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Calendar for July 1908 showing days of the week and dates.

RECUPERATE WORN-OUT FARMS

The United States forest service has a plan for the utilization of the worn-out farms of the country—a scheme to make them a paying proposition.

One of the fundamental principles of forest economics, say the experts, is that soil which is not good enough to make the growing profitable, should be devoted to the production of wood crops instead of cereal crops.

The Ohio farmer mentioned above expects to plant chestnut in the blank spaces left after removal of the first crop of Christmas trees.

WANTS TO "DIVVY" UP.

Umatilla county wants the branch asylum and, editorially, the Pendleton East Oregonian deals with the question in this way:

The board of regents of the state experiment farm at Union is to be congratulated for its persistent efforts to make that property perfect for the purpose for which it is owned.

But while Union county has her experiment station, and is already enjoying this permanent and valuable state institution, she cannot reasonably expect to secure the branch insane asylum which is to be established in eastern Oregon.

Umatilla county has heartily supported Union county's state institution and has been largely instrumental in holding the state farm for Union.

fers a climate peculiarly suited to the needs of the unfortunate insane. It is a happy mean between the cold climate of Union and the lower, humid altitude of Salem, and experts say that this district surrounding Pendleton would mean life and health and sanity for hundreds of unfortunates now dying a slow death at the asylum.

But she should also be satisfied with it. Let us divide up the state honors. Eastern Oregon is a magnificent big section and the public conveniences should be equitably distributed.

WHEAT OPENS STRONG.

The wheat market starts off much better this season than it did last. Sixty-eight cents was the price paid for forty-fold last year and 72 cents is the price that dealers will contract the present crop now.

Prohibition doesn't absolutely prohibit, of course, but just the same anybody can see that formerly we had 10 times as many drunk and boozey men as now.—Pendleton Tribune.

SPECIMEN OF LAW EVASION.

The people of Union county have willed that their county be dry. The liquor element have willed otherwise. In so far as they can prevent the will of the people they will do so.

Here we need the Littlefield (or other) bill, whose purpose was to prevent the shipping of wet goods into dry territory.

For this reason we are now, as are all other dry communities, at the mercy of the merciless. Thus is seen the unpatriotic character of the craft.

J. D. GILLMAN.

Heat Wave Returns. Chicago, July 26.—The heat waves returned today, two persons dying this morning. Two scores are prostrated.

Beware of Buttermilk. Mason City, Iowa, July 26.—That buttermilk is capable of becoming as dangerous a beverage as beer is well proven here when a barrel of the former liquid exploded.

QUASH LUMBER TRUST. Effort Made to Restrain Lumbermen From Forming Gigantic Trust.

St. Louis, July 30.—A suit to restrain the gigantic merger of lumber companies throughout the United States into a \$200,000,000 combine to control the yellow pine industry, was brought today in the circuit court by Attorney General Henley of Missouri.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 25, 1908. Notice is hereby given that MARY E. SCHOFIELD, of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, who, on May 15, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement No. 6025 for lots 2 and 5, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 1, Township 2 S., Range 22 E., Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on the 10th day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter Pratt, of Alsea, Ore.; Harvey Dahlstrom, of Alsea, Ore.; Thomas L. Schofield, of La Grande, Ore.; Neph W. Schofield, of La Grande, Ore. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 11, 1908. Notice is hereby given that GEORGE A. MCCURDY, of Hood River, Wasco county, Oregon, who, on May 4th, 1908, made Timber and Stone sworn statement No. 6019, for E 1/4 NW 1/4, lot 2, Sec. 18, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 7, Township 5 South, Range 34 East, Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on the 1st day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: David C. Brichoux, of La Grande, Ore.; John T. Williamson, of La Grande, Ore.; W. Albert Burns, of La Grande, Ore.; Charles Hall, of Hood River, Ore. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 25, 1908. Notice is hereby given that MAURICE A. LYNCH, of Portland, Oregon, who, on May 25, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement No. 6031, for SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 18, and SW 1/4 NW 1/4 and N 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 17, Township 5 S., Range 36 E., Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office, at La Grande, Ore., on the 11th day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: David C. Brichoux, of La Grande, Ore.; John T. Williamson, of La Grande, Ore.; W. Albert Burns, of La Grande, Ore.; Constant Koehler, of Baker City, Ore. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Ore., July 13, 1908. Notice is hereby given that CHARLES F. CLANCEY, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, who, on July 8, 1908, made timber and stone sworn statement No. 6149, for SE 1/4 NW 1/4, E 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 21, Tp. 4 South, Range 28 East, Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Oregon, on the 25th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Kathryn Connors, Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Amanda Miller, Sioux Falls, South Dakota; John K. Wright, of La Grande, Oregon; Walter Spencer, of La Grande, Oregon. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 11th, 1908. RAY HANSON, of La Grande, Oregon, who, on May 6th, 1908, made Timber and Stone sworn statement No. 6021, for NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 19, Township 4 S., Range 27, E. W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on the 3d day of August, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mike LePage, Mary E. Wilson, Blanche Baker, James McIntyre, all of La Grande, Ore. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.

When we make a statement and a man inquires in a certain mean way, "is that so?" it makes us mad.

A certain lawn mower is advertised to run easy. The idea of a lawn mower turning easy! Ever try one?

Why is it that every man apologizes to an agent for not investing in his schemes and is so bold with his wife?

Advertisement for ROBERTINE skin cream, describing its benefits for keeping the skin protected and clean.

NEW MARK FOR HEAT

Thermometer Reaches Highest Point of the Summer of 1908.

Creeping slowly upward during the noon hour the mercury in the government thermometer reached the highest point of the year this afternoon, 104 degrees in the shade.

This is at least three degrees more than have been reached heretofore this year, and comes as a surprise, as the weather for the past several days has been "camping weather" pure and simple.

The announcement of the high mark in heat has started considerable discussion as to records. From data procurable late today it is learned that 104 degrees is one better than any mark that has been set during the past seven years.

Sherman Still Sick. Hot Springs, July 30.—Taft and family arrived here today for a month's stay. Taft said Sherman, the vice-presidential candidate, is still ill, but he will participate in the campaign.

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CIRCUS LA GRANDE TUESDAY AUGUST 11

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