., Range No. 18 E., W. M., 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 J. O. Hamaker, U. S. Commissioner, at Bonanza, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 7th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: G. L. Kerr, of Bedford, Oregon; R. S. Sparks, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. A. Brown, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. D. Hamaker, of Bonanza, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of January, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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can, of Langell Valley, Oregon; Jeff Wilson, of Langell Valley, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of March, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, November 1, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. H. Withrow, U. S. Commissioner, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on January 3, 1903, viz: Balbus B. Griffith, H. E. No. 2457, for the SE quarter NW quarter, 8 half NE quarter, NE quarter SE quarter, Sec. 32, Tp. 32, S. R. 7 1/2 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. C. Weles, of Fort Klamath, Oregon; Louis Hessig, of Fort Klamath, Oregon; Annie Butler, of Fort Klamath, Oregon; W. T. Shive, of Klamath Falls, Oregon. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Lakeview, Oregon, October 15, 1902.

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 persons have this day filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

William H. Flagg, of Ashland, county of Jackson, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1480, for the purchase of the N 1/2 of N 1/2, section 24, township 40, S., range 7 E., W. M.

John W. Dyer, of Ashland, county of Jackson, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1487, for the purchase of the S 1/2 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, and NW 1/4 SE 1/4, section 1, township 40, S., range 7 E., W. M.

Emma Dyer, of Ashland, county of Jackson, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1488, for the purchase of the S 1/2 NE 1/4 and N 1/2 SE 1/4, section 2, township 40, S., range 7 E., W. M.

Florence L. Trefren, of Ashland, county of Jackson, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1489, for the purchase of the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, and W 1/2 SE 1/4, section 12, township 40, S., range 7 E., W. M. 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 claim to said land before C. H. Withrow, U. S. Commissioner, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Thursday, the 29th day of January, 1903.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of January, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Lakeview, Oregon, October 2, 1902.

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, John D. Edley of Bonanza, county of Klamath, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1417, for the purchase of the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section No. 5, in Township No. 38 S., Range No. 12 E. W. M., 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 J. O. Hamaker, U. S. Commissioner, at Bonanza, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 13th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: J. S. Fuller, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. D. Hamaker, of Bonanza, Oregon; Charles Jones, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. P. Bechthold, of Bonanza, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 13th day of January, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Lakeview, Oregon, Sept. 29, 1902.

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, Jesse C. Jarvis, of Bonanza, county of Klamath, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1406, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section No. 20, in Township No. 40 S., Range No. 13 E. W. M., 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 J. O. Hamaker, U. S. Commissioner, at Bonanza, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 7th day of January, 1903. He names as witnesses: G. L. Kerr, of Bedford, Oregon; R. S. Sparks, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. A. Brown, of Bonanza, Oregon; J. D. Hamaker, of Bonanza, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of January, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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