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FEE SYSTEM IS OPPOSED

GEORGE T. COCHRAN, SUED TO GET AT LAND BOARD.

Big Corporation Resists Collection of State Filing Fees.

Constitutionality of the fee system required by the state water board of applicants for irrigation water all through the state is to be determined in a suit against the board brought by a big concern and yesterday the papers in the case were served on Geo. T. Cochran, who as water commissioner for this district, will be made the nominal defendant, though it is the constitutionality of the issue seeks to determine. The suit was filed some time ago but on account of the absence of the water superintendent the service was not made until yesterday when Mr. Cochran returned.

The plaintiff is the Pacific Livestock company, a California corporation, for the recovery of over \$4,000 paid by the corporation as fees to Mr. Cochran before he would file its claim covering many hundred acres of land in connection with the determination of the rights of all parties on Silvies river to water by the state water board.

It is claimed that the payment was made under protest and was made only in order to protect the company's rights. The corporation claims that the collection of the fee, which is the regular fee established by the state water bureau, was illegal and extortionate, depriving it of the equal protection of the laws and of its property without due process of law, and deprived it of a right to have its rights adjudicated without paying an exorbitant sum. The charging of a fee is attacked as illegal, in addition to the claim that the amount charged was not a proper fee or any fee. Action is brought to collect the fee against Mr. Cochran personally, though the state land board is behind him.

The fee is regulated by the number of acres in a claim, just as charges are made for recording instruments by the number of words. The state water board is expected to make vigorous defense.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Notice is hereby given that the county board of equalization for Union county, Oregon, will attend at the court house, La Grande, on Monday, September 8, 1913, and publicly examine the assignment roll, correct all errors in valuation, descriptions or qualities of land, lots or other property, as assessed by the county assessor, and it shall be the duty of all persons interested to appear at the time and place given.

All persons having grievances regarding the 1913 assessment may appear before such board and present their affidavits containing grounds for complaint. All such affidavits must be presented during the first week of the meeting of the board.

U. G. COUCH,
Assessor for Union County.
Adv. 8-18 9-8.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Clark-Snook Produce Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, D. M. Clark, retiring from said firm. All accounts owing said firm will be collected by Mr. Snook and all bills of the firm will be paid by Mr. Snook.

Dated La Grande, Oregon, August 19th, 1913.
W. S. SNOOK,
D. W. CLARK.
Adv. 8-19

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Notice Special Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Grande Ronde Reservoir Co. that there is a special stockholders' meeting called for Saturday, September 20, 1913, at 2:30 p. m. at the Commercial club rooms, for the purpose of asking the stockholders to instruct the direction to sell or dispose of the company's property and also for a dissolution of the corporation.

By order of the board of directors.
GEO. STODDARD,
Vice President.
FRED J. HOLMES,
Secretary Pro Tem.
Aug 19 1mo. Adv.

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FOR SALE—New 4-room modern cottage, 4 blocks from business center. small lot, a good bargain, some terms. Edw. W. Kammerer, 2004 Adams ave. 6-20 tf

FOR SALE—400 acres, ideal stock ranch; 75 miles range; wheat and alfalfa. Address B, Observer. 8-7 tf.

FOR RENT—Rooms for lighthouse-keeping; also a large bed, sitting room and other bed rooms, with bath, 1512 Adams ave. Phone Black 1731. Adv. 6-25 tf

BOARDERS AND ROOMERS Wanted, 905 Spring ave. Phone Black 3881 Adv. 7-17 tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. See Dr. Darland. Adv. 8-18 tf.

WANTED—By permanent tenant, five room modern house (preferably furnished) reasonable rent. O. B. Wood, 47 Foley building. Adv. 8-21 3t p.

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WANTED—By permanent tenant, room modern house (preferably furnished) reasonable rent. O. B. Wood, 47 Foley building. Adv. 8-20 3t p.

FOR SALE—Four-foot yellow pine wood. Call Black 3742. Adv. 8-15 12t p

STRAYED—To Pearl Steler's farm on Rock creek, 1 sorrel gelding, 3 years old, branded 7 under quarter circle on left shoulder one black four years old; same brand owner can have them by paying for keep, and this notice. Adv. 8-16 tf

LOST—Time Book, containing labor and milk accounts. Finder notify Fleshman Bros', Jersey Dairy, Box 207. Adv. 8-21 5t p.

FOR SALE—Cheap, new rug and sewing machine; parties leaving. 1524 Monroe Ave. Adv. 8-19 6t.

FOR RENT—1080 acres; house, eight rooms; 30 head cattle; machinery; cuts 125 tons hay; \$1500 worth of hay and grain goes with ranch. Range 95 miles, three to five year contract. Address B, Observer. Adv. 8-7 tf

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FOR SALE—First cut of Alfalfa baled and delivered, nine dollars per ton in ton lots or more. J. B. Vander-mulin. Phone Farmers 37. Adv. 8-19 6t p.

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FOR RENT—Suite of housekeeping rooms furnished, 8th and O. Black 822. Adv. 8-20 tf.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in five room, modern cottage, with a large lot. Slightly location. Write care of Observer. Adv. 8-20 tf

WANTED—Girl to take care of two children. Phone Main 17. Adv. 8-21 10t p.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull. Call Farmers 64. Adv. 8-21 tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished, modern four room cottage, 3104 Second. Phone Red 3411. Adv. 8-21 6t.

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