

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 Imo. Adv.

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FOR SALE: 5 roomed, strictly modern house opposite the court house. Price \$2000.00, \$800.00 cash, balance \$25.00 per month. Sewer and street improvements all paid. On market only till September 16.

FOR TRADE: An eight roomed house, and 50x110 lot, full basement and furnace heated. Toilet up and down stairs. Lare pantry and a built-in refrigerator. Situated in Irvington, one of the best residence districts in Portland, Oregon. Price \$8000.00, must assume \$3,500.00. Will trade for La Grande property.

FOR SALE: New two-room house, chicken house and wood shed. City water and electric lights. Four lots 60x140 feet. All for \$1200.00, \$200.00 down, \$15.00 per month, same as rent. Walk in and paid for.

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State News Brevities

PERRY BREVITIES.

Foot Mashed In Bumpers. Pendleton, Sept. 2.—Charles Blizzard, a tourist traveling by freight, had the ill luck to get his left foot caught between two bumpers of a freight train at Duncan station last night and was brought back to the city on the fast mail this morning. Mr. Blizzard was beating his way on a freight train and was standing on the bumpers between the ends of two cars and after the train had started to pull out of Duncan station, as he supposed last night, while the train was stretched out, his foot got down between the bumpers, when the engine checked the train, causing the cars to come together, and his foot was on the coupling. It was badly crushed, the bones even protruding through the flesh. He does not know how he got out from between the cars, but managed to get out and was picked up by the fast mail, and brought into the city and taken to the county hospital, where County Physician H. S. Garfield, assisted by Drs. E. O. Parker and R. E. Ringo, removed the foot just above the ankle. He is said to be a man of strong physique and his chances of recovery are pronounced good.

Wood Causes Trouble.

Baker, Sept. 2.—C. T. Samuels was arrested Saturday on complaint of Mrs. F. J. Huber, charging him with having assaulted her. He was given a hearing before Police Judge Cunningham who found him not guilty after listening to the testimony of four eye witnesses to the affair. The Hubers and Samuels live on adjoining lots and it appears that Samuels had a load of wood delivered to his home, a portion of which was said to have been thrown on the Huber side. Mrs. Huber claimed that she threw the wood across the boundary line only to have it thrown back by Samuels. She alleged that when she remonstrated with Samuels that he assaulted her and knocked her down.

Deserter Returned.

Wasco, Ore., Sept. 2.—Leonard Arthur Denham, deserter from the Thirty-fourth company of the United States army division station at Fort Stevens, has been returned to his post by Chief of Police William Meyers. Denham deserted July 10 and came to Wasco. He has been working in the harvest fields. This is his second offense. He came to Oregon from Kentucky in 1911 and joined the army. He did not like the company with which he was stationed, however, and deserted after having served only a short time. He was returned and given a two years' sentence but again ran away. He will now serve six months and receive a dishonorable discharge. Denham is 26 years old. Before he came to Oregon it is said that he deserted his wife and little child in Kentucky, leaving them without means of support.

Mrs. Guild's Body Found.

Salem, Ore., Sept. 2.—The body of Mrs. M. A. Guild, who committed suicide here several days ago by leaping into the Willamette river, was discovered in the stream yesterday, four and one-half miles from the city. She leaves to survive her, in addition to a husband, a daughter and two sons. Despondency over ill-health was the cause of her taking her life.

Old Cider Seller Missing.

Ashland, Ore., Sept. 2.—William Powell, who has sold cider at the Southern Pacific depot here for 25 years, is dead at his home. He was a veteran of the Civil war and will be buried by the local G. A. R. post. Mr. Powell was known over the country and was probably the most widely known man in the valley.

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.

Perry, Ore., Sept. 3.—(Special)—N. Y. Stoddard, Arch Stoddard and Claud Gray were on a fishing trip Sunday, but they report very poor success. Every little stream is lined with fishermen and the fishing is very poor.

Eugene Bonham who has been working at a mill in Tamarack, Idaho returned to Perry last week. He says the weather is very cold over in Idaho as every morning everything is white with frost.

Last Friday night Mrs. Pohrman and Mrs. Hansen gave a dance for the people of Perry. A delicious luncheon was served and everyone had an enjoyable time.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johansen this morning, a nine pound boy.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

To whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that the commissioners appointed by the common council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, to make an examination of the property upon which assessments are to be levied to pay the costs and expenses of the street improvement hereinafter described, as to the valuation and extent, if any of the benefits to be derived by said property by reason of said improvement, have made their report in writing to said council, which report has been received by said council, and is on file in the office of the recorder of said city, and is open for your inspection. That it is the intention of said council to levy a special assessment against all the property hereinafter described for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses of improving Fourth street from the south line of "O" avenue to the north line of "C" avenue, by laying thereon Gravel Bitulithic pavement, according to the plans and specifications therefor heretofore adopted by said council and on file in the office of the recorder of said city.

That the real property included in and the boundaries of the district benefited and affected by said proposed improvements are as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of block No. 59, Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande, Oregon; running thence west to a point 10 feet west of the northwest corner of lot 4, block No. 74 of said addition; running thence due south to the north line of "C" avenue; thence running east to the southeast corner of block No. 10, Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande; thence north to the place of beginning, the same consisting of and including the following described real property: Blocks 10, 11, 20, 21, 30, 31, 40, 41, 50, 51, 58 and 59 of Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande; the east half of blocks 74, 75, 88, 89 and 96 of Chaplin's addition to the city of La Grande, and blocks 11, 10 and 1 of Arnold & Dray's addition to the town of La Grande (now the city of La Grande) and the east half of blocks 4 and 5 of Argold's addition to the town of La Grande (now the city of La Grande), and the east half of block 4 D street, of the original town site of La Grande (now the city of La Grande), and the east half of that certain tract of land lying and being between Third and Fourth streets, and "K" avenue, known as the school house property, all in the city of La Grande, Oregon, and the estimated cost of said proposed improvement is \$40,000.00. You will further take notice that said city council will meet at the council chamber in the city building of said city on the 3rd day of September, 1913, at eight o'clock p. m. of said day to consider making said proposed levy and will then and there grant a hearing to any and all persons feeling aggrieved against, or on account of, said proposed assessment.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon this 16th day of August, 1913.

CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE, OREGON,

By LEE WARNICK, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Daily, Aug. 23 to Sept. 3 10 t.

WANTED—Lady attendant for wheel chair patient. Hot Lake Springs Co. Adv. 9-3 tf.

FOR SALE—Medium sized Charter Oak heating stove almost new. Call Black 1691. Adv. 9-3 3t p.

QUIT KICKING—

If you don't like what you've got, trade it. Some one else, probably, can use it and may also have something that you are in need of. An Observer classified ad. will make the deal for you. Try it.

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

WANTED—Partner—\$350 for half interest in good paying established business. Chata-Brace Realty Co. Phone Black 471. Adv. 8-30 6t.

FOR RENT—Rooms for lighthouse-keeping; also a large bed, sitting room and other bed rooms, with bath, 1612 Adams ave. Phone Black 1731. Adv. 6-25 tf

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

MUST SELL—Five room house, well located; price \$1700—\$150 down, balance easy monthly payments. Phone Red 3121. Adv. 8-29 6t. p.

FOR RENT—Three office rooms over Young's Confectionery. Adv. 7-29 tf.

FOR SALE—New Fisher piano, half price. Phone Black 1861; call 2006 Cove ave. Adv. 8-29 6t.

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FOR SALE—A nice modern house. Fine location, good terms. Address J, care Observer. Adv. 7-29 tf

MILLINERY Apprentice girl wanted. Apply at West's Store. 8-22 tf.

HORSE FOR SALE—Good driving and work horse at a bargain, lady can drive. 1315 Jackson ave. Adv. 8-30 3t p.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Single buggy and harness. Phone Black 3851. Adv. 8-30

LOST—Bunch of keys marked No. 111 La Grande Investment company. Reward for return. Inform L. H. Russell. Adv. 9-1 tf.

WANTED—Three rooms or small house furnished, close to Palmer mill. Phone Red 3492. 2003 N. Fir. Adv. 8-22 tf.

FOR SALE—Four room house, good condition, two beautiful lots, 1401, cor. Y and N. Fir. \$800.00 cash. No trades. Until Sept. 15, address R. L. Bills, 1143 1/2 E. 30th N. Portland, Ore. Adv. 8-25 9-15 p.

FOR SALE—Sewing machine, 1307 N avenue. Adv. 8-28 tf.

FOR SALE—Fourteen head of well bred Jersey cattle. One, two and three years old. See Slough, over Newlin's, or call W. L. Campbell. Adv. 8-26 6t.

FOR SALE—By owner, five room bungalow, M and Cedar. Phone Black 3881, W. S. Ray. Adv. 8-22-12t p.

FOR RENT—Three rooms complete for housekeeping. Call Red 3961. Adv. 8-28 6t p.

CITY HOME For trade. 9 room house grounds 114x202 ft., private water system, all kinds fruit, take City property or acreage. What have you? Phone Black 471. 9-1

WANTED—Housekeeping furnished rooms, by young couple. Phone Red 121. Adv. 9-2 3t p.

FOR RENT—Five room, modern furnished house, 1401 Fifth st., Mrs. A. F. Liley. Adv. 9-2 tf.

FOR SALE—A good five-room house and one acre of ground with good outbuildings in La Grande investment addition. Also four acres with good house, barn, sheds and other buildings; bearing orchard and one-half acre in small fruit; all in good shape. Phone Red 3561. A snap if taken before September 15th. Adv. 8-26 9-15.

HARVEST HANDS WANTED—50 or more harvest hands are wanted at once by the farmers near Joseph. Better wages paid than ever before. Adv. 8-30 5t p.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT 601 F and First. Phone Black 381. 9-1-6t

WANTED—Suite of furnished rooms by married couple. Address Box 428. Adv. 9-2 2t p.

FOUR ROOMS FURNISHED house, close in, for rent—call 1620 Sixth street. Adv. 9-2 3t.

WANT four room modern house either partly furnished or not. Address F. care Observer. Adv. 9-2 2t.

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