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Porto Rico is anxious to get into the band wagon.

A Kansas man who had his leg cut off by the cars, walked home four miles on the stump. The leg was wood.

Spain is in much the same condition as the man who caught the bear. She wants some one to help her let go.

General Miles will soon be so far away from the war board, that he will be able to transact business on the Dewey plan.

It took Spain fifty years to build up her navy, but it only took Dewey and Schley four hours to pound it out of existence.

Some of the American admirals are discouraged because there does not appear to be Spanish fleets enough to go around.

The "bloody chasm" between the dude and the cowboy has now been closed. They fought side by side at Santiago.

The report that General Garcia has declined to play any more in our back yard, is declared by his friends to be a campaign lie.

San Francisco appears to be a more unhealthy place for soldiers than either Manila or Cuba. No wonder the troops located there are anxious to get away.

If Germany wants a block of Spanish territory let her file her request with the proper department at Washington. The United States will not want it all.

If Blanco don't like Toral's way of defending Cuba, why don't he go up against General Shafter himself. The road is open and there are no strings on him.

The Roseburg Review and the Capital Journal may as well let up about the annexation of Hawaii and get ready to fight against the annexation of Cuba and Porto Rico.

A Seattle man who has been up on the Yukon river to mine, writes back to a friend: "Offer a premium at the next state fair for the biggest fool in the country and I'll try and be there in time."

It looks now as if the whole Spanish army in Cuba was coming in to surrender under the pretext that they were included in the surrender at Santiago. They want a square meal and a chance to go home.

It is now said that the output of the Klondike mines will not exceed $10,000,000 for the season. Well, that amount is not to be sneezed at. We have seen the time when we would have been glad to get that amount of ready money.

A pretty good idea of the kind of government the insurgents would maintain in Cuba can be formed from their propensity to burn, kill and pillage. They have no conception of civilized warfare, or a free government.

The Roseburg Review and Capital Journal are about the only populist papers in the state whose editors yet declare against the annexation policy of the present administration. A few democratic papers also hold out against the policy, but they will come around in time.

The men who are pushing to success the Oregon Industrial Exposition are enterprising and unselfish. They are working hard to bring together a creditable collection of the products of the great Northwest, and their labor of love is intended for the benefit of all and will result in great good to a great number.

While they are casting about for United States senatorial timber, what is the matter with Hon. Binger Herman? No man was ever more active than he while in the lower house, and no man is capable of doing more than he, were he in the upper house of congress. Of course there are other men; but the name of Mr. Hermann comes most forcibly to us.—Valley Transcript, McMinnville.

Thousands Celebrate

With thankfulness their restoration to health by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Think of the vast army who have been cured by this medicine—

Men, women and children, who have suffered the consequences of impure blood, who have been the victims of scrofula sores, eruptions, dyspepsia, nervousness, sleeplessness.

They have tried other medicines and have failed to obtain relief. They tried Hood's Sarsaparilla and it did them good. They persevered in its use and it accomplished permanent cures. Do you wonder that they praise it and recommend it to you?

Statement of Account.

Washington, D. C., July 27, 1898.

M SPAIN,

In Account With **The United States.**

NAVAL ACCOUNT.

Spanish Ships Destroyed by American Navy:	American Ships Destroyed by the Spaniards.
DESTROYED AT MANILA.	AT HAVANA HARBOR.
Reina Cristina.	Battleship Maine, blown up by TREACHERY.
Castilla.	
Don Antonio de Ulloa.	
Isle de Luzon.	
Isle de Cuba.	
General Lezo.	
Marques del Duerro.	
El Cano.	
Velasco.	
Isle de Mindanao.	
One other boat not named.	
Cruisers and gunboats.	
DESTROYED AT SANTIAGO.	
Viscaya.	
Cristobal Colon.	
Oquendo.	
Maria Teresa.	
Reina Mercedes.	
Armored cruisers.	
Furor.	
Pluton.	
Torpedo boats	
DESTROYED AT HAVANA.	
Alphonso XII, Cruiser.	

NOTE.—Spain has called for an inspection of our books. The above shows one page of the account.

INVASION OF PORTO RICO.

Most Delightful Spot Yet Occupied By Our Troops.

PORT OF GUANICA, Island of Porto Rico, July 25, 2 P. M., via St. Thomas, July 26, morning.—The United States military expedition, under the command of Major General Miles, commanding the army of the United States, which left Guantanamo bay during the evening of Thursday last, July 21, was landed here successfully today, after a skirmish between a detachment of the Spanish troops and a crew of 30 belonging to the launch of the auxiliary gunboat Gloucester.

Forty Spaniards were killed and no Americans were hurt. The troops were pushed forward promptly in order to capture the railroad leading to Ponce, which is only about 10 miles east of this place. From Ponce there is an excellent military road running 80 miles north to San Juan. The whole of General Brooke's force, with the New Orleans, Annapolis, Cincinnati, Leydon and Wasp are expected here within 24 hours.

The ships left Guantanamo bay on Thursday evening with the Massachusetts, commanded by Captain F. J. Higginson, leading. Captain Higginson was in charge of the expedition, which consisted of the Columbia, Dixie, Gloucester and Vale.

General Miles was on the last-named vessel. The troops were on board the transports Neuces, Lampassas, Comanche, Rita, Unionist, Stillwater, City of Macon and Specialist. This was the order in which the transports entered the harbor here.

The voyage from Guantanamo bay to this port was uneventful. At noon yesterday General Miles called for a consultation, announcing that he was determined not to go by San Juan cape, but by the Mona passage, instead of landing here, and thus surprise the Spaniards and deceive their military authorities. The course was then changed, and the Dixie was sent to warn General Brooke at Cape Juan. Port Guanica has been fully described by Lieutenant Whitney, of General Miles' staff, who recently made an adventurous tour of Porto Rico.

Ponce, which is situated 10 or 15 miles from this port, is to the eastward and a harder place to take. In addition the water at Ponce is too shallow for the transports to be able to get close inshore. Then, again, Ponce itself is some little distance from where the troops would have been able to land if that point had been selected for the debarkation of the expedition.

One advantage of this place is that it is situated close to the railroad connecting with Ponce, which means of transportation our troops hope to secure today.

Early this morning the Gloucester, in charge of Lieutenant-Commander Wainwright, steamed into Guanica harbor in order to reconnoiter the place. With the fleet waiting outside, the gallant little fighting yacht braved the mines which were supposed to be in the harbor, and found that there were five fathoms of water close in shore.

Guanica is a place surrounded by cultivated lands. In the rear are high mountains, and on the beach nestles a village of about 20 houses. The Spaniards were completely taken by surprise. Almost the first they knew of the approach of the army of invasion was in the announcement contained in the firing of a gun from the Gloucester, demanding that the Spaniards haul down their flag, which was floating from a flagstaff in front of a blockhouse standing to the east of the village.

The first couple of three-pounders were fired into the hills right and left of the bay, purposely avoiding the town, lest the projectiles hurt women or children. The Gloucester then hove to within about 600 yards of the shore and lowered a launch, having on board a colt rapid-fire gun and 30 men under Lieutenant Huese, who was sent ashore without encountering opposition.

Quarter-master Beck thereupon told Yeoman Lacey to haul down the Spanish flag, which was done, and they then raised on the flagstaff the first United States flag to float over Porto Rican soil.

Suddenly about 30 Spaniards opened fire with Mauser rifles on the American party. Lieutenant Huese and his men responded with great gallantry, the colt gun doing great work. Norman, who received Cervera's surrender, and Wood, of the volunteers, shared the honors with Lieutenant Huese. Almost immediately after the Americans were fired on the Gloucester opened fire on the enemy with all her three and six-pounders which could be brought to bear, shelling the town, and also dropping shells into the hills to the west of Guanica, where a number of Spanish cavalry were to be seen hastening toward the spot where the Americans had landed.

Lieutenant Heuse then threw up a little fort, which he named Fort Wainwright, and laid barbed-wire in the street in front of it in order to repel the expected cavalry attack. The lieutenant also mounted the Colt gun and signaled for reinforcements, which were sent from the Gloucester. The Associated Press dispatch-boat Cynthia II was the only boat in the harbor except the Gloucester.

While the Mauser were peppering all around, Lieutenant-Commander Wainwright [illegible] to the Associated Press correspondent and said:

"They fired on us after their flag was down and ours was up, and after I had spared the town for the sake of the women and children. The next town I strike I will blow up."

Presently a few of the Spanish cavalry joined those who were fighting in the streets of Guanica, but the Colt barked to a purpose, killing four of them. By that time the Gloucester had the range of the town and the blockhouse and her guns were spitting fire, and the doctor and paymaster helping to serve the guns.

Soon afterward white-coated galloping cavalrymen were seen climbing the hills to the westward, and the foot soldiers were scurrying along the fences of the road from the town.

By 9:45 a. m., with the exception of a few guerrilla shots, the town was won and the enemy was driven out of its neighborhood.

The Red Cross nurses on the Lampasses and the detachment of regulars was the first to land from the transports.

After Lieutenant Huese had captured the place, he deployed his small force into the suburbs. But he was soon reinforced by the regulars, who were followed by company G, of the Sixth Illinois, and then by other troops in quick succession. All of the boats of the men-of-war transports were used in the work of landing the troops, each steam launch towing four or five loaded boats. Every thing progressed in an orderly manner, and according to the plans of General Miles. The latter went ashore after stopping to board the Gloucester and thank Lieutenant-Commander Wainwright for his gallant action.

Looking Glass News.

Every one is harvesting in full blast here.

Prof. Mook was seen in our valley last week.

Mrs. Cochran of Roseburg is visiting here this week.

Prof. Danis of Drain was doing business here this week.

A. L. Mosher of Winston was looking after business here this week.

Two or three steam threshing machines will start up in a few days.

Frank Goodman returned home from Coos county, with a fine band of hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Younger of Roseburg were visiting friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stockle of West Roseburg were looking after business matters here one day this week.

Mr. R. A. Fellows and family, who left here for California a few days ago, had a narrow escape from death. On reaching the narrow grade near Canyonville the team was made to back a little so that another team could pass on the grade, but the team backed too much and upset the wagon, throwing family and all down the bank 20 feet, the wagon falling on them, and one of the horses on the wagon, but on account of the brush which partially held the wagon up, no one was seriously hurt, but badly frightened. Their friends here are sorry to hear of their mishap. X.

BRIEF MENTION.

Caro Bros. are the boss merchants.

For a good 5-cent cigar call on Mrs. N. Boyd.

County claims and warrants bought by D. S. West.

For first-class dentistry go to Dr. Little of Oakland.

Rugs in infinite variety at Alexander & Strong's.

Macaroni in one pound cartoons at Zigler's grocery.

Mrs. W. L. Cheshire is visiting relatives at Scottsburg.

Key West, imported and domestic cigars at the Roseleaf.

Ride a Crescent bicycle. The easy-running, durable kind.

Trine Peters, a son of Capt. Peters is the deputy postmaster at Oakland.

Camp equipment, stoves, dutch ovens, tents, etc., at Churchill & Woolley's.

Mrs. D. W. Stephens has gone to Denver Colorado for a month's visit.

10,000 men wanted at the Boss Store to select great bargains before it is too late.

All our goods are new and of the latest styles. No shopworn goods on hand at the Boss Store.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a lawn social at the residence of G. W. Kruse this evening.

Judge J. W. Hamilton and District Attorney Geo. M. Brown are attending court in Lincoln county.

Mrs. Robert Booth went to Roseburg last Friday to visit relatives in that section.—Grants Pass Observer.

George Estes has bought a residence in Grants Pass which would indicate that he is to remain there permanently.

Mrs. Jennie Stanton, of Roseburg is in the city on an official visit as department auditor for the W. R. C.—Eugene Guard.

Mr. S. M. Elliott of Eugene passed through Roseburg Tuesday on his way to Canyonville where he goes to visit his son.

The best medicine you can take is that which builds a solid foundation for health in pure, rich blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

There has been more matchwood shipped from Bandon this year than in the past eight years, and still the wharf is loaded with wood.

The Square Deal store has just opened up a beautiful line of W. L. Douglas shoes, which prove to be the best shoe made. Come and inspect them.

Our old friend, Peter Hume, of Brownsville, Linn county, is shaking hands with his host of friends in Roseburg. He is in the warehouse and commission business, and is prosperous and happy.

Henry Roger and family, formerly of this county, now of Myrtle Point, passed through Roseburg yesterday on their way home from an extended visit, with Mrs. Skidmore, of Comstock, a daughter of Mr. Roger.

Suits of clothes, all wool, heavy weights, $6.50; regular price $9. Boys clothes from 6 to 15 years for $1.00 and $2. Hats all styles and colors for 85c, regular price $1.50. All these goods are only to be found at the Boss Store.

Mrs. S. G. Laugh is entertaining a number of her class in the M. E. Sunday School in camp near the fishery on the Umpqua below the city. Mrs. Laugh is very popular with the young people who have the good fortune to have her for a teacher.

Robert Eccleston, of Myrtle Creek, made this office a pleasant call while in the city on Monday. Mr. Eccleston has lately returned from an extended visit in California where he went for the benefit of his health. We are glad to note that his health is greatly improved.

Chas. Van Zile has returned from Alaska. He went inland and as far as Tauish lake, about two and a half days' travel from Dawson city. He is of the opinion that the Alaska boom is about over. He reports that Dr. B.L. Bradley and W. W. Cardwell have gone into Dawson.

A fire in Marshfield Thursday night destroyed five buildings as follows: John Blomquist $3,500, insurance $2,700; Mrs. B. Richards $400, no insurance; John Anderson $700, no insurance; John Shetter, $1,200; Andrew O'Conner $300, fully covered by insurance.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate before the voting population of Douglas county, including the free silver men, populists, democrats and republicans, to sell Bain wagons from a full carload just received. Also cars of buggies, barb wire and nails at the lowest prices, all now on hand at Stearns & Chenoweth, Oakland, Oregon.

Max Pracht, special land agent of Uncle Sam, returned last night from Mound precinct where silver men abound at the ratio of 16 to 1. He is looking over lands homesteaded by residents of towns. He claims that in some instances that residents of Eugene who hold homesteads in the county are compelled to hire guides to show them their land.—Eugene Guard.

Notice is hereby given to the public by the undersigned that I do not allow dead animals to be buried on my premises, at Roseburg, Oregon, or garbage dumped thereon or sand or gravel taken therefrom, unless the party taking sand or gravel first contract with me for the right to do so.

Trespassers will be prosecuted according to law. AARON ROSE,
Roseburg, Oregon, March 17th, 1885.

To the Public.

On and after this date, I wish it understood that my terms for all undertaker's goods are cash with the order. I find it impossible to do business on a credit basis, and belive that I can do better by my patrons and myself by selling strictly for cash. P. BENEDICK, Undertaker.
Roseburg, Ore., April 12, 1895.

Riddle.

Frank Cain was in town from the canyon Friday evening.

Prof. Wyatt Cornutt made a trip to Myrtle Creek Sunday.

Threshers will begin operations in this vicinity this week.

E. Raymond of Days Creek was doing business in town last Friday.

Mr. Humphrey, the Canyonville miller, attended church here Sunday.

Miss Johnson is here from Idaho visiting with her cousin, Miss Mabel Thompson.

Miss Pearl Hall of Myrtle Creek was visiting at this place the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Josie Beak of Medford has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for the past two or three weeks.

Mrs. Alma Hatfield came up from Roberts creek Saturday and is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Rogue.

Rev. W. G. Miller preached at this place Sunday, and in the evening he baptized Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mayes.

When man reaches his highest point of perfection, perhaps Darwin would say that he is the latest improved monkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver have become residents of our city, and are occupying the house owned by Mrs. Jessie Mayes.

Uncle Noah Cornutt and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Hall, attended church at Canyonville Sunday.

Mr. W. Easter of Myrtle Point came up Friday and spent a few days visiting with the family of Mr. and Mrs. N. Cornutt.

If Watson gets a show at Camara's fleet Spain will then be the only country in the world that has a complete submarine navy.

Several of the young people in this vicinity went to the Nickel mountain Sunday for a picnic and report having had a very pleasant time.

Mr. Allen Jackson and family, accompanied by Foster Jackson, left Monday morning for their old home in the East where they expect to remain.

A party consisting of M. W. and C. L. Pruner, Misses Belle and Jessie Pruner and Mrs. Ford and daughter, went to Bandon beach last week for an outing.

Claude Rice is now the champion "bear" hunter of Riddle. While out in the mountains recently he espied the huge proportions of gruff old Bruin looming up through the brush, and with palpitating heart he sent the deadly missle crushing into the bear's vitals. Visions of glory, perhaps, flashed through his mind, but hope had risen to fall again; the bear was only a dog.

When joy and mirth go hand in hand, despondency and pain are conspicuous by their absence; for who will say that the youthful mind in its siren generosity does not love to revel in the pleasing realities of social accord and bask in the sunshine of congenial surroundings? And who will say that a chance to accept such opportunities is passed by without a thought or consideration? Those who were invited to attend the ice cream social given by the Knights of Pythias at their "Castle Hall" Friday night can now boast of having been present at one of the most enjoyable events of the season. Mr. L. B. Stintson of Salem was there and gave an instructive address to his attentive listeners. Ice cream and cake were served and eaten till the necessity of refusing more suggested itself. While the hours were whirling by crokinols and other games were played, and it was one o'clock Saturday morning before the enraptured guests reluctantly departed. UNKNOWN.

Bicycle Tires.

The Chase, tough, tried and puncture proof. For sale by
T. K. RICHARDSON,
Roseburg, Or.

Try the "Artie" and you will get the best 5 cent cigar in town. For sale by Kruse & Shambrook.

For Over Fifty Years.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props. Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Thousands are Trying It.

In order to prove the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in Head, we have prepared a generous trial size for 10 cents. Get it of your druggist or send 10 cents to ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no cocaine, mercury nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents. At druggists or by mail.

Late Rulings.

The commissioner of internal revenue has made the following rulings which are of general interest:

Deeds signed, acknowledged and fully executed in June do not require stamps, though delived in July, unless, by state law, registration is necessary to pass title.

As to mortgages, it is the general principle that a mortgage is not valid as such until it is admitted to registration. A mortgage, no matter what the date, should not be admitted to registration when presented on or after July 1, 1898, unless there is attached and canceled the proper revenue stamp.

In cases where the consideration in a deed is nominal, the actual value of the property conveyed should govern the amount of the stamp required.

Original lease requires a stamp. No stamp is required on copy executed by the parties at the time of the original lease.

In cases of loans on real estate, where promissory notes are given, which are not paid at maturity, but on which an extension of time of payment is granted, without the taking of a new note, it is held that every such extension is a renewal of the note within the meaning of the statute, and that the requisite stamp must be affixed for every such renewal or extension. This also applies to notes discounted before July 1, falling due on or after that date.

The person who signs and issues a bank check, without affixing the proper stamp, becomes involved in liability to penalties under section 10 of the act, unless it is shown that he had no design to evade the payment of the stamp tax, and that the requisite stamp was affixed and canceled by the bank or person upon whom it was drawn, before payment.

Where a check is presented at a bank without having the requisite stamp affixed, the bank if it pay such unstamped check, becomes liable to the penalty provided by section 10 of the act. Bank may cure defect by affixing proper stamp.

Real estate mortgage notes require to be stamped, in addition to the stamps placed on the mortgage.

Where there is a pledge of property accompanying any promissory note, which pledge is subject to stamp tax under schedule A, this stamp tax must be paid, notwithstanding the fact that a stamp is also required on the note connected with it.

Certificates of birth, marriage and death, given in pursuance of the laws of the state requiring the collection and registration of vital statistics as a basis for the administration of public health laws, come within the exemption of section 19. Such certificates, however, when issued to private persons for private use, are subject to the proper stamp tax.

The ordinary notary's seal is not required to be stamped.

Checks drawn by United States disbursing officers against public funds standing to their official credit in performance of duties required by law do not require a 2-cent internal-revenue stamp placed thereon. And all checks drawn by officers of states, counties and municipalities for the discharge of the obligations of states, counties and municipalities are exempt under section 19 of the act.

No stamp is required on ordinary receipts.

The exemption from tax on warehouse receipts for agricultural products is restricted to receipts for products of this kind, which are deposited by the actual grower thereof in the regular course of trade for sale. This does not exempt warehouse receipts for such products in case the property deposited has already passed from the ownership of the actual grower.

Bonds "required in legal proceedings" are exempt from stamp tax. They are such as are required in litigation in either civil or criminal cases, such as prosecution bonds, injunction bonds, to stay proceedings, bonds upon appeal, writs of error, bonds for costs and the like and in criminal cases, recognizances, bonds for appearance, bail bonds, and also bonds in criminal cases upon appeal and writs of error, supersedeas bonds, etc. Bonds given by persons appointed by the court, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of their office in position, such as receivers, assignees, executors, administrators and guardians, are not exempt, and the stamp tax must be paid thereon.

Certificates of acknowledgment of deeds and mortgages are not required to be stamped. The memorandum on the back of a deed or mortgage, made by the register or recorder, that the instrument has been placed upon record, is not a subject of taxation. It is not a certificate such as is contemplated by the law. It is a brief note on the back of the deed or mortgage citing date of filing and date and place of record.

A LITTLE SUFFERER

Face, Hands and Arms Covered With Scrofulous Humors—How a Cure Was Effected

"When five years old my little boy had scrofula on his face, hands and arms. It was worst on his chin, although the sores on his cheeks and hands were very bad. It appeared in the form of red pimples which would fester, break open and run and then scab over. After disappearing they would break out again. They caused intense itching and the little sufferer had to be watched continually to keep him from scratching the sores. We became greatly alarmed at his condition. My wife's mother had had scrofula and the only medicine which had helped her was Hood's Sarsaparilla. We decided to give it to our boy and we noted an improvement in his case very soon. After giving him four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla the humor had all been driven out of his blood and it has never since returned." WILLIAM BARTZ, 416 South Williams St., South Bend, Indiana.

You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla of all druggists. Be sure to get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

Contest Notice.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, July 25, 1898.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by

GEORGE W. HEATH,

contestant against homestead entry No. 6211, made January 12, 1892, for the SE ¼ SE ¼, E ½ SE ¼ and SW ¼ SE ¼, section 12, township 24 S., range 3 W., by

CHARLES F. VAUGHN,

contestee, in which it is alleged that said Charles F. Vaughn has wholly abandoned said tract and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and prior to the expiration of the five years residence required by law, that said tract has not been settled upon and cultivated as required by law, and that said Vaughn is not now a resident of the state of Oregon, nor has he been for a period of more than four years; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at two o'clock p. m. on September 9, 1898, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed July 22, 1898, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.
J. H. BOOTH,
Receiver.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Mary A. Flournoy, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Douglas County, Oregon, his final account of the administration of said estate, and that the 5th day of September, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, and at the Court House in Roseburg, Oregon, is the time and place has been fixed by the County Court of Douglas County, Oregon, for hearing and passing on said final account, and for the hearing of any objections that may be made to said final account.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1898.

LEONARD BUELL,
Administrator of the estate of Mary A. Flournoy, deceased.

Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, July 20, 1898.

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,

POLLY S. DUKE

of Eugene, Or., County of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 065, for the purchase of the NE ¼ of section No. 4, in Township No. 25 S., Range No. 2 W., 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 her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday, the 23d day of September, 1898.

She names as witnesses: Charles Stearns of Oakland, Or., John Flower of Oakland, Or., Levi F. Beers of Eugene, Or., N. S. Nickerson of Springfield, Or. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23d day of September, 1898.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, July 6, 1898.

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, United States Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on August 20, 1898, viz:

JOHN B. WILLIAMS

the Homestead Entry No. 1868, for the S ½ N ½ and N ½ S ½ and N ½ SE ¼ Sec. 25, Tp 30 S., R 6 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: P. Edward Cooper, Alexander H. Cox, George B. Montague, Samuel B. Wheeler, all of Roseburg, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned administrators of the Estate of W. L. Wilson, deceased, will by virtue of a decree of the County Court of Douglas county, Oregon, on and after the 16th day of August 1898, sell at private sale the following described real property belonging to the estate of said W. L. Wilson, deceased, to wit:

Beginning at a white oak post 5½ feet long, 4 inches square, marked A W, from which a black oak, 20 inches in diameter, bears south 34 degrees west 66 links, marked A W & B T, and from which point the northeast corner of the donation land claim of W. L. Wilson, being claim No. 41 in section 4 Township 28 R 6 W, bears east 12 chains, and from said said N E corner the corners of Sects 26, 27, 34 and 35 bear N 8½ deg. thence S 30 15 chs. to a post marked A W on a black oak, 12 inches in diameter bears N 80 degrees E 50 links marked A W & B T; thence along the meandered line of the right bank of Coos Creek to a post marked A W on a black oak, 12 inches in diameter bears N 75 degrees W 21 links, marked A W & B T variation 19½ degrees E; thence N 15 chains to a post marked A W, on W line of said D L C No. 41, from which a black oak, 12 inches in diameter bears N 80 degrees E 50 links marked A W & B T; thence W 15 chains to a post marked A W, on W boundary of said D L C No. 41, from which a black oak, 12 inches in diameter bears N 80 degrees E 50 links marked A W & B T variation 19½ degrees E; thence N along said boundary of said D L C No. 41, to the place of beginning, containing 32 acres, being lots 1 & 2 of W. L. Wilson's Donation No. 41 in sec. 4 T 28 R 6 W, Douglas County, State of Oregon. Terms of sale to be cash in hand.

Dated at Roseburg, Ore. July 8, 1898.

C. A. WILSON,
HATTIE H. WILSON,
Administrators of the estate of W. L. Wilson deceased. 31f4d

Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Sarah M. Weatherly, deceased, in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Douglas County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered on the 8th day of July, 1898, will sell at the 16th day of August, 1898, on the premises of the said real property, all of private sale for cash in hand the following described real property belonging to said estate, town:

The south half of the southwest quarter of section 3, in township 22, south of range 7 west, and the south half of northwest quarter of section 3, in township 22, south of range 7 west, containing 160 acres, all in Douglas County, State of Oregon.

Dated at Roseburg, Douglas County, State of Oregon, this 8th day of July, 1898.

HIRAM WEATHERLY,
Administrator of the estate of Sarah M. Weatherly, deceased. 32f3

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Douglas County.

J. Frank Watson, Plaintiff

vs.

The Noonday Mining Company, a private corporation, John A. Roebling's Sons Company, a private corporation, Al Parker, Daniel M. Tracy and Chas. F. Morse, Trustees, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure of laborer's material-men and mechanic's lien and an order of sale of the property of the above named defendant, The Noonday Mining Company, which judgment, decree and order of sale was duly rendered and entered in the above entitled Court and cause on the 8th day of June, 1898, adjudging and decreeing that the Plaintiff, J. Frank Watson, have and recover from and of and from the Defendant, The Noonday Mining Company, the sum of $[illegible] damages with interest thereon from May 17, 1898, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, and $100 attorney fees, and disbursements taxed at $[illegible], and that the defendant, John A. Roebling's Sons Company have and recover from and of of the Defendant the sum of $1282.55 with interest thereon from December 21, 1896 at the rate of eight per cent per annum, and costs and disbursements taxed at $[illegible], and said decree ordered and adjudged that the sale of the property of said Defendant, The Noonday Mining Company, therein and hereinafter described be sold to satisfy said judgments and under and by virtue of said judgment decree and order of sale and an execution duly issued thereon out of the above entitled court and in the above entitled cause on the 12th day of June, 1898, I will on Saturday, the 16th day of August, 1898, at the Court House door in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, offer for sale at public auction, and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash the property directed by said decree and order to be sold, and described therein and in said execution as follows, to wit:

One quartz mill, including the building enclosing the same, and all machinery, tools and appurtenants belonging thereto and connected therewith and the land upon which the same is situated, described as follows: Being situated about three-quarters of a mile northeast of the Annie Mining claim in the Bohemia Mining District in Douglas County, Oregon, about forty miles a little southeast of Cottage Grove in Lane County, but in Douglas County, Oregon, commencing at the location notice at a stake about three-quarters of a mile northeast of the said Annie claim and running in a northerly direction 225 and three-tenths feet; thence easterly 84 feet; thence southerly 178¾ feet; thence westerly 68½ feet, and thence northeasterly 228½ feet to the place of beginning, containing five acres, be the same more or less, with all and singular the appurtenances thereunto belonging. Also the tramway leading from said quartz mill to said Annie Mine, now the Noonday Company claim, and the land upon which said tramway is situated, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the demands of said plaintiff, J. Frank Watson, and of the defendant, said John A. Roebling's Sons Company.

Dated this 21st day of June 1898.

B. C. AGEE,
Sheriff of Douglas Co., Or.