ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of Sheriff of Columbia County; subject to the action of the Republican voters at the direct primaries to be held April 20th.

MARTIN WHITE.

For Representative.

I hereby give notice of my intention to circulate a petition for nominstion on the Republican primary ticket for Representative in the Legislature from Columbia County. ELMER T. CONNELL.

For Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for the office of Representative, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the direct primaries.

PLATFORM

Strict adherence to the direct primary law, in letter and spirit.

Taxation of franchises.

Election of road supervisors.

The Grange Good Roads and Pure Food Laws.

Reduce the number of Normal schools to two.

Equal taxation of corporations and individuals.

R. H. FLAGG.

For County Clerk.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the Direct Primary Election, to be held April 20th.

I pledge myself if elected to devote my time to county business exclusively.

H. E. LA BARR.

For State Printer.

The undersigned announces himself as a Republican candidate for renomination for State Printer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election April 20.

Now serving first term. The same courtesy that has been accorded to State officers generally, that of a renomination, would be greatly appreciated.

J. R. WHITNEY.

Albany, Oregon.

LOCAL

School report cards—the very best form—$1 per hundred, with envelopes.

High water took out the bridge at Charles Wallace's place, west of Vankton, on Monday last. The damage is about one hundred dollars.

Miss Teresa M. Burns, of Rainier, has been employed to take charge of the primary department of the public school at Scappoose.

We know we can be of service to you. Come and see us. Columbia County Bank.

Miss Marie Watts, of Scappoose, is second in the Oregonian's contest for a trip to the Yellowstone Park, in District No. 22.

Preaching services by Rev. W. C. Stewart next Sunday will be as follows: Yankton 11:30 a. m., Houlton 3 p. m., St. Helens 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

No amount too small to start an account with the Columbia County Bank.

There will be a basket social in Spence's Hall, Houlton, on the evening of March 10. Everybody invited to come and bring a basket. There will be a short program. The proceeds are to be applied on the M. E. church debt.

THE MIST'S NEW OFFICE—The Mist has moved into the Gable building, between the Columbia County Bank and the law office of W. H. Powell. We have a much better office now than heretofore and would be pleased to receive calls from all our friends.

Mr. A. J. Laws is visiting his nephew, Mr. A. T. Laws, of this city. Mr. Laws is an old Indian fighter and was recently the subject of about a column interview in the Evening Telegram of Portland.

Taxes are coming in to the sheriff's office quite rapidly. Among those who took advantage of the opportunity to save three per cent at the county's expense was the plutocratic editor of the Houlton Register.

Come and make a deposit with us and pay all your bills by check, which gives you a receipt to which you can always refer. Columbia County Bank.

Fred Niemela was committed to the county jail by Justice Blackford on Saturday last, on the charge of grand larceny. Niemela robbed Frederick Wassanan some months ago of $60 in money and was recently captured in Portland. He was taken to St. Helens and placed in the county jail, but is now out on bonds. It is understood that he will refund the money and be permitted to plead to a charge of petit larceny.

We will sell you a draft on London, Glasgow, Belfast, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Genoa, Amsterdam, or any place in Europe, and our charges are small. Columbia County Bank.

THE ARTISANS — Houlton Assembly, United Artisans, gave a very successful and enjoyable dance at their hall in our neighbor city last Saturday night. There was a good attendance, and the supper is said to have been one of the finest ever spread in Columbia County. There was plenty for all, and of the fragments that were left there were about ten bushels

The Willamette annual conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church will convene at the church in Center Addition, East Portland, March 7th. Opening sermon at 11 o'clock a. m. There will be preaching every evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited.

PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS—For sale at $1 per setting of fifteen eggs. Barred Plymouth Rocks and full bloods.

GEO. PERRY, Houlton, Ore.

Messrs. Graham and Johnson, managers for the German Coach Horse Co, of Clatskanie, were in town this week with two of the finest Coach and Percheron stallions ever brought to this coast. They are beautiful animals and a great accession to the fine stock interests of Columbia County.

The rock crusher and engine are on their way to Clatskanie, to crush rock for the new road being built between the city and the railroad depot. The more places the rock crusher visits the better it will be for the roads of Columbia County.

Mr. Syverson, mine host of the Palace Hotel at Rainier, was a tax-paying visitor to the county seat on Wednesday.

Mr. David Henshaw, of Houlton, visited the Mist office Wednesday for the purpose of paying in advance for the paper. Mr. Henshaw has been a subscriber to this family journal for seventeen years. Quite a number of the Mist's subscribers have taken the paper continuously since it was established, twenty-three years ago, and they are the worthy pioneers of Columbia County.

HORSE FOR SALE—Weight 1200 pounds, five years old. Good all purpose animal. Apply to E. C. LAWS, St. Helens.

Oscar Anderson, an employe of the Clatskanie Lumber Company, had his foot badly crushed in the company's mills at that place on Tuesday last. Anderson was operating a ratchet cutter and caught his foot in the moving carriage of the machine. The foot will have to be amputated.

The towboat Harvest Queen passed St. Helens Saturday last at about 6:30 a. m. with two schooners and a barkentine in tow. This is the first time such a feat has been accomplished, and it is certainly towing some, though we suppose there was no reduction in the rate.

We pay interest on time deposits. Come and see us. Columbia County Bank.

GRANGE OFFICERS—Ridgefield Grange No. 168 met Wednesday, February 21, and installed the following officers: J. A. Smith, Master; E. W. Horne, Overseer; H. Ludke, Lecturer; S. B. Richards, Steward; S. Keothe, Assistant Steward; W. Horne, Chaplain; C. Kern, Treasurer; F. Young, Secretary; F. C. Smith, Gatekeeper; Martha Koethe, Seres; Rebecca Wilson, Pomona; Sylvia Richards, Flora; Lydia Koethe, L. A. S.

MASONIC—St. Helens Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree tomorrow (Saturday) night. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

The fish commissioner visited St. Helens on Wednesday last. He states that there have been several violations of the fish laws recently and that a number have paid the penalty. The latest case is that of a fisherman at Columbia City who is accused of catching and selling sturgeon measuring twenty-eight inches, which is but little over half the length required by law.

Mr. Charles A. Johns, of Baker City, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, was a visitor to St. Helens on Wednesday last. Mr. Johns is a pleasant gentleman, and should he be nominated the Mist will take pleasure in supporting him.

When you wish to send away money, come and purchase a New York draft, payable on demand any place in the United States, and our charges are small. Columbia County Bank.

Mr. Schuyler Henry, who has been suffering severely from rheumatism, started on Wednesday last for the hot springs at St. Martins. Mr. Henry is one of St. Helens' best citizens, and we hope he may soon return in improved health.

Seeds in endless variety and quantity. Garden Seeds. Flower Seeds. Why send away for them

M. C. GRAY, St. Helens.

REUBEN

Broughton & Wiggins are loading a schooner at Neer City with lumber from their mill.

The American ship Berlin, owned by the Warren Packing Co., is moored at their dock at Goble.

Winnans Bros. expect to have their mill in running order again in about six weeks.

Capt. Baker and a crew of experienced men from Detroit, Mich., arrived here Monday with four powerful pumps and other wrecking paraphanalia for the purpose of raising the steamer G. W. Elder. The Captain expects to have her afloat in six weeks.

T. C. Watts, M. Link and D. A. Wise were elected delegates from Goble Grange No. 329 to the County Grange.

Mrs. Ray Hoven's term of school in this district closed last Friday. It is the supposition that the directors will secure the services of Mrs. Hoven again for the spring and fall term, also a teacher for the primary department. The directors will meet March 5th to elect the teachers.

A SNAP

160 acres of land near Delena, in the fertile Beaver valley for $1000! Of the 160 acres, 6 acres cleared and there is a fine orchard of apple, pear, cherry and prune trees. There is a good six room house on the place and a well of fine water that never goes dry. For anyone that wants to buy in this county this is a snap. For particulars inquire at this office.

RAINIER

Over 5,000 fifty-pound boxes of Cowlitz River smelt have been shipped from Rainier since the first of February, the average being about 200 boxes per day.

W. T. Watts, county surveyor, was in town Sunday surveying the water front recently purchased by C. C. Wilson from Geo. F. Moeck. Mr. Wilson is planning to drive the piling for the foundation of the new mill during the coming June high water, as then the handling of the piledriver and piling can be most easily accomplished.

A full independent ticket for town officers has been nominated by petition, as is customary in this town. Each candidate filed a separate petition. The candidates for councilmen, or trustees, as they are called here, have published a platform, upon which they will base their official conduct if elected. A copy of this platform will be found elsewhere in these columns. The independent candidates are as follows: For trustees, W. D. Plue, N. S. Stewart, John Dibblee, Parker Stennick, and Dean Blanchard, who is endorsed by all; for police judge, W. M. Perry; for town marshal, James Jesse; for treasurer, A. L. Clark.

Parties in town and parties out of town are seeking to acquire a suitable location for another saloon. The town already has six.

It may appear to the people of Columbia County a strong statement to make, that the payroll for one month at Rainier would be sufficient to erect a better courthouse than the county court has in contemplation, yet such is the fact.

The shipments of lumber from Rainier and of other manufactured products of mills and factories is greater than from Astoria, so we are informed by a party who keeps posted on such matters. We ship both by water and rail, and the rail shipments will surprise those who do not keep tab on such matters.

The State Bank of Rainier will open its doors for business on March 1st in its temporary quarters in the room adjoining the postoffice. The illness of Mr. Lewis, the president, has delayed the opening a few days.

The schooner Prosper tore loose from her mooring at the Rainier Mill and Lumber Co. dock last Saturday and drifted into the river. Her anchors had to be lowered to hold her. The mishap cost a delay of 24 hours in loading.

M. T. O'Connell has begun work in his camp, which is the old McKinnon camp. Railroad iron and materials for building a logging road have been received.

Mr. Rockafellow, father-in-law of T. E. Hughes, is erecting a dwelling house on the bluff overlooking the Columbia River Door Co. plant.

Parker Stennick has bought two lots adjoining those of Robert Yount on the west. A dwelling in the near future is in contemplation.

C. M. Brooks and family have returned from Hoquiam, Wash., where they have resided over a month, and will make this their home.

The foundation of a house is being laid on the lot in Moeck's addition recently purchased by Frank McCaskey.

The house on the corner of Water and Virginia streets is being moved to make room for the erection of a hotel. Mr. O. Dutcher is doing the work.

Electric light poles are being erected by the parties who received the last franchise for putting in electric lights. Work was also begun by the parties who received the franchise last September for the same puapose. We shall soon have electric lights to burn.

There were registered for the town election 228 voters. All these voters, to be entitled to vote, must be citizens of the United States and have resided six months in the State of Oregon and ninety days in the limits of the town of Rainier.

The school census is being taken. The last week in February is designated by law as the time. Let everyone help to enroll all children between the ages of four and twenty, to swell our school population as much as possible.

The candidates on the Independent ticket have signed the following platform: "Reform in the administration of the town affairs; the suppression of gambling and other vices in the interest of moral decency; a judicious and careful expenditure of public money; improvement of streets and construction of sewers; requiring all persons asking franchises to give good and sufficient bonds as evidence of good faith; abolishment of the office of city attorney and repeal of the occupation tax; the inviting in and encouragement of new industrial enterprises."

Torture By Savages.

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria, and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by Perry & Graham, Houlton. Price 50c.

Do Your Spraying Now.

Some fruit growers are spraying their trees while others are not. In order that the fight agsinst San Jose scale and other fruit pests may be successfully waged, it is essential that concerted action be taken by the farmers.

Let every man spray his orchard and a good step will have been taken towards eradicating these pests from this state.

Now is the time to begin spraying. Get out the spray pump and spraying solution and get busy.

Mr. Rand's Explanation.

To the Editor: On account of what seems to be a studied attempt to misrepresent my position upon certain questions about which the public has a right to be informed, I wish to say:

No man in the State of Oregon has more admiration for the courage, integrity, ability and patriotism of President Roosevelt than I have.

I am not an enemy to any class of people—laboring men, or otherwise—on the contrary, the laboring men, with hardly an exception, in this community, are all my personal friends. I have never opposed labor legislation, when I believed it to be right, nor have I ever failed to vote against such legislation, when I believed it to be wrong. If that made labor organizations regard me as an enemy, I am willing to be so classed.

I apologize for no vote I cast in the legislature and any person or set of persons, feeling aggrieved at any official act of mine, is at perfect liberty to make such criticism as they desire. While a member of the State Senate I did not vote for or against any measure that, under the same circumstances and with the same knowledge, I would not vote in the same way again.

It has been reported that I voted against the Fellow Servant Law. I did not vote against the Fellow Servant Law: on the contrary, I voted, together with every other member of the State Senate, in favor of that law.

The particular measure which aroused the antagonism of certain people, was what was known as "Senate Bill No. 60" introduced by Senator Malarkey, being a bill limiting the hours of service of railroad employes, and in my judgment, containing many obnoxious features. The vote upon that bill will be found on page 295 of the Senate Journal of 1905, and the vote upon that measure, upon its final passage, was as follows: those voting yea in favor of the bill, were Senators Brownell, Coshow, Howe, Malarkey, Miller and Wright, a total of six in favor of the bill: those voting nay and in opposition to the bill were Senators Avery, Booth, Bowerman, Carter, Coe Coke, Croisan, Farrar, Haines, Hobson, Hodson, Holman, Laycock, Loughary, McLonald, Pierce, Rand, Sichel, Smith, Tuttle, Whealdon and Mr. President: there being two members of the Senate absent, to-wit, Senators May and Nottingham, making a total of 22 voting nay, six votyda, and two absent.

It has been reported that I have said that if I could have my way, I would wipe off from the statutes all laws favorable to labor. This statement is absolutely without foundation and was never made by me at any time or place, anybody's statement to the contrary notwithstanding.

So far as it is claimed that I am a corporation lawper, I have only to say that I represent quite a number of clients, some of whom are coporations, but most of whom are individuals. I do not know a single lawyer in the state, having any considerable amount of business, who does not number among his clients a greater or less number of corporations, and I do not know a lawyer in the state who is not perfectly willing to act as attorney for corporations whenever their business is offered to him, the same as he would for any individual.

So far as the primary law is concerned I am neither in favor of it or opposed to it; I am however in favor of giving it a fair trial, and if it is found to work satisfactorily to retain it upon the statutes and if not to repeal it.

JOHN L. RAND.

How to Secure Large Potatoes.

C. H. Andrews gives his experience in the cultivation of potatoes as follows:

"I am convinced from my experiments that it will pay to thin potatoes to one stalk in a place and so give all the strength and moisture of the land to those that remain. It might be well to cut out all eyes of the potatoes when planted, except such as are desired to grow, and so save the trouble of thinning out the field to some extent. There is no profit in growing a large crop of potatoes unless they are of merchantable size. The largest potatoes are always found where the largest and strongest stalks grow, and the small ones where they are small and weak. It is a mistake, in my judgment, to plant small seed or to cut the large ones to one or two eyes to save seed and to reduce the number of plants, as the common practice is. It is much better to plant whole potatoes of good size, or, if large, to cut them at most only in halves. Of course, it will cost more to seed a field, but with good seed properly thinned, much better results can be obtained.

"If one desires to raise the largest quantity possible from a few seed, great results can be obtained by taking off the shoots and transplanting, but the potatoes will not grow large. When the early rose was first introduced I bought a pound of seed, for which I paid $3, and cut them in halves and planted them in a cold frame. As fast as the plants grew large enough to transplant, I took them off and set them in a field. I continued to do this until too late to set out more. I obtained from that pound of seed over one and one-half bushels potatoes. The first taken off produced the largest potatoes. The later growth made weaker plants, and from them were tubers proportionately smaller. It may not be known to some people that each eye in a potato is capable of producing a large number of shoots; as fast as taken off others will grow. Usually not more than two or three to each eye will start when planted, but that number is far too many to be left to grow."

A Lively Tussle

with that old enemy of the race, Constipation, often ends in appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver and Bowels, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort. 25c at Perry & Graham's, Houlton.

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New Everything, Except the Same Firm at the Same Place

TAKE A LOOK--IT WILL DO YOU GOOD

We have the largest stock of Furniture, Stoves and Ranges in town, all of which is bought right and will be sold right. We can save you money on anything in this line

Bed Springs, full size, ...$1 75 and up
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Tables, Chairs, Stands, Rockers, and many other articles.

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Hair Pins.....05
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Belts.....15 to 40
Hose, per pair.....10
Muslin Underwear.....50
Knit Underwear, suit.....$1 00
Collars.....15c up
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A full line of Laces, Embroideries, Notions, Calico, Muslins, Outings, Table Linens, and many articles too numerous to mention.

A full line of Shoes for ladies, misses, and children.

Boys' Shirts for 25c. Boys' Shoes, fine and coarse.

Call and see our full guaranteed goods and be convinced.

A FEW SNAPS

Men's regular $2 50 Hats.....$1 60
Men's regular $1 Shirts..... 39
Men's regular 50c Sox..... 35
Ladies' regular 50c Collars..... 25
Ladies' regular 25c Collars..... 15
Ladies' regular 50c Leggings..... 29
Girls' Coats (11 to 14 years), regular $2.50, now..... 1 00

MEN'S WEAR

Caps and Hats galore, price according to quality.
Good Work Shirts.....50
Sox, per pair.....from 10c to $1
Collars.....10
Overalls, per pair.....50
Jumpers.....50
Fine Shoes, per pair..... $2 to $5
Dress Shirts.....20c to $2 50
Loggers' Shoes.....$3 to $7 50

We carry a full line of Men's Cotton and Woolen Underwear, which you will do well to inspect before buying elsewhere.

STOVEPIPE

Stovepipe, 5 and 6 inch.....15
Taper joints, 5 to 6 and 6 to 7.....25
T joints.....35
Elbows.....15

Heaters.....$ 2 00 and up
Cookers, No. 8 ..... 9 00 and up
Ranges..... 27 50 and up

GROCERIES--You Want 'Em. We Have 'Em

We also desire to call your attention to a few prices that are attractive and appeal to the pocketbook.

Flour, per sack.....$1 65
Bottle Bluing..... 05
3 cans Tomatoes..... 25
3 cans Corn..... 25
3 cans Oysters..... 25
2 packages Gold Dust..... 35
2 packages Gloss Starch..... 15
2 packages Corn Starch..... 15
3 packages Soda..... 20
1 package Wh-Eat..... 10
1 package Putnam Fadeless Dyes..... 05
8 bars Star Soap..... 25
Pails of good Syrup..... 50
Glass Sets, four pieces..... 50

Pure Leaf Lard, 5 lbs.....$ 55
Pure Leaf Lard, 10 lbs..... 1 10
Home quality guaranteed..... 10

TOBACCOS.

Two 2½ oz pkgs Pedro smoking.....15
Two 2 oz pkgs Union Leader.....15
Two 2¼ oz pkgs Sun Cured smoking..15
Two 2¼ oz pkgs Gold Shore smoking..15
Three 2½ pkgs Peerless smoking....25
Six 1 oz pkgs Enz Durham smoking..25
Six 1 oz pkgs Duke's Mixture smoking..25
Six 1½ oz pkgs Dixie Queen smoking..25

These prices are strictly spot cash.

BAILEY & BRINN, Houlton, Oregon

RAILROAD LANDS FOR LEASE

Lands of the Oregon and California Railroad Company, in Oregon, will be leased for the year 1906 subject to cancellation of lease in the event of the sale of the land during the term of lease. Owners of farms and ranches adjoining railroad lands should file their applications not later than February 1, 1906, after which date applications from others will also be considered. Address

CHARLES W. EBERLIN,
Acting Land Agent,
1035 Merchants' Exchange,
San Francisco, Cal.

GUARDIAN'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, made and entered on the 24th day of February, 1906, in the matter of the guardianship of the estate of Alfred C. Wolf, an insane person, the undersigned as guardian of the estate of said insane person, will, on, from and after the 21st day of March, 1906, at the law office of W. H. Powell, in St. Helens, Oregon, proceed to sell, at private sale, for cash in hand, the following described real property belonging to said insane person, situated in the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section twenty, in township five north, range three west of the Willamette Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres.

Any person desiring to bid upon said property at such sale will submit the same to me at Houlton, Oregon, or to my attorney, W. H. Powell, at St. Helens, Oregon.

EDWARD E. HAZEN.

NOTICE OF SALE OF TIDE LANDS

Notice is hereby given that the State Land Board will receive sealed bids until 2 o'clock p. m. on March 13, 1906, for the purchase of the State's interest in Tide Land in front of Lot 16, Block 10, in the City of St. Helens, Township 4 North, Range 1 West.

All bids must be accompanied by a regular application to purchase in accordance with the law for the sale of Tide Lands, and by cash or check for the amount offered.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Applications and bids should be addressed to G. G. Brown, Clerk State Land Board, Salem, Oregon, and marked "Application and bid to purchase Tide Land."

G. G. BROWN,
Clerk State Land Board.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1906.

SUMMONS

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

Frank S. Akin and Ben Selling, plaintiffs, vs. Hewitt Investment Company, defendant.

To Hewitt Investment Company, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause on or before April 7th, 1906, and if you fail to so answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit:

That the court decree that plaintiffs are the owners and in possession and entitled to the possession of the northwest quarter of section 29, in township 5 north of range 3 west of the Willamette Meridian, containing one hundred and sixty acres, situate in Columbia County, Oregon; and that it further decree that any claim of the defendant therein is invalid and that the title of plaintiffs be quieted as against any claims and demands of the defendant therein, and that plaintiffs have judgment for their costs and disbursements.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. Thomas A. McBride, judge of the above entitled court, of date February 16th, 1906.

The date of the first publication is February 23d, 1906.

The time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons is six weeks.

SNOW & McCAMANT,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

CITATION

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

In the matter of the estate of W. H. Palmer, deceased.

To Fannie F. Palmer, of Vernonia, Oregon; Mrs. T. J. Adams, of Vernonia, Oregon; William Palmer, of Forest Grove, Oregon; C. V. Palmer, of Vernonia, Oregon; and James Palmer, whose residence is unknown, heirs at law of W. H. Palmer, deceased; and to all other heirs and devisees unknown, if any such there be; and to all other persons interested in the real property belonging to the estate of said deceased:

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, at the courtroom thereof, at St. Helens, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 17th day of March, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exists, why an order of sale of certain real property belonging to the estate of said deceased, in said County of Columbia, State of Oregon, should not be made as prayed for in the petition of Grant Downing, the administrator of said estate, on file in said court.

The real property described and petitioned to be sold in said petition is as follows, to-wit: Beginning twenty rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section eight, in township four north, range four west of the Willamette Meridian; thence west sixty rods, thence south eighty rods, thence east sixty rods, thence north eighty rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty acres, situated in the County of Columbia, State of Oregon.

Witness: The Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, with the seal of said court affixed, this 13th day of February, 1906.

Attest: H. HENDERSON, Clerk.
By W. A. HARRIS.

W. H. Powell, Att'y for Administrator.

SUMMONS

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

The Benson Logging & Lumbering Co., a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Riley W. Allen and Mrs. Riley W. Allen, his wife, defendants.

To the defendants, Riley W. Allen and Mrs. Riley W. Allen, his wife:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint herein on or before the 31st day of March, 1906; said date being more than six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons, and said date being after the time prescribed by said court and by law for the publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to wit: For a decree of partition of the east half of the east half of section fourteen, township five (5) north, range three west of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County, Oregon, which said property is now owned as follows: By the plaintiff an undivided one-half interest, and defendant, Riley W. Allen, an undivided one-half interest, with a contingent dower interest in said Mrs. Riley W. Allen, wife of Riley W. Allen, in said Allen's interest, and for an order appointing referees for the purpose of making partition of said real property according to law and the practice of this court; and that the costs of partition and of this suit may be charged to the parties herein in their just proportions and the same made a lien upon said land.

This summons is published once a week for six consecutive weeks by order of R. S. Hattan, County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, and dated the 14th day of February, 1906.

The date of the first publication of this summons is February 16th, 1906, and the date of the last publication is the 30th day of March, 1906.

COOVERT & STAPLETON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned as administrator of the estate of John D. Morgan, deceased, that he has filed in the office of the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, his final account of his administration upon said estate, together with his final report; and that the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of said Court, has appointed Saturday, the 10th day of March, 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the courtroom of said court, at St. Helens, Oregon, as the time and place of hearing the same and settling the same; at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections in writing to said final account or said final report, or to any part of either of the same.

E. E. QUICK,
W. H. POWELL, Att'y for Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of J. S. Millard, deceased, by the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, verified according to law, at my office at St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated November 3, 1905.

E. E. QUICK,
W. H. Powell, Attorney for Administrator.

SUMMONS.

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

The Portland Lumber Co., a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Daniel T. Young, defendant.

To the above named defendant, Daniel T. Young:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint herein on or before the 31st day of March, 1906, said date being more than six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons, and said date being after the time prescribed by by law and by said court for the publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree reforming the description in a conveyance from defendant to one J. B. Yeon, dated February 24, 1902, so as to confirm to the description of the land sold and intended to be conveyed thereby, to-wit: The south half of the south half of section 24, township 7 north, range 3 west of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County, Oregon, and for general equitable relief.

This summons is published once a week for six consecutive weeks by order of R. S. Hattan, County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, and dated the 19th day of February, 1906.

The date of the first publication of this summons is February 16th, 1906, and the date of last publication the 30th day of March, 1906.

COOVERT & STAPLETON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

(Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.)

United States Land Office.
Portland, Oregon, January 11, 1906.

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, Lloyd L. Detrick, of Pittsburg, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6,52, for the purchase of the east ½ of the southeast ¼ and the east ½ of the northeast ¼ of section No. 12, in Township No. 5 north, Range No. 4 west, 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 Portland, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906.

He names as witnesses: S. P. Ballard, of Pittsburg, Oregon; Albert Parker, of Pittsburg, Oregon; Geo. Armstrong, of Pittsburg, Oregon; Andrew Elliot, of Pittsburg, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of March, 1906.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register.

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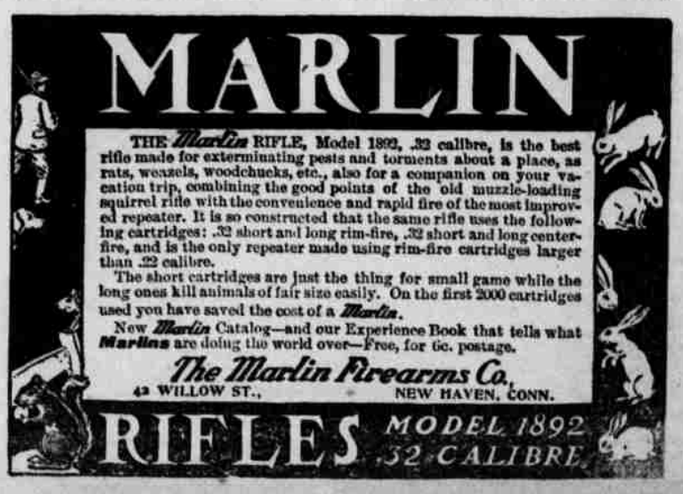
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