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The Madras Pioneer

Thursday Jan. 4, 1906

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
March 25, 1905.

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 land states by act of August 4, 1892:

Nettie L. Halvorsen,

of Centralia, county of Lewis, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2602, for the purchase of the lot 4, sec 30, lots 1, 2 and 3; sec 31, tp 11 s, r 10 e, w m.

And will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 17th day of February, 1906.

She names as witnesses: Mand Harris, Lachlin McNeil, Catherine McNeil, John Curry, of Centralia, Washington; Joseph Graham of Sisters, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office before said 17th day of February, 1906.

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. 12,811, made July 10, 1903, for ne 1/4 sec 6, 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 such allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 20, 1906, before Max Luedemann, a notary public, at his office in Madras, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 6, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestants 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.

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. 11,316, made August 1, 1902, for 1-1/2 nw 1-4, n 1-2 sw 1-4 sec 12, tp 12 s, r 12 e, w m., by William Diercks, contestee, in which it is alleged that said William Diercks 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 such allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 20, 1906, before Max Luedemann, 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 contestants having, in 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 Luedemann 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 of 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 Kuchler 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 Kuchler, County of Crook and State of Oregon, for a period of 12 months from the 5th day of January, 1906.

E C Stickel, 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 Stoliker, Fred Gutendorf, Milo Gard, C M Gard, H N North, J H Lee, W H Stonecipher, W H Young, J M Mayes, L P Paxton, J L Maddron, L L Sichols, A Eagles, James McElroy, W H McElroy, Wm Egles, G W Rankin, G S Mayes, Sam Huberthier, S H Edmondson, Norris Ward, S U Richardson, J W Jones, James Lee, W A Lee, John Thomas, John C Ross, 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, T J Leeds, J W Arnold, Fred Davis, J A Arney, T M Burden, W C Parker, A D Thayer, Henry Sachs, Ira Barber, Chas Disney, U S Cowles, A L Williams, Chas Hayes, Ed Holmes, Wm Steinkne, J F Church, Scott McGraw, Geo H White, J W Watts, D B Burden, J F Burns, R Robertson, M G Irwin, T B Tucker, John Telleson, Lou Volzath, C C Watts, C H Jackson, Martin T Pratt, John Isham, W Libby, S C Shelley, C C Ashley, James Kass, M E Loucks, J C Sotman, J Maydelle, P Kilburg, W D McNamara, C Huguenau, Wm Mayes, Ed Hutchens, S E Gray, Harry F P Hill, W Haney, W Terrell, J H Jackson, C G Ramsey, W H McElroy, J B Baldwin, M Lounsbury, F Carnley, Oscar F Nekl, H Wilson, J P Monner, G V Dillon, L & Baker, Walter Arney, J P Wilson, E H Jacobs, U C Fox, J R Atkins, G H Disney, E B Doty, G E Loucks, Geo A Stevens, Jerry Craymer, Frank Eikner, Sis White, Frank Osborn, Anton Batalina, C F McCull, F K Jones, R M Jones, R E Magruder, G F Jennings, J D Kagiess, H M Nixon, W H Thielmann, Chas Kirk, G W Richardson, C E Roush, W H Ramsey, Chas Jones, Harry Church, O L Holtham, T A Wath, W A Pullen, J M Tunstall, D McGoldrick.

Notice is 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 Kuchler Precinct, Crook County, Oregon, will be presented to the Honorable County Court for Crook County, Oregon, on the 5th 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.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,

p-380-j4 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 her intention to make final proof in support of her 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 Amann, 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 White, of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,

p-28-24 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 Hannan,

of Mugras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 10,807, for the se 1/4 sec 30, 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:

Clude G Ramsey, A H Parkey, Fred Davis and J F Burns, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,

p-380-j4 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,

December 16, 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 26, 1906, viz:

James M. Borbridge,

of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 12,170, for the east half northwest quarter and west half northeast quarter sec 20, tp 10 s, r 14 e, w m.

They name the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John Telleson, L P Paxton, S P Loveling, Arthur Bemis, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,

p-380-j4 Register.

COURT DIRECTORY FOR

CIRCUIT COURT

First Monday in May; third October.

COUNTY COURT

First Monday in each month.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

First Wednesday in January, July, September, and November.

NOTICE FOR PUBLIC

Department of the Interior.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,

October.

Notice is hereby given that 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 at the land office in The Dalles, Oregon, on the 14th day of February, 1906.

Arthur H. Allen,

of Sandpoint, county of Lewis, state of Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2480, for the purchase of the ne 1/4 sec 22, tp 13 s, r 10 e, w m.

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 at the land office in The Dalles, Oregon, on the 14th day of February, 1906.

He names the following witnesses: Byron Johnston, Wm J Davis, Charles F Dale, of Sandpoint, Idaho; Michael O'Connor, of The Dalles, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of February, 1906.

p-626-d21 MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLIC

Department of the Interior.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,

October.

Notice is hereby given that 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 at the land office in The Dalles, Oregon, on the 14th day of February, 1906.

Charles F. Weigand,

of Lamont, Oregon, H. E. No. 2481, for the nw 1/4 sec 34, 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 said land, viz:

Walter Lithgow, Charlie Pen and John Hanley, all of Lamont.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.