

FOOTPRINTS OF PIONEER DAYS

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building but there was a platform and stairs stopped on flag, Latham was an old station long before Cottage Grove was recognized with a station building in about 1884.

Clara Burkholder's first store building was erected in 1890 at the location of the present Clara Burkholder brick occupied by Helliwell & Marksbury. The two lots on which the building stands were purchased from Mrs. Moss, of Creswell, and the rail fence which once surrounded the Shields addition was still standing. The present building was erected 18 years ago.

In 1889 Mr. Stouffer moved his mill to the location where the mammoth plant of the Cottage Grove Manufacturing company is now located.

For 15 years Mr. Stouffer was town recorder and justice of the peace. He helped to perfect the present incorporation. He also was a contractor and builder.

Mr. Stouffer was in a peculiar position to aid young people entering the bonds of matrimony. As justice of peace he could marry them. From his mill he could furnish the lumber for a home, as contractor he could build the home and from his furniture store he could furnish the home. From his turning mill he could furnish the roll-

ing pins that are so necessary to a long and happy married life.

In 1881 Mr. Stouffer erected the first Masonic lodge building, located near where the flour mill stands, which was where the flour mill of those days also stood. Later this building was moved to a location two blocks south of the Main street bridge and remodeled. It stood at that location until torn down a year ago, when the lumber was used to build a warehouse at the flour mill, so that the lumber used in the building is now back to almost identically the location of the first building in which it was used. In this building many of the pioneers received their Masonic degrees and over the lodge many prominent in pioneer and recent history of the city presided. Mr. Stouffer served several times as master of the lodge but was made a Mason in Missouri. Mrs. Stouffer remembers that he was a regular attendant while in Missouri and had to drive 12 miles to attend meetings.

The altar, the stations of the three principal officers of the lodge and other fixtures of the lodge were made by Mr. Stouffer and are yet in use by the lodge at today. Mr. Stouffer painted the first star used by the Eastern Star chapter, of which he and Mrs. Stouffer were charter members. Mrs. Stouffer served as matron and has as patron. Mrs. Stouffer is one of two surviving charter members, the other being Ben Larch, now of Portland. Mr. Stouffer became a member

of the Eugene chapter, Royal Arch Masons, shortly before his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Stouffer arrived at Reno, Nev., in 1876, moved later to Crystal Peak, Calif., a mile away, and in 1878 came to Cottage Grove by horse team, the trip consuming five weeks. In 1915 Mrs. Stouffer, her daughter, Mrs. Clara Burkholder, and the latter's son and daughter, Charles and Belle, made the same trip by motor in five days. Mrs. Clara Burkholder is the only surviving child. The late Mrs. Jennie Schilbrede who died several years ago, was also a daughter. (To be continued.)

Lava Is Being Worked.

Two hundred and fifty yards of rock daily is being moved from the lava beds on the new McKenzie highway, according to Charles E. Lind, the contractor. A night shift will soon be put on and work will then progress twice as rapidly as at present. Mr. Lind said he hoped to finish his contract by the latter part of September but would not make any such promise as there is always a possibility of unforeseen delays.

The contractor has finished two-thirds of a mile on the grade at the west end of the lava beds, half a mile at the other end, and several stretches in between. The highway extends through three miles of the lava.

For 35 cents a little wanted will sometimes do the work of a \$5-a-day muckeneer.

TELEPHONE CALL REVEALS FRAUD AND SAVES \$6400

A toll call which cost a subscriber 50 cents recently saved him \$6400. A stranger had placed in the hands of a Columbus, O., attorney for collection a promissory note for \$6,400 which he said he held against a Marion resident. The attorney sent the latter a letter and received in reply a certified check for the full amount, drawn on a Marion bank. With the client he then went to a local bank to cash the check, but when the bank required the endorsement of the attorney, since the client was unknown, the lawyer grew cautious and put in a long distance call to the Marion bank to make sure of the authenticity of the check, while the client "went out for a smoke." The Marion bank declared that the check was a forgery. The client is still out for a "smoke."

Eugene to Abolish Road Signs. Merchants of Eugene to the number of 125 have signed a pledge to abolish road signs as a part of the highway beautification campaign being conducted by the chamber of commerce of that city. It is anticipated that fully 200 signatures will be secured to the pledges.

"What has become of the still small voice?" "Perhaps it needs a loud speaker."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of William Lane, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Emily Jane Lane has been appointed executrix of the estate of William Lane, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Lane County, and that all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the said Emily Jane Lane, at Cottage Grove, Oregon, duly verified as required by law, within six months from the first publication of this notice which will be on the 24th day of July, 1924.

EMILY JANE LANE, Executrix of the estate of William Lane, deceased. H. J. SHINN, Attorney for estate. jly24-aug21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Richardson, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Christina Richardson has been by the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Lane County, appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas Richardson, deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to the said Christina Richardson, administratrix, at Cottage Grove, Oregon, within six months from the 24th day of July, 1924.

CHRISTINA RICHARDSON, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas Richardson, deceased. H. J. SHINN, Attorney for estate. jly24-aug21

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Lafayette H. Long, administrator of the estate of Geo. W. Long, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Lane County, his final report as such administrator, and that ten o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 1st day of September, 1924, at the Court room thereof, have been by said Court fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing objections to said report and for the final settlement of the estate of said deceased.

LAFAYETTE H. LONG, A. E. WHEELER, Administrator. Attorney. jly24-aug21

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for Lane County. In the matter of the estate of Robert Eayglsham, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Robert Eayglsham has filed in the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, her final account as administratrix of said estate and that Tuesday, the 5th day of August, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day has been fixed by said Court as the time for the hearing and passing upon said final account and objections thereto, if any, and for the final settlement of said estate and the distribution of the same.

The first publication of this notice will be on the 3rd day of July, 1924, and the last publication will be on the 31st day of July, 1924.

DORA FUSON, Administratrix of the estate of Robert Eayglsham, deceased. H. J. Shinn, Attorney for estate. jly31

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 21, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Charles C. Gilman, of Cottage Grove, Oregon, who on July 10, 1920, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 013099 for the NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 22 S., Range 3 W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on the 19th day of August, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: George Small, of Cottage Grove, Oregon; W. E. Small, of Cottage Grove, Oregon; Robert E. Lackey, of Cottage Grove, Oregon; John Hopman, of Cottage Grove, Oregon. HAMIL A. CANADAY, Register. jly31

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 16, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that George T. Kerr, of Creswell, Oregon, who on March 24, 1921, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 013782 for the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, W 1/2 of SE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 19 S., Range 2 W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before E. O. Immel, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 5th day of August, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: John D. Lloyd, of Springfield, Oregon; John Scherler, of Creswell, Oregon; Fred Scherler, of Creswell, Oregon; Route 1; P. R. Lawson, of Creswell, Oregon; Route 1. HAMIL A. CANADAY, Register. jn26j24

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of R. A. McKinley, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, her final account as administratrix of said estate and that Saturday, the 16th day of August, 1924, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. of said day has been set by the County Court of said County as time for hearing objections to said final account and the allowance of the same.

A. M. MCKINLEY, Administratrix of the estate of R. A. McKinley, deceased. jn26j24

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County. In the matter of the guardianship of George E. White, a minor. Order to show cause why license should not issue for the sale of real estate.

On reading and filing of petition, duly verified, of Virgil D. White, guardian of the person and estate of George E. White, a minor, for license to sell the following described real estate, to-wit: The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Three (3), Township Twenty-one (21), South Range Three (3), West, Willamette Meridian, in Lane County, Oregon, for the purpose of raising funds for the support of said minor and the reinvestment of the same in other property, and it appearing from said petition that said real estate consists of unimproved land, in Lane County, State of Oregon, and no income is obtained therefrom, it is therefore ordered that the next of kin of said ward, and all other persons interested in said estate, appear before this court on Friday, the 1st day of August, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Court Room of this Court in the city of Eugene, County of Lane and State of Oregon, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted for the sale of such real estate.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks before the said day of hearing in the Cottage Grove Sentinel, a newspaper printed and published in Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1924. C. P. BARNARD, County Judge. H. J. Shinn, Attorney for guardian. jly31

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County. Mary L. Hand, plaintiff, vs. Henry Hand, defendant.

To Henry Hand, the above named 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 within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, to-wit: for a decree of the Court dissolving the marriage contract and bonds of matrimony existing between you and the plaintiff on the grounds of willful desertion for more than one year immediately prior to the commencement of this suit and for costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is served by publication by order of the Hon. G. F. Skipworth, judge of the above named Court, dated the 1st day of July, 1924, and the date of the first publication of this summons will be on the third day of July, 1924, and the date of the last publication will be on the 14th day of August, 1924. H. J. SHINN, Attorney for plaintiff. Residence and postoffice address, jly14 Cottage Grove, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 10, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas A. Burgess, of Loran, Oregon, who on January 13, 1921, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 013604 for the S 1/2 of SW 1/4 and S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 19 S., Range 4 W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before E. O. Immel, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 14th day of August, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Crawford, of Loran, Oregon; Edward Wells, of Loran, Oregon; Scott Jackson, of Loran, Oregon; Fred Burgess, of Loran, Oregon. HAMIL A. CANADAY, Register. jn26j24

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel B. Kern, deceased. Notice is hereby given that S. S. Lasswell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Kern, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, in Lane County.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as by law required, to the said administrator at Cottage Grove, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice, which will be on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1924.

S. S. LASSWELL, Administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Kern, deceased. H. J. Shinn, Attorney for estate. jly31

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 10, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Wilbur E. Flynn, of Loran, Oregon, who on January 8, 1921, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 013603 for the SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 19, Township 19 S., Range 4 W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before E. O. Immel, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 4th day of August, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Crawford, of Loran, Oregon; Edward Wells, of Loran, Oregon; Scott Jackson, of Loran, Oregon; Fred Burgess, of Loran, Oregon. HAMIL A. CANADAY, Register. jn26j24

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