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A bill has passed the senate, granting a pension to the Indian war veterans and there appears to be good ground for hoping that the bill will pass the house.

It will be more fun than a box of monkeys to hear Assessor Gilbert try to explain to the voters why he lowered the assessment on the railroad property in Douglas county.

The Roseburg Review must have misgivings about the success of fusion in Douglas county this year. It is trying to make the A. P. A. ghost walk.—Forest Grove Times.

The February issue of The Columbia River and Oregon Timberman, published at Portland, Oregon, is to hand. This issue consists of 32 pages, is handsomely illustrated, and is replete with interesting data pertaining to the lumber interests of Oregon.

It now looks as if the opposition to the renomination of Hon. Thos. H. Tongue, would fall to pieces before the convention meets and we predict that Mr. Tongue will again be renominated by acclamation. No candidate except Mr. Tongue will probably have more than the delegates from his own county, and at most there will be but a complimentary vote cast for the local candidate after which the delegates will hasten to get into the procession for Mr. Tongue.

Bob Hendricks of the Salem Statesman has hit on something cute. He writes all his political editorials under the title of "editorials by the people." Under this cloak he has finally found courage to defend the administration of Congressman Tongue. If Tongue should be renominated he will hasten to print with pride to there articles, and demand credit for them, but if Tongue should fail of the nomination he will boast of his luck in having abandoned a sinking ship. If the Lord hates a coward how he must despise Bob Hendricks?

The editor of this paper confesses to a liking for Hon. Geo. W. Brownell of Clackamas county. He is a man of good-deal more than ordinary ability and with all a very genial and pleasant gentleman. He is one of the best orators in the district, and if he should be elected to congress, he would take rank as one of the leaders of the house. We do not believe that it can be shown that he has ever betrayed the interests of the people and the regard with which he is held by his neighbors, speaks volumes in his favor. While it looks now as if Congressman Tongue will be again elected to succeed himself, we believe the people will save up something for Mr. Brownell.

We this week mail to each of our subscribers who is in arrears on his subscription to the PLAINDEALER to the amount of one year or more, a statement of his account. It has become absolutely necessary for us to build a new office, the old building in which this paper has been published for many years, having become unfit to be longer used for that purpose. There is not a vacant building in the city suitable for our purpose, and the time has come when we must either build or quit. We dont want to quit, neither do you want us to do so. If those who are indebted to us on subscription will promptly bring or send us the amount they owe it will help us materially. Let there be as little delay as possible in the matter, as the work on the new building will surely begin as soon as the weather will permit, and we must have the money to pay for it.

GUILTY, AS CHARGED.

When the present fusion administration in Douglas county is tried before the bar of public opinion, as it must be, it will not take the jury five minutes to return a verdict of "guilty of obtaining office under false pretenses." Look up the platforms of the so called reformers of Douglas county for the past few years, and call to mind the pledges and promises made in their party organ in this county as well as by their candidates and speakers, and then tell us which one of their promises to the voters have been fulfilled. Have the taxes been lowered one cent? The fusion organ published whole columns of rot about what would be done in the way of raising the assessment of railroad property in this county if the people would just give the reformers a whack at things. And they have raised it "like the old woman kept tavern." The facts are, that the present "reform" administration in Douglas county is about the biggest fraud that was ever foisted on a confiding people and everybody knows it.

He Won't Go.

The Roseburg Review says that Edward Deady, whom it calls "the chief apostle of the A. P. A.-ism in Oregon," has been in that town urging the necessity of reorganizing the order to take part in the coming political campaign. It says a conference of leaders in the order was held there to discuss future operations and prepare for resumption of active work.

Mr. Deady denies the soft impeachment in toto. He says he was in Roseburg on business which had nothing to do with the A. P. A.

"There is not an A. P. A. Council in Oregon," declared Mr. Deady, in reference to the item in the Roseburg paper. "I never denied my connection with the order and don't intend to. If I had my way I would have everyone acknowledge membership. I have written to friends in Roseburg to telegraph me the next time the editor of the paper comes to Portland and when he arrives I'll see him.

IN THE FIELD.

Cronje Continues His Struggle Against Lord Roberts.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—(Sunday 4:35 a. m.)—Since 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon nothing has been received from the scene of what the London papers call General Cronje's death-struggle, the war officials announcing at midnight that they had nothing to give out. They stated that they believed it impossible for Cronje to escape from the grip of Lord Roberts.

The report, circulated in Berlin, that Cronje had succeeded in making his escape, came from the Boer headquarters in Brussels, where it was stated that details were still lacking.

The only news from other parts of the seat of war, received during the night, is a special dispatch from Colenso, under date of February 24th, stating that the British, in spite of strong opposition, were advancing slowly but surely, and driving the Boers from the kopjes between Grobler's Kloor and Hlangwane.

Ladysmith reported by heliograph on Friday that the Boers were retiring northward in large numbers. Meanwhile the certainty of relief is so strong at Durban that the authorities are actively preparing train loads of provisions, luxuries and medical comforts for dispatch to the beleaguered town as soon as communications are reopened.

Buller's Work.

BEER HEAD LAAGER, Natal, Feb. 23.—Yesterday the British crossed the Tugela in large numbers, with cannon and sixty wagons. They attacked Ermelo and the middle Burgher's commands, but were forced to retreat under a heavy Mauser fire. A renewed attempt on the Ermelo men was made this morning, but the British were again driven off. The fighting continues. The British losses were heavy. Eight ambulances were employed in collecting the dead and wounded. Ladysmith fired a few shots this mording at our outposts till silenced by "Long Tom."

Dr. Leyds Reports.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—A cable dispatch from The Hague, to a prominent Dutch resident of New York, printed in the Evening Journal says:

"Dr. Leyds has received the following dispatch from President Kruger: "Free State and Transvaal forces together, south of Peardberg, reinforced and well entrenched.'"

On the Defensive.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Apart from the dramatic condition that came over the situation in South Africa, the event of the week was Joseph Chamberlain's vigorous and almost vicious, self defense in the house of commons. The colonial secretary met the accusations and demands with one of those terrible fighting speeches for which he is noted. With venomous retort and scorn he once more denied complicity in the Jameson raid, denied the so-called revelation of Independence Belge, and with deft phrases resented the opposition's agitation as a personal attack upon his much persecuted self. In the heat of the debate and with an overwhelming majority ready to cheer every bitter phrase, Chamberlain carried all before him.

But, after reflection, many of those who thoroughly believe Chamberlain to be absolutely untainted, and who place no importance upon the letters stolen from Hawkesley, the counsel for the British South African company, regretted that the colonial secretary took the matter in such a personal spirit.

After Timber Land.

There has been a grand rush for the Roseburg land office the past few days by parties who have taken up timber lands on the head waters of South Coos river. This is one of the last bodies of available government land, which is open to be taken, in the country, and as there are a number of claims that have not been located, it is highly probable that some little excitement will follow. Speaking of this tract of land John Yoakam, the boss logger, says that it contains one of the finest belts of timber in the country.—Marshfield Sun.

A Serious Wreck.

Yesterday morning as regular freight No. 221 coming south, reached Isadora a flange on one of the car wheels broke causing a serious wreck and destruction of property but fortunately no lives were lost or any one badly injured. Eight or ten cars were deraild and considerably smashed up; as a result of the wreck the California express was held over at this place until about three o'clock p. m. when the train was run out and the transfers made and the passenger train going south from this city was but little delayed. The track was promptly cleared and the regular traffic resumed this morning.

The Fire Fiend.

About 20 minutes before 9 o'clock Saturday night the fire bell rang the alarm and when the people rushed out to discover the cause, the home of Mrs. Zetta Ball on Jackson street was found to be on fire, and by the time the fire company reached the scene the flames were bursting out of doors and windows and the whole house seemed to be in a furious blaze. As what little wind there was came from the south by the heroic efforts of the fire department the residence of Judge Smith on the south was saved, and what would have been a disastrous fire was averted.

The building and contents were nearly completely destroyed, a part of the charred walls and roof, however, remains in place.

The parties who occupied the house were away from home at the time of the fire and the cause is unknown.

It is reported that the house and contents were fully insured.

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POPS FAVOR FUSION.

Willing to Combine With the Democrats for June; State Convention on April 12.

PORTLAND, Oregon, February 23.—The Populist State Convention will be held at Portland, Thursday, April 12, at 10 a. m., the same day and hour as the time set for the Republican and Democratic State Conventions. The State Committee of the party so decided at a protracted meeting held in the Perkins hotel, yesterday.

Hope of fusion is the reason for calling the Convention for the same day as the Democratic gathering. Notwithstanding all their complaints about Democratic treachery in 1898, Democratic slaughter of Populist State, County and Legislative candidates, and threats to keep the middle of the road evermore, the Pops are willing to be coaxed into another combination and if necessary, to do the coaxing. The majority of the committeemen who met yesterday favor fusion and are willing that their State Convention should make overtures to the Democrats. This is surprising, as the Democrats have made no suggestion for fusion and there is a strong sentiment in their State Committee against having anything to do with the Pops. Hard things were said against fusion at the meeting of the Democratic State Committee last month. The Pops have learned who put up the opposition and they do not consider these speakers as representatives of Democratic sentiment. Hence, the action yesterday.

The plain English of it is that the Pops have put themselves in position to receive or make overtures for fusion. They think that fusion affords the only opportunity for electing their idol, Mr. Bryan, to the Presidency. If they prove unwilling to fuse in June, they argue that they cannot expect to fuse with the Democrats on National issues in November. Conflicting reports came from the meeting room yesterday. One was that the committeemen were overwhelmingly and enthusiastic for Bryan, and another that they were for the Nebraska orator, but that the sentiment for him was not so strong as in 1896. Neither story was absolutely correct. Bryan is undoubtedly the choice of the majority of the committeemen. The discussion of Presidential timber indicated that if Bryan is nominated he will receive the votes of greater percentage of the Populists, regardless of fusion, but that no other Democratic Presidential nominee can hope for material support from the pops.

Free silver and the initiative and referendum have the same hold upon the committeemen that they have on the party at large.

TWO-THIRDS FOR FUSION.

The fusion question was thoroughly threshed when the committee came to fix the time for holding the convention, after Portland had been selected as the place. The first motion was "April 12, the same day as the Democratic State convention." An amendment named April 5 and an amendment to the amendment fixed April 13. The latter date was rejected by a vote of 11 to 5. Then the amendment to name April 5 was withdrawn and April 12 was decided upon by a vote of 10 to 5. Two-thirds of the committeemen present were fusionists. It required a three hours' debate to bring about this result.

POPULIST APPORTIONMENT.

Representation in the State convention was fixed at one delegate-at-large for each county, one for every 130 votes cast for King for Governor in 1898, and one for fractions of one-half and over. This will give a convention of 300 delegates, although the committee aimed to keep the number down to 250. This apportionment gives Douglas county 15 delegates.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the parents of school district No. 4 are requested to have all school children voccinated. By order of the school board.

CLARA DILLARD, Clerk.

Wyandotte Eggs.

I have for sale eggs from pure bred Wyandottes, $1.00 for setting of 13 eggs. Call on or address

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m2p. Roseburg, Oregon.

County Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties holding Douglas county warrants indorsed prior to and including April 12, 1899, to present the same at the treasurer's office in the court house for payment, as interest will cease thereon after the date of this notice.

Dated this the 29th day of Jan., 1900 at the City of Roseburg, Oregon.

GEO. W. DIMMICK, County Treasurer, Douglas County, Or

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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Where Rolls the Umpqua.

Writing to a friend in this city, from the Life Station at the Umpqua, Dennis Stovall says: By special invitation from Captain Burgman I have been spending a short visit here at the Umpqua Life Saving Station. Perched way up here in the lookout I can gaze down over the harbor to where the rolling billows of the Pacific toss their white-caps madly over the sand spit at the Umpqua entrance. To my right I can look for miles over a barren stretch of glistening sand that ends in a long straight line forming the ocean beach. It is indeed a beautiful sight. Away out there over the blue where there is hardly a distinguishing feature between sky and water, a dark line of smoke from a passing steamer or the white sails of a schooner are the only object found to rest the eye of the monotonous blue. Peaceful and calm is the old Pacific today, yet it is not always so along the coast. Down in the boat house of the station can be read the words in large letters on the wall, "Tacoma," "Wetmore," Ralph," "Robert E," "Miania," "Truckee," and others. The names tell the sad story of stranded and wrecked ships that have gone ashore here, to be rescued by the brave boys of the station; they picture to me, too, that beach beautiful today but strewn then with the bodies of drowned sailors. One more name is to be added to the list. It is "Maggie." Her crew were rescued three days ago, but today I saw her as she lay high and dry on the sands of the beach, soon to be beaten to pieces by the merciless waves.

I have visited many scenes and pretty spots in Oregon, yet there are few more pretty or beautiful than the coasts of Lane, Douglas and Coos.—Corvallis Union Gazette.

EMPTY PROMISES.

Made by Multnomah County Regarding Valuations of Property.

PORTLAND, Feb. 21.—Fifteen county assessors of Oregon met on Tuesday, to agree upon a uniform basis of valuations for assessment purposes in Oregon, for 1900. They adjourned today without accomplishing anything, for the reason that there was nothing for them to do. They agreed not to agree upon a basis. If any county makes a large cut in valuations this year, it is probable that all others will follow, though Assessor Greenlee's assurance, that Multnomah values will show an increase of between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000, may serve to check any headlong plunge.

Republican Central Committe Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee held at the old Masonic hall in the city of Roseburg, on the 6th day of March 1900, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of fixing the date and making the apportionment of delegates for the Republican County Convention, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the committee. It is earnestly requested that each member of committee attend in person where possible, as business of importance will come before the committee.

Dated at Rosburg, Oregon, this 22 day of February, 1900.

E. D. STRATFORD, Chairman.
S. C FLINT, Secretary.

Elkton Notes.

The roads are now almost impassible, the stages can scarcely make the trip from Scottsburg to Drain in a day.

Farmers are having difficulty in getting in their crops on account of the constant rain.

A dance was given in Rydell's hall last Friday night.

The smallpox scare is taking possession of a good many in this vicinity.

The contract for the completion of the school house was let to Wm. Stark and M. M. Bacon.

Prof. Barzee of Drain stopped off here on his return from Gardiner.

Beckley Bros. brought a drove of cattle from the lower country last week.

Prof. Mulkey was not able to be in school for a few days last week on account of a severe cold.

The literary society held their regular business meeting last Thursday night.

Wert Moore of Drain passed through on Friday's stage enroute for Gardiner.

Mr. Chandler and family of Gardiner, have returned to their home. Mrs. Chandler is just recoving from a severe illness.

Mrs. J. Wells has gone to Portland on business.

Miss Minita Bell of Roseburg, after sperding a few days with her parents at this place, took her departure for Portland.

Miss Maggie Schad is visiting her parents here at present.

Wm. Levins is visiting relatives at this place.

Emory Means, who has been in Oakland for some time, has returned to his home at this place.

Who?

Notice of Adnual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school Dist. No. 4 of Douglas county, State of Oregon, that the annual school election for the said district will be held at the school house, to begin at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., on the first Monday, being the 5th day of March, A. D. 1900. This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director to serve the term of three years, and clerk to serve one year, and to vote upon the question for providing additional rooms or building for school purposes, and the transaction of usual business at such meetings.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1900.

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J. F. BARKER, Chairman Board of Directors. Dist.

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A poultry ranch, well improved, of 34 acres, 1½ miles from Roseburg. Call on or address,

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Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.
Roseburg, Oregon, February 19, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3rd, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory."

DAVID HEDLAND,

Of Washburn, County of Bayfield, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 857, for the purchase of the SE¼ of Section No. 12, in Township No. 24 south, Range No. 3 West, 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday the 3rd day of May, 1900. He names as witnesses: Silvert Ole, of Washburn, Wisconsin, Olaf M. Olson, of Washburn, Wisconsin, Jacob Johnson, of Washburn, Wisconsin, Oscar Lundgren, of Washburn, Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Roseburg, Oregon, February, 19, 1900.

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JACOB JOHNSON,

of Washburn, County of Bayfield, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 858, for the purchase of the SE¼ of NW¼ and lots 2, 3, and 5 of Section No. 6, in Township No. 24 South 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 his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May, 1900. He names as witnesses: David Hedland, of Washburn, Wisconsin; Sivert Ole, of Washburn, Wisconsin; Olaf M. Oleson, of Washburne, Wisconsin; Oscar Lundgren, of Washburn, Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Roseburg, Oregon, February 16, 1900.

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ALBERT E. BETTYS,

of Marshfield, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 842, for the purchase of the SE¼ of Section No. 30, in Township No. 26 S, Range No. 9 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 his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1900. He names as witnesses; Wm. H. Smith, of Marshfield, Oregon, Geo. H. Herron, of Marshfield, Oregon; E. W. Kardell, of Marshfield, Oregon; A. E. Kardell, of Marshfield, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 12th day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, February 20, 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, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon on March 30, 1900, viz:

ARCHIBALD O. ROSE

On H. E. No. 9558, for the NE¼ Sec 17, T 28 S, R 9 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William J. Lander, Scott Lander, of Melrose, Oregon, W. H. Hunter of Wardton, Oregon, Samuel Alexander, of Cleveland, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Notice of Referees' Sale.

Sale of Solomon Mendell and Nancy H. Mendell place.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in virtue of an order duly made and entered in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Douglas County on the 8th day of December 1899, in the case of Solomon Mendell vs Nancy H. Mendell, suit for partition of real property authorizing and directing us to do so, we will on the 13th day of March, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court house door in Roseburg, Oregon, offer for sale and sell in one body to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real property, viz:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 and the SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 10 Tp. 27, S. R. 7 W., containing 114 acres. Also the Donation Land Claim of W. W. Walter, Notification No. 927, described as follows:

Beginning at a point 5.65 chains North and 3.16 chains East from the Southwest corner of Sec. 3 in Tp. 27, S. R. 7 West, running thence East 56.07 chains, thence South 56.37 chains, thence West 56.57 chains, thence North 56 chains to the place of beginning, containing 318.49 acres. Also the East half of the SE¼ of Sec. 5 Tp. 27 S. R. 7 West, Willamette Meridian, containing 80 acres. Also the North half of the North half of Sec. 9, Tp. 27, S. R. 7 W., containing 160 acres.

A. E. CLAYTON,
F. M. GOOD,
GEO. SCOTT,
Referees.

Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.
Roseburg, Oregon, February 16, 1900.

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."

GEORGE H. HERRON,

Of Marshfield, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 844, for the purchase of the S½ NE¼, S½ NW¼, of Section No. 28, in Township No. 26 South, Range No. 9 west, 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1900. He names as witnesses: William H. Smith, of Marshfield, Oregon, Albert E. Bettys, of Marshfield, Oregon, E. W. Kardell, of Marshfield, Oregon, A. E. Kardell, of Marshfield, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 12th day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, February 15, 1900.

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."

CHARLIE GEISERT

Of Washburn, County of Bayfield, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 835, for the purchase of the Lots 3, 4, N½ NW¼ of Section No. 2, in Township No. 24 South Range No. 3 West, 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Friday the 27th day of April, 1900. He names as witnesses: Christian O. Dahl of Washburn, Wisconsin, L. T. DeWolf of Woodland, Washington, John W. Holland of Washburn, Wisconsin, Frank W. Potter of Ashland, of Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of April, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Notice For Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, February 12, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3rd, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory."

SIVERT OLE

Of Washburn, County of Bayfield, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 860, for the purchase of the Lots 1 and 2, and S½ of NE¼ of Section No. 6, in Township No. 24 south, Range No. 2 West, 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday the 3rd, day of May, 1900. He names as witness: David Hedland, of Washburn, Wisconsin, Jacob Johnson, Washburn, Wisconsin, Oscar Lundgren, of Washburn, Wisconsin, Olaf Olson, of Washburn, Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, February 17, 1900.

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."

OSCAR LUNDGREN,

of Washburn, County of Bayfield, State of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 859 for the purchase of the NE¼ of Section No. 12, in Township No. 24 S Range No. 3 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 his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday, the third day of May, 1900. He names as witnesses: David Hedland, of Washburn, Wisconsin; Sivert Ole, of Washburn, Wisconsin; Olaf M. Olson, of Washburn, Wisconsin; Jacob Johnson, of Washburn, Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of May, 1900.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Douglas County;

In the matter of the estate of Louisa Bitchell, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the above entitled estate files his final account therein on the 2d day of January, 1900, and on the 23d day of January, 1900, the judge of the above entitled Court duly made an order appointing Tuesday, March 6th, 1900, at the county court house in Roseburg Douglas County, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time and place for hearing objections thereto, and for the final settlement of said estate, and any and all persons having any objections to said final account, or any part thereof, are hereby notified to file the same in the above entitled court and cause, on or before the time set for said final settlement.

JOHN HAMLIN, Administrator.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, Jan. 23, 1900.

By Honorable Commissioner's letter "N" of November 28, 1899, this office was directed to order a hearing to determine the character of the following described tract of land, to-wit: the E½ of NW¼ and W½ of NE¼, Sec 3, T 28, S R 4 W.

heretofore adjudged to be mineral in character (decision of October 5, 1896) but now alleged by the Oregon and California Railroad Company to be essentially non mineral in character, all mineral (if and were contained) having been, since said decision, extracted or taken from said tract.

Wherefore, in conformity with the instructions of said letter a hearing is hereby ordered, the testimony to be taken at this office, before the Register and Receiver on Friday, April 6, 1900 at 10 o'clock a. m., and the parties hereto are hereby summoned to appear at said time and place and furnish testimony in support of their respective claims.

Said hearing to be conducted in accordance with paragraph 106 et seq of the U. S. Mining Laws and Regulations.

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

SUMMONS.

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

W. L. Chapman, Plaintiff
vs.
Mary Chapman, Defendant

To Mary Chapman, Defendant above named

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to be and appear in the above entitled Court and answer the complaint filed against you therein on or before the last day of the time prescribed in order for the publication of this summons, which period of time is six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons.

Said first date of said publication being on the 25th day of January, 1900 and the last date of publication being the 8th day of March, 1900, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief applied for in plaintiff's complaint, towit: That the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved and set aside, and that plaintiff have a decree of divorce, and for such other relief as shall be just and equitable, and for his costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Joe Lyons, Judge of the County Court of Douglas County, made at Chambers at Roseburg, Oregon, January 23, 1900.

Dated Roseburg, Oregon, January 25, 1900.

J. S. MEDLEY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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