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That Forest Reserve.

The people of Curry county were thunderstruck by the Oregonian's able and timely "expose" of the gigantic land steal threatened, which would be virtually a dismemberment of this county, and they have asserted their disapproval by circulating petitions of remonstrance, which are, as far as we have heard, being unanimously signed.

Who originated the affair, or what dark, ulterior motives are behind it, we do not know—we can only guess; but when it comes to taking from us nearly one half our territory, including the most valuable portion of our timber land, and much other that would become the homes of our children, we know where our interest lies, and do not propose to submit to the "hold-up" unless the great guns that threaten us are too heavy for those we can bring to the defense.

Many of our leading men say that, if this reserve is made, we had better throw up our county organization, which is already deeply in debt, petition the government to take the rest at a fair valuation, and we will all seek new homes in some prairie country, where things run more on the level, and the rough climbs of a mountain life, and the

At one point this proposed reserve approaches within less than five miles of the ocean, and cuts off a large tract of the most valuable and available timber in the county nearly all of which was located during the last few months by young men born and raised in this county. Already preliminary steps have been taken to develop extensive lumber and tanbark industries in various parts of the proposed reserve.

No county in Oregon has been more backward in its development than Curry, because of its isolated position, and none need more the benefits to be derived from the speedy development of all the resources within her entire boundary.

Without discussing the ethics of the case we will only add for the present, that it is the understanding that the purpose for which forest reserves are created is to preserve the timber, to prevent the denudation of the land and consequent drouth. If this be so, we would remind those in authority that, owing to warmth of climate and great fall of rain on the west side of the Coast Range mountains, forests cannot be destroyed, whether by wind, or fire or ax. Every old logging camp is a living, growing, unimpeachable witness that new tree growths spring up at once when the old is removed, and our old settlers who have cleared homes in the forests all know that it requires a constant battle with plow and ax to keep down the new growth of trees, which in this section are everywhere and forever springing up.

Mrs. C. Newman, of Campbell Park, a Chicago suburb, was building a handsome white stone house, when some one discovered that the bay window extended four feet over the building line. Neighbors attacked her in the courts, and the house had to come down. She hungered for revenge. Engaging the services of an architect, she began to put up a shanty on the site that will appear as a reproach and an eyesore. Campbell Park is a beautiful place. The shanty stands with its back to the street. A man who never before had done any painting was hired to smear it yellow. Then in a local paper appeared this advertisement: Wanted, a noisy family to occupy a new house; must be at least five boys; red-haired ones preferred.

The Sampson-Schley controversy is again raging, and Secretary Long has ordered a naval court of inquiry at request of Admiral Schley. The court, composed of high naval officials, with Admiral Dewey as chairman, but will not meet until September, owing to the hot weather, which would prevent the members from sitting in full dress uniform. The present revival, which has led to the proposed investigation, was started by the publication of the third volume of MacLay's History of the U. S. Navy, which is used as a text-book at the Naval Academy, in which Rear Admiral Schley is called "coward" and other insulting epithets. The author—a clerk in the Brooklyn Navy Yard—in saying that he had submitted proofs to Secretary Long, was understood to mean that Secretary Long had approved of the use of the abusive epithets. This Secretary Long promptly denied, and followed the denial by an order to strike the volume from the list of Naval Academy text books.

In addition to other bases of supplies demanded in the Platt amendment it is the intention of the Administration to retain permanently Morro Castle overlooking the harbor of Havana. This, the Washington correspondent of the World says is announced on the highest authority. It is the intention to occupy the stronghold with United States troops after the government of the island has been handed over to the Cubans. The plan is to equip the fortress with modern artillery so that Cuba may be assisted in defending herself against outside interference, and also that the United States may thus have guarantees against failure on the part of the Cuban government to carry out its pledges and terms of the treaty now in course of preparation as between this country and Cuba. Under this treaty the retention of the fortress is provided for.

Two singular facts of the past year have been the great prevalence of smallpox in the United States and the small number of deaths therefrom. During the last six months, according to official reports, there have been more than 28,000 cases of the disease, while for a corresponding period a year ago there were only 12,000 cases. But while a year ago there were 642 deaths in six months, in the last half year there have been but 486 deaths due to the disease. This shows that smallpox is losing its deadliness, since a year ago only 5 per cent of the persons attacked died, while this year there has been but 1 1/2 per cent of deaths. If this record is compared with former times, when a large proportion of all persons who had the disease died, it looks as though the disease was wearing out.

A Salem paper says: "On the judgment of Judge McBride of Clakamas, and George Chamberlin of Multnomah, the sale of property bid in for taxes by the counties and school districts all over the state has been postponed and the sale will be held 4 weeks from today (July 8). The mistake in the date was made through a misrepresentation of the law, which states the sheriff shall proceed to sell the lands on the first Monday after the 1st of July, and this was generally construed to mean, that the sale would be on that date, but after the several prominent attorneys were asked for opinions it was decided that it was meant to begin advertising the sale on that date. As far as is known, every county in the state has advertised the sale for July 8.

Washington, July 23.—Free trade between the United States and Porto Rico will be proclaimed Thursday. Attorney-General Knox is preparing the proclamations which will be issued. There will be two proclamations, the first declaring the establishment of civil government in Porto Rico and the second the establishment of free trade between the United States and the island.

Gens. Gomez and Palma are being severely criticised by the Cuban people for taking annexation of the country to the United States, instead of an independent republic.

Mr. Morgan is said to be convinced that a nation's merchant marine, like its navy, should be under one head. He knows also whose hat that head should be under.

Commissioner Rockhill has cabled the State Department the following statement of the present status of the negotiations at Pekin:

"The diplomatic corps at Pekin is engaged in considering the Russian proposals for the eventual increase of the tariff (maritime customs). A solution of the problem is hoped for. The indemnity, fixed at 450,000,000 taels and 4 per cent interest, has been formally accepted and Japan has waived preferential treatment. The formal surrender of Pekin to the Chinese authorities is expected to take place on August 14."

The date mentioned is the anniversary of the relief of the legation by the international forces. The Russian proposal referred to is understood, in substance, to be an increase from 5 per cent to 10 per cent of the customs duties which the Chinese Government may collect at the ports from foreign countries. It is further understood that the increase is not to take effect at once and perhaps not at all. It will depend upon the resources of China under the existing system. This proposition is believed to be much less objectionable to Great Britain and Japan, as well as the United States, than the original proposition to make an absolute and immediate increase of the customs duties to the extent proposed.

Topeka, Kan., July 23.—Four persons, said to be members of the notorious Bender gang, accused of committing a score of murders at their home near Galena, Kan., over 15 years ago, have been located near Fort Collins, Colo., and Gov. Stanley has issued requisition papers on their return to this state. The first steps toward bringing the suspects to Kansas were taken upon the representations of Frank Ayres, of Fort Collins, who asserts that one of the quartet, Kate Bender, was once his wife. Governor Stanley issued the requisition upon affidavits of four men who went to Colorado to identify the suspects. The Benders committed a series of murders, the most atrocious ever recorded. They lived on a small farm near Galena and for years, as it is supposed, from their hideout, they had lured travelers and buried their bodies in the yard around their home, or under the house. All four members of the family were accused of aiding in the murders. The family consisted of man, wife, daughter and son. The parents would now be in the 70's and the children about 50 years of age.

Notice.

On and after July 21st, 1901, my store will be closed on Sundays.
P. J. MASTERSON.



HEALTHY HAIR

A man with a thin head of hair is a marked man. But the big bald spot is not the kind of a mark most men like.

Too many men in their twenties are bald. This is absurd and all unnecessary. Healthy hair shows man's strength. To build up the hair from the roots, to prevent and to cure baldness, use—

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Geo. Y. Vane, Chicago, Ill.
Dec. 14, 1898.

We have a book on The Hair and Scalp which we will send free upon request. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expect from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address—
Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers

The delinquent tax roll for the year 1900 has been placed in my hands for collection and I must insist on prompt payment of such taxes. Ample time will be given to delinquents to pay up before levy, but I must collect the taxes before winter.

JAMES G. WALKER, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that I have given my son, Stephen Merrill, his time, and he is hereby fully authorized to do business for himself and on his own account. I will not hereafter be responsible for any of his transactions.

MRS. JOSEPHINE MERRILL, Ophir, Or., July 10, 1901.

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 \$203.35.
No. 39, issued January 12, 1891, for \$200.00.
No. 41, issued January 12, 1891, for \$94.00.
No. 66, issued January 12, 1891, for \$65.00.
No. 132, issued January 12, 1891, for \$18.00.
No. 311, issued April 11, 1891, for \$443.46.
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.

Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Curry county will hold the regular teachers' examinations for state and county papers at Port Orford as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.
Commencing Wednesday, August 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, August 17, at 4 o'clock.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, school law.
Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government.
Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.
FOR COUNTY PAPERS.
Commencing Wednesday, August 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, August 16, at 4 o'clock.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, school law.
Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government.
W. S. GUERIN, County School Superintendent.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned, situated in Sixes River Precinct, 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 so trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
MRS. RACHAEL AYERS.

Trespass 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 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.

MRS. MARY A. COLEBROOK.

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 or otherwise, upon the premises of Laura M. Heiberger or the ranch of G. J. Heiberger, or upon the ranch of P. A. Heiberger, located by the undersigned. Any person or persons so entering upon said premises without my consent will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

G. J. HEIBERGER.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons not to trespass upon the premises of Dr. Kenyon, situated between Floras Lake and the county road, in Northern Curry, by removing, cutting, or destroying timber upon said land. \$25 reward will be paid for information leading to a conviction of trespass as stated above.

Dated at Randon, Oregon, March 14, 1901.
PETER NELSON, Agent.

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 E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and W 1/2 SE 1/4, 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.

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 23, 1901.
B. K. VON DER GREEN, Executrix of the Estate of Francis Odilo Von der Green, deceased.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1873.

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, 1873, 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, Charles K. McClellan, of Curry county, Curry county, Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 162, for the purchase of the SE 1/4, section 22, E 1/2, NE 1/4, and NE 1/4, section No. 27, in Township No. 32 S., Range No. 13 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 1st day of August, 1901.

He names as witnesses: Mella Summers, of Eclat, Oregon; Joseph S. McClellan, of Curry county; 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 1st 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 McGeethin, or the Max Langevin place, or the John McGeethin 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 McGEETHIN, 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 warding 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.

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

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. 20, 1893 and to provide for sale of same,'" I will, on the 31 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 door 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 18th, 1901.
JAS. G. WALKER, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Curry County, Oregon.

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