

## WHAT SHALL WE VOTE FOR.

## Five Amendments to the State Constitution, Besides Usual Offices.

In addition to the regular election of county, district and state officers to be elected at the approaching election, there is also to be a vote on the following constitutional amendments: Municipal indebtedness amendment; judicial amendment; irrigation amendment; repealing amendment; and an amendment for equal suffrage, which have been summed up by the Corvallis Times in this way:

Of these propositions the first abrogates the present section of the state constitution, which provides that no county shall incur an indebtedness exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$5,000, and in its stead proposes to substitute a section that shall extend the limitation of indebtedness to cities, school districts and other municipal corporations, as well as counties, so that their aggregate indebtedness shall not exceed 5 per cent of the taxable property therein.

At present there are three justices of the state supreme court. If passed, the judiciary amendments will increase this number to five.

The irrigation amendment is an innovation in that passage will add another article to the state constitution. The constitution of 1857 contained eight articles which have been preserved. If it receives the sanction of the voters, the irrigation amendment will be known as Article XIX, and under its terms the necessary use of lands for the construction of reservoirs for purposes of irrigation, and for the construction of ditches and flumes to carry water, for the development of natural resources or the preservation of health, is declared to be a public use and subject to the control of the state. The right to appropriate from any natural stream, unappropriated waters, and shall not be denied. The use of waters now appropriated is declared to be a public use as above, subject to certain regulations. The right to collect compensation for use of water is made a franchise.

Section 35 of Article 1 of the state constitution provides that no negro, not living here at the time of its adoption, should ever hold land or be allowed to make contracts or maintain suits in the courts. Upon the passage of the Fourteenth amendment to the federal constitution this section becomes a dead letter, and the "Repealing Amendment" seeks to efface it from the organic law of the state.

In voting on the question of the "Equal Suffrage Amendment" the question to be determined is whether or not the constitution shall be amended as follows:

Article 1. The elective franchise in this state shall not hereafter be prohibited to any citizen on account of sex.

Article 1 of the constitution contains thirty-five sections but the joint resolutions as adopted proposing the amendment does not state which particular one it is desired to amend.

## Died.

While the sweet balmy air of spring is hovering around us, and the hum of industry is carried on by the insect world on wing, a sad and solemn hour has come to pass.

'Twas the cold hand of death laid on one, a fair young lady in our midst, who is but in the bloom of life. It is well to remember "That in the midst of life, we are in death."

At the hour of 7:35 last Saturday morning, March 24, 1900, the peaceful voice of angels became a ruling ideal over the life of Miss Effie Clarice Noyer, aged 18 years 7 months and 3 days.

Her last moments on earth were of the most peaceful nature, which marked her passing of the bounds of this earth to a high and fairer home beyond the skies.

The deceased was born near Oregon City, Clackamas county, August 21, 1881, of well-known parents. Her father, B. F. Noyer, is now in Klondike, and is yet uninformed of his sad and sudden bereavement which will no doubt be a great shock to him. The cause of death was spinal meningitis and brain fever. She was sick only about 12 days, the last eight days of which time was passed unconsciously. She leaves a father, mother, five sisters and one brother, besides many relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

The remains were interred in the Dart cemetery, Sunday, March 15, 1900 for its last resting place.

Oh thou sweet and peaceful rest, Which forever shall be blest; And for time we never shall see, That glorious temple of eternity.

James F. Mitty,

Meadow Brook, Or.

Teacher Dist. No. 11.

Yellow Jack.

Owing to the prevalence of smallpox in different localities throughout the country, which is liable to become epidemic, it is recommended and strongly urged that all persons within the city and especially school children be vaccinated without delay.

C. D. LATOURETTE,

Mayor.

CHARLES ALBRIGHT,

J. W. POWELL,

FRANK BUSCH,

Health Committee.

Novelties in neckwear, handkerchiefs and veiling just received at Golden Rule Bazaar.

## Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at the court house, Oregon City, Oregon, April 11, 1900, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1900.

N. W. BOWLAND,

County School Superintendent of Clackamas County.

For county certificates only.

The program which will be followed in the examination for county certificates on April 11, is as follows:

Commencing Wednesday April 11, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday April 13, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar school law.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government.

For primary certificates commencing Wednesday April 11, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Thursday, April 12, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods.

## Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich. tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Geo. A. Harding Druggist.

**Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are Sold** on a positive guarantee. Cures heart burn, raising of the food, distress after eating or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Geo. A. Harding, agent.

The Farmers and Mechanic store of Oregon City invites your inspection of their new line of dry goods, clothing, etc.

Wedding stationery, the latest styles and finest assortment ever brought to Oregon City at the Enterprise.

## MANY A LOVER.

Has turned with disgust from an otherwise lovable girl with an offensive breath. Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the breath by its action on the bowels, etc., as nothing else will. Sold for years on absolute guarantee. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. C. G. Huntley the Druggist.

A. R. De Fluert, editor of the Journal, Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by G. A. Harding, Druggist.

The latest in walking hats an sailors at Miss Goldsmiths.

M. Michaels is having his store building enlarged and will place in a new stock of ladies' goods.

## Legal Notices.

## SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, County of Clackamas.

Matilda Schreckhise, plaintiff, vs. Geo D Schreckhise, defendant.

To Geo. D. Schreckhise, the above-named 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 court cause on or before the 24th day of April 1900, the same being six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint to-wit, for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony between you and plaintiff herein.

This summons is published by order of Alfred F. Sears, Jr., judge of the circuit court of the Fourth judicial district, made and entered March 15, 1900, in the absence of T. A. McBride, judge of the above entitled court.

This summons is first published on March 16, 1900.

BROWNELL & CAMPBELL,

Attys. for Plaintiff.

## Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City Oregon.

March 17, 1900.

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 the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on May 8, 1900, viz:

H. S. CAMPBELL,

by his guardian, Alfred Tenelling, for the sec 1/2 of nw 1/4, ne 1/4 of sw 1/4, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 and nw 1/4 of se 1/2 sec 26, t 3 s, r 8 1/2 E.

The following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

Stephen D. Coleman, and Stephen O. Mitchell, of Sandy Oregon; John T. McIntire and William Welch, of Salmon, Ore.

C. B. MOORES,

Register.

## "Housework is hard work without Gold Dust"

## WASHING WOOLEN BLANKETS.

The theory now is that blankets must be washed instead of dry-cleaned to be healthy. To have your blankets as soft as new, make a soapy suds in half a tub of warm water by using one-half cup

## Gold Dust Washing Powder

and soak a blanket in it for half an hour; then simply move it around and rub the soiled spots; rinse in warm water of the same temperature as the one in which you wash it; hang up in a warm place or sunbath outdoor air and see what a soft, white blanket you will have.

The above is taken from our free booklet "GOLD DUST FOR HOUSEWORK."

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## Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, March 15, 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in compliance with the provisions of an 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:

JOSEPH E. STAUFFER, of Everett, county of Snohomish, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5101 for the purchase of the lots 1 and 2, E. 1/2 NW 1/4, of section No. 18, in township No. 6 N., range 8 E. 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 Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 9th day of June, 1900. He names as witnesses: Chas. Habscock, J. F. Clark, of Oregon City, Ore.; Isom Vaughan, of Molalla, Ore.; William Nell, of Everett, Wash.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9th day of June, 1900.

CHAS. B. MOORES,

Register.

## Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of George W. Nicholson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them, duly verified according to law within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his residence in Soda Springs, precinct Clackamas county, Oregon.

Dated, Feb. 16, 1900.

MILLIE A. NICHOLSON,

Adm. of the estate of George W. Nicholson, deceased.

## Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to order of the county court of Clackamas county, I will on Saturday April 21, 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the court house, in Oregon City, Oregon, sell at public auction the highest bidder for cash the right, title and interest of Martha A. Doores at the time of her death in and to the following real estate to-wit:

## TRACT 1.

Being a part of the Robert Allen D. L. C. No. 42, in section 9, T. 6 S. R. 1 E. of the Willamette Meridian and situated in the county of Clackamas and state of Oregon, and is more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the north line of said Cl. 42, 20 chains from the S. W. corner of said Cl. 42; thence N. 87 deg. 15 min. E. 5.90 chains; thence N. 35.30 chains and parallel to the west line of said Cl. 42 to the center of the Silverton road; thence S. 40 deg. 31 min. W. 8.93 chains along said road to Myers' land; thence south 32.32 chains to the place of beginning, containing 39 acres.

## TRACT 2.

Being a part of the Robert Allen D. L. C. No. 42, in section 4 and 9, T. 6 S. R. 1 E. Will. Mer., and situated in the county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, and is more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the S. E. corner of said Cl. 42; thence north 25.00 ch., tracing the east line of said Cl. 42; thence west 16.00 ch., and parallel to the south line of said Cl. 42; thence south 25.00 ch. to the south line of said Cl. 42; thence east 16.00 ch. to the place of beginning, containing 40 acres.

## TRACT 3.

Being a part of the Robert Allen D. L. C. No. 42 in sec. 4 and 9, T. 6 S. R. 1 E. Will. Mer., and situated in the county of Clackamas and state of Oregon, and is more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the north line of said Cl. 42, East 14.32 ch. from the S. W. corner thereof; thence East 4.37 ch.; thence S. 40 deg. 9 min. E. 12.40 ch.; thence S. 40 deg. 61 min. W. 3.28 ch.; thence S. 40 deg. 9 min. E. 6.10 ch. to the center of the Silverton road; thence S. 44 deg. 51 min. W. 25.30 ch., thence north 32.25 ch. to the place of beginning, containing 20.4 A.

JOHN W. DOORES,

Executor of the estate of Martha A. Doores.

## Summons.

In the Circuit Court in the State of Oregon for the county of Clackamas.

Edith Melnor, plaintiff, vs. Allen Melnor, defendant.

To Allen Melnor, above named deft.,

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 in the above named court on or before the 20th day of April, A. D. 1900, the same being seven weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, you will take notice that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: That the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and plaintiff be dissolved. This summons is published by order of Alfred F. Sears, Jr., judge of the Fourth judicial district, said state, in the Oregon City Enterprise for six successive weeks, commencing March 9, 1900, and continuing for each week thereafter to and including April 30, 1900.

BROWNELL & CAMPBELL,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

## Liquor Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the city council at its regular meeting in April, 1900, for a license to sell liquors for six months at my saloon in Oregon City, Oregon, on Main and Fourth streets, said license to date from April 7, 1900.

J. N. MILLER.

## Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

Alfred G. Day, plaintiff, vs. Saddle M. Day, defendant.

To Saddle M. Day, the defendant above named: