OREGON MIST.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4.

FUSION, as defined by the Roseburg Plaindealer, is a scramble for pie. The chief spirits were never accused of being much on principle, but were always notorious pie hunters.

SYMPATHY THAT ISN'T WANTED.—There are some people, and they are well-meaning people, too, who look more closely after their neighbor's personal affairs and their neighbor's morals than their own. Such people are to be pitied. Their kindness of heart is not appreciated, and their worry is a needless tax upon their nervous system. They would feel better, and no doubt live longer if that would just let the poor, erring (?) creatures alone, until called upon for sympathy or assistance, and then give it in a Christianlike manner.

PARSED THE SENTENCE.—According to an Ohio paper, this is how a high-school girl recently parsed the sentence "He kissed me:" "He," she began, with a fond lingering over the word that brought crimson to her cheeks, "is a pronoun, third person, singular number, masculine gender, a gentleman and pretty well fixed; universally considered a pretty good catch! 'Kissed' is a verb, transitive, too much so, regular every evening, indicative mood, indicating affection; first and third persons, plural number, and governed by circumstances. 'Me' —Oh! well, everybody knows me." And she sat down.

IMPROVEMENTS AT FORT STEVENS.—The contractors in charge of the construction work at Fort Stevens are rushing matters, and operations will be resumed on an extensive scale there next week. It is said that only a small portion of the $600,000 appropriation will be expended at Scarbors head, the intention being to complete the work at Stevens as soon as possible. The total expenditure on the work at the fort will amount to about $3,000,000, and it is reported that Fort Walla Walla and the post at Vancouver will be abandoned and Stevens made the headquarters for the department of the Columbia. Bids for the construction of quarters for the officers and men will soon be advertised for.

OREGON CITY LOCKS.—Hon. Thomas H. Tongue's bill for the government control of the locks at Oregon City, should receive the support of every town council and board of trade in the Willamette valley. The plan is not to seize the locks are confiscate them, but for the government to condemn them as practically worthless, and after making a reasonable compensation to their present owners, to rebuild or repair them to such an extent as to make them what they have heretofore pretended to be—a gateway from the commercial highway of Portland to the wealth of the Willamette valley. The successful and speedy operation of these locks means much to our valley, and prompt and efficient support should be given Mr. Tongue in his efforts to secure the passage of the bill.—Eugene Register.

FISHING OUTLOOK.—J. W. Cook, of Clifton, who has been in Astoria a couple of days this week, stated that the cannerymen had as yet arrived at no determination as to the price of fish for the coming season. While in Astoria he has been in conference with the other cannerymen on the general condition of the market, but no formal meeting was held nor has any been called. He intimated as much as that the former combination between the cannerymen was at an end. What the price of fish would be he said he could not tell as it would have to be regulated by circumstances between now and the opening of the season. He said, however, that as so many of the fishermen had gone to Alaska and to other places with no intention of returning this year that the fishermen remaining should find a Klondike on the Columbia.—Budget.

TIE AND LUMBER CONSUMPTION.—The signs all point toward a large demand for car material during the coming year. It is a fact that during the past year orders for this line of stock were more plentiful than the stock; with a certainty of increased trade it behooves lumberman to be ready to take advantage of the situation. The consumption of timber by the railways of the United States is enormous. They can be counted on as regular buyers, varying somewhat with their traffic and income. The Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway has consumed annually 370 ties for each mile of its track. When it is remembered that the oak ties used by this company are the most durable of any wood, one can form some idea of the requirements of roads using ties of softer and less durable timber. The estimate is made that the railways of the United States are consuming 90,000,000 ties annually. The total railway consumption of lumber for all purposes is placed at 6,000,000,000 feet annually.—The Pacific Coast Lumberman.

WIDELY DIVERSE OPINIONS.—There are two widely diverse opinions as to whether the lakes and sloughs on Sauvie's island will ever again be stocked with wapatoes. One is the opinion of certain sportsmen who insist that the wapatoes were buried by the sediment deposited by consecutive floods in the Willamette and Columbia, and who assert that a new crop has started from seed carried by the waters from patches of wapatoes which had not been buried. These say that the new crop will soon have fully-developed tubers, and that the canvas backs will presumably be coming back to their old feeding-grounds as numerously as ever. The other is the opinion of old settlers on the island who insist that the wapatoes were destroyed by carp, with the exception of a patch here and there, the seed from which has been scattered around by high water and has started a new crop. This crop, they maintain, will soon be destroyed by the terrible carp, and that, they say, will be the end of the wapatoes, and then good-bye to canvas back ducks. The sportsmen "know" they are right, as by digging down through the deposit of dirt which smothered the wapatoes the roots can be found, while the old settlers say that no such roots are there. Time will tell which is right.—Oregonian.

LOCAL NOTES.

Houlton voted a 13-mill tax for school purposes.

Miss Daisy Watkins is at home on a brief vacation.

Mrs. M. C. Gray visited down river points Tuesday.

T. E. Mills was down from Portland Monday and Tuesday.

Judge Dunn attended the funeral of Mr. Blakesley on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. I. Hooghkirk and son, of Rainier, were in Portland Monday.

The Bachelor Flat school district voted a 1d-mill tax for school purposes.

Eighteen persons took passage from here on the Iralda Monday morning.

Miss Amy George came home from Portland Tuesday to remain a day or two.

Mr. J. W. Lane, of Mist, was doing business in Portland Tuesday of this week.

Tom Muckle was a passenger down on the Telephone for Grays river on Tuesday.

Dr. J. E. Hall, of Clatskanie, was in town Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Vivian, of Columbia City, spent a day or two in Portland this week.

Mr. W. D. Case, of Pittsburg, was in town Friday last, and while over here visited Portland.

Rev. Mr. Haley will preach at Warren next Sunday morning, and Rev. T. J. Ferguson in the evening.

Miss May Whitney has been quite sick for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hall, in this city.

Messrs. R. Cox and C. S. Emerson completed their duties as jurymen in Portland and returned home Tuesday.

Mr. G. W. Barnes, of Quincy, was in town Wednesday evening and yesterday, coming down from Portland.

This (Friday) evening Prof. Anderson of Portland University, will lecture in this city on Philology, a very popular subject.

Miss Grace Miles, accompanied by Miss Butler, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city, returning to Portland Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Harris was confined to her home a day or two this week with an attack of severe sore throat and high fever.

Rev. Mr. Haley will commence revival services at Houlton next Sunday evening. He will be assisted by a good evangelist.

Mrs. Holcomb, of Portland, spent a few days in this city last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Dillard, returning home Monday.

Mr. Adin Ross arrived here last Saturday from Wisconsin, and will probably remain indefinitely with his brother, Dr. Edwin Ross.

Geo. G. Mayger was elected a delegate to the national meeting of the Republican League at the State League held in Portland this week.

Rev. Mr. Philbrook will preach at Deer Island Sunday at 11 a. m., at Columbia City at 3 p. m. and in this city in the evening at 7:30 p. m.

The Teller resolution which passed the senate last week was defeated by a majority of 50 in the house last Monday; and thus ends another farce.

The Cathlamet Gazette says H. B. Borthwick's mill at Mooresville is cutting 50,000 feet of lumber per day, and all the orders are on hand that it can handle.

Revival services at Warren closed last Sunday evening with 27 conversions and 23 accessions to the M. E. church. An Epworth League was organized with about 28 members.

Mr. D. H. Malone has been elected by the board of commissioners of Cowlitz county, Wash., to serve as commissioner for the second district in place of H. H. Harvey, resigned.

Mr. Haley wishes us to state that owing to circumstances over which he had no control it was impossible for him to be present at the funeral services of Mr. Blakesley last Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Powell, of Portland, conducted services in the Episcopal church in this city Wednesday evening. Services will be held here the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Rev. VanWaters will hold services next Wednesday.

Mr. Thayer, of the steamer Pilgrim, was in our city a few hours Saturday. Mr. Thayer says the Pilgrim is undergoing some repairs and changes about her machinery, and it is possible that she will be taken to northern waters and operated there during the coming summer.

A few months ago Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

Perhaps unlookedfor circumstances at present will have material tendency to raise the price of Columbia river salmon this year, for instance the finishing of the railroad to Astoria. It is rumored, but with how much truth we don't know, that a cold storage company in Astoria will start the ball rolling at 4½ cents. We trust that this is true, and that the cannerymen will see their way clear to pay this and even more.—Ilwaco Journal.

Mr. Wald L. Smith, of Fredericks-town, Mo., was troubled with chronic diarrhoea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was a question of only a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America, but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its continued use cured him. For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

If St. Helens were to exert but a slight effort we believe a creamery could be secured for the town. Influential farmers say the establishment of such an enterprise in St. Helens would greatly stimulate the dairying business of this section and give stimulous to the entire surrounding country. Will our people take enough interest in this matter to make an effort to secure a creamery or will they sit idly by and allow some other locality to secure it? We believe a creamery can be secured for this place with little or no outlay of cash on the part of our citizens, and the benefit accruing is a too well established fact to need further comment. By all means let us make the attempt, and should failure follow it will be only defeat of a worthy cause. Sites along the river front are numerous for such an enterprise, and we are certain the necessary product can be secured to maintain a creamery.

Miss Lottie Cooper entertained a number of her young associates last Saturday evening at her father's home in this city, the occasion being her birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Decker, Mrs. Charlton, Mrs. J. H. Decker, Misses Lottie Cooper, Mabel Way, Maude Decker, Beatrice Crouse, Dora Perry, Nora Henrici, Grace Miles, Bertha Butler, May Whitney, Nellie Cooper, Annie Cooper, Florence George, Grace Dart, Pearl Decker, Nettie Charlton, Lulu George, Messrs. Tom Muckle, Joe Eversol, Fred Watkins, Rob't. George, Harry Sherman, Charley Cooper, Frank Watts, Eugene Miles, Alfred Sundby, Percy George, Jack Dart and Harry Cooper.

The state republican convention for 1898 has been called to meet in Astoria on April 14th, as has also the congressional convention for this (second) district at a date preceding the state convention a day or such a matter. Columbia county this year will have six delegates to the convention, as against five last year. The state central committee recommends that the primaries be held on Saturday, April 2, and the county conventions be held on Wednesday, April 6. Eugene gets the 1st district congressional convention on April 11th.

I have given Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedies for croup that I have ever found. One dose has always been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold my children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for croup and colds in children.—Geo. E. Wolff, clerk of the circuit court, Fernandina, Fla. Sold by Dr. Edwin Ross.

Pursuant to call a number of qualified voters gathered at the schoolhouse last Monday evening and voted a 5-mill tax for school purposes. There is about $72,000 worth of assessable property in the district and it is estimated that a 5-mill tax will raise sufficient funds, in connection with revenues received from other sources, to conduct a nine-months' term of school and pay about one-third of the outstanding indebtedness.

Mr. James Shelden is making preparations to buy fish at this place this season. The fact of there being a reliable agency at this point where fishermen can deposit their catches and be assured of speedy returns is proving highly satisfactory to those engaged in the industry hereabouts. Since the advent of this plan at St. Helens several years ago much expense and trouble has been saved.

The State League meeting of republican clubs held in Portland this week was one of much interest as well as of great importance. The convention, by resolution, declared emphatically for the gold standard. After the disposition of other routine business, Hon. Claud Gatch, of Salem, was elected president and Hon. C. W. Fulton, of Astoria, vice-president.

Mr. A. C. Gray, who has been in the employ of the Postal Telegraph Co. at Clifton for several months, has been relieved of duty at that office and ordered to Tehachapi, Cal., a town of about 1200 population, to take charge of the company's business there. Mr. A. C. Gray is a brother of M. C., of this city, and will be accompanied to California by his mother.

Messrs. Judson Weed and Martin White, accompanied by their wives, were passengers for Portland Tuesday morning, where Mr. Weed and Mr. White attended the State Republican League, as delegates from the Houlton club.

It is now stated positively that the Astoria railroad will be completed by the 1st of May, and every effort is being made for the consummation of this plan.

Mrs. Dow was down from Oak island Tuesday and Wednesday with her youngest son having him treated for croup.

Mr. A. B. Little, who has been in Utah for several months, is said to have arrived in Portland last Tuesday.

VESSELS ARE SCARCE.—Mr. Himpel was up from the mill Wednesday for the first time in three months, and visited Crouen & Alley's camp, just above town. Mr. Himpel is enthusiastic over the prospects for a good lumber trade during the year, but thinks vessels will be scarce owing to the fact that nearly everything that can keep afloat is being chartered for the Alaska trade.—Nehalem Republican.

Married.

A quiet and beautiful wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, at Warren, Oregon, Sunday, Jan. 30, 1898, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Kittie G. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Clark, was united in marriage to Mr. Marion Slavens, Rev. G. Grovener Haley performing the marriage ceremony according to the stately ritual of the M. E. church. A sumptuous collation was then served, a small number of the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and groom being present. Mr. and Mrs. Slavens left on the evening train for Portland, amid a shower of rice and best wishes for a happy married life. They will be at home at 370 East Everett street, Portland.

CLATSKANIE NOTES.

Geo. Barr was over from La Center a few days ago.

Ed McFarland is getting over his attack of pneumonia.

Ed McFarland is gradually getting the better of his attack of pneumonia.

W. Schmidt, who was reported sick last week, was improving at last accounts.

Unless all signs fail, there are matrimonial intentions in the air in this vicinity.

J. W. Lane and wife, of Deep creek, were passengers for Portland Monday evening.

The Woodmen of America seem to be getting their camp in running order, and are ready for recruits.

We learn that Aaron C. Gray, a former telegraph operator here, has left his position at Clifton for a similar one in the state of California.

An unusual number of cases of pneumonia in this vicinity seem to result from some climatic conditions that predispose to colds and disease.

Mrs. Mattie Keating and son, Teddie, left for Seattle Monday evening, where Mrs. Keating expects to reside, if we are correctly informed.

Another residence building is going up on Mrs. Aldridge's lot in the M. O. Bryant block. Ed Elliott seems to be the general manager and builder.

Photographer Rush did a kind act in nailing slats on an inclined plank leading from the bridge, which got very slippery during the recent cold snap.

John Campbell, under instructions of our city marshal, has been supplying new plank on the streets to replace some worn out by the teaming over them.

John Cheldlin and Ole Paulson, of the valley, were in town Monday on their way to the Alaskan gold fields. They went by steamer to Portland that evening.

A lot of 4-inch iron pipe stored in the steamer wareroom belonging to the city would seem to indicate that the new water system may be an accomplished fact in the near future.

Will Chandler was called home to San Francisco, Cal., by telegram last week announcing the alarming illness of his father. It is learned since that his father died before he reached his bedside.

Orwig & Croft is a new firm to embark in the manufacture of shingles. They are getting machinery in place at the Saldern camp, on the line of his logging road, and expect to be in shape for business before very long.

Will Chandler returned from San Francisco Wednesday morning of this week. He reached home a few hours too late to see his father alive, but attended the funeral and remained a few days with his mother, brothers, and sisters.

At a recent meeting of K. O. T. M. at which officers were installed, Chas. L. Conyers was installed commander, J. E. Hall record and finance keeper, J. H. Busing lieutenant-commander, with a compliment of subordinate officers unknown to the writer.

Successful religious meetings have been continued each evening in the church under the leadership of Rev. A. S. Mulligan, who has won the sympathies of the people by his earnest and kindly exhortatives to them to seek the better way and lead Christian lives. A few have made a start on a religious life.

Mrs. Ellerson, a Norwegian who has resided on the hill near Murrays, died of pneumonia last Friday morning after an illness of a week. She leaves a family of seven children in a husband's care to battle with the world's turmoils and disappointments. Burial took place Saturday afternoon in Maplewood cemetery.

The Clatskanie Republican Club met in the city hall Saturday evening. Norman Merrill was re-elected president, S. C. Tichenor secretary, and J. E. Hall treasurer for the ensuing two years. The following delegates to the State League were elected: N. Merrill, J. E. Hall, Lincoln Meserve, and A. J. Orwig. A resolution introduced by W. H. Conyers urging harmony in the ranks of republicans was unanimously passed and placed on record.

The Artisans' social on Saturday evening was quite a pleasant affair, arranged mainly, it is said, by Mrs. Wendell and Mrs. Crosby. Kratz hall was filled by an audience that was both appreciative and good natured. The literary and musical numbers were excellent and rapturously applauded. The orchestral trio—Miss Annie English on violin, Miss Carrie Tichenor on piano, and Mr. Silas Shourds on cornet—rendered some excellent and pleasing selections during the evening, while the piano duets by Mrs. Crosby and Miss Jones were brilliantly executed. Miss Jones favored the audience with a solo, and another in response to a recall. Mabel Blackford read a selection from "Mr. Candle" with good articulation and in a generally good manner. Dr. Hall was called on to say something of the benefits of the Artisans' order and responded briefly. Following these exercises, an auction sale of lunch boxes took place, E. C. Blackford acting auctioneer. About a dozen and a half boxes were sold, and bidding on some of them was quite spirited, two or three young men enjoying lunches that cost them $1.50 apiece, netting a neat sum for the enterprise when all were sold.

Card of Thanks.

It is our desire to extend our most sincere thanks to the friends who so willing assisted us in the care of our late father during his sickness; to the friends who rendered valuable assistance after his death, in watching, and other ways; to Elder Gue for his valuable services; to the fraternity of Odd Fellows, individually and collectively, for their most kind and generous assistance in the burial, and to all others who in any way assisted us, and to the entire public for their sympathy and kindness. CHAS. BLAKESLEY AND BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

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TREASURER'S NOTICE.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ST. HELENS, OR., JAN. 6, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL unpaid County Warrants of Columbia County, Oregon, which have been presented and endorsed: "Not Paid for Want of Funds," prior to May 14, 1895, will be paid upon presentation at this office. Interest will not be allowed after this date. S. M. WHARTON,
j7f4 Treasurer of Columbia County, Oregon.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

OFFICE OF SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT,
SCAPPOOSE, Oregon, January 25, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FOR the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at St. Helens, Oregon, beginning at one o'clock p. m., Wednesday, February 9th, 1898. J. G. WATTS,
County School Superintendent.

Dated this 25th day of January, at Scappoose, Oregon. 126-f4

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
January 26, 1898.

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 the county clerk of Columbia county, at St. Helens, Oregon, on March 15th, 1898, viz:

CHARLES PETERSON,

Homestead Entry No. 9439, for the southeast ¼ of northwest ¼, southwest ¼ of northeast ¼, northwest ¼ of southeast ¼ and northeast ¼ of southwest ¼ of section 6, township 4 north, range 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: John Edholm, Frank L. Wilson, Gust Hult, and Clemens Muller, all of Vernonia, Oregon. f4m11 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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JOHN EDHOLM,

Homestead Entry No. 8269, for the lot 6, of section 5, township 4 north, range 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank L. Wilson, Charles Peterson, William M. Wilson and A. Shannahan, all of Vernonia, Oregon. f4m11 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
January 25, 1898.

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 the Reister and Receiver, at Oregon City, Oregon, on March 15, 1898, viz:

LARS ELISON,

Homestead Entry No. 10,517, for the northeast ¼ of section 24, township 4 north, range 3 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: John M. Christiansen, of Portland, Oregon, Peter Olsen, of Scappoose, Oregon, John P. Miller, of Oregon City, Oregon, Gustav H. Siercks, of Scappoose, Oregon. 128m11 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
January 6th, 1898.

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 the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on February 19th, 1898, viz:

ALEXANDER GOURLAY,

Homestead Entry No. 9082, for the northeast ¼ of section 20, township 3 north, range 2 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Potter, Charles B. Duffy, Stephen Haines, and James A. Gowenlock, all of Scappoose, Oregon. j7f11 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
December 23rd, 1897.

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 the County Clerk of Columbia County, at St. Helens, Oregon, on February 14th, 1898, viz:

FELIX GLINECKI,

Homestead Entry No. 8933, for the southeast ¼ of section 22, township 5 north, range 3 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Rudolph Karth, Ignatz Sintek, Joseph Sobieski, and Stephen Lampka, all of Valley, Oregon. d31f8 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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ANTON GLINECKI,

Homestead Entry No. 8982, for the north ½ of southwest ¼, and southeast ¼ of southwest ¼ of section 22, and northeast ¼ of southeast ¼ of section 21, township 5 north, range 3 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Rudolph Karth, Ignatz Sintek, Joseph Sobieski, and Stephen Lampka, all of Valley, Oregon. d31f8 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County.

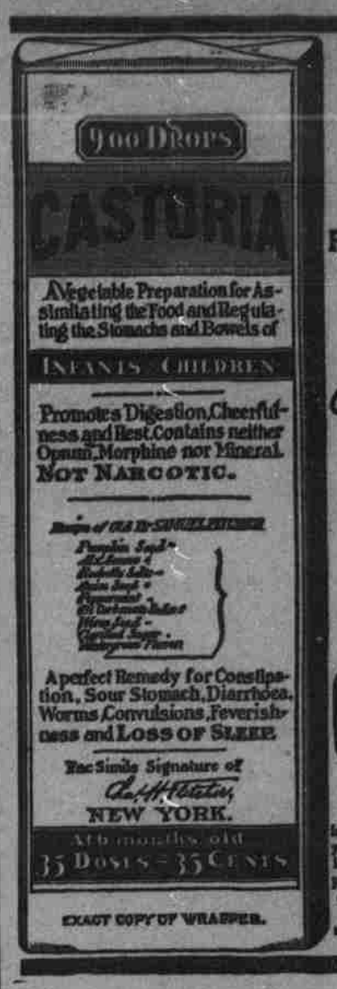
The Astoria and Columbia River Railroad Company, plaintiff,
vs.
James McGregor, defendant.

To the above-named James McGregor, defendant.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the Complaint of the above-named plaintiff in the above-entitled action, in the above-entitled Court, on or before the first day of the next regular term of the said Court, namely, on or before the 11th day of May, 1898; and you will take notice that if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint and for a judgment against you for want of an answer; the relief demanded in the Complaint being a judgment condemning and appropriating to use of the plaintiff for railroad purposes and for the purpose of taking material therefrom to be used in constructing and maintaining the embankment of plaintiff's railroad, the following-described tract of real estate, situated in Columbia County, in the State of Oregon, to-wit: Beginning at the point of intersection of the West boundary line of plaintiff's right of way as hereinafter described, with the South line of Section 35, in Township number 7, North of Range number 2, West of the Willamette Meridian, at a point 122.5 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section 35; thence West along the South line of said Section 35 a distance of 174.5 feet; thence North 20 degrees 10 minutes West, a distance of 419 feet; thence North 48 degrees 20 minutes East, a distance of 98.4 feet, to the Westerly boundary line of said right of way; thence in a Southerly direction along said Westerly boundary line of said right of way to the place of beginning, containing 1.4 acres. Also the following tract or parcel of said section 35, lying East and adjacent to said line of right of way described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Section 35, thence North along the East boundary line of said Section a distance of 324 feet; thence North 43 degrees 47 minutes West, a distance of 350 feet; thence South 48 degrees 20 minutes West, a distance of 75.4 feet, to the Easterly boundary line of the right of way aforesaid; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly boundary line of the said right of way aforesaid to the South line of said Section 35; thence East 20.8 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 1.4 acres. Also the following tract or parcel of land situated in Lot numbered 3 in said Section 36, in said Township and Range aforesaid, to-wit: Beginning at the Southwest corner of said Section 36; thence North along the West line of said section 250 feet; thence South 45 degrees East, a distance of 353.5 feet, to the South line of said Section 36; thence West along the South line of said Section 36, a distance of 250 feet to the place of beginning, containing 72-100 acres. The said "right of way" is a strip of land owned by plaintiff, 100 feet wide, and extends across the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 35, and Lot 3 of Section 36, in said Township and Range, and the center line of said right of way is the following: Beginning at a point in the South line of Section 35, in Township and Range aforesaid, a distance of 74.7 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section 35; thence along a three-degree curve to the left to a tangent at said point, which bears North 22 degrees, 35 minutes West, through a total angle of 12 degrees, 34 minutes, and a distance of 418.8 feet to the end of said three-degree curve to the left; thence along a tangent to said last-mentioned curve to the left, bearing North 35 degrees, 9 minutes West, across the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 35 aforesaid.

You will also take notice that by order of the above entitled Court, made on the 19th day of January, 1898, this Summons is served by publication thereof for six consecutive weeks in THE OREGON MIST.

FULTON BROS.,
j21-m24 Attorneys for Plaintiff.



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