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REGISTER AT ONCE

The Direct Primary Law is intended to take the nomination of candidates for political offices out of the hands of the few and place it in the hands of the many. But unless the people do their duty there is no more virtue in it than in the old convention system—possibly not as much. If the voters neglect to register, or, having registered neglect to attend the primary election on April 17th they should not complain if they find the result just as unsatisfactory as under the old system.

Columbia is strongly a Republican County. There are more voters of that political faith than of all others combined, including the so called Independents, and a nomination on the Republican ticket should be equivalent to an election.

That being true, the primaries are really more important than the general election, and there is a strong obligation upon those who have the best interests of the community at heart to be sure to attend the primaries and vote for those candidates you believe will give the county the best government if elected. No candidate for a nomination is without competition and they represent every section of the county. Geographical location, however, is a minor consideration compared with fitness. Picking a man for county office is the same as selecting an employe for your private business. You want the man who will do the best work and has shown, whenever opportunity offered, that he had the county's interests at heart.

THE NEHALEM IDEA

Over in the Nehalem Valley, in the neighborhood of Vernonia, they are holding a series of non-partisan meetings for the purpose of discussing and familiarizing the voter with the numerous different measures to be voted on next June. The meetings are said to be well attended and are proving very helpful. We commend the Nehalem idea to the consideration of those who are howling loudly against the Direct Primary Law, and the Initiative and Referendum. It is easy to howl and some people have built up reputations for wisdom merely by clamoring against existing laws. But it seems to us the Nehalemites have a better system. They get together and discuss the proposed laws and referendum measures, so that when the time comes to cast their votes they will do so intelligently and thus sustain the principle of giving to the people the power of direct legislation. It is a great experiment and its success depends upon the measure of intelligence shown by the voters. If all communities adopted the Nehalem idea there would be no doubt whatever that direct legislation would prove to be a beneficial grant of power and its opponents would have no strength whatever.

For Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Representative in the State Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 17th. I further state to the people of Oregon, as well as to the people of my legislative district, that during my term of office I will always vote for that candidate for United States Senator in Congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes for that position at the general election next preceeding the election of a Senator in Congress, without regard to my individual preference.

ELMER T. CONNELL.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF CANDIDATES

Of Interest to Columbia County Electors.

For School Superintendent

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination, on the Republican ticket, for the office of School Superintendent for Columbia County.

If I am nominated and elected, I will work to increase the efficiency of the public schools to the end that the boys and girls may receive a higher, broader, and better education.

J. H. COLLINS.

For District Attorney

In submitting my name to the electors of the Fifth Judicial District for their consideration for the office of District Attorney of said district, I desire to say that if I am nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, honestly, vigorously and impartially perform all the official duties pertaining to said office, without fear or favor, endeavoring always to accord to every individual, irrespective of party, politics or personalities, a square deal under the Law, keeping always uppermost in my mind the interests of the tax payers of said District and State.

E. B. TONGUE.

For School Superintendent.

I hereby announce to the voters of Columbia County that I am a candidate for County School Superintendent.

I advocate modern schools, modern methods, a practical and usable education, equal school privileges, school visits by the superintendent, and the "Square Deal" to pupils, patrons, and teachers.

If elected I promise earnest and diligent effort in the discharge of my official duty.

J. W. ALLEN.

For County Clerk

Undersigned respectfully offers himself to the legal Republican voters of Columbia County as a candidate for the office of county court.

If I am nominated and elected I will, during my term of office, faithfully discharge all the duties of county clerk, economically administer the affairs of said office, and will not employ any member of my family therein.

C. H. JOHN.

For Assessor

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket as assessor.

If I should be elected, I promise a just, honest, and equitable assessment to all. Will not employ any member of my family as deputy, and will submit all expense accounts to the Board of Commissioners for verification and approval and abide their decision.

ALFRED S. HARRISON.

FOR CLERK

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, subject to the endorsement of the Republican voters of this county at the Primary election to be held April 17th. 1908.

If nominated and elected, I promise a careful, economical administration of the affairs of that office, efficient service, and faithful performance of duty.

W. A. HARRIS.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

I hereby announce my candidacy for the primary nomination, by the republican party for the office of County Judge, and submit the following platform of principles, set forth in my petition.

If I am nominated and elected I will during my term of office, exert my best endeavors to secure an efficient business administration, and will give the same attention, care and energy to all matters connected with the office of County Judge as to personal and private business.

W. H. POWELL.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undesigned was by an order duly made and entered in the county court of Columbia county, State of Oregon, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1908 appointed administratrix of the estate of Frank Payne, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly verified, to me at my residence near Scappoose in said county and State, within six months from the first publication hereof.

ANNIE PAYNE,
Administratrix of the estate of Frank Payne, deceased.
First publication March 27th 1908.

For County Judge

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 17th, and by this decision I pledge myself to loyally abide

E. H. FLAGG.

COUNTY TREASURER'S NOTICE

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE
ST. HELENS, OR., Mar. 13, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that all unpaid County Road Warrants of Columbia County, Oregon, which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," will be paid upon presentation at this office. Interest will not be allowed after this date.

EDWIN ROSS,
Treasurer of Columbia County, Oregon.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF SALE, NOON ESTATE

Notice is hereby given the the undersigned, Executors of the Estate of W. C. Noon, deceased, by authority of the county court, of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county, will, on and after the 15th day of April A. D. 1908, proceed to sell at private sale, subject to confirmation by said county court, free and clear of all liens and of the dower right of Emily J. Noon, the widow of said W. C. Noon, deceased, save only the homehold interest of the Willamette Pulp and Paper Company, the following described real property, situate in the County of Columbia and State of Oregon, to-wit:—

Beginning at a stake on the south boundry line of the donation land claim of Garner T. Foster in section 18 Township 4 north, Range 1 west W. M., the same being the southeast corner of the James and Jessie Bacon's land; thence north on said Bacon's east line to the southwest corner of R. O. Hazen's land; thence east along Hazen's south line 80 rods; thence north along Hazen's east line 80 rods to the northern boundary line of said donation land claim; thence east on said northern boundary line to the center of the county line road from St. Helens to Portland; thence south 28 deg. and 45 min. west on the center of said county road 27 chains to a stake; thence east from said stake to low water mark on Scappoose Bay thence south along low water mark on said bay to the southern boundary of said claim thence west on said southern boundary line to the west boundary line of said county road; thence north along the west line of said county road 4 rods thence west 80 rods; thence south 4 rods to said south boundary line; thence west on said line to place of beginning, containing 140 acres, more or less, save & except-ing from said described land, however the following parcel conveyed by W. C. Noon to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church deed for which is recorded in Deed Book "V" at page 108 et seq., Records of said Columbia County, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 17.26 chains from the northeast corner of D. T. Foster's donation land claim in Section 18, Township 4 North, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian; thence west on the north line of said claim to the east line of the S. P. R. R. right of way, 70 feet more or less; thence south along the east line of said S. P. R. R. right of way to a point at the first telegraph pole 130 feet more or less, thence east to the center of the St. Helens and Warren County road 60 feet more or less; thence north along the center of said county road to the place of beginning.

Also the following described real property in said Columbia county.

Commencing at a point or stake on the North west corner of the land conveyed by Nelson Hoyt and wife to S. E. Miles, December 24, 1875, and recorded on pages 96 and 97, Book "F" Records of Deeds of Columbia County, Oregon; thence east along the northern boundary line of the donation land claim of Garner T. Foster, 80 rods; thence south on a line parallel with the east line of James Bacon's land, 80 rods; thence west on a parallel line with the north boundary line of the Garner T. Foster donation land claim, 80 rods; thence north on the boundary line of said James Baron's land, heretofore conveyed, 80 rods to the place of beginning, and containing 40 acres.

Also beginning at the northwest corner of the donation land claim of Garner T. Foster in Section 24, in Township 4 North, of Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian in Columbia county Oregon, thence east on the northern boundary line of said D. L. C. 28.36 chains to the northwest corner of Ralph O. Hazen's land, thence south with Ralph O. Hazen's line 7.04 chains to a point, thence west and parallel with the northern boundary line of said D. L. C. 28.36 chains to the West boundary line of said D.L.C. thence North on the western boundary line of said D. L. C. 7.04 chains to the place of beginning and containing 20 acres situate in Section 19, Township 4 North, Range 1 West, and in Section 24, Township 4 North, Range 2 West (Reserving and excepting, however, from the last above described real estate to James S. Bacon, his heirs and assigns, a right of way 30 feet in width on the east side of the land granted above for a carriage and wagon road, upon condition that said James S. Bacon will erect and maintain gates at each end of the said right of way.)

Also excepting and reserving from the last above described premises the following described premises heretofore conveyed to Thomas J. Howe by deed dated May 24, 1890 and recorded May 24, 1890 in Book "K" of Deeds at page 440 Commencing at the northeast corner of the D. L. C. of Garner T. Foster in section 24, Township 4 North, Range 2 West, running thence east on the southern boundry line of said D. L. C. to the township line between township 4 North, Range 1 West and Township 4 North, Range 2 West thence south on said township line 7.04 chains thence west to the west boundary line of said Foster D.L.C. in section 24, Township 4 North, Range 2 West, thence north on the western boundary line of said Foster D. L. C. to place of beginning and containing 8 acres of land, more or less, all in section 24, Township 4 North, Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County, Oregon.

The premises last above described as being lying to said estate being all in section 19, Township 4 North Range 1 West.

Also the following described real property in said Columbia County, to wit

The southeast quarter of Section 29 in Township 4 North of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian containing 160 acres.

Also 160 acres off from and out of the southeast corner of the donation land claim of Nelson and Mary Hoyt in said township and range aforesaid and being on the south side of Scappoose Creek the whole of said donation land claim being described as follows, to-wit:

The south half of the south west quarter of section 20; the West half of section 29 the east half of the southeast quarter and lots numbered 1, 2, and 3 of section 30 all in township No. 4 North of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian the whole of said claim containing 476.80 acres.

Also a tract of land containing about 266 acres, the same being the west half of the following described tracts of land to wit:

The donation land claim of H. B. Fowler, being claim No. 40 and which is described as the west half of the west half of the northeast quarter of section No. 32, the northwest quarter of section No. 32, the fractional north half of the north half of the southwest quarter of Section No. 32, the fractional east half of the northeast quarter of section No. 31, all in Township No. 4 North of Range No. 1 West of the Willamette Meridian and containing to the whole of said claim 320 acres.

Also the following described real property in Columbia County:

Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 in section 18 and the south east quarter of the southeast quarter section 17, also the west half of the northeast quarter and the west half of the southeast quarter and lots 6, 7, and 8 of section 20; also lot 1 of section 21, also the west half of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and lot 1 of section 29, all in township 4 North of Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian and containing 676.60 acres more or less, also fifty acres off the north end of Peter Williams donation land claim in Section 20 in said township and range and lying north of Scappoose Creek, excepting from the above tract of fifty acres one acre on Santosh Creek heretofore conveyed by Joseph Copeland to one Bingham conveyed by Joseph Copeland to one Bingham by deed recorded in book "H" of deeds of said Columbia County at page 585; and further excepting 1.84 acres heretofore conveyed by said Joseph Copeland to Charles Saltm by deed recorded in Book "I" of deeds of said county at page 122.

Also the following described real property in said Columbia County:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the donation land claim of Garner T. Foster, claim numbered 40, said northeast corner being in section 20, Township 4 North, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian; running thence south 28 deg. and 30 min. west, 8 chains and 33 links; thence north 70 deg. west, 8 chains and 31 links; thence south 30 deg. west, 7 chains and 50 links; thence south 29 deg. and 45 min. west, 18 chains and 10 links; thence north 73 deg. and 15 min. west, 11 chains and 20 links to an iron rod; thence north 26 deg. and 30 min. east, 15 chains and 24 links; thence north 33 deg. east, 7 chains and 50 links; thence north 25 deg. and 15 min. west, 2 chains; thence north 23 deg. east, 2 chains and 42 links; thence east along said Foster claim line 17 chains and 26 links to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom 10 acres conveyed to S. F. Baker by M. Fisk and wife by deed dated November 14, 1880, and recorded at page 52 et seq., of Book "M" of the Records of deeds of said Columbia County; also excepting therefrom 5 acres conveyed to William J. Fullerton by Mountravill Fisk and wife by deed dated March 13, 1891, and recorded at page 29 et seq., of Book "M" of the Records of Deeds of said Columbia County. The land above described, after deducting said exceptions, contain 25 acres more or less.

Also the following described land in said Columbia County, to-wit:

All that tract of land in the south half of the southwest quarter of section 20 and in the northwest quarter of Section 29, Township 4 North, Range 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, lying east of the main channel of Scappoose Creek as it is now located, which land, with other lands, was conveyed by J. N. Rice as sheriff of said Columbia County, for Mountravill Fisk et al. to Walter J. Burns, trustee, by deed dated September 25, 1897, and recorded in Book "L" page 419 et seq., of the Records of Deeds of said Columbia County, said tract containing 80 acres more or less.

Said property will be sold for cash in hand on delivery of deed. Twenty per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of the making of the bargain of sale.

Said property will be sold, if desired, in parcels to suit purchasers, the interest of the estate always being considered.

Dated February 26, 1908.

W. C. NOON, Jr.
T. J. ARMSTRONG,
Executors of the Estate of W. C. Noon, deceased.
Northup & Northup, Attorneys.

SUMMONS

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

Alice R. Sharp plaintiff.
vs
Earnest D. Sharp defendant

To Earnest D. Sharp the above named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court on or before the expiration of six weeks from and after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit on or before the 8th day of March, 1908, and if you fail to so answer for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint on file herein, to-wit For a decree of divorce from the defendant and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thos. A. McBride, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, and said order was made and dated the 14th day of January, 1908 and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 24th day of January, 1908.

D. S. PAGUE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned as executrix of the estate of Ernest Horgren, deceased, that she has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County her final account of her administration upon said estate, together with her final report and petition for distribution thereof, and that the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of said court, has appointed the 28th day of March 1908 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon thereof, as the time, and the courtroom of said court in St. Helens, Oregon as the place, for the hearing and settlement of said account, report and petition, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may apper and file objections in writing to the same or any part thereof. ANNIE HORGREN

W. H. Powell, attorney for executrix.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Charles English, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed Executors of said estate by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia and have duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same to said executors at the office of the County Clerk for said Columbia County, Oregon, in St. Helens, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified as required by law within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published hereof February 7th 1908.

DAVID B. ENGLISH,
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Executors of said Estate

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL INDEMNITY SELECTION

United States Land Office, Portland, Oregon, January 16, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon, on January 14, 1908 applied for the SE ¼ of Section No 7, 4 N. R 1 W. in this office a list of School Indemnity Lands in which it selected said land; and that is open to the public for inspection.

Any and all persons, claiming adversely the above described land or any part thereof, or claiming the same for mineral or other purposes, or to object to said selection for any legal reason, should file their objections or affidavits of protest or contest in this office or before the 2nd day of March, 1908.

ALGERNON S. [illegible]
GEO. W. [illegible]

SUMMONS

In The Justice Court in and for Township [illegible] in the County of Columbia, State of Oregon.

Victor Furer, Plaintiff
vs
Spruce & Fir Lumber Company, a Corporation, Defendants.

To the Spruce & Fir Lumber Company, a corporation, 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 action on or before the 28th day of March, 1908, that being the day fixed by order of the court for you to appear and answer, and more than six weeks from the date of publication of this summons; and if you fail to appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the court for the judgment against you for the sum of $[illegible] with interest thereon from the 28th day of January, 1908, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published in the Columbia Mist once a week for six successive weeks by order of H. F. Watkins, Justice of the Peace in and for Union Precinct, Columbia County, State of Oregon, dated the 16 day of January, 1908.

First publication Jan. 24, 1908; Last publication March 6, 1908.

W. H. POWELL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
H. F. WATKINS,
Justice of the Peace.

SUMMONS

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

James Dunn, Plaintiff
vs
Nellie Louise Dunn, Defendant.

To Nellie Louise Dunn 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 suit and court on or before thirty days from the 28th 1908; and if you fail to so appear and answer the want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint filed herein, to wit: for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made by the Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia dated January 14th 1908, and which order directs that summons in this suit should be published by you by publication once a week for six successive weeks in the "Oregon Mist" the date of first publication being Febuary 14th and the date of last publication March 27th, 1908.

J. F. [illegible]
Attorney for Plaintiff