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J. L. MEEK, Oregon's First U. S. Marshal.



At Champe, May 2, 1843. "Who's for a divide? All for the report of the committee and organization, follow me," said Jos. Meek. The division was 52 for America and 50 for Great Britain and Oregon was saved to the United States. "Three cheers for our side!" said Meek.

Opposed to Gold Mono-metallism. Believes in the Bimetallic Standard. Dear Money means Debased Property, and Profitless American Product. Our Consequent loss is our Creditors' Gain. Has no use for Marcus A. Hanna. SIMPLE MATTER OF BUSINESS. All Washington county is naturally interested in the growth of Portland, for that city is our market.

Mary Smith about 1852, and with the exception of a few years in California gold mines, has made Oregon his home for sixty years. He leaves a wife and eight children. Mrs. Malinda Thompson, of Goldendale, Wash., Mrs. Sara Crow, of Forest Grove; Clayborn Williams, of Greenville; Mrs. Rosa Purdin, of San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. Bertha Rymal, Miss Grace, James and Fred Williams, of Houlton.

Artisan Hall Assn to Echo Assembly No 148 United Artisans 1 a at Schools. A H Mack and wife to E A Eddy 1 1/2 a Tualatin. J A Barnes to J D Wirth tract of land at Bridgeport. C A Bills to M E Hotchkiss pt sec 4 1 2 n r 3 w.

STRICKLAND-McELDOWNEY. Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Amity, Ore., May 1, 1901, Dr. M. C. Strickland, of Oregon City, and Miss Mary Helen McEldowney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McEldowney, Rev. R. A. Atkins, of Oregon City officiating.

German syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures coughs, colds and all lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition.

JUST A TRIPLE, DON'T KICK. For the last year or two the Pacific coast has been the hotbed of small-pox, in rather a mild form, to be sure, but sometimes fatal. When the pesky little germ gets acclimated—for he comes from the Philippines—he will wax fat and feed on corpules with a vengeance. Here we have one of the attractions expansion. The next thing we shall have as a result of benevolent assimilation will be the leprosy—and then we shall be strictly in it.

PROBATE. Estate Silas Beatty, deceased. Administrator authorized and directed to sell real estate at private sale, advertising by posting notices. Estate Anna C. Hatch, deceased. Semi-annual account filed and approved. Estate Margaret Grubbs, deceased. Inventory and appraisal filed and approved at \$500. Partnership estate S. H. Humphreys, deceased. Final settlement will be heard June 3. Estate of S. H. Humphreys, deceased. Final account filed and settlement set for June 3.

Notice to the Public. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has in no way been responsible for debts contracted by Gustav Hickett, his son, either myself nor my property will be liable. MRS. ROSALIE HICKETHIER, Dated at Laurel, Oregon, April 23, 1901. Two Farm Homes For Sale. For Sale—299 acres of land near the town of Cornelius, Ore. Said land is all in one body; has two fair dwelling houses, with barns, out-houses and orchards, etc.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, April 23, 1901. A subject contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Samson G. Lane, contestant, against homestead entry No. 10236, made February 18, 1896, for N. W. 1/4 of section 22, township 1 N., range 3 W. by Jacob Koeniger, contestee, in which it is alleged that contestant knows the present condition of the same, also that said entryman has wholly abandoned said claim and that he never resided upon his said claim since making entry or at all nor has he in any way made any improvements nor has he cultivated the said claim in any manner since making entry or at all nor has any one acting for him, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the U. S. as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the U. S. may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 13, 1901, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office, in Oregon City, Oregon.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by virtue of an order of sale of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, made and entered on the 24th day of April, 1901, in the matter of the estate of Mattie R. Campbell, deceased, authorizing and directing us to sell the real property hereinafter described at private sale, now thereon, pursuant to said order, I will, on and after Monday, the 27th day of May, 1901, offer for sale and proceed to sell, at private sale for cash in hand, all of the following described property, to-wit:

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account in the matter of the estate of Anders Dahlberg, deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, and said court has set Monday, May 27th, at 10 a. m., as the time and the County Court room, in Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place of hearing objections to said final account and for the final settlement of said estate.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Washington been appointed administrator of the estate of Anna C. Gore, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. Now therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required and requested to present the same to me at the office of the County Clerk in Hillsboro, Oregon, properly verified, within six months from date.

SHERIFF'S SALE

IN PURSUANCE OF AN EXECUTION duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Yamhill, on the 8th day of April, 1901, upon a judgment rendered in said Court on the 18th day of April, 1898, in the suit of O. O. Howard, plaintiff, vs. R. A. Finney, R. S. Frame, A. W. Stowell and E. B. Stowell, defendants, I will expose for sale and sell as the law directs at the court house door of Washington County, in the city of Hillsboro, Oregon, on Monday, the 13th day of May, 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., the real property situated in the County of Washington, State of Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit: Lot Three (3) in Fruit Dale, containing five acres, according to the record plat of said Fruit Dale.

Hillsboro House, Cor. 2d & Wash'g. J. Northrop, Proprietor. Newly Furnished and Renovated. A first-class table and all accommodations for the convenience of guests.

Notice to Poultry Owners. Notice is hereby given that the chicken ordinance is now in effect, and all who have chickens are required to keep them up. W. T. ATKINSON, Sheriff. Dated at Hillsboro, April 14, 1901.

PULLMAN ORDINARY SLEEPERS. The tourist travel between the East and the Pacific Coast has reached enormous proportions in the last few years, and calls for a special class of equipment. To meet this demand the Pullman Company has issued from its shops what is technically called the "Pullman Ordinary Sleeper." These cars appear similar to the regular sleeper, being built on the same plan, but not furnished with the same elegance. They are equipped with mattresses, blankets, sheets, pillows, pillow-cases, towels, combs, brushes, etc., requiring nothing of the kind to be furnished by the passenger.

Children are Important. Customers in our estimation. When they are sent to us on a trading errand, we always remember that they are not discriminating buyers, and we take special pains to see that they get what both you and they want.

Delta Drug Store Main St., Hillsboro. The Commencer is \$1 per year. ARGUS and Commencer, \$1.75. Notice to Taxpayers. Notice is hereby given that the tax roll for the assessment of 1901 is now in my hands for collection, and that money is now being received on same.

When You Begin Spring House Cleaning. You will be sure to need something to exterminate roaches, fleas and other insects. We are in a position to supply this need in a manner that is satisfactory.

Our Instantaneous Bug-Killer. Is an absolutely certain exterminator of roaches, bed-bugs and all other insects. It kills instantly the insect, their young and eggs. Non-poisonous to human kind, does not stain or soil and it can be used on carpets and clothing to prevent moth. Cheap, Clean and Effective.

The Hillsboro Pharmacy

ATTENTION, LADIES!!

H. WEHRUNG & SONS HILLSBORO, OREGON. We have taken the agency of the famous Drew, Selby & Co. Ladies' shoes and can fit any foot. Prices: \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Come in and see them.

Finest Strains of Poultry in the County

Setting of 13 costs—Single Comb Broom Leghorn, Black Minorca, Buff Leghorn, \$1.00; Barred Plymouth Rock, White Faced Black Spanish, Silver Spangled Hamburg, Buff Plymouth Rock, Buff Cochins, Golden Wyandotte, \$1.00. An now ready to book orders for eggs. In my flock are prize winners. Leave orders for eggs at John M. Brown's grocery, Hillsboro, or call at yard 2 miles southwest of city. Mail orders addressed to Hillsboro will receive immediate attention.

A. G. Anderson, Hillsboro, Ore.

THE PERCHERON STALLION OREGON

Will make the season of 1901 in Washington County as follows, to-wit: Wednesdays, at Johnson & Son's barn, Forest Grove; Thursdays, Cap. Blanchard's, Lewisville; Fridays, Peter Nelson's, West Union; Saturdays, Hillsboro; Sunday and Monday, home of owner, Farmington. Oregon is a fine Black Percheron Stallion, good action and good disposition. His reputation is firmly established in Washington County.

LOVELACE!

The Electioneer-Geo. Wilkes Stallion. Will make the season of 1901 at the Fair Grounds, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, upon the following terms: Season, with privilege of return, \$25.00. Insurance, \$35.00. Lovelace is a dark bay, with one white hind foot, over 16 hands high, will weigh upwards of 1200 pounds. First dam—Crepon, dam of Lovelace, 2:20; Dorsey L, 2:20 1/2; Petsy Britton, 2:20 1/2; Goldoc, 2:20 1/2; Duchess, 2:27 1/2; Brilliant, 2:29 1/2; Chontilly, trial, 2:19 1/2; Klondike, trial 2:18; Grand dam of Chantilly, 2:13 1/2, and Cascade, 2:14 1/2, by Principes.

O. R. & N. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC

To the EAST. The O. R. & N. Co. Gives the Choice of Three Trains DAILY. The O. R. & N. Co., in connection with the Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific, offers the finest service and fastest time to Salt Lake, Denver, Kansas City; Omaha, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago, and all points east. Three trains daily from Portland, with choice of many different routes. Palace and tourist sleepers, library, dining and chair cars on all trains.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by virtue of an order of sale made and entered by the county court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, on the 8th day of April, 1901, authorizing and directing the sale of the real estate hereinafter described, I will, on and after the 6th day of May, 1901, offer for sale, and will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the time of sale, or part cash and time on deferred pay-

Grand Clearance Sale! We are having a Grand Clearance Sale of our stock for the Next Thirty Days. Great Bargains in every department...

Shoes! Shoes! Do you want Clothing Cheap? Then come and see us. Suits going at a great sacrifice. We must make room for our new stock. We mean business. We want to make shelf room for our new stock now on the road. Call and get bargains on Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Lace, Ribbons, and, in fact, Everything. We have laid in a Splendid Line of Hardware which will be sold at Living price. If you want Farm Machinery, see us before buying. SCHULMERICH BROS., Second and Main Sts., Hillsboro, Oregon.

DEATH OF ASA WILLIAMS. Mr. Asa Williams, an Oregon pioneer of 1841, aged 74 years, died at Houlton, Oregon, Friday, April 19, 1901. Mr. Williams was born in Kentucky, and came to Oregon at the age of 14; he married Miss