

Work of The Hatcheries.

Astoria, Aug. 16—Any doubt that ever may have existed as to the usefulness of state hatcheries for the propagation of salmon has vanished with the successful fishing season just closed, and hereafter the artificial method will muster friends who were erstwhile skeptics. About the first actual test of the hatchery system was had last year, when artificially propagated salmon entered the river in great numbers toward the end of the season, blocking the canneries for three weeks or more, and turning into a successful year what gave promise of being a most disastrous one. The gratifying supply of the present year was even more of a practical demonstration of the utility of hatchery work, and the work done by the states of Oregon and Washington is praised on all sides.

Approximately speaking, 20,000,000 pounds of salmon were taken from the Columbia River during the 1902 season. The fish averaged about 22 pounds this year, and about 1,300,000 salmon were caught. Last year the number of salmon taken did not, perhaps, exceed 1,000,000. In 1901, however, some idea of the results being obtained from the hatcheries was gained, because of the fact that the marked fish turned out of the Clackamas hatchery four years previously returned to the river then. In all, 5000 salmon were marked. The number of salmon turned out of the hatchery in 1897 was 2,500,000 or thereabouts, and from the number of marked fish caught it was estimated that practically the entire catch was hatched fish. Scores of marked salmon were taken this year, but they were belated fish, recaching the river a year later than was to have been expected, so little satisfaction is gained from their appearance.

To demonstrate again to the entire satisfaction of every one interested in the great fisheries that hatcheries are all the state officials claim them to be, Fish Warden Van Dusen will turn out another 5000 marked fry. The fish are to be furnished him by the Washington Fish Commissioner and will be taken from the Chinook hatchery. The little salmon are almost large enough for the marketing process, and they will probably be turned out during the fall. They are now being fed at the hatchery, where they will be kept until they are able to care for themselves. They will be due to reach the Columbia in 1905-6.

Chief Engineer Kinney of the Great Central Railroad, has arranged for the incorporation of a local company in Salt Lake City to handle that end of the Great Central Railroad enterprise, says Tuesday's Oregonian. The law firm of Pierce, Critchlow & Barrette has been given charge of the matter. Mr. Pierce is now in Portland. He is known to be Senator Clark's legal representative in Utah and his connection with the Coos Bay-Salt Lake project is deemed by some to be significant of a turn in railroad affairs that is distinctly favorable for the Oregon line. Clark's Los Angeles line is held up on the plea that unexpected difficulties have arisen in getting right of way; and the Coos Bay project gets the eager attention of men who are closely identified with Clark in business matters.

The Great Central Land Company has plans completed for a two-story building 100 feet square to be built in the center of the new town of Bangor. Work on the ground will begin September 1. It will be of cut sandstone obtained on Coos River, about 12 miles from the town. The structure will cost about \$25,000 and it will be paid for and occupied by the four corporations—Great Central Railroad Company, Bank of Bangor and Great Central Land Company. The company does not contemplate construction of other building, but will make this one a model in all respects.—Marshfield Sun.

DR. J. J. CALDWELL, Physician and Surgeon, PORT ORFORD, OREGON. Diseases of Ladies and Children a Specialty.

Labor Day Proclamation.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 13.—Governor Geer this afternoon issued the first Labor day proclamation in the history of Oregon. It follows: "Whereas, The Legislature of Oregon has set apart the first Monday in September of each year as a legal holiday to be known as Labor day;

"Therefore, I, T. T. Geer, Governor of said state, do hereby recommend that all places of business of whatsoever kind, as far as possible, be closed on Monday, September 1, 1902, and that the day be devoted to an observance of such exercises as may contribute to a better understanding between labor and capital, the great moving forces behind modern industrial development, and it is especially urged that employers co-operate with their employes in a mutual observance of the day in such manner as will fittingly recognize the reliance which each must place upon the other before the best results from both may be expected or attained.

"In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the state to be affixed hereto. Done at the Capitol, in the City of Salem, this 13th day of August, A. D. 1902.

T. T. GEER, GOVERNOR.

The Coos Bay-Salt Lake Railroad Assured.

Daily Oregonian. Chief Engineer Kinney, of the Great Central Railroad, last night gave out the statement that the transcontinental feature of the Coos Bay Railroad had been accepted and he had been directed to make location of the line through to Salt Lake City. This acceptance, he said, provides for bonding the road at \$16,000 a mile, involving in round numbers \$15,000,000, though the exact distance between Coos Bay and Salt Lake City over the new route has not yet been determined.

More than this, Mr. Kinney announced that a railroad would be built to reach between San Francisco and Portland along the coast. This will not be part of his enterprise, but he says it will be built by capital friendly to the Coos Bay-Salt Lake line. It is understood that it will be an extension of the California North-western, which now reaches northward from San Francisco Bay to Ukiah, in Mendocino County, a distance of 112 miles, and has a line surveyed through T. Eureka, on Humboldt Bay. Major Kinney says he has no knowledge of the details of that enterprise, but he is assured it will be built. Tillamook Bay has been mentioned in connection with it, and it may be that Portland's railroad to Tillamook will form a section of the through coast line between this city and San Francisco.

Coos Bay News: C. J. Brusckie, representing the Pacific Milling, Mining & Transportation Co., of California, has bought the stove mill and also the Porter mill. The services of E. O. Hall have been secured in making repairs at the stove mill, which is to be put in running order at once, and the saving of lumber will be commenced as quickly as possible. We learn that it is the intention to overhaul and remodel the stove mill, after which it will be used exclusively for sawing hardwood lumber, while the Porter mill will be used for sawing fir, spruce and cedar. Mr. Brusckie would like to start a large furniture manufacturing here, and will do so, if he receives reasonable encouragement. A factory would mean much for the business interests of Marshfield, and we hope substantial inducements will be offered.

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 upon the land of the undersigned, situated at the mouth of Sixes River, 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.

JAMES S. HUGHES.

J. HUNTLEY, Attorney & Counselor at Law, NOTARY PUBLIC.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, August 15, 1902. 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 in Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States, by act of August 4, 1892, Theron J. Fromm, of Wedderburn, Curry county, Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3241 for the purchase of the E 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, NW 1/4 section 6, and NW 1/4 of section 7, in Township No. 35 south, range No. 13 west, 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 J. Huntley, United States Commissioner for the District of Oregon, at Gold Beach, on Monday, the 10th day of November, 1902. He names as witnesses: Thomas Lane, B. W. Dean, of Port Orford, Curry county, Oregon; Thomas B. Smith, of Wedderburn, Curry county, Oregon; Fred Stewart, of Ophir, Curry county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 10th day of November, 1902.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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NOTICE.

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization of Curry county, Oregon, will meet at the office of the County Clerk of Curry county, at Gold Beach, Oregon, on the last Monday, the 25th day of August, 1902, and will continue in session during the week, for the purpose of examining the Assessment Roll for the year 1902, and correcting all errors in valuations, descriptions or qualities of land, lots or other property. All parties who may be aggrieved by valuation, description or otherwise, as to their assessment, will therefore take notice and make due complaint to said Board of Equalization, otherwise their assessment will stand as made by the Assessor.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1902. A. J. MARSH, County Assessor.

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