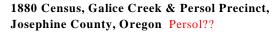
## **Switzerland To Galice Creek**

#### **Andrew Caspescha**

Born: ca., 1852 Birth Place: Switzerland



Born: ca., 1839 Birth Place: Switzerland



Caspescha and Flish were partners and miners.

**1882 Hugo Homestead** On March 30, 1882 George N. Yocum was issued a homestead patent for 160 acres in Hugo, Oregon (Patent No. 1157).<sup>1-2</sup>

**1895** George had sold his homestead and by 1895 is was owned by the partners Caspecnoe and Flish.<sup>3</sup>

## 1910 Census, Grants Pass Precinct, Josephine County, Oregon

Both Caspescha and Flish are living in the Grants Pass Precinct on Burgess Street. They are still partners.

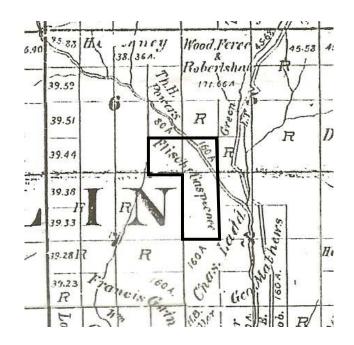
#### Own income???

## The Caspescha & Flisch, Hugo Pioneers: ca., 1870s -1930s

1913 Flisch passed February 25, 1913.

## 1920 Census, Grants Pass Precinct, Josephine County, Oregon

Caspescha was a laborer in box factory in Grants Pass, Oregon.



Flisch Caspecnoe's 160 Acre Quartz Cr. Ranch: 1895

### Miners & Partners

1932 The Caspescha ranch covered the good bottomland of Quartz Creek near its junction with Bummer Creek. The ranch later becomes the John C. Cochrane Quartz Creek Ranch.<sup>4</sup>



John C. Cochrane House & Farm Land: 2000

## 1930 Census, Grants Pass Precinct, Josephine County, Oregon

Andrew Caspescha was 78 years old. He had no occupation.

**1937** Caspescha passed July 24, 1937.

Want more information? Contact an officer of the *Hugo Neighborhood* on how you can become involved in your community's history and land use.

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## Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society's Mission

This information brochure is one of a series of documents published by the Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society (Hugo Neighborhood). It is designed to be shared with neighbors for the purpose of helping protect our rural quality of life by promoting an informed citizenry in decision-making. The Hugo Neighborhood is an informal nonprofit charitable and educational organization with a land use and history mission of promoting the social welfare of its neighbors.

## Land Use & History

The *Hugo Neighborhood's* land use mission is to promote Oregon Statewide Goal 1 — Citizen Involvement, and to preserve, protect, and enhance the livability and economic viability of its farms, forests, and rural neighbors. It will act, if requested, as a technical resource assisting neighbors to represent themselves.

Its history mission is to educate, collect, preserve, interpret, and research its local history and to encourage public interest in the history of the Hugo area.

Volunteer membership dues are \$10.00 annually per family and normally used for paper, ink, envelopes, publications and mailings. Send us your e-mail address if you want to know what we are doing.

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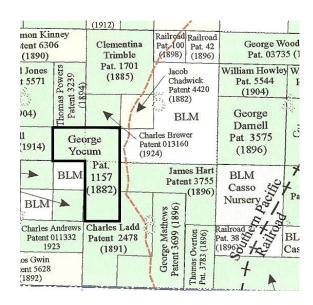
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