

PORTLAND LETTER

Oregon Apples Win Honors at National Show at Spokane—Live Stock market to be developed on large scale—Dairymen's Convention December 9—10.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 30—(Special)—State pride ran high during the past week because Oregon apples won the grand prize at the National Apple Show at Spokane in competition with apples from all over the United States. Tronson & Guthrie, growers of Eagle Point, Ore., were receiving congratulations on all sides over their success and the victor y was such a splendid one that the whole state took pride in it. The Rogue River Valley, of course, is entitled to all the honor for it grew the apples but fruit raisers of the whole state feel proud of the victory.

Tronson & Guthrie captured the sweepstakes prize at Spokane on a car of Spitzenberg apples and the victory carried with it, in addition to blue ribbons and medals, a check for \$1100. The decision of the judges in making the award was unanimous.

The growers have only five acres in bearing orchard and had not expected to exhibit at Spokane. It was not until a large part of their crop was marketed that they decided to enter a car. No particular selection of the whole crop was made for exhibit but only the best of the apples remaining in the orchard. Of course these were carefully culped and selected with reference to size and color.

Other Oregon growers won prizes at Spokane and the victories show in a most convincing way that this state is the home of the finest apples.

Concerted efforts to develop the Portland livestock market on a big scale have been begun during the week by livestock men of the Northwest in connection with the railroads in the matter of more favorable rates. A conference was held between a number of representative stockmen, the management of the local stockyards, and the traffic manager of the railroads centering here. Uniform livestock rates that will be of great benefit to this market as well as to the stock raisers throughout the territory are expected.

Oregon dairymen are showing great interest in the annual convention of the state association, to be held in Portland December 9 and 10, and the attendance will be large. Many prizes have been offered for the best showing of dairy produce made at the convention and the exhibits will undoubtedly be the best made in recent years. The creamery companies of the state are offering prizes and the Portland Flouring Mills offers a purse of \$100 to go for the two best exhibits. The Portland Commercial Club will give a reception Thursday evening, December 9, to the dairymen and members of the State Horticultural Society.

According to W. R. Parker, of Baker City, who has been in the city during the past week, Oregon has the only herd of ibex known to exist on the continent. He discovered the rare animals in the vicinity of Mount Eagle in the Cornucopia Range and urges that a game preserve be created there for their preservation. Unless this is done, Mr. Parker fears the ibex will be exterminated by hunters.

The Portland Fair & Livestock Association has elected officers as follows for the coming year: President, E. L. Thompson; vice-president, C. C. Colt; treasurer, Julius Meier. G. A. Westgate was chosen temporary secretary. Plans are under way already for next year's fair and the management is determined to make the affair the most successful in the history of the association. Promotion of the livestock interests of the Northwest is the aim of the organization.

The Correct Time

to stop a cough or cold is just as soon as it starts—then there will be no danger of pneumonia or consumption. Just a few doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup taken at the start will stop the cough. If it has been running on for sometime the treatment will be longer, but the cure is sure. Sold by City Drug Store.



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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In The County Court Of The State Of Oregon, For The County of Jackson.

In the matter of the Estate of Annie L. Linn, deceased.

Order appointing day of final settlement, etc.

David Linn the administrator of the Estate of Annie L. Linn deceased, having rendered and presented for settlement and filed in this Court, his final account of his administration of said Estate. It is ordered, that Wednesday the 29th day of December A. D. 1909, being a day of a subsequent term of said Court, to-wit: of the December Term thereof, A. D. 1909 at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, he and the said is hereby appointed for the settlement of said account; and that notice of said settlement be published in the Jacksonville Post, a newspaper published in Jacksonville, Oregon, as often as once a week for four successive weeks prior to said day of settlement.

Done at Jacksonville, Oregon this 23rd day of November, A. D. 1909.

J. R. NEIL, County Judge.

CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

Roseburg, Oregon, November 22, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Acy C. Martin, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 01061, made August 31, 1908, for SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 14, Township 38 S, Range 2 W, Willamette Meridian, by Charles R. Gray Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Charles R. Gray has abandoned his said homestead for more than one year last past; that he never at any time made any improvements on his homestead; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 31, 1909, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Medford, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 14, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed November 22, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

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

In the matter of the Estate of Nancy Steuber, deceased.

Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should not be made.

It appearing to the Judge of said Court, by petition this day presented and filed by Frances M. Snyder the administratrix of the Estate of Nancy Steuber of the County of Ramsey and State of Minnesota deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell all of interest in and to the hereafter described real estate to pay the charges and expenses of administration and claims against said estate.

It is Therefore Ordered by the Judge of said Court that Mary O. Neilllegatee, Mary Cox, sister and legatee and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said County Court on Saturday the 4th day of December A. D. 1909 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room of said County Court at the Court House in Jacksonville in the County of Jackson to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix to sell so much of the hereinafter described real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary, to-wit:

The W 1/2 of SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 26, Township 38 South Range 3 East of Willamette Meridian, containing 180 acres more or less.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon each of said legatees and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased in the manner provided by law.

Dated November 1st, 1909. J. R. Neil, County Judge. Attest W. R. Coleman, Clerk. By M. B. Towne, Deputy.

For That Dull Feeling After Eating.

I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating.—David Freeman, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a sample at the City Drug Store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

Administratrix's Final Notice

In The County Court Of Oregon For Jackson County.

In the matter of the Estate of William Heeley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the Estate of William Heeley deceased, has filed in the above entitled court, her duly verified final account of her doings in said estate, and said Court has fixed Monday the 20th day of December, 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day as the time for the final hearing on said final account. All persons interested are requested to make or file their objections to said final account with said court on or before said time, if any they have. Said hearing will be had in the court room of said court in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon.

Dated, November 18, 1909. Mary Wetterer, administratrix of the Estate of William Heeley, deceased.

Notice Of Application For Patent.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon.

Mineral Application No. 04945

November 16, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Robert S. Towne, by his Attorney in fact F. W. Carnahan whose Post Office Address is Medford, Jackson County, Oregon, has filed an application for Patent for the Seattle Consolidated Placer Mine or mineral deposit bearing gold, consisting of six placer mining claims as hereinafter described in this notice, being situated in the Applegate unorganized Mining District, County of Jackson, State of Oregon, and is about to make application to the United States for a patent for the said mining claims, which are more fully described as follows, to-wit:

G. W. FAUCETT CLAIM.

The East Half of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10 Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

HELEN J.

The West Half of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

LAST CHANCE.

The East Half of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

SOUND MONEY.

The West Half of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

SAW PIT.

The South Half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 10, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

HOPE.

The North Half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 10, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jackson County, Oregon.

The Amended Notices of Location of said six placer mining claims comprising the said Seattle/Consolidated Placer Mine are of record in the office of the Recorder of Jackson County, Oregon, at Jacksonville, said County and State, in Volume 16 of Mining records, pages 24 to 29 both inclusive.

The said mining claims hereby sought to be patented are bounded as follows: On the North by Gold Bug Mining Claim, owned by Robert S. Towne.

On the East by Section 11, Township 41 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, Jackson County, Oregon, and whether or not the same is vacant government land is unknown to applicant.

On the South by the Cougar Nest Mining Claim owned by Robert S. Towne.

On the West by Timber Cash Entry No. 12,821 of William Spalding.

And any and all persons claiming adversely the said mining ground or premises or any portion thereof so described, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law, and the regulations thereunder, within the time prescribed by law, with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roseburg, in the County of Douglas, State of Oregon, they will be barred by the provisions of law in such case made and provided.

Benjamin L. Eddy, Register.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

Leona O'Donnell, Plaintiff vs Maxwell M. O'Donnell, Defendant.

To Maxwell M. O'Donnell, Defendant:

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 suit on or before the 18th day of December, 1909, and if you fail so to do, for the want thereof plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: for a decree dissolving the marriage contract between plaintiff and defendant, and allowing plaintiff to resume her maiden name.

This summons is published by virtue of an order made by the Hon. H. K. Hanna, Judge of the Circuit Court for said county and state, dated November 5th, 1909.

Withington & Kelley, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Date of first publication, November 6th, 1909.

SUMMONS.

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

Wm. L. Brewster, as Administrator, with the Will annexed, of the estate of George Baldwin, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. Martin Ellis, and A. J. Norton, Defendants.

To Martin Ellis and A. J. Norton, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you, are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court and cause, and there answer the complaint of the plaintiff on file therein against you, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within Jackson County, Oregon. Or, if served within any other county of Oregon, then, within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you. Or, if served by publication, or out of the State of Oregon, after order for publication, then on or before the last day prescribed in said order for publication of this summons. The time prescribed in said order for the publication of said summons is six weeks from the date of the first publication; the date of said first publication is October 30th, 1909, and the time within which, by said order, you are required to appear and answer is the 11th day of December, 1909.

Personal service of this summons upon you without the State of Oregon shall be equivalent to publication, and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint at said time, plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court, for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit:

For a judgment and decree of the above entitled court, that he, as Administrator, with the Will annexed, of the estate of George Baldwin, deceased, is entitled to the immediate possession and control of the following described real property situated in Jackson County, Oregon to-wit:

The N 1/2 of Section 15, Township 34 South of range 2 East of W. M. together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

That neither of you, the said defendants, has any right, title or interest to said land, or any part thereof.

That the certain instrument dated the 8th day of July, 1907, and recorded on March 9th, 1908, in Book 63 at page 383 of the Deed Records for Jackson County, Oregon, purporting to be a general warranty deed of said premises, by the said George Baldwin, to Defendant Martin Ellis, be declared to be spurious and fraudulent, and be set aside, as void.

That the deed referred to in the complaint of date the 24th day of March, 1908, and of record in Book 63 at page 500 of the Deed Records for Jackson County, Oregon, purporting to be a general warranty deed, conveying said premises from said defendant Martin Ellis to said defendant A. J. Norton, be declared to be void and fraudulent, and that both of said deeds be cancelled and held for naught.

That the plaintiff have judgment for the costs and disbursements of this suit, to be taxed, and have such other and further relief as to the Court shall seem just and equitable in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publication in accordance with an order of the Hon. H. K. Hanna, as judge of the above entitled Court, made in Chambers upon the 25th day of October, 1909, which order requires this summons to be published in The Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper of general circulation in said county and state, published weekly in Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, and said order requires this summons to be published for six consecutive weeks, and requires you to answer the same on or before the last day prescribed in said order for the publication of said summons.

Dated at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, this 30th day of October, 1909.

W. T. Muir and A. E. Reames, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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