

ROAD CONDITIONS IN EASTERN OREGON

The highways in Eastern Oregon continue open, according to division headquarters in La Grande.

The condition of the important state highways in Eastern Oregon follows:

La Grande - Wallowa Lake
La Grande - Island City; paved.
Island City - Elgin - Minam - Wallowa - Lostine - Enterprise - Joseph - Wallowa Lake. Macadamized and in good condition but careful driving is required on the detour road at the site of the rock crusher near Rhinehart.

Old Oregon Trail-East of The Dalles
Ontario - Huntington - Baker - Union - La Grande - Pendleton - Umatilla - Arlington - The Dalles. Macadamized entire distance and in good condition. Blue Mountains between Pendleton and La Grande kept free of snow by snow plows. To make the trip without difficulty on morning following heavy snows machines should not leave Pendleton or La Grande until about noon. Details can be secured from Highway Division office at La Grande.

PRAISE GIVEN BY MRS. REED

Portland Teacher Speaks of La Grande Lady's Talent.

Monday evening at the L. D. S. Tabernacle Mrs. A. L. Richardson, coloratura soprano, Mrs. Corneilia Barker Carse, assisted by the La Grande band, will give a concert that for superb numbers has never been excelled in La Grande.

Mrs. Richardson has a very fine voice and such musical people as Rose Courten Reed, of Portland, have repeated many times praise which is justified.

"Among Mrs. Richardson's numbers I understand will be 'The Poetess' from Mignon including German, French, Italian and American songs," writes Mrs. Reed, and then she continues: "I want to say that Mrs. Richardson interprets with fine taste and intelligence."

Mrs. Carse is well known to a La Grande audience and her fine, full tones almost make her violin human in expression. Mrs. W. W. Berry of La Grande will be the accompanist.

Soviet Goods Shown in Berlin.
BERLIN. (AP) — A permanent exhibition of Russian products has been opened in the rooms of the commercial mission of the soviet republic in this city. Exhibits are made of goods which buyers may obtain from stores in Germany or from Russian direct. The display consists chiefly of raw materials and popular handwork.

Correct this sentence: "Jonh, dear," said the wife, after they had been married ten years, "you shouldn't keep on buying roses for me."

GOT STRONG WATER WELL

Hermiston Effort for Oil Brings the City Municipal Water Supply.

E. E. Brown came in from Hermiston last evening reporting that the Northwestern Oregon Oil company which is drilling a prospect well at Hermiston, struck a heavy flow of excellent water at 420 feet. The well furnishes a half million gallons of water per day and it is understood negotiations are on to sell it to the city.

Ulster Purchases Mansion.

BERKELEY, (AP) — The Ulster government has purchased Hillsborough Castle, County Down, as an official residence for the Governor General, the Duke of Abercorn, whose seat, "Baron's Court," is too remote from Belfast. Hillsborough Castle is one of the most beautiful of Irish mansions and is the ancestral home of the Downshire family.

When a man acts that way after a friendly slap on the back, you can't tell whether it's a blow or dignity.

Sheriff's Sale on Execution.
cerned, that, L. Lee Warnick, sheriff of Union County, State of Oregon, under and by virtue of an execution bearing date the 12th day of November A. D. 1923, is sold out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Union, in that certain suit therein pending wherein Annie Honan was plaintiff and The Railroad Young Men's Christian Association of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, and A. C. Hampton, trustee, and intervenor, were defendants and

New Post.



Brig. Gen. Snoddy D. Butler, 101st of Marines, and known as the "Fighting Quaker," has resigned to accept the directorship of Public Safety of Philadelphia.

to be delivered and commanding him as such sheriff to make sale as he has provided of the hereinafter described real estate to make therefrom the sum of \$8553.35 and the further sum of \$700.00 attorney fees with interest upon said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 9th day of November A. D. 1923 and the plaintiff's costs and disbursements in said suit taxed at \$22.00 and also to make the further sum of \$2202.16 and the further sum of \$400.00 attorney fees in favor of defendant A. C. Hampton, trustee, and his costs in this suit taxed at \$10.00 with interest on said sum at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 9th day of November, 1923, together with costs of sale and which said decree was in favor of said plaintiff Annie Honan and against said defendants The Railroad Young Men's Christian Association of La Grande, Oregon, and A. C. Hampton, trustee, will on the 17th day of December A. D. 1923, at the hour of Two o'clock P. M., at the outside of the front door of the County Court House in La Grande, Oregon, sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the statutory right of redemption, all the following described real estate

in Union County, Oregon, described in said execution and decree, to-wit, commencing at the corner of Block 107 of Chapin's Addition to The Town of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, according to the Supplemental Plat of said Addition now on record in the Office of the County Clerk of Union County, Oregon, at the corner of Elm street and Washington Avenue and running thence southeasterly along the boundary of Washington Avenue 120 feet, thence northeasterly at right angles 60 feet, thence northerly, at right angles to said last line, 120 feet to Elm street and thence southwesterly along the line of Elm street 60 feet to the place of beginning said premises being the southwesterly 60 feet of Lots

15, 16, 17 and 18 of said Block 107 together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any way appertaining, as well as all right, title and interest therein and the same to have and to hold unto The Railroad Young Men's Christian Association of La Grande, Oregon, had therein or thereto on the 14th day of September A. D. 1917 of said defendants or either thereof, thereafter acquired therein or thereto.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon, this 17th day of November, 1923.
LEE WARNICK,
Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.
Nov. 17-24-Dec. 1-8-15

Summons.
In the Circuit Court of the State

of Oregon for Union County.
Julia B. Holmes, Plaintiff,
vs.

Mrs. Wm. R. Bagley, a sister and Mrs. Mauley, the mother of William J. Mauley, deceased, if they are living, and if not then to their unknown heirs; J. S. Perry & Eve M. Perry his wife, Cornelia Perry, Geo. W. Perry and Ethel Perry his wife, Willis D. Perry and Jessie Perry his wife, Leon Perry and Dora Perry his wife, Frank C. Perry and Jessie Perry his wife, Ross L. Perry and Leora Perry his wife, Gertrude Kilpack and E. A. Kilpack her husband, Erna Henderson and Hugh Henderson, her husband; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest

in the real estate described in the complaint herein.

Defendants.
To Mrs. Wm. R. Bagley, Mrs. Mauley, J. S. Perry, Eva M. Perry, his wife, Leon L. Perry and Dora Perry his wife, the above named defendants:

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 Court and cause on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons.

You will take notice that if you fail to so appear or answer for want thereof plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint herein, to-wit: For the decree of the Court quieting plaintiff's title to the South

Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16 in Township 2 South, Range 38 East, W. M. in Union County, Oregon.

You will further take notice that this summons is published once a week for six consecutive weeks in the La Grande Evening Observer, a daily newspaper published within Union County, Oregon, by order of the Honorable J. W. Knowlton, Judge of the above entitled Court, which order is dated the 9th day of November, 1923, and the first publication of this summons being made on the 10th day of November, 1923.

CRAWFORD & EAKIN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Residing at La Grande, Oregon.
Nov. 10-17-24-Dec. 1-8-15-22

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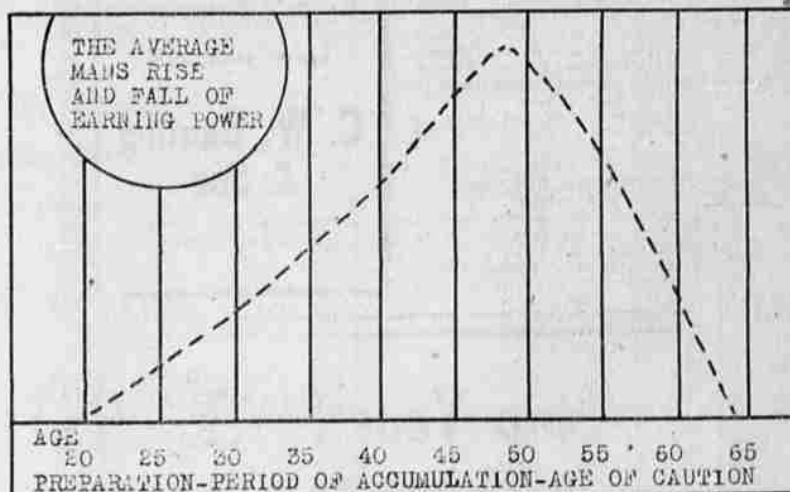
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