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For particulars inquire of DON P. REA, SECRETARY OF TOWNSITE COMPANY.

The Madras Pioneer Thursday Dec 21, 1905

Mack G. Cornett, the mail contractor, was a visitor in Madras this morning, from Heister.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
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 Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 6, 1906, viz:
William E. Lipsed,
of Grizzly, Oregon, on H. E. No. 15,565, for the nw 1/4 sec 15, tp 12 s, r 14 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Charles Warrinofsky, Harry Keenan, David C. Page and Hugh Gardiner, all of Haystack, Oregon.
p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
December 7, 1905.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by
James S. Fleck, contestant,
against homestead entry No. 12,911, made July 10, 1903, for ne 1/4 sec 8, tp 10 s, r 14 e, w. m., by Henry Frei, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Henry Frei has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months last past; that he has not cultivated and improved said tract as required by law; that said alleged absence was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Feb 1, 1906, before Max Lueddeman, a notary public at his office in Madras, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 5, 1906 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.
The said contestant having, in proper affidavit, filed November 27, 1905, 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.

Michael T. Nolan,
Register.

R. A. Brown and Ed. Craig found a hollow juniper tree full from top to bottom with bees and honey one day last week near the mouth of Trout creek. Bees are very scarce in this locality, and their presence in such abundance gives the assurance their culture would be a profitable industry in this vicinity.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Desert Land—Final Proof.
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
Notice is hereby given that
Will Wurzwiler,
of Prineville, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make proof on his desert land claim No. 212, for the w 1/2 nw 1-4, w 1/2 sw 1-4 sec 29 and se 1-4 sec 1-4, sec 30, tp 13 s, r 12 e, w. m., before the County Clerk of Crook county, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 27th day of December, 1905.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:
O. D. Allingham, Marion Stillwell, William T. Wilson, of Sisters, Oregon; Knox Huston, of Prineville, Oregon.
p-223-428 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
December 4, 1905.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by
Robert S. Murray, contestant,
against homestead entry No. 11,816, made August 1, 1902, for s 1-2 nw 1-4, n 1-2 sw 1-4 sec 12, tp 12 s, r 12 e, w. m., by Williams Diercks, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William Diercks has wholly abandoned said entry for more than six months last past; that he has not cultivated and improved the same as required by law; that said alleged absence was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States in time of war.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 20, 1906, before Max Lueddeman, a notary public, at his office in Madras, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 27, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 4, 1905, 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.

Michael T. Nolan,
Register.

Max Lueddeman is local agent for Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society, one of the oldest and strongest of the old-line companies. If you desire insurance on your property, he will be glad to place it for you in this company.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

In the County Court for Crook County, State of Oregon.
In the matter of the application of M. L. Loucks, of Madras, Oregon, for a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors and hard cider in less quantities than one gallon.
To the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon for Crook county:
We, the undersigned, legal voters of Kutchner Precinct, in Crook County, Oregon, respectfully petition that your Honorable Body grant a license to M. L. Loucks to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors and hard cider, in less quantities than one gallon, in said Precinct of Kutchner, County of Crook and State of Oregon, for a period of 12 months from the 5th day of January, 1906.

E. C. Stichel, Wm P. Schanble, C. H. McElroy, Wm McElroy, F. R. Blair, Wm Blair, Thomas Higginbotham, Wm Jarrett, B. C. Dove, Miles Fox, G. R. Graham, R. T. Jones, J. T. Rice, W. T. Field, F. Stotker, Fred Gutendorf, Milo Gard, C. M. Gard, H. N. North, J. H. Lee, W. H. Stonehooper, W. H. Young, J. M. Mayes, L. P. Paxton, J. L. Maddron, J. L. Nichols, A. Eagles, James McElroy, J. W. McElroy, Wm Egles, G. W. Hankin, G. B. Mayes, Sam Heberstich, S. H. Edmondson, Norris Ward, S. U. Richardson, J. W. Jones, James Lee, W. A. Lee, John Thomas, John C. Rose, J. E. Campbell, W. J. Smith, Alfred H. Parkey, George Kirk, Wm Greeno, James Williams, F. H. Ladd, J. H. Lockard, L. A. Young, C. K. Loucks, J. T. Leeds, J. W. Arnold, Fred Davis, J. A. Arney, T. M. Burden, W. C. Parker, A. D. Thayer, Henry Sachs, Ira Barber, Chas. Disney, E. S. Cowles, A. L. Williams, Chas. Hayes, Ed. Holmes, Wm Steinke, J. F. Church, Scott McGrew, Geo. H. White, J. J. Watts, D. B. Burden, J. F. Burns, S. T. Robertson, M. G. Irwin, T. B. Tucker, John Tellefson, Lou Volrath, C. C. Watts, C. H. Jackson, Martin T. Pratt, John Loham, W. Libby, S. C. Shelley, C. C. Ashley, James Kaas, M. L. Loucks, J. C. Sothman, J. Mayfield, P. Killburg, W. D. McNemar, C. Hegnauer, Jim Mayes, Ed. Kutecher, S. E. Gray, Harry P. Hill, W. Haugoh, Wm Terrell, J. H. Jackson, C. G. Ramsey, W. D. McFee, E. J. Baldwin, M. Lounsberry, F. Carney, Oscar F. Neal, H. Wilson, J. P. Monper, G. V. Dillon, L. E. Baker, Walter Arney, J. P. Wilson, H. E. Jacobs, C. C. Fox, J. S. Arkus, G. L. Dizey, E. V. Doty, Geo. R. Loucks, Geo. A. Stevens, Jerry Cramer, Frank Elkins, Sio White, Frank Osborne, Anton Bataigis, C. F. McCall, F. Z. Pease, R. M. Jones, J. R. Magnus, N. S. Jennings, F. D. Eagles, H. K. Nison, W. Thielmann, Chas. Kirk, A. W. Richardson, C. E. Roush, W. H. Ramsey, Chas. Jones, Harry Church, O. L. Hohl, T. A. Wall, W. A. Patten, J. N. Tunstall, D. McFee.

Notions are hereby given, that the foregoing petition for a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors and hard cider in quantities less than one gallon in Kutchner Precinct, Crook County, Oregon, will be presented to the Honorable County Court for Crook County, Oregon, on the 8th day of January, 1906, at which time the said M. L. Loucks will apply to said Court for a license as prayed for in said petition.

M. L. LOUCKS.

Dated this 7th day of December, 1905.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
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 Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 4, 1906, viz:
Frank E. Rodman,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 10,300, for the nw quarter sec 34, tp 11 s, r 13 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
H. K. Nissen, J. H. Horney, H. H. Cook, J. P. Hahn, all of Madras, Oregon.
p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
Notice is hereby given that following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make commutation proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Crook county, at Prineville, Oregon, on December 26, 1905, viz:
May E. Bradford,

formerly May E. Van Arman, of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 11,232, for the north half of northeast quarter, southwest quarter of northeast quarter and northwest quarter of southeast quarter sec 14, tp 12 s, r 12 e, w. m.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
T. F. McCallister, of Prineville, Oregon; Frank Corwin, Charley Spring and Silas Whitp, of Madras, Oregon.
p-228-226 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
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 Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 4, 1906, viz:

William Haman,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 10,807, for the se 1-4 sec 10, tp 10 s, r 13 e, w. m.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Claude G. Ramsey, A. H. Parkey, Fred Davis and J. F. Burns, all of Madras, Oregon.
p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

The Pioneer gives the news.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
March 21, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public lands states by act of August 4, 1892, the following named persons have, on September 19, 1905, filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Laura M. Douglas,
of Haystack, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 2895, for the purchase of the s 1/2 of ne 1/4 and n 1/2 of sec 12, tp 12 s, r 15 e, w. m.

Leonard E. Douglas,
of Haystack, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 2896, for the purchase of lot 7, sec 6, lots 1, 2 and 3, of sec 7, tp 12 s, r 15 e, w. m.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Lynn Nichols, Phillip Graham, D. G. Gay, Leonard E. Douglas and Laura M. Douglas, all of Haystack, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any of the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 27th day of December, 1905.
p-226-421 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
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 Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 8, 1906, viz:
Charles E. Lamson,
of Culver, Oregon, on H. E. No. 2818, for the s 1/2 ne 1/4 and lots 3 and 4, sec 3, tp 13 s, r 13 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Frank Osborn, of Madras, Oregon; Robert Osborn, Perry Read and J. Henry Windom, of Culver, Oregon.
p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
November 14, 1905.
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 Don P. Rea, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Madras, Oregon, on January 8, 1906, viz:
James B. Rice,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 13,777, for the s 1/2 ne 1/4, ne 1/4 sec 38 and w 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 27, tp 10 s, r 14 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
William Stonehooper, A. D. Thayer, John Lee and William Lee, all of Madras, Oregon.
p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

COURT DIRECTORY FOR

CIRCUIT COURT
First Monday in May, this
October.
COUNTY COURT
First Monday in each month.
COMMISSIONERS OF
First Wednesday in January,
July, September, and November.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at The Dalles,
October.
Notice is hereby given that
named settler has filed notice
to make final proof in support
of his claim, and that said proof
will be made before Don P. Rea,
county clerk, at Prineville,
December 11, 1905, viz:
Joseph F. Weist,
of Lamona, Oregon, on H. E. No. 15,565, for the s 1/2 sec 15, tp 13 s, r 14 e, w. m.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Walter Lilligow, Charles P. and John Hanley, all of Lamona.
p-22-27 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, The Dalles,
October.
Notice is hereby given that
with the provisions of the act
of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act
for the sale of timber lands in the
states of California, Oregon, Nevada
and Washington Territory," as
extended to all the public lands
of August 4, 1892, the following
named persons have filed in this
office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Thomas Watson,
of St. James, county of Wadena,
Minnesota, sworn statement No.
10, for the purchase of the
22, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w. m.

Charles H. Cronin,
of St. James, county of Wadena,
Minnesota, sworn statement No.
11, for the purchase of the
22, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w. m.

That they will offer proof to
show that the lands sought are
more valuable for the timber
or stone thereon than for agricultural
purposes, and to establish their
claim to said land, before the
Register and Receiver at the
office in The Dalles, Oregon,
October 16, 1905.

They name the following witnesses
to prove their continuous residence
upon and cultivation of said land,
viz:
H. Crouch, Albert Anderson,
son and Thomas Valtun, of St. James,
Minnesota; Michael O'Connor and
Wm. J. O'Connor, of The Dalles, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming
adversely any of the above-described
lands are requested to file their
claims in this office on or before
the said 6th day of February, 1906.
MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

p-230-14 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.