

RAIN IN THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY

Essie Wilson, our local electrical engineer, made a business trip to Portland Monday, returning Wednesday, accompanied by ye editor. The sun was shining brightly on Jacksonville when the train pulled out at 3:30 Monday afternoon. By the time the train reached Cow Creek canyon a drizzling cold rain was encountered. At Roseburg it was raining quite hard and from all indications had been raining for some time. At Salem a heavy fog hovered over the city and one could not see a building or a light two blocks away. The fog lasted until the train reached Portland when it became more dense. By 9:30 P. M. the fog had disappeared and the sky was clear but the atmosphere was quite cool and the fire was comfortable.

On leaving the metropolis the car windows were all closed and the heating pipes were put in use which were needed until the Rogue River Valley was reached.

Portland presented a lively appearance, notwithstanding the large crowds leaving the city daily for the hop fields. A carload of Greeks left the city for Weed, California to work on the railroad, and on every hand labor seemed to be scarce. Mr. Wilson was offered a fancy price for his services in an electrical works, but the weather did not appeal to him.

CENTRAL POINT'S NEW SCHOOL

The magnificent two-story school building of Central Point is finished and ready for school to open. Central Pointers can justly feel proud of this building because it is a work of art and will long be a monument to the growth and development of the little city.

Central Point has a bright future, being on the main line of the Southern Pacific with almost unlimited resources. The fruit industry of this section of the Rogue River Valley is yet in its infancy and as it develops Central Point will likewise develop, because it is the natural fruit center of the Valley. With an electric line from Jacksonville through the rich valley of wealth to Central Point nearly all of the fruit raised in this vicinity will be shipped via Central Point.

There is too little brightness in the lives of women in the country. They have too little help in their domestic occupations. The "nurse" in a house where there is a baby to care for ought to be set down as one of the regular expenses as much as the potatoes for the family. A mother's health, both of body and mind, is worth more than additional acres of land, or finer livestock. The heart should not be allowed to grow old. Life should not have lost its charm, the heart its spirit, and the body its elasticity at 40 years, and yet how many women are faded and wan, and shattered in mind and health, long before they are forty. all the joy of life is not in youth's morning. If we so will it, we can, to the last moment of life, be at least negatively happy.

After a man has spent his whole life as the devil wished, it doesn't look reasonable to us that he can lie to the Lord on his deathbed and go straight to heaven. In our opinion the talk of deathbed repentance has kept many from entering the pearly gates.

REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN IN OHIO OPENED SATURDAY

Arthur Vorys was chairman of the meeting Saturday which marked the opening of the Republican campaign in Ohio. Thousands of voters had gathered from all parts of the state to participate in the event.

Governor Charles E. Hughes of New York was the center of interest and his speech, vigorously supporting Taft and answering Bryan's attacks on the party was the main feature of the day. It was the first appearance of New York's governor in the national campaign and his strong support of the ticket was particularly pleasing on account of the acute situation in New York state.

A parade started at 11 o'clock and made its way through the city. It met with one long demonstration of enthusiasm. Over 10,000 millworkers were in line and more than 5,000 members of marching clubs. There were bands and carriages with the speakers. Five hundred cavalymen completed the procession. Everywhere were Taft and Sherman banners and the scene

was one of oldtime fervor. The city spent \$25,000 in decorations and arrangements to make the day a success.

When the crowd gathered about the speaker's stand at Wick park, Congressman James Kennedy introduced Vorys as the chairman. After his address Vorys introduced Governor Harris, who made a strong, optimistic speech, eulogizing Taft and predicting Republican victory. Harris was followed by Governor Hughes. The last speaker was Senator Beveridge of Indiana. Great enthusiasm was displayed throughout the day.

The New York governor was given an ovation when introduced. He spoke as follows:

The Republican party makes an appeal to public confidence as the most important political agency for conservation and progress. By virtue of its achievements, leadership and aims, it stands forth as an efficient instrument, strong and capable of administration, as the safeguard of stability and prosperity, which depends upon stability and as an unrivaled power for the correction of abuses.

It stands in striking contrast to the record of vacillating and ineptitude presented by the chief opposing party. When we hear sounded the strident call to the defense of popular rights, we look to see who constitute the new patriotic army into whose keeping we are asked to turn over the destinies of the nation and the campaign watchwords "Shall the people rule," and the demand "Whether government shall remain a mere business asset of favor-seeking corporations," are not impressive when emblazoned on the banners of Tammany hall and other essential allies, and the army opposing us can not pass muster either as one of defense or of salvation, and we may as well pause before we permit it to garrison our institutions.

Twelve years ago the democracy of Tilden and Cleveland was overthrown in its own house. Under the old name but with new alignment and leadership a desperate assault was made upon the credit of the country and the integrity of private debts and a campaign of education followed. Thousands of Democrats more intent upon the safety of the country than fidelity to the party name itself betrayed, supported the Republican or rather the national cause.

Then ensued a great popular victory and the people ruled in the election of William McKinley. President McKinley laid down his life, trusted and beloved by all the people. Then came a new leader dear to the peoples heart. For seven years and with lofty aim and unconquerable spirit he has labored for the people and today by virtue of his sincere devotion to their welfare, his valiant attack upon evil in high places, the forceful and representative leader is typified to the popular imagination in the person of Theodore Roosevelt.

William Jennings Bryan is an eloquent critic but the record of the Republican party is known to all and the American people will neither be confused nor misled by adroit thrusts or pleaders skill. If all that Bryan has favored during the past 12 years had been enacted into law we would have been overwhelmed with disaster and would regard it our chief business in the future to find a way of escape from the meshes of ill considered legislation. Bryan says the Democratic platform "is binding as to what it omits as well as to what it contains."

He might have added it is just as significant in one case as the other. Lincoln said, "In the absence of formal written platforms, the antecedents of candidates become their platforms," and it may also be said that in the presence of formal written, the antecedents can not be forgotten. Silence is often eloquent. In the election this fall we choose men, not abstractions. Platforms must be read in the light of history and may be eloquent of past mistakes and misguided agitations which their sponsors blantly ignore but which the nation will do well to remember.

The sagacity, steadiness and sound judgment of the chief executive must be the security of the nation in many trying emergencies. It is no injustice to Brfan's attractive personal qualities, his effectiveness as an orator, his skill as a party leader, nor is it any disparagement of the purity of his motives to say that the man who espoused free silver in 1896, renewed his advocacy in 1900 and later declared his belief in the public ownership of railroads, can not be regarded as a safe man to whom to confide the great power of the president merely because those doctrines are omitted from the present platform.

The country needs a man of rock, based in sound conviction and fundamental principle, in whose good judgment in any difficulty all must feel secure and such a man preeminently is William H. Taft.

It is not improbable that the next president will appoint at least four judges of the supreme court. No one could command higher confidence than the Republican candidate for president. Himself a judge, learned in the wisdom of the law he commanded the respect and esteem of the entire bar of the country without regard to partisan division.

Some questions which are discussed with no little vigor can hardly be considered campaign issues. Bryan desired that United States senators be chosen by direct vote. Taft also inclines to favor this course. This can be accomplished by a constitutional amendment and as long as there are 12 states which do not desire the amendment, the constitutional proposition for the election by the legislature can not be changed.

Again Bryan objects to the present rules of the house of representatives. How to make the procedure of nearly 400 members more fully deliberative and at the same time make provision for the proper dispatch of business is a question which parliamentarians may discuss to advantage.

Bryan has much to say in regard to corrupt practise and campaign expenses (continued on page six)

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SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of Oregon for Jackson County.

Gus Newbury, Administrator estate of Arthur Pool, deceased, Plaintiff.

vs. Geo. R. Wilkerson and Dosie Wilkerson, Defendants.

To C. W. R. Wilkerson and Dosie Wilkerson, the above named defendants, you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of Plaintiff filed in the above entitled court and cause within six weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons upon you, which is the 22nd day of August, 1908, and if you fail to appear in answer within the time required by law, for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for and demand in his complaint, viz:

For the judgement of this court against you in the full sum of \$2879.96 and \$250 attorney fees, and the costs and disbursements of this suit, and for the decree of this court that the mortgage mentioned and described in Plaintiff's complaint be foreclosed as therein prayed for, and that a further decree be made and entered for the sale of the premises described in said mortgage and complaint, according to law, that the said mortgage be foreclosed and that said defendants and all persons claiming under them be barred and foreclosed of all right, claim or equity of redemption in the said premises and every part thereof, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is served by publication in the Jacksonville Post, published at Jacksonville, Oregon, once a week for six consecutive weeks, by order of Honorable H. K. Hanna, Judge of said court, said order having been made on the 15th day of August, 1908.

GUS NEWBURY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

In The Circuit Court Of The State Of Oregon, For The County Of Jackson, as.

In the matter of the Application of Zulema Kostomakosky to register title to the following described real property situated in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit: Beginning 1.80 chains East of the north-west corner of D. L. C. No. 81 in Tp. 37 S., R. 2 W., of the W. M., and running thence north 8.25 chains; thence East 12.48 chains; thence south 8.25 chains thence West 12.48 chains, to the place of beginning, containing 10.30 Acres.

Margaret Tice, a widow; Walter Tice, single; Anna Willits and Ruth B. Willits, her husband; Charles Tice and Belle Tice, his wife; Tom Tice, single; Maggie Culver and Melvin Culver, her husband; Hazel Tice, single; Fred Tice and Martha Tice, his wife; Babe Tice, single; Nettie Clark and William Clark, her husband; Elmina May Cox and John W. Cox, her husband; Eva Naylor and Melvin Naylor, her husband; An Ella Wilson and A. M. Wilson, her husband; Mary L. Davison, single; William E. Davison, single; Annie Jackson and W. H. Jackson, her husband; Fred E. Davison, single; Mary A. Davison, a widow; Joseph Taylor and Louisa Taylor, his wife; Joseph H. Taylor, single; Thomas L. Taylor, single; Louis H. Meigs and Mary E. Meigs, his wife; J. A. Smith and Mary J. Smith, his wife; F. W. at single; and All whom it may concern.

Defendants.

TAKE NOTICE.

That on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1908, an application was filed by the said Zulema Kostomakosky in the circuit court of Jackson County, Oregon, for Initial Registration of the title of the land above described:

Now unless you appear and answer on or before the 22nd day of September A. D. 1908, and show cause why such application should not be granted the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of the court here to affixed the 7th day of August, A. D. 1908.

W. R. COLEMAN

County Clerk of Jackson County, Oregon, and ex-officio clerk of the circuit court.

Alias Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson, as.

In the Matter of the Application of W. J. Warner to register title to the following described real property, situated in Jackson County, Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of D. L. C. No. 79 in Tp. 37 S., of R. 2 W., of the W. M., and running thence South 31.80 Chains to the Southeast Corner of said D. L. C. No. 79; thence East 5.80 Chains; thence North 31.80 Chains; thence West 6.80 Chains to place of beginning, containing 18.44 acres.

Also: Beginning 6.50 Chains East of the Northeast Corner of D. L. C. No. 79 in Tp. 37 S., of R. 2 W., of the W. M., and running thence East 6.06 Chains; thence South 16.32 Chains; thence West 6.06 Chains; thence North 16.32 Chains; to place of beginning, containing 9.59 acres.

Margaret Tice; Walter Tice; Anna Willits; Ruth B. Willits; Ella Phelps; Ira Phelps; Charles Tice; Belle Tice; Tom Tice; Maggie Culver; Melvin Culver; Hazel Tice; Fred Tice; Martha Tice; Babe Tice; Nettie Clark; William Clark; Elmina May Cox; John W. Cox; Eva Naylor; Melvin Naylor; Amelia Wilson; A. M. Wilson; Mary L. Davison; William E. Davison; Annie Jackson; W. H. Jackson; Fred E. Davison; Mary A. Davison; Joseph Taylor; Louisa Taylor; Joseph H. Taylor; Thomas L. Taylor; and All Whom it may Concern.

To Walter Tice; Tom Tice; Maggie Culver; Melvin Culver; Babe Tice; Nettie Clark; William Clark; Eva Naylor; Melvin Naylor; Amelia Wilson; A. M. Wilson; Fred E. Davison; and all whom it may concern, Defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon; You and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the application filed against you in the above entitled court, which is a cause brought for the purpose of Registering Title to the above described premises and you are so required to appear and answer on or before the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1908, and if you fail to so appear and answer for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief in said application and herein demanded, said application being now on file in the office of the clerk of said court in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, the date for the Order for the publication of this Summons is August 7th 1908.

Dated August 7th 1908.

W. R. COLEMAN county clerk of Jackson county, Oregon, and ex-officio clerk of the circuit court.

SUMMONS.

In The Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson.

Edith Pike, Plaintiff, vs. William T. Pike, Defendant, Suit in Equity for Divorce.

To William T. Pike, the above named Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the plaintiff's complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of summons herein, to wit, on or before the 14th day of September, 1908, said date being the expiration of six weeks from the day of first publication of this summons. And if you fail to appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, succinctly stated, as follows:

That the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved and abrogated, and that plaintiff's maiden name, Edith Barrickman, be restored to her, and that the costs and disbursements herein be taxed against the defendant.

This summons is published in the Jacksonville Post by order of Hon. H. K. Hanna, judge of the above entitled court, which said order was made and entered of record on the 28th day of July, 1908, and in compliance therewith the date of the first publication hereof is the 1st day of August, 1908.

W. E. PHIPPS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Charles H. Elmore, deceased, under and by virtue of an order of the county court of Oregon for Jackson County, made and entered of record in the journal of said court, will on and after the 31st day of August, 1908 at the premises herein after described sell at private sale for cash in hand the N. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4, N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, section 32 and the N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 sec. 31 all in township 38, south of range 4 west of the Willamette Meridian together with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1908. Hertert Elmore, Administrator of the estate of Chas. H. Elmore deceased.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office Roseburg, Oregon, April 3, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

ISAAC N. COOK of Marion, County of Marion, State of Oregon, filed in this office on July 12, 1907 his sworn statement No. 9485 for the purchase of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section No. 10 in Township No. 41 South of Range No. 3 West W. M., Ore., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday the 9 day of October 1908.

He names as witnesses: C. J. Cameron, of Gold Hill, Oregon, George W. Kearns, of Grants Pass, Oregon, Jesse F. Neal, of Marion, Oregon, and Charles E. Smith, of Turner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9 day of October 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Notice For Publication. United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 3, 1908. Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

CHARLES E. SMITH of Turner County of Marion State of Oregon filed in this office on July 12, 1907 his sworn statement No. 9487 for the purchase of the S E 1/4 of Section No. 8 in Township 41 South of Range No. 3 West W. M., Ore., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday the 9 day of October 1908.

He names as witnesses: C. J. Cameron, Gold Hill, Oregon, George W. Kearns, Grants Pass, Oregon, Edwin E. McKinney, Sublimity, Oregon, Henry W. Smith, Turner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9 day of October 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878— Notice For Publication

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 18, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

HARRIET H. HINN of Tacoma County of Pierce State of Washington filed in this office on Sept. 15, 1907, her sworn statement No. 9885 for the purchase of the South-west quarter of Section No. 25 in Township No. 40 South of Range No. 2 West W. M., Ore., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday the 31st day of October, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Eugene E. Morgan of Gold Beach, Ore. Guy T. Mills of Little Rock, Wash. James W. Morgan of Little Rock, Wash. George B. Morgan of Myrtle Point, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 31st day of October, 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Guardian's Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned guardian of the estate of Robert Whelpley, Mabel Whelpley and Daisy Whelpley, under and by virtue of an order of the county court of Oregon for Jackson County, made and entered of record on the 18th day of July, 1908, authorizing empowering and licensing her so to do, will on and after the 24th day of August, 1908 at private sale, in Jacksonville, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property, to-wit:

Three-tenths interest in lot one and the S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 and E. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4, T. 35, S. R. 2 East of W. M. also that certain tract of land containing 55 acres described in volume 7 at page 690-691 of the deed records of Jackson County, Oregon, the same being situated in section 7 of said T. and range, and all of said lands consisting of 216.06 acres.

July 25th, 1908. ELLEN SANDERS, Guardian of Mable Whelpley, Robert Whelpley and Daisy Whelpley.

Notice For Publication. United States Land Office Roseburg, Oregon, April 3, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

EDWIN E. MCKINNEY of Sublimity, County of Marion State of Oregon, filed in this office on July 12, 1907 his sworn statement No. 9488 for the purchase of the Lots 3, 4, E 1/2 S W 1/4 of Section No. 6 in Township No. 41 South of Range 3 West W. M. Ore., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday the 9 day of October 1908.

He names as witnesses: C. J. Cameron, of Gold Hill, Oregon, George W. Kearns, of Grants Pass, Oregon, Charles E. Smith, of Turner, Oregon, and Jesse F. Neal, of Marion, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9 day of October 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Notice For Publication. United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, March 31, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

JAMES T. HENLEY of San Francisco, County of San Francisco, State of California filed in this office on June 19, 1907 his sworn statement No. 9379 for the purchase of the S W 1/4 of Section No. 41 in Township No. 41 South of Range No. 3 West W. M. Ore., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 30 day of September 1908.

He names as witnesses: C. J. Cameron, Gold Hill, Oregon, D. C. Cameron, Gold Hill, Oregon, J. H. McClendon, Gold Hill, Oregon, Geo. W. Kearns, Grants Pass, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 30 day of September 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Notice For Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, May 22, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, executrix of the estate of Wm. Ray deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them with the proper vouchers to us at our residence on Applegate Creek, Jackson County, Oregon, within six months of the date hereof.

LOUISA RAY MOLLIE RAY Executrix August 8th 1908.

Executrix' Notice

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