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WHY MR. FULTON?

For a good many years Hon. Chas. Fulton has been connected with the State Senate. Aside from that legislation which was of class nature, such as fishing laws, and which looked toward votes for political furtherance in his own county, what has he done? Where is any constructive legislation of which he is the author which had for its basis a proposed benefit at large to the tax payers of Oregon? Will some one please rise and state it? As a matter of fact this is not a democratic fight, and the Argus knows that Mr. Fulton has many supporters among Washington county republicans. But one is constrained, nevertheless, to consider the fitness of public officials. If it had not been that Fulton was connected with politics of the peanut nature he would have long since had a political death from his inane service. His statesmanship is not of the constructive order. He simply has been for the best interests of Fulton. He is the author of no law that had for its ultimate the public weal. He can be best designated as a precinct statesman, and that precinct the fishing grounds of the lower Columbia. He has never known solid ground on great public questions. On the money question he was first a silverite, and then next what the "party" said he should be. Even had Mr. Fulton constructive qualities, this zeal to be with his party on this great question would nominate him as an opportunist. He staid with his party, against his own public utterances—because he hoped the "party" would some day send him to Washington. Will Oregon do herself credit to send such a man to the senate? Does Oregon desire an opportunist there? Then send Fulton! But if the state desires a man who is a constructive statesman; one who is not afraid of the voice of the people as Mr. Fulton was last spring, when he objected to his name going on the republican ballot as senatorial candidate; let it leave Mr. Fulton at home. Oregon is entitled to a senator who can conceive something—not a mere party follower. And, furthermore, it should have a man at Washington who is not likely to switch on great public questions. Moreover, a politician who is afraid of the Mays' law isn't entitled to public consideration.

CLASSES AND CLASSES.

A country newspaper is generally looked upon as a poor disseminator of thought, and a poor mentor in political affairs. Oftimes this is true in the main. But today it behoves the country newspaper to take up economic questions as never before. It lays at the door of the country newspaper to make public the fact that, as much as we deplore the situation, there are classes and class legislation. Whenever you hear a would-be sage telling someone that "class should not be arrayed against class," you may depend that he is either ignorant of the question, or prejudiced against the people in the lower walks of life—the farmer, the laborer, the artisan, and his fellows. Who is there, as a matter of fact, not recognizing the fact that financial trusts of the country—the trusts of coal, manufacturing, banks, etc.—are not dictating the National laws? Who? None save the man who does not study, or those who are interested in the trusts, or those whose political welfare, as a personal matter, seems to hinge upon the welfare of the trust party! The big corporations assume that they are the Nation—and, so far as legislation goes, are they not? They are already in control of nine-tenths of the republican daily press, and all of the big

alleged democratic press save the Hearst papers—and who disputes this? It has become a matter of class. It is the trusts and the trust principle against all other classes. The parting of the ways must come before long. The Nation cannot stand for trust pilfering much longer. It is rapidly becoming purely a class question, and farmers cannot always remain blind to so patent a fact. For this reason country newspapers must go into these questions, and discuss them, if even feebly.

Since the president is so eager to give the people of the South negro postmasters; and since that he is supported by our Northern party press in this, the wonder that he doesn't give the North a taste of this business, continues to intrude into the editorial cocoa-nut. Just for instance, how would the editor of the New Age, the "Afro-American organ of Portland's Darktown, look as Portland's stamp seller. And just think what a feature he would have been during the Lewis & Clark Fair, advertised as a descendant of York. Mrs. Dye's Ethiopian of Lewis & Clark fame

Real Estate Transfers.

- Gustave Hanke to G Fischbach, 9-17 acres near Sherwood, \$ 350
Wm McGowan to Edward Boge, 2-9/10 acres near Farmington, 150
S C Hess to Wm Scott, 8 acres near Sherwood, 150
Godfrey Ehnman to Niels Iversen, 240 acres Sec 12 T 2 N 3 W, 1,600
J N Robb to L F & J F Carstens, 120 acres above Greenville, 700
Belle Walker to H C Atwell, tract in Forest Grove, 100
Wilbur Sikes to H C Atwell, same as above description, 75
Elizabeth E & H L Locke to A G Stuart, residence Baseline & 7th, 763
Fidelis Tupper to H L Russell tract near Gaston, 800
L F Carstens to W H Logsdon, tract Sec 15 T 2 R 3 W, 1,000
W N Hayman E J Hill, 19 acres near Mountaineer, 500
Samuel Scmidt to John Schmidt, 30 acres Sec 14 T 2 R 3 W, 350
D B Lusby to David Hiltz, 60 a in Wm Wilson Donation, 2,500
S Zimmerman to Christian Kempfer tract Finney, Ad Hillsboro, 578
Andrew C Paulsen to Otto Hendricksen, 80 a Sec 6 T 1 N 2 W, 450
A E Haker to C H & S E VanKleeck 40 a Sec 33 T 1 S 1 W, 1,400
Chas Hildyard to Mahlon Bloodgood 6 1/2 a near Gaston, 2,250
Tos Tucker to W O Moe, lot on Main st opposite Cong Church, 835
Wm Watrous to Miles Watrous, Lot 19 Blk 11 Highland ad Hbo, 100
Laura Baker to S Jenne, 69 1/2 a in Lemuel Sparks Donation, 3,500
O L Done to John W Price, 15 a Sec 25 T 1 N 3 W, 700
S B Huston to M A Lamkin, Lot 2 Thorne's addition Hillsboro, 600
Lymax Wilcox to A B Hammond etal 16 1/2 a Sec 18 T 1 S 1 W, 600

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

W. V. Wiley and John Dennis, Plaintiffs vs. Elizabeth Swift, et al. Plaintiffs. Judgment for plaintiffs.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY. Judgment for plaintiffs.

Being a part of the Donation Land Claim of Joseph Tupper and wife, in Township One South, Range Four West of the Willamette Meridian, and particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point on the West line of section 4, Town One South, Range Four West of the Willamette Meridian, 11.86 chains South of the Northwest corner of said Section 14, and running thence South on said Section line 15.25 chains to the North line of the land of Mary Locke; thence East along the North line of said Mary Locke's land 17.99 chains to post; thence North 15.25 chains more or less to the South line of the land of Hugh Brannan; thence West 17.46 chains more or less to the place of beginning, containing 25.37 acres more or less; owned in common by plaintiff and defendants, to be sold by a referee appointed by the Court; and that the proceeds of such sale of said real property be applied first, to the payment of the costs and disbursements of this suit and of sale and reasonable attorney fees; and the balance of said proceeds of such sale be partitioned between the plaintiff and defendant as their interest may appear by said decree, and for such other and further order as may be necessary and proper in the premises.

This summons is served against you by publication by order of the Honorable L. A. Road, County Judge of Washington County, Oregon, made and dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 28th day of January, 1903, and which order prescribes that this summons be published in the Hillsboro Argus once a week for six consecutive and successive weeks beginning with the issue of said newspaper dated January 29, 1903, and ending with the issue thereof dated March 19, 1903, and that you appear and answer on or before the expiration of six weeks from the first publication thereof on or before March 19th, 1903.

GEO. R. BAGLEY, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of sale made and entered in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah, in the matter of the estate of J. W. Nickum, deceased, on the 30th day of December, 1902, the undersigned will, on and after the 15th day of March, 1903, at No. 321 Morrison Street, Portland, Oregon, sell at private sale all the real property belonging to said estate, to-wit: Beginning at a point 3.07 chains west of the corner of sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 in T 1 N 3 R 1 W of Will. Mer., thence south 27 1/4 chains to the north line of the James Filippin claim; thence west on the Filippin claim line 13.81 chains to the northwest corner of said claim; thence south 1.96 chains to the corner of the Nickum claim; thence west on the Nickum claim line 1 chain to the southwest corner thereof; thence north to the west line of the Nickum claim 49.72 chains to the southwest corner of the Filippin 40-acre tract; thence east 17.20 chains to a point 3.07 chains west of line between sections 21 and 22, thence south 4.86 chains to the place of beginning containing 80 acres exclusive of the road, all in the J. L. Nickum D. L. C. in sections 21 and 28 in T 1 N 3 R 1 W of Will. Mer., in the County of Oregon.

Also beginning at the southwest corner of Section 22 in T 1 N 3 R 1 W of Will. Mer.; thence north 196 feet; thence east 1088 feet; thence south 1968 feet; thence west 1088 feet to the place of beginning, containing 20 acres, in Multnomah County, Oregon, for cash, subject to confirmation by the above entitled Court.

Dated this 13th day of January, 1903. W. M. G. BECK, Executor of the Estate of J. W. Nickum, deceased.

W. S. Huffard, Attorney for Estate. First publication, January 22, 1903; last publication, February 26, 1903.

SEALED PROPOSALS ASKED.

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Commissioners, at their court room, March 4, 1903, up to 2:00 o'clock p. m., for furnishing board for all Washington county prisoners in the county jail, for the period of one year from the time of entering into contract. The successful bidder must enter into bonds in the sum of \$200 for faithful performance of contract.

By order of Commissioners' Court. Dated at Hillsboro, Ore., Jan. 14, 1903

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Antonie A. U. Seidler, deceased, has filed his final account as such executor in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon. Said court has appointed February 23, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., as the time for hearing said account.

By order of the Court, JAMES H. WOOD, County Judge.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of G. Anderson, deceased, has filed his final account as such executor of said estate, and the 20th day of February, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said Court as the time for hearing of objections to said report, and the settlement thereof.

By order of the Court, JAMES H. WOOD, County Judge.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, been duly appointed and qualified Executor of the last will and testament of T. G. Sewell, deceased. Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, with proper vouchers at the law office of John M. Wall, in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this January 1, 1903.

SUMMONS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

J. P. Tausiue, Plaintiff, vs. Jennie Annans, Defendant. Judgment for plaintiff.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY. Judgment for plaintiff.

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Hoyt's Racket Store. Opposite Tualatin Hotel, Hillsboro, Or. SHERIFF'S SALE. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, in favor of Leo Friede and against Michael C. Lyons et al for the sum of \$27.75 costs, and for the further sum of \$101.54 U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 15th day of February, 1902, and the sum of \$25.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 23rd day of November, 1902, and for the further sum of \$27.75, cost and expense of sale and of said writ: Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday, the 2nd day of February, 1903, at the south door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit: The east 1/2 of the N E 1/4 of the East 1/2 of Sec 24, the N 1/2 of the N E 1/4 of the N E 1/4 of Sec 24, the N 1/2 of the N E 1/4 of Sec 35, all in Township 2 North, Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian, situated in Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale. Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon. Witness my hand hereto set this 31st day of December, 1902. J. W. SEWELL, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. Cotton, Teal & Minor, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order made and entered by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, dated the 5th day of January, 1903, authorizing the sale of the real estate hereinafter described. Now, therefore, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Rachel E. Graham, deceased, will, on Saturday, the 31st day of January, 1903, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, at Hillsboro, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being part of the south 1/2 of the south 1/2 of section twenty (20) in Township two (2) north of Range three (3) west of the Will. Mer., and beginning at a point 10.40 chains north of the quarter section corner between sections 20 and 29, running thence west 0.60 chs; thence north 0.60 chs; thence west 5.91 chs; thence south 10 chs; thence east 10.20 chs; thence north 9.40 chs; thence west 3.75 chs to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land, be the same more or less, as prayed for in the petition of the administrator hereto filed. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 6th day of January, 1903. JOHN M. WALL, Administrator of the Estate of Rachel E. Graham, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON. In the matter of the Estate of Annette E. Thoms, dec'd. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the above entitled Court, her final report and account as administrator of the estate of Annette Frances Thoms, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the above entitled Court, duly appointed and is the duly qualified and acting administrator of the estate of Bertha Smith Boos, who was at time of her death the wife of said E. J. Boos.

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