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The postoffice department has begun a fight in which it is clearly right and in which it will be supported by all the strength of the executive branch of the government, but notwithstanding those advantages, it must get the support of the press and of public sentiment in order to win a permanent victory. This fight is to shut the fake publications out of the privilege of second class mail. The government pays \$60,000,000 a year for carrying second class mail and receives less than \$4,000,000 for it. That much of this loss is due to abuses which have crept into the construction of the law—constructive never dreamed of when the law was being enacted—is apparent to everyone who has become at all familiar with what constitutes a large proportion of second class mail. In fact, from an investigation which has been going on for months, the postal officials have been convinced that fully one-half of the matter now mailed as second class, should under a strict and perfectly proper construction of the law, be compelled to pay as third class matter. A new rule for the construction of the law is to be issued by the postoffice department, for the special purpose of shutting out fake publications. When it is promulgated, look out for squeals from the owners of the fakes and from such legitimate publications as can be wheedled or paid to say that the business of legitimate publication is being interfered with. These squeals will be worked for all they are worth for their effect upon congress, where the fight will certainly be carried. Postal officials declare in the most positive terms that the new construction of the law will not injure any legitimate publication and count upon getting the support of all such.

Mr. Paul Sheldon, a New York lawyer, who has just returned from a business visit from all of the greater and lesser Antilles, excepting Cuba and Porto Rico, was asked what the natives of the Danish West Indies thought of annexation to the United States, which is sure to come, as the conclusion of the negotiations for the purchase of the islands from Denmark is only a question of time. He replied: "A few wealthy merchants, mostly Danes, oppose the sale of the island, because they are afraid of American enterprise. The natives of all the lesser Antilles, I find upon special inquiry, were in favor of annexation. They were very anxious, the French especially. They think they are naturally too far away from their mother countries, and say the officials sent them are never men with authority who can take hold and alleviate existing evils and burdens. They say these officials never have sufficient influence to accomplish anything really important."

Oakland Owl: Representative Mattoon, Grant Taylor and L. S. Dimmick returned from the mountains Saturday morning, well pleased with the timber on Upper Calapooia. Mr. Mattoon and others contemplate erecting a saw mill with a capacity of 30,000 feet per day on the Calapooia 14 miles northeast of Oakland, and building a flume to convey the lumber here, where a planing mill will be built. It is also the intention of the company to enlarge the mill to 60,000 capacity per day after active operations are commenced.

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The Cuban Constitution.

New York, July 10.—The war department has received an official copy of the constitution of the republic of Cuba, says a Washington dispatch to the Tribune, duly authorized by Gen. Wood and the proper authorities, and the document is now being translated into English by the expert linguists of the insular division. Chief interest naturally centers in the manner in which the Cuban convention has incorporated the so-called Platt amendment in the document.

It appears from the official draft that the convention has formally conformed to all the requirements, taking care, however, to do so with least possible injury to a condition of Cuban self-respect. The eight articles of the Platt resolution which were enacted by congress as an amendment to the last army appropriation bill are made a "part" of the constitution in the sense of entering bodily into its composition, but they appear as "an ordinance appended thereto," following the voluminous articles of the fundamental law of the land, without comment or explanation other than the simple title—"Appendix." As a further concession to the public pride manifested by the Cubans, the last article of the Platt resolution is changed somewhat. As congress adopted it, this article read:

"VIII.—That by way of further assurance, the government of Cuba will embody the foregoing provisions in a permanent treaty with the United States."

The Cuban convention has stricken out the words, "That by way of further assurance," and the article is left to assert with simple directness: "The government of Cuba will," etc.

New Philippine Tariff.

New York, July 8.—The new Philippine tariff has received its finishing touches at the war department, the Washington correspondent of the Tribune reports, and it will be sent by mail to Governor Taft in a day or two. It is expected it will be promulgated early next month to go into effect immediately. An important provision affecting goods in transit has been included, permitting consignees to declare all imports which shall arrive in the Philippines within 60 days after the tariff is put into operation either under the old schedules now in use or under the new duties. After that period the old military customs revenue law, will forever cease, and the new system, designed especially to promote United States trade, will take its place.

The new law is expected to produce annually \$15,000,000 revenue for the support of the insular government and to reduce materially imports from all countries except the United States and Spain, particular attention having been given to the incidental protection of Philippine industries against rivals in the Western Pacific and Indian Ocean. The government at Washington and the commission at Manila have been working over the new tariff since last August, and now that full agreement has been reached, it is expected that congress at its new session will approve its schedules without modification and put them into the statutes.

Capt. L. Craven, who served as quartermaster of the 32nd volunteer infantry in the Philippines, and who is now visiting Washington, said of the opportunities offered young Americans in the Philippines: "Manila is the center of a wide field of opportunities for Americans. While in the quartermaster's department there, I had deals with many Americans who went there for business purposes. I found that men of business qualifications, common sense and energy did well. I would advise young Americans desiring to go there to acquire a thorough knowledge of Spanish and stenography. They will certainly obtain clerkships, and if solid, active workers, instead of sharpers and schemers, they will within several years be in business themselves. The Filipinos want good Americans to come to their islands and instill new business and commercial enterprises. In my office were four American boys employed as clerks. They were worth \$100 a month each to corporations in this country. They decided to cast their lot in Manila and remain there. All of them are doing well."

OFFICIAL REPORT of the Proceedings of the County Court.

April Term, 1901.

Be it remembered, that at a regular term of the county court of the State of Oregon, in and for the county of Curry, sitting for the transaction of county business, at the court house in the town of Gold Beach, Wednesday, the 3d day of July, 1901, and days following unto the end of the term, at which were present, Hon. M. Riley, Judge, F. H. Blake, and P. J. Lindberg, Commissioners; C. V. Woodruff, Clerk; James G. Walker, Sheriff.

The following proceedings were had, viz:

In the matter of selecting a jury list for the year 1901: The court now proceeds to select from the names of this county the names of 200 parties having the necessary qualification of jurors, from which names trial and grand jurors shall be drawn to serve for said year 1901.

Ordered by the court that the following bills be paid:

Walter Sutton, for printing (stationery fund) \$10.00
Walter Sutton, for publishing 22.50
Whereupon court adjourned until Friday morning, July 5, 1901.

Friday Morning, July 5, 1901.
Court meets pursuant to adjournment. Present—Hon. M. Riley, judge; F. H. Blake, County Commissioner; P. J. Lindberg, County Commissioner; C. V. Woodruff, Clerk; James G. Walker, Sheriff.

The following proceedings were had, viz:

In the matter of the sale of lands heretofore bid in for taxes by the County, in which Curry County has acquired a title to by virtue of said sale:

Now at this time comes on for consideration the above matter and the court being fully advised in the premises, it is ordered by the court that the Sheriff proceed to sell said land as per Act approved February 23, 1901.

Ordered by the court that the following bills be paid:

Glass & Prudhomme, for stationery, as per their statements filed June 23 and 27, 1901, (stationery fund) \$58.93
Irwin Hodson Company, stationery, (stationery fund) 30.00
C. V. Woodruff, expressage paid on stationery 7.15
W. S. Guerin, stamps and stationery, Jan. 15 to June 30, 1901 20.35
W. A. Root, two tiers of wood for court house 2.50
Frank Daniels, lumber for gallowes, October, 1900 8.00
J. Huntley, services in the matter of the matter of the examination of James Gibson, an insane person 5.00
Dennis Cuniff, re-establishing two section corners and recording same 3.00
E. A. Stewart, assisting quarterly examination of teachers, 3 days, at \$3 9.00

In the matter of the resignations of Antonio Walker, Walter Crisler, J. C. Clark and A. J. Bliss, road supervisors. Now comes on for consideration the above matter and the court being fully advised in the premises, it is hereby ordered that said resignation be, and they are hereby accepted.

In the matter of examining and accepting the reports of road supervisors as per act of 1901. The above matter

coming on for consideration and the court being fully advised in the premises, it is hereby ordered that the following named supervisors' reports be and they are hereby approved. And it is further ordered that the amounts set opposite their names be paid to them for services as said supervisors.

F. A. Gardner, 14 days \$29.00
Antonio Walker, 17 days 34.00
Fred Pfisterer, 12 days 25.00
E. B. Sypher, 33 days, January 1 to June 26, 1901 66.00

Ordered by the court that A. B. Carey's bill for 15 days' services as road supervisor be paid amount, \$31.00. Whereupon court adjourned for the day.

Saturday morning, July 6, 1901.
Court meets pursuant to adjournment. Present, same officers as yesterday.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit:

James G. Walker, sheriff, having paid in the sum of \$7.66 as taxes on the taxes of L. J. Gray, by mistake for the year 1900, it is ordered by the court that he be credited said sum on his account of taxes collected for said year.

Ordered by the court that C. V. Woodruff's county clerk's statement of warrants issued for scalp bounties, commencing April 8, 1901 and ending July 1, 1901, be and the same is hereby accepted and approved.

In the matter of the Sheriff's report and return of the 1900 tax roll and delinquent list for the year 1898. Now at this time comes James G. Walker, Sheriff, and submits his report of the collection of the taxes for 1900 and the delinquent list for 1898, and it appearing to the court that said report and return is correct, it is ordered by the court that said return be and the same is hereby accepted and approved.

And it is further ordered that the Clerk is hereby ordered to make and deliver to the sheriff a list containing the names of all delinquents for the year 1900, with warrants attached, directing the Sheriff to collect said delinquent taxes.

In the matter of examining the records of the Clerk, Sheriff and Treasurer. This being the term of court at which the court is required to examine the records of the Clerk, Sheriff and County Treasurer, the court proceeds to examine said records and finds that all records are correct and kept according to law.

Ordered by the court that Irving Webster's bill for painting Winchback bridge, continued at the last, July, 1900, term of this court be allowed.

Amount \$100.00
Order by the court that the county commissioners be paid per diem, and mileage as follows:

F. H. Blake, 3 days, 84 miles \$20.40
P. J. Lindberg, 3 days, 60 miles 18.00
Whereupon court adjourned for the term.

M. RILEY, Judge
F. H. BLAKE, Com.
P. J. LINDBERG, Com.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled an act to authorize county judges and clerks of school districts to bid in property sold for taxes, approved Feb. 29, 1893 and to provide for sale of same," I will, on the 31st day of August, 1901, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., to-wit: at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house in the town of Gold Beach, Curry County, Oregon, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, all real property to which said Curry County, Oregon, has acquired title by virtue of sale for taxes, and by reason of non-redemption, as provided by law.

Gold Beach, Or., July 8th, 1901.
JAS. G. WALKER,
Sheriff and Tax Collector of Curry County, Oregon.

County Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on presentation at my office in Gold Beach, Oregon, the following described Curry County Warrants will be redeemed to-wit:

No. 33, issued January 10, 1891, for \$262.25.
No. 49, issued January 12, 1891, for \$290.00.
No. 41, issued January 12, 1891, for \$94.00.
No. 66, issued January 12, 1891, for \$65.00.
No. 122, issued January 12, 1891, for \$18.00.
No. 311, issued April 11, 1891, for \$413.46.
No. 258, issued April 11, 1891, for \$37.75.
No. 218, issued April 11, 1891, for \$16.00.
No. 219, issued April 11, 1891, for \$18.00.

No interest will be allowed after the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: July 9th, 1901.

WM. S. WINSOR,
Treasurer of Curry County.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon,
July 1, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. H. Upton, U. S. Commissioner, at Langlois, Oregon, on August 17, 1901, viz:

RICHARD M. FITZHUGH,
On his Homestead Entry No. 10818, for the Lots 12, 13 and 14, section 6, and Lot 1, section 7, Tp. 32 S., R. 14 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
A. A. Jamieson, Oscar Mathers, H. C. Keller, Eugene Peirce, all of Port Orford, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, not to enter upon or trespass in any manner upon the land of the undersigned, situated in Curry County, Oregon, for the purpose of hunting with guns or dogs, or fishing. Also, not to leave any gate open on going through, or otherwise trespass in any manner. Any person or persons so entering upon said premises without my consent will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

JAS. S. CAPPS.

Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, not to enter upon or trespass upon the premises of the undersigned, for the purpose of hunting, or fishing with hook and line, spear, or otherwise. Said premises are situated in Sixes precinct, Curry County, Oregon, and described as follows: The E½ of SW¼ and W½ SE¼, section 6, Tp. 32 S., R. 14 W., Any person so trespassing for the purpose of hunting, fishing or otherwise, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

S. P. PEIRCE.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, May 29, 1901.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. V. Woodruff, County Clerk, at Gold Beach, Oregon, on July 17, 1901, viz:

DIETRICH QUELLEN,
On his Homestead Entry No. 8315, for the E½ SW¼, NW¼ SE¼, and SW¼ NE¼, section 25, Tp. 38 S., R. 14 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Otto Newmann, George Curry, Eugene Fisher, Delos Woodruff, all of Gold Beach, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Executrix' Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final account as Executrix of the Estate of Francis Odilo Von der Green, deceased, in the County Court of Curry County, State of Oregon, and that Monday, the 5th of August, 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the court room of said court, in Gold Beach, has been fixed by order of the Judge of said court, for hearing objections to said final account, and for the final settlement thereof.

Gold Beach, Or., June 29, 1901.
B. K. VON DER GREEN,
Executrix of the Estate of Francis Odilo Von der Green, deceased.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.
Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, May 27, 1901.
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 the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Chapter 22, Section 2, 45 Stat. 913, NE¼, SE¼, of section 27, in Township No. 31 S., Range No. 12 W., 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 10th day of August, 1901.

He names as witnesses: Mella Summers, of Eskley, Oregon; Joseph S. McCallahan, of Eskley, Oregon; Cassius Hermann, of Myrtle Point, Oregon; Harry Hermann, of Myrtle Point, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of August, 1901.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, not to enter upon or trespass in any manner for the purpose of hunting with guns or dogs upon the premises of Con McGeehin, or the Max Langevin place, or the John McGeehin place, which I have rented. It being well known in this section of country that there is a small band of elk running on my place, and that I have tried to protect them, and would not kill one myself, I do not propose to keep quiet when I know they are being killed right under my nose by outsiders, and but a few days ago, therefore I notify friends or foes alike, that I will prosecute any and all persons killing deer, elk or grouse on my premises, and I mean business.

CON MCGEEHIN,
Pistol River, Curry County, Oregon.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned, situated in Curry County, by depositing material of any kind thereon, or to use any part of the said land for business purposes.

Any person so trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
R. D. HUME.
Wedderburn, Or., Aug. 17, 1899.

Referring to the above Notice, the subscriber would also notify the public, that he is prepared to furnish wharfing facilities on either side of Rogue River fronting the lands owned by him, at the same rates of wharfage as are charged for like accommodations at the wharf at Port Orford, Curry County, Oregon, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

R. D. HUME.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the County Court of Curry County, Oregon, Administrator of the Estate of William B. Mudd, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to me, with proper vouchers, at my residence, in Wedderburn precinct, in said Curry County, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: July 9, 1901, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to pay the same to me without delay. Dated at Wedderburn, Oregon, this 8th day of July, 1901.

E. A. BAILEY,
Administrator of the Estate of William B. Mudd, deceased.

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