

LOCAL LORE.

NEWS OF CORVALLIS AND VICINITY TOLD IN BRIEF.

The Comings and Goings of People Social Gossip, Personal Mention and Other Items of Public Interest.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nolan have been in Portland since Sunday.

—The Ladies Afternoon whist club was delightfully entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Charles Lee.

—Mrs. J. E. Andrews has been confined to her home with grippe since last Friday.

—The Turner grocery store now occupies the room lately vacated by the Ingle harness shop. The removal occurred Thursday.

—The orators of the coming graduating class at OAC have been chosen. They are, valedictorian, Clay Darby; salutatorian, Miss Alice Jones.

—Woods Jackson was down town Thursday for the first time in five months. Rheumatism has kept him at home all winter.

—The cross country races at the college are to begin at 2:30 this Saturday afternoon. There will be four of them, one for each class. Gold medals go to the winners. No admission will be charged.

—The Rev. H. D. Chambers will hold services in the Episcopal Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at morning services. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

—Presbyterian Church, Rev. M. S. Bush, Bible School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. subject "Shadows in God's Purposes." C. E. meeting 7:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Illustrated sermon, subject, "Our Fatherland."

—George Plaster has sold his Barber shop in the Hemphill building to Ernest Cole of Harrisburg, and the latter has taken charge. Mr. Plaster will work for a time for Mr. Cole, and after that will seek a location elsewhere.

—Mrs. W. J. Howell left yesterday for Harrisburg to take charge of a confectionery establishment recently acquired by herself and husband in that city. The Farmers Hotel which Mr. and Mrs. Howell have conducted for several years, has been closed.

—The various literary societies are agog with preparation for the annual series of debates for the Gatch prize. Libraries, books and magazines are being rummaged for debating material and the horizon scanned for suitable questions for discussion.

—They tell it at Independence that in Corvallis the other night, 19 drunks were thrown in the city jail. A Corvallis man down there was much surprised to hear about the occurrence. It is wonderful how things will grow. The statement is that there was but one drunk instead of 19 thrown in, and he and his liquor came from Independence.

—"Stories of Old Oregon," George A. Waggoner's new book is meeting with a big sale. An unexpectedly large demand has appeared, and the indications are that it will quickly pass into a second edition. All the tales in the volume are well told and in every instance those who read the book have good words to say of it.

—The pastor of the Presbyterian Church is conducting a class studying "How We Got Our Bible." This is a most interesting and important subject; the class meets Monday evenings at the home of Mrs. P. O. Wilson, and anyone desiring to pursue this study will be welcome. In a short time, the Presbyterian Confession of Faith as formulated in the "Brief Statement of the Reformed Faith" will be studied as prayer meeting subjects for Thursday evenings. These will not be theological discussions, but the giving of the Biblical proofs of this faith.

—George Herbert Root, the famous OAC halfback, is rapidly recovering from a late severe illness. He fell a victim of the grippe epidemic, and ventured out before his cure was complete. The relapse that resulted developed a light attack of pneumonia. The young man's great physique however, baffled the attempts of the disease to get firm hold and the new ailment was thrown off before it was four days old. Mr. Root's father who came down from the farm near Wasco to be with his son, left for home Monday.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Goos, Thursday, a daughter.

—Mrs. Susan Starr returned Wednesday from an extended visit in Portland.

—Mrs. Clara Rickey has arrived from Portland for a visit with relatives.

—Small's bakery is rapidly nearing completion, and it is hoped to have it open to the public by a week from today.

—Miss Agnes Wilson resumed her duties as bookkeeper at E. B. Horning's, Thursday, after a struggle of a few days with la grippe.

—"The Witnesses" is the topic for the morning sermon at the Congregational church to morrow, and the subject for the evening service at 7:30 is, "Why Are Some Business Men Not Christians?"

—Mr. and Mrs. George Noble and Mr. and Mrs. William Frickle, all of Prineville, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Small. The visitors are en route to California.

—Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown moved to Albany this week, where they are hereafter to reside, Mr. Brown having employment with the Pacific States' Telephone Company.

—P. H. Walton departed Thursday for his home on Buck Creek, in Lincoln county, to begin the work of putting in his spring crops.

—Almond trees are in bloom at Grants Pass, the warm weather having brought them out several weeks earlier than usual. Peach trees are also ready to burst into blossom.

—There was a meeting in Albany Thursday evening of the Central Willamette Medical Association. Dr. Cathey, of Corvallis, who is president of the association, drove over to attend. A paper on "Lobar Pneumonia," was presented by Dr. Newth, of Philomath.

—A literary and musical entertainment, occurs in college chapel next Friday night. The numbers will be by students in the elocutionary and musical departments at the college, under direction of Miss Helen Crawford and Mrs. Green. The proceeds go to the Village Improvement Society. Admission, 25 cents.

—A Union county farmer has posted the following notice on his farm: "Hunters, Take Notice: Hunt all you d—n please and when you hear the horn blow come to the house to dinner. If you accidentally kill a cow, skin her and hang the hide in the barn. If the quails are scarce kill a chicken or two and if you can't get any squirrels kill a hog."

—It has been suggested, in view of the prolonged sunshines now prevalent, that the head-weather man misconstrued the local option law which went into effect January 1st. When the people generally voted for a "dry" town or a "dry" community it was not intended that the provisions of the law should effect the rainfall, which in this valley is almost 11 inches short of the average up to this time. Formal notice should at once be given the weather man that he will not be criminally liable if he gives us a few gentle showers along between now and the middle of June.

—N. C. Christensen, of Seatle, Wash., has seen a large spruce tree in Clallam county, which he avers is the most enormous one in the state of Washington. The tree is 30 feet in diameter and it is 100 feet to the first limb. Commissioner Johnson will be urged to have it exhibited at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. It is planned to have a log cut from the tree 100 feet long and placed on exhibition. It will be utterly impossible for the railroads to handle the log, and it is necessary that it be towed here via Puget Sound, the Pacific Ocean, and the Columbia and Willamette rivers. A log was sent to the Chicago exposition in 1893 by the state of Washington, but in comparison with this one, it was a mere pigmy.

To the Public.
The undersigned have purchased the interest of Levi Henkle in the City Dray Company. The terms of the transaction include the good will of the business, Mr. Henkle having retired from the firm. Thanking the public for past patronage and soliciting a continuance of the business of all the old patrons and of such new ones as may see fit to favor us. We are
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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.

Geo. T. Vernon, Plaintiff,
vs.
N. P. State, G. O. Vernon, J. H. Vernon, Thomas State, John State, William State, Edward State, Belle State and Herbert State, Defendants.

To each and all of the above named defendants.
In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby required and to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above cause on or before the 27th day of March, 1905, and if you fail to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief demanded in his complaint to-wit, an order and decree of the said Court, making partition of lots one and two, a Section 2, Township 14, S. E. S. West, Will. Mer. in Benton County, State of Oregon, containing 13 61-100 acres more or less, according to the several interests of the plaintiff and said defendants therein, or in the event that a partition thereof cannot be made without prejudice to the rights of plaintiff and defendants therein that the sale thereof be made by one or more referees, as may be decreed by the Court, and the proceeds derived therefrom after providing the costs of this proceeding among the parties of this cause be paid to the plaintiff and defendants according to their several interests therein as shall be found by said Court.
This summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, County Judge of Benton County, State of Oregon, made on 11th day of February, 1905. The date of the first publication hereof is February 11th, 1905, and the date of last publication will be on March 29th, 1905.
J. S. McFadden,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton.
Geo. E. Chamberlain as Governor of Oregon; F. I. Dunbar, as Secretary of State and Chas. S. Moore as State Treasurer of Oregon, constituting the State Land Board, Plaintiff,
vs.
Rowland Fisher, Ethel E. Schon, Cora E. Ford, Harry Ford, Ida R. Morris, David Morris, Margaret Fisher, L. E. Smith, and E. E. Wilson, administrator with the Will annexed of Jane Elizabeth Fisher, deceased, Defendants.

To Roland Fisher, Ethel E. Schon, Cora E. Ford, Harry Ford, Ida R. Morris, David Morris, Margaret Fisher, L. E. Smith and E. E. Wilson, administrator with the Will annexed of Jane Elizabeth Fisher, deceased.

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above named Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: Feb. 11, 1905, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: the foreclosure of a certain mortgage made and executed by Jane Elizabeth Fisher and Roland Fisher on the 8th day of December, 1900, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of Jane Elizabeth Fisher and Rowland Fisher payable one year after date with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, and which said mortgage conveyed unto the plaintiff the following described real property situated in Benton County, Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 46.60 chs. E. of the S. E. cor. of the N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 20, T. 11 S. R. 5 W. running thence N 90 chs. thence E. to the W line of the D. L. C. of Philip Mulkey, Notification No. 958; Certificate No. 2923 T. 11, S. R. 5 W. thence S to the N E corner of J. Chatham Roberts D. L. C. Nor No 940 T. 11 S. R. 5 W. thence W 47.5 chs thence S 35 degrees, E 8.03 chs thence N 6.50 chs thence W to the place of beginning. Also Lots Nos. 1-2-3-4 and 5 in Sec. 21 and Lot No 10 in Sec 22 all in T. 11 S. R. 5 W. cont. 157.23 acres. Also a strip of land 30 feet wide running along the full length of the W side of a piece of land cont. 17.83 a. des. as fol. Beginning at the N E corner of Claim No 55 in T. 11 S. R. 5 W. thence W 18 chs thence S 9.91 chs thence E 18 chs thence N. 9.91 chs to the place of beginning, all of which pieces of land together containing 279.87 a. Also beginning at a point 37.50 chs E of the S E corner of the N W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of Sec 20 T. 11 S. R. 5 W thence E 9.10 chs; thence N 90 chs; thence W 6.60 chs; thence S 30 chs; thence W 2.50 chs; thence S. 60 chs to the place of beginning, containing 74.40 acres more or less. Excepting from the above described premises to-wit: Beginning at a point 30 links E of the S W corner of Lot 10 in Section 21, T. 11 S. R. 5 W thence N 4.09 chs thence S 75 degrees E 10.23 chs; thence S 24 degrees E 1.48 chs; thence W 10.55 chs to the place of beginning, containing 2.82 acres more or less.

And a further decree barring and foreclosing you, all of said defendants, from all right, title or interest in or to said real property and from every part thereof.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, Judge of the County Court of the state of Oregon for Benton County, made at Chambers at Corvallis, Oregon, February 10, 1905. The date of the first publication of this summons is February 11, 1905, and the date of the last publication thereof is March 25th, 1905.

J. F. YATES,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice for Publication.
Timber Land, Act June 1878,
United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon,
Nov 9, 1904.

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 Washington Territory" as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Charles G. Huff of Corvallis, county of Benton, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6519, for the purchase of S. W. 1/4 of Section 32, Township No. 32 N. Range No. 6 West W. 1/4, 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 Victor P. Moses, County Clerk, Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 18th day of Feb. 1905.

He names as witnesses:
Lawrence Stovall of Philomath, Oregon.
George Stovall " "
Oleab A. Davis " "
Zebadiah R. Davis of Corvallis, " "
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 18th day of February, 1905.
Algernon S. Dresser,
Register.

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SUMMONS.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Benton.
George E. Chamberlain as governor of Oregon, F. I. Dunbar as secretary of state, and Charles S. Moore as state treasurer of Oregon, constituting the state land board, plaintiff, vs. George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat, Agnes Donat and George A. Houck, defendants.

To George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat, Agnes Donat and George A. Houck, 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 the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, within six weeks from the 11th day of February, 1905, the date of the first publication of this summons, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: the foreclosure of a certain mortgage made and executed by George Schafer, Anna Schafer, Edward Donat and Agnes Donat to plaintiff on the 12th day of October, 1903, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of said defendants for \$2,000, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date, and which said mortgage conveyed unto plaintiff the following described real property, situated in Benton county, Oregon, to-wit:

The east half of the southeast quarter of section 5; the west half of the southwest quarter, the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the south half of the northwest quarter of section 6, all in township 15 south, range 5 west, also beginning at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 5, and running 15 south, range 5 west, and thence west 15.25 chains, thence north 15.25 chains, thence east 15.25 chains, thence south 15.25 chains to the place of beginning; and a further decree barring and foreclosing you, the said defendants, from all right, title and interest in or to said real property and every part thereof.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, judge at chambers in Corvallis, Oregon, February 10, 1905. The date of the first publication of this summons is February 11, 1905, and the last publication thereof March 25, 1905.
J. F. YATES,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton.

L. E. Smith, Plaintiff,
vs.
Rowland Fisher, Defendant.

To Rowland Fisher, the defendant:
In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and notified to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court now on file with the clerk of said court on or before the 11th day of March, 1905, said day being the day of the time prescribed in the order of publication of this summons made by the County Judge of Benton County, Oregon, and if you fail to appear and answer as herein required, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$35.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 10th day of November, 1901, until paid, and for \$30.00 attorney fee, and for the further sum of \$80.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from the first day of February, 1904, until paid, and for \$100.00 attorney fee, besides his costs and disbursements herein and for the sale of your, courtesy interest in the real property of Jane Fisher, deceased, situated in Benton county, Oregon, to satisfy said judgment, the same having been attached in this action under a writ of attachment duly issued herein to the Sheriff of said County.

This summons is published in the Corvallis Times once a week for six consecutive weeks, commencing with the issue of February 11th, 1905, and ending with the issue of March 25, 1905, in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, County Judge of Benton county, Oregon, at Chambers, dated the 10th day of February, 1905. Date of first publication is February 11, 1905.
E. R. BRYSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Final Settlement

In the Matter of the Estate of
James Watkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of James Watkins, deceased, has filed her final account as such administratrix with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county, and the said court has fixed, Saturday the 11th day of March, 1905, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon as the time, and the county court room in the county court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place, for hearing any and all objections to said account, and the settlement thereof. Dated this February 11, 1905.
Marinda E. Watkins,
Administratrix of the estate of James Watkins deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with the proper vouchers, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at her residence or at the law office of E. B. Wilson, in Corvallis, Oregon.
Mary Hiler,
Administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.

Dated this February 11, 1905.
Administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.