

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

State Accident Fund is \$146,755.

Salem.—There is an available surplus of \$146,755 in the fund of the state industrial accident commission, after deducting a liberal allowance for all pending unsettled claims...

Disbursements are: Pension reserve fund, \$70,025.52; cost of administration, \$48,560.21; first aid to injured workmen, \$37,109; compensation for time lost, \$61,009.02; pensions paid, \$2601.78. Total, \$219,305.78.

This leaves a balance of \$156,202.38, which added to amount now due from the state, \$46,591.16, and \$45,715.28 due on account January payrolls, gives \$248,417.82, what the commission terms as a liberal estimate for all unsettled claims.

Lace Factory for Eugene is Possible.

Eugene.—A proposition for the establishment of a lace factory is before the promotion department of the Eugene commercial club. A committee has been appointed and if possible \$100,000 will be raised in stock subscriptions to obtain the plant.

Members in Session at Corvallis Individually Sign Set of Resolutions.

Corvallis.—The Willamette Valley Editorial association met at the Oregon Agricultural College, bringing to a close the Farmers, Home-Makers and Conference week, which has been largely attended from all parts of the state.

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CHAS. C. M'CHORD



Charles C. M'Chord, who is said to be slated for the chairmanship of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

2-BATTLESHIP BILL PASSED

Three Destroyers and Five Submarines to be Built on Coast.

Washington.—Over a strenuous protest from Majority Leader Underwood, the house in passing the naval appropriation bill retained provision for the construction of two new dreadnoughts.

The bill, as it goes to the senate, carries \$144,648,902, and authorizes the following construction program:

Two battleships of the largest and most powerful design, \$7,800,000 each, exclusive of armor and armament.

Six torpedo-boat destroyers, \$825,000 each.

One sea-going submarine torpedo-boat, \$1,400,000.

Eleven submarines, \$550,000 each.

One oil fuel ship, \$1,140,000.

An amendment was adopted authorizing the construction of three of the six destroyers on the Pacific Coast. Five of the submarines are to be built there.

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BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Smithson will be McMinnville college's representative in the state inter-collegiate contest.

Drain's new \$6000 municipal light-plant has been opened and for the first time in its history of 50 years Drain has electric lights.

During the month of January 73,279 jack rabbit scalps were taken in at the clerk's office in Burns, for which \$3,713.95 was paid in bounty at 5 cents a scalp.

The county court has been asked to make an appropriation with which to maintain a public library in Roseburg. The matter has been taken under advisement by the court.

A special train has been arranged for to bring the delegates from Portland to the State Christian Endeavor convention, which will be held in Eugene February 19, 20 and 21.

The annual meeting of the Oregon Loganberry association was held at Salem and good progress was reported in the advertising campaign started throughout the east in order to widen the market for loganberries.

A potato starch plant costing from \$10,000 to \$15,000 and properly conducted will during a season take care of the cull product from about 5000 acres, according to figures gathered by the state university school of commerce.

The Baker delegation of cattlemen, who will attend the annual convention of the Oregon Horse and Cattle Raisers association, which meets at Prineville, will leave Baker with the intention of securing the next annual meeting for that city if possible.

In the midst of the inquiry into election frauds in precinct 37, Portland, and before ex-Sheriff Tom Word himself was summoned to the witness stand, Mr. Word withdrew his election contest proceedings against Sheriff Thomas H. Hurlburt by taking a voluntary non-suit.

With the present equipment in the Monmouth training school only 48 students can be graduated from the Oregon normal school this year, according to Principal Thomas H. Gentle. He says that inadequate facilities are cheating the students of the advantages for which they have paid.

The biggest land deal ever consummated in Umatilla county was announced at Pendleton. By the transaction all the holdings of the Inland Irrigation company in that county are transferred to J. O. Story and associates of Tacoma, Wash., for a consideration of more than \$1,000,000.

Announcement was made by Bishop O'Reilly of the Catholic diocese of Baker City of a plan to establish in Baker an orphanage and old people's home by converting the Catholic hospital to this purpose and applying to the state for the allotment of \$8 a month for each orphan as provided by law.

Manslaughter was the verdict returned by the jury which heard the trial on a charge of murder, at Pendleton, of Richard Burke, Indian, who last fall shot and killed Ed Kirkpatrick, well-known rancher of Umatilla county, in an altercation at a ranch house dance. Burke pleaded self defense.

Prominent Norwegians in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa and Wisconsin are receiving invitations to visit Portland en route to, or returning from the expositions in San Francisco and San Diego. More than 1800 such letters have been mailed out the last week by the Norwegian-American reception committee of Portland.

The Walla Walla Swine and Cattle Breeders' association and the Walla Walla Meat & Cold Storage company are offering prizes aggregating \$200 for the best pigs to be produced by members of "pig clubs" to be organized by the boys and girls of Umatilla county in Oregon and Walla Walla and Columbia counties in Washington. Corporation Commissioner R. A. Watson has received notice of the dismissal of the case of the National Mercantile company vs. R. A. Watson et al., which was pending in the United States circuit court of appeals at San Francisco. This case was brought to test the constitutionality of the act creating the corporation department in Oregon.

Whether Jason C. Moore is to obtain a 40-year lease of Summer and Abert lakes, said to contain salt deposits worth millions of dollars, is Agency, which probably will be reported on reports of R. G. Dun & company and Bradstreet's Mercantile ceived soon, regarding the financial ability of the New York man and his associates.

As result of a river feud between rival boat lines on the Coquille river, Captain O. R. Willard and Engineer Elmer Willard, of the Charm; Captain Walter Panter, of the Dora, and Captain Allen Panter and Engineer William Panter, of the Telegraph, had their licenses revoked for a period of 20 months. The feud reached a climax recently when the steamers Dora and Charm collided, endangering lives of the passengers. An investigation by United States Inspectors E. S. Edwards and George E. Fuller of Portland immediately followed.

Summons

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

W. G. Mustard, Plaintiff,

vs.

Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and all persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property described herein defendants.

To Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and all persons unknown, claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property described herein, the above named defendants: You are hereby notified that W. G. Mustard is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered Eighty-four -84- issued on the 22nd day of December, 1914, by the Tax Collector of the county of Crook, state of Oregon, for the amount of Eleven and 19 hundredths -\$11.19- dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1910, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owners as appears of record, situated in said county and state and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot Six -6-, Block Two -2-, original townsite of Bend, in Crook county, state of Oregon, according to the legal and official plat thereof on file in the office of the county clerk of Crook county, aforesaid. You are further notified that the said W. G. Mustard has paid taxes for subsequent years upon said property with the rate of interest on said amounts, the number of tax receipts and from the dates as hereinafter set forth, to-wit: For the year 1911, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 1988, amount \$4.76, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum; For the year 1912, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 2268, amount \$49.72, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum; For the year 1913, paid December 22, 1914, receipt No. 6312, amount \$59.92, rate of interest 15 per cent per annum; Said Ada Johnson, J. O. Johnson and Mrs. J. O. Johnson as the owners of the legal title of the above described real property as the same appears of record, and each and all other persons, unknown claiming any right, title, interest, estate or lien in the real property above described hereby further notified, that the said W. G. Mustard will apply to the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Crook county for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within 30 days after the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend the action or pay the amount due as above shown together with the costs and accrued interest and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above described.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable G. Springer, Judge of the county court of the state of Oregon for the said Crook county, and said order was made and dated this 31st day of December, 1914, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 31st day of December, 1914.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned, residing within the state of Oregon, at the address hereinafter mentioned.

Date of the last publication of this summons is the 4th day of March, A. D., 1915.

WILLARD H. WIRTZ,

District Attorney and Attorney for Plaintiff. Address: Prineville, Oregon.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Robert Pennington Johnson, deceased, to all persons interested in said estate, that he has made and filed with the clerk of the county court his final settlement of his administration of said estate, and that the court has set Monday, the 1st day of March, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the county court room in Prineville, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and settling said final accounting. At which said time and place, any person interested in said estate may appear and object to said final accounting.

Dated this 28th day of Jan., 1915.

M. R. ELLIOTT,

Administrator of the estate of Robert Pennington Johnson, deceased. 1-28-p

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4-30-14

"PRINORE" AND "STANDARD"

Prineville Flour

Done in chambers, at The Dalles, Oregon, this 23rd day of January, A. D., 1915

(signed) W. L. BRADSHAW,

Judge.

Date of first publication, Jan. 28, 1915

Date of last publication, March 11, 1915

Willard H. Wirtz, District attorney and attorney for plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Avery G. Scoggin, deceased, to all creditors of said deceased and to all persons having claims against said estate to present them with the proper vouchers at the office of N. G. WALLACE, in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated and published first time this 21st day of January, 1915.

N. G. WALLACE,

Administrator of the estate of Avery G. Scoggin, deceased. 1-21-15

The Journal, \$1.50 per year.

Call for Warrants

Notice is hereby given that all registered general fund warrants up to and including registered No. 518 and all road fund warrants up to and including registered No. 13, will be paid on presentation, and interest on same will stop from this date. RALPH L. JORDAN, Treasurer. January 14, 1915.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the executrix of the estate of James Henry Windom, deceased, to all persons interested in said estate that she has filed with the clerk of the county court her final accounting of her administration of said estate, and that the court has set Monday, the first day of March, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the county court room in Prineville, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and settling said final accounting. At which said time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and object to said final accounting.

Dated this 21st day of Jan., 1915.

REBECCA WINDOM,

Executrix of estate of James Henry Windom, deceased.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 16, 1914

Notice is hereby given that William Fender, whose post office address is Prineville, Oregon, did on the 22d day of June, 1914, file in this office sworn statement and application No. 913510, to purchase the w 1/2 n 1/2, section 19, township 14 south, range 17 east, Willamette meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that pursuant to such application the land and timber thereon have been appraised \$206.00, the timber estimated 100,000 board feet at \$1.00 per M., and the land \$40.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 2d day of March, 1915, before Timothy E. J. Duffy, U. S. commissioner, at Prineville, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or to initiate a contest at any time before patent issues by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

12-17 H. Frank Woodcock, Register.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, Not coal lands U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Ore. January 8, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Patrick D. McNamee of Fife, Oregon, who, on June 15, 1910, made homestead entry Act Feb. 19, 1909, No. 63662, for ne 1/4 sec 19, section 19; w 1/2 n 1/2 section 20, township 21 north, range 23 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Charles A. Sherman, U. S. Commissioner, at Fife, Oregon, on the 1st day of March, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Paul P. Werner, R. G. Douglas, H. W. Douglas, Ed Street, all of Fife, Oregon. JAS. F. BURGESS, Register. 1-21

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Summons

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

The First National Bank of Prineville, a corporation, plaintiff,

vs.

S. R. Cooper, defendant.

To S. R. Cooper, the above named defendant: In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled court and action, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within Crook county, state of Oregon, or, if served within any other county in the state of Oregon, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or, if served without this state by publication, as required by law, then on or before the 6th day of March, 1915. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear or answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars, with interest thereon at rate of ten per cent per annum from the 2nd day of June, 1914, (less the sum of Two hundred fifty-seven and one-half dollars paid thereon July 8th, 1914,) and for the further sum of Fifty dollars as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of Three hundred dollars with interest thereon at rate of ten per cent per annum from the 23rd day of July, 1914, and for the further sum of Thirty dollars as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of One hundred sixty-eight dollars with interest thereon at rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of October, 1914, and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and for an order of said court that certain personal property belonging to you, and attached in this action in this county, be sold to satisfy said judgment. This summons is published in the Crook County Journal for six full weeks in seven consecutive issues thereof, commencing with the issue of January 21st, 1915, and ending with the issue of March 4th, 1915, by order of the Hon. G. Springer, county judge of Crook county, state of Oregon, made and entered on the 13th day of January, 1915.

Dated and published first time January 21st, 1915.

M. E. BRINK,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

Order

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

State of Oregon, plaintiff,

vs.

A. H. Lippman, administrator of the estate of Fernando Roots, deceased, all heirs at law of said decedent, (if any there be) and all other persons and parties, unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the personal property described in the information herein, defendants.

It appearing to the court from the information on file herein that Fernando Roots died intestate on the 4th day of April, A. D., 1914, within the county of Crook, State of Oregon, leaving an estate therein consisting of personal property alone made up of cash in a bank and wages due of the value of Six Hundred Sixty-Six and 38 hundredths (\$666.38) dollars; and It further appearing that A. H. Lippman was thereafter appointed and duly qualified as administrator of the estate of the said Fernando Roots, deceased, that the said administrator took possession of all the assets and property of the said estate, administered upon same in the usual course of business, collecting and converting into cash all of the said personal property of said estate and paying all claims and just demands against said estate; and It appearing that said estate is now fully and finally settled and that there remains, after the said payment of all of said claims and demands, together with the costs and expenses of the administration thereof, now in the possession of the said A. H. Lippman, the administrator aforesaid, Three Hundred Seventy-Nine and 9 hundredths (\$379.09) dollars in cash, and that the said decedent died without heirs at law, children, widow or kindred, capable of inheriting said personal property and that by reason thereof the state of Oregon has by law a right to the title of said property;

Wherefore, Upon the motion and application of Willard H. Wirtz, district attorney for Crook county and attorney for the state of Oregon herein;

It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, in the name of the state of Oregon, That all heirs at law of Fernando Roots, deceased, (if any there be,) and all persons and parties, unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the personal property of said decedent, be, and they are, hereby summoned and required to appear and show cause in this court, if any they have, by the 13th day of March A. D., 1915, why the title in and to said personal property, described herein and also in the information herein, should not be adjudged escheated to and vested in the state of Oregon; and it is further ordered and adjudged that a copy of this order be published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly newspaper of general circulation in said county of Crook and state of Oregon, for a period of six consecutive weeks prior to said 13th day of March, A. D., 1915.

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Dated and published the first time January 21, 1915.

N. J. LAMBERT,

Administrator of the estate of Patrick W. Haden, deceased.

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