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The Madras Pioneer

Thursday Jan. 18, 1906

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 at Madras, Oregon, on January 25, 1906, viz:

Claud C. Lamson,
of Culver, Oregon, on H. E. No. 8488, for the southeast quarter sec 5, n half ne quarter and ne quarter nw quarter sec 8, tp 13 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 m.

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

G. H. Osborn, E. J. Aldredge, W. H. Peck, W. C. Barber, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,
421-425 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. Fieck, contestant,
against homestead entry No. 12,811, made July 10, 1903, for ne 1/4 sec 8, tp 10 s, r 14 e, w 1/2 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 Liedemann, a notary public at his office in Madras, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 8, 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.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
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 2, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," an extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

Nettle L. Halvorsen,
of Centralia, county of Lewis, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2922, for the purchase of the lot 4, sec 20, lots 1, 2 and 3, sec 21, tp 11 s, r 10 e, w 1/2 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 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: Maud Harrison, Lucille McNeil, Catherine McNeil, John Curry, of Centralia, Washington; Joseph Graham of Sisters, Oregon.

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

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 s 1-2 nw 1-4 n 1-2 sw 1-4 sec 12, tp 12 s, r 12 e, w 1/2 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 such allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 20, 1906, before Max Liedemann, 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.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

MADRAS DISTRICT.
First Sunday, morning and evening Methodist Episcopal, Rev. J. K. Craig pastor.
Second Sunday, morning and evening, Mennonite Brethren—Rev. Cain, pastor.
Third Sunday, Morning and Evening, L. E. Church, Rev. J. K. Craig, pastor.
Sunday school at 9 a. m. each Sunday.
Mrs. J. K. Craig superintendent.

METHODIST HILL DISTRICT.
German M. E. Church, Rev. J. G. Joehring, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., John Hoffman, Sr., superintendent. Preaching services at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. German school and Catechism conducted by pastor Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Epworth League, Sunday evening at 6:30. Everyone welcome.

AGENCY PLAINS DISTRICT.
First Sunday, 3 p. m., J. K. Craig.
Fourth Sunday, morning and evening, Rev. H. A. Cain.

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KILLINGBECK DISTRICT
First and third Sundays, morning and evening, the Rev. H. A. Cain, Mennonite Brethren.

The Rev. J. K. Craig makes the following appointments for the country districts:
Second Sunday, 3 p. m. Culver; 3:30 a. m., Horney Schoolhouse.

Third Sunday, 3 p. m., at Mad Springs Schoolhouse.

Fourth Sunday, 3 p. m., Willow Creek; Red Rock Schoolhouse.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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December 16, 1905.

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Ruth Elizabeth Brown,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 13,894, for the e half nw quarter and w half ne quarter sec 15, tp 10 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 m.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land—
William H. Hannan, Anders Anderson, William H. Odok, Adelle L. Jackson, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,
Register.

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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 1/2 m.

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

John Tellefson, L. P. Paxton, S. P. Loving, Arthur Bemis, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN,
421-425 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:

Frank E. Rodman,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 10,330, for the nw quarter sec 31, tp 11 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 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-230-14 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 Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 10,807, for the s 1-4 sec 10, tp 10 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 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.

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

The Pioneer gives the news.

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John Tellefson,
of Madras, Oregon, on H. E. No. 12,173, for the s 1-4 nw 1-4, sw 1-4 sec 18, ne 1-4 nw 1-4 and nw 1-4 ne 1-4 sec 19, tp 10 s, r 14 e, w 1/2 m.

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

James M. Borbridge, L. P. Paxton, S. P. Loving, Arthur Bemis, all of Madras, Oregon.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

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CIRCUIT COURT:

First Monday in May; third Monday in October.

COUNTY COURT:

First Monday in each month.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT:

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

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Arthur H. Allen,
of Sandpoint, county of Lewis, Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2490, for the purchase of sec 22, tp 12 s, r 10 e, w 1/2 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 before the Register and Receiver at the office in The Dalles, Oregon, on the 17th day of February, 1906.

He names as witnesses: Arthur H. Allen, Wm. J. Davis, Charles F. (Idaho), Michael O'Connor, of Idaho.

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

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

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles Oregon
December 7, 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 25, 1906, viz:

Thomas Veltin,
of St. James, county of Wagoner, Minnesota, sworn statement No. 10,807, for the purchase of sec 23, tp 11 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 m.

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

Charles H. Crosby,
of St. James, county of Wagoner, Minnesota, sworn statement No. 10,807, for the purchase of sec 23, tp 11 s, r 13 e, w 1/2 m.

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

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MICHAEL T. NOLAN,
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