

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout
the State During the Past
Week.

Two Men Killed; Duel Indicated.
Prineville.—Evidently the victims of a rifle duel between themselves, the bodies of Felix Jones and Roscoe Brown were found at a remote spot on Grizzly mountain, near the sawmill of J. W. Jones, father of Brown's wife. The opinion is general that the fatal fight was due to Brown's jealousy for his wife.

The bodies were lying 35 feet apart. Jones had been shot through the back, while Brown had been shot through the chest. Each still clasped his rifle in his hands when found, indicating almost instant death in the case of each.

Breeding For Mutton.
Pendleton.—Sheepmen of Umatilla county are in the midst of their breeding season and reports from their camps indicate that many are changing from the fine wool breeds to the coarser, and that a number are also breeding for early or winter lambs. There seems to be a growing tendency among local flockmasters to pay more attention to the growing of mutton, their reason being the high prices of meat, and the change which the tariff has made in the wool market.

TAXABLE PROPERTY JUMPS
County Boards Place Oregon Valuations at \$613,268,527 for 1913.

Salem.—The total value of taxable property as equalized by the county boards of equalization in Oregon, not including the property of public service corporations which will be assessed by the state tax commission for 1913 is \$613,268,527, according to an announcement of the commission.

The increase over 1912 is \$42,173,346. Messrs. Eaton and Galloway, state tax commissioners, said the levy which would be made December 1 would be about 5 mills, a large increase being necessary to meet the appropriations and other expenses of the last session of the legislature.

Lane Will Have Expert.
Eugene.—As a result of the meeting of a delegation of prominent citizens of Lane county with the commissioners' court, the court has decided to appropriate \$2000 for the purpose of employing an agricultural expert for Lane county, the state to give a similar sum, according to the law passed by the last legislature.

Fairs Get Support.
Salem.—N. C. Maris, field worker for industrial fairs, has returned from Grant county, where he visited 22 schools in the interest of the fairs. Mr. Maris says teachers and pupils are taking the liveliest interest in the fairs and that a new record will be established next year.

Greenhorn Ore Strike Reported.
Greenhorn.—Kelly & Larson, pioneer prospectors of the Greenhorn district, have uncovered a quartz deposit of unknown extent showing free gold values reported to run between \$4000 and \$7000 a ton.

WANT EXPERIMENTAL FARM

Never Has Been Determined What Section Offers in Agricultural Way.

Klamath Falls.—The first steps have been taken to get an experimental farm for Klamath county. The county court has been asked to make a special levy to employ an expert and to maintain the farm. The members of the court have signified a willingness to further the movement.

Farming in the Klamath country is yet in the experimental state. A farm conducted under an expert should prove of material assistance to the early development of the farm lands of the vast area embraced in Klamath county. Rapid strides in farming have been made in recent years.

Unitarians Will Meet.
Hood River.—The North Pacific conference of Unitarian churches will be held at Hood River November 12, 13 and 14. The Unitarian churches of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana will be represented in the conference.

Market Basket Day in Klamath.
Klamath Falls.—Plans have been practically completed for holding a weekly market day in this city. The chamber of commerce and the Klamath Water Users' association have endorsed the movement. It is planned to get the producers and the consumers in direct contact.

Youthful Burglars Have Winter Shoes.
Albany.—A double robbery involving the theft of \$300 worth of doctor's implements, six pairs of shoes and \$10 in cash from a store is believed to have been committed here by two 17-year-old Independence boys.

JOHN PURROY MITCHELL



John Purroy Mitchell, fusion candidate for mayor, who administered a crushing defeat to Tammany in the New York election.

Brief News of the Week

Notes amounting to \$70,000 and currency in the sum of \$3936 were taken when robbers blew open the safe of the State Bank of Waltham, six miles from Austin, Minn.

The palatial home of John Hays Hammond at Washington has been bought by the Russian government as a home for the Russian embassy. Price paid was \$500,000.

Martial law prevailed at Peking and summary executions took place as result of drastic action by President Yuan Shi Kai, in his struggle against the Chinese parliament.

Eleven women named to act on the grand jury at San Mateo, Cal., declare they will prove they can keep their mouths shut. They say they will not divulge secrets of the jury room.

Decided efforts are being made to induce the British government to come to an agreement with the suffragists, whereby a measure for the enfranchisement of women can be made a part of the official programme of the liberal party.

The tango dance will be introduced at the insane asylum at Sacramento. The new form of dance will be tried on the patients to see if the diversion will have more effect on the inmates than the other forms of dancing.

In order to facilitate marriages ministers at Republic, O., will perform wedding ceremonies free of charge. The large percentage of marriageable bachelors, old maids and maidens in the town is said to have caused concerted action to aid Cupid.

The notable gatherings of the week included the conventions of the Anti-Saloon League of America, in Columbus, Ohio; the United States Good Roads association, in St. Louis; the National Municipal League of the United States, in Toronto; the American Association for the Study and Prevention of Infant Mortality, in Washington, D. C.

People in the News

Mrs. Annette Abbott Adams, a woman attorney of San Francisco, aspires to be United States district attorney.

Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, defeated Leach Cross in a 10-round bout, which went the limit, at Madison Square Garden in New York.

Dr. Charles McBurney, who was in attendance at the bedside of the fatal illness of the late President McKinley, died at Stockbridge, Mass.

Dr. David A. Arter, believed to be the last remaining delegate to the convention which nominated President Lincoln, died at Canton.

John Hoyie, warden at San Quentin penitentiary, will resign his position to enter the hotel business at San Francisco with his brother.

Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, defeated for governor, has announced that he will resign from congress to run for governor again in 1914.

The fortune of \$3,000,000 left by the late Charles G. Gates, goes to the widow. Had the young man lived he would have received the bulk of the estate of \$35,000,000.

General Felix Diaz was wounded in an altercation which occurred in the Malecon at Havana. He was stabbed twice, being wounded behind the ear and in the neck. He was also beaten with canes.

Mrs. Hope McEldowney, at Chicago, testified that she had given James Ryan, clairvoyant, known as Professor Crane, \$15,000 for advice, after she had been convinced by him that she was followed by bad influences which make investments unsuccessful.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Grade teachers of the Eugene public schools have formed a local branch of the National Grade Teachers' association.

A new gymnasium will be built at the Oregon normal school at Monmouth. Ground has been broken on the project, which will cost \$8000, and which will be finished in 60 days.

James J. Hill states that the Hill railroad interests are building and preparing for operating fast steamers to ply between the Columbia river and San Francisco.

Monument has been added to the list of "dry" towns of the state. Election returns show that prohibition won by six votes. Ballots of the women influenced results.

Representative Hawley of Oregon has introduced bills prohibiting lieu land selections in Oregon, except when the base lands surrendered to the government are also in Oregon.

The ruling of the industrial welfare commission that women employed in factories shall not earn less than \$8.64 a week or work more than 24 hours in any week became effective Monday.

By freakish antics of nature there has been produced in the orchard of Joseph N. Hunter, at Bend, a combination of Spitzenberg and Jonathan apples, the flavors and colors of the two varieties being separate and distinct in one apple.

A bottle dropped overboard off the Siberian coast by the hydrographic expedition of the Pacific ocean, three years ago, to ascertain the rate and direction of the current, was found at Yaquina bay.

Jackson county court's offer of pay for a section of the Dollarhide toll road, has been accepted by the owner of the road. The section is needed in connection with the construction of the Pacific highway.

Senator Claude McCulloch of Baker has been retained by the corporation department to prosecute actions now pending in Multnomah county for violations of the blue sky law, as well as those in contemplation.

The railroad commission has been advised that the Southern Pacific has granted a reduction in the freight rate on car lots of canned goods from Creswell to Portland from 25 cents per 100 pounds to 17½ cents.

State Game Warden William F. Finley is sending broadcast an appeal asking hunting organizations of the state to donate to the charitable institutions of their vicinities, game for Thanksgiving.

The Oregon Butter and Cheese-makers' association will hold its adjourned session at La Grande on December 5, in connection with the farmers' congress and tri-state dairy meeting, to be held there at that time.

Senator Chamberlain of Oregon has introduced a bill making Milton Wheeler, of Portland, a colonel on the retired list of the United States army, volunteer rank being held by him during the civil war.

Governor West commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of Lem Woon, who had been sentenced to be hanged November 14, for the killing of Lee Tai Hoy in Portland, March 7, 1908. The Chinese said he eventually would be able to prove that he did not kill the man.

The Oregon public ownership league organized temporarily at Portland by the election of John L. Schuylerman as president and J. B. Stilwell as temporary secretary. One of the principal objects of the league is to urge a law establishing a system of voting by mail.

The secretary of agriculture has advised Senator Chamberlain that he will furnish telegraphic crop news to Oregon farmers, beginning the service immediately. The secretary will telegraph his reports to the weather bureau at Portland and that office will print and distribute information to all the daily and weekly papers in Oregon.

Despite the warnings issued by the state fish and game commission, laws which were meant to prevent one hunter from killing another, and the suggestion by State Warden William L. Finley that all hunters wear red caps and coats, the hunting season which ended November 1 marked the death of two hunters and the injury of eight others.

After a conference with the reclamation commission Secretary Lane set aside from the reclamation fund \$15,000 to be used jointly with an appropriation of a like amount made by the Oregon legislature to defray the cost of survey and examination of various water power sites on the Columbia river, with a view to formulating plans for their development.

Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh, for the W. C. T. U., has protested to Senator Lane against the bill of Millionaire S. Benson, of Portland, introduced by Senator Works, to prevent the manufacture of spirituous liquors in the United States. She says beer and wines are more harmful than whiskey, and that the brewers, through ownership of saloons, control the white slave traffic, and would have much more power if the distillers were put out of business.

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Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county.

J. H. Haner, plaintiff,

vs.
William Prine, John Prine, Frank B. Prine, Sarah Powers, U. S. Prine, Paul Rhodes, Norah Rhodes, Annette Rhodes, Bertha Rhodes, Wallace Rhodes, and all unknown heirs of David Prine, deceased, B. F. Allen, B. F. Allen as administrator of the estate of William Foster, deceased, Annie Maling, executrix of the estate of C. C. Maling, deceased, and all unknown heirs of C. C. Maling, deceased, and all others interested, defendants.

To William Prine, John Prine, Frank B. Prine, Sarah Powers, U. S. Prine, Paul Rhodes, Norah Rhodes, Annette Rhodes, Bertha Rhodes, Wallace Rhodes, and all unknown heirs of David Prine, deceased, B. F. Allen, B. F. Allen as administrator of the estate of William Foster, deceased, Annie Maling, executrix of the estate of C. C. Maling, deceased, and all unknown heirs of C. C. Maling, deceased, and to all others interested, the above named defendants:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled suit and court within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served within any other county in this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as provided by law, then on or before the

29th day of November, 1913,

and you and each of you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take a decree of said court against you for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree of the court to the effect that the plaintiff, J. H. Haner, is the owner in fee simple, free from all incumbrances, of lot number one in block number four of the city of Prineville, Crook county, state of Oregon, according to Monroe Hodges' plat of said city now on file and of record in the office of the county clerk of Crook county, state of Oregon. That the defendants and each and all of them be forever barred and estopped from having or claiming any right, title or interest in or to said premises, and that the plaintiff's title thereto be forever quieted, confirmed and established in himself, his heirs and assigns. That all record incumbrances, liens and clouds against plaintiff's title to said premises, existing prior to the 2nd day of June, 1910, be decreed and conclusively held and considered to be canceled, satisfied and removed, and that all persons claiming title or any interest in or to said premises, or any part thereof, by or through the defendants or either of them, be forever barred and estopped from having or claiming any interest therein, and for such other and further relief as may seem meet to the court and just in the premises.

This summons is published in the Crook County Journal for six full weeks in seven consecutive issues of said paper, commencing with the issue of October 16th, 1913, and ending with the issue of November 27th, 1913, by order of the Hon. G. Springer, county judge of Crook county, state of Oregon, made and entered on the 14th day of October, 1913.

Dated and published first time October 16th, 1913. M. E. BRISK, Attorney for plaintiff.

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Crook county.

Mattie Elliott, Plaintiff,

vs.

Fred A. McDowell and Leona McDowell, defendants.

To Leona McDowell, 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 of the date of the first publication of this summons, which date of first publication is the 9th day of October, 1913, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: for a judgment against Fred A. McDowell for \$1045.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 2nd day of October, 1913, for \$100 attorney's fees and for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

For a decree of the above entitled court that the following described land, to-wit: the south half of the northwest quarter and lots three and four of Section four in township thirteen south of range thirteen east of Willamette Meridian in Crook county, Oregon, be sold by the sheriff of this county according to law and that the proceeds be applied to the payment of plaintiff's said judgment, and that the charges of making said sale, that the defendants and all persons claiming under them or either of them be forever barred and foreclosed of all right, title, interest or equity of redemption in said premises or any part thereof.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. Springer, county judge of Crook county, Oregon, made and entered on the 2nd day of October, 1913. M. R. ELLIOTT, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Administratrix's Notice.

Eliza Dalton Estate.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Eliza Dalton, deceased, by the county court for the state of Oregon for Clackamas county, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same to T. G. Thornton, Room 15, Mulkey Building, Portland, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified within six months from the date hereof.

First publication October 30, 1913.
GERTRUDE L. SLOCUM,
T. G. Thornton, Administratrix.
Attorney for Estate.

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