

The Books Will Be Experted.

Judge Fullerton has acted upon the petition of the county court in the matter of appointing an expert to go over the books of the various officers of Lincoln county.

Wild Parsnip Root Is Poison.

The root of wild parsnip is a deadly poison. It will kill cattle that eat it. They fed some to a calf out at college Thursday morning and the calf is as dead as a dornick.

In each case a bulb the shape of an apple and the size of an ordinary door knob was fed. The root was a dark reddish brown, brittle, and with a strong smell of parsnip.

The first call was fed at eight o'clock in the morning, and at 10:45 the animal was dead. The root was subsequently found in the first and second stomachs. The second animal ate the root at ten minutes past nine in the morning.

The tests were made to determine the question of whether or not wild parsnip bulbs were poisonous. They were thoroughly and scientifically successful, and dissipate any doubts that may have existed.

It is stated that Gov. Lord will call a special session of the legislature within the next sixty days. If the governor ever assembles that gang of land pirates at Salem again he should be sent to Cuba for Weyler to practice on.

FINALLY QUIT.

The legislative session wound up about like a toper swearing off, by tapering off a little at a time. When the senate voted last week to adjourn Joe Simon held that it could not do so without a concurrent resolution from the Davis house.

The first party of settlers from Illinois who are about to locate near the town of McCoy, in the Willamette valley, and other points in the state, assembled at the union passenger depot at Chicago Saturday, February 27th, to leave for the West.

Carnegie sell armor plate to the United States for \$450 per ton. He sells the same kind of armor plate to the Russian government for \$200 per ton. There is no moral.

Perhaps as near as this century will see perpetual motion, is in the action of the Davis house, at Salem. It can't adjourn and can't keep on.

Weather Report.

The following is a summary of the weather for the month of February, 1897, at Toledo station: Elevation above sea level, 40 feet; mean temperature, 85; maximum temperature, 56, date 3rd; minimum temperature, 25, date 19th; mean of maximum temperature, 50; mean of minimum temperature, 35.

Dr. H. W. VINCENT, Observer.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lincoln, bearing date of February 1st, 1897, upon a judgment rendered in the justice court of Toledo precinct, Benton county (now Lincoln county), Oregon, on the 28th day of April, 1896, which judgment was filed and docketed in the County Clerk's office of said Benton (now Lincoln) county on the 28th day of April, 1896, said judgment being in favor of H. W. Vincent, plaintiff, and against M. A. Embree, defendant, for the sum of Ninety-three and 5/100 dollars, (\$93.05) and interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 28th day of April, 1896, to the 1st day of February 1897, amounting to \$96.50, and accruing interest, and \$5.15 costs; which execution is to me directed and delivered, and commands me to make the said sums of money with costs and accruing costs, out of the personal property of the said M. A. Embree, and for want thereof then out of the real property belonging to the said M. A. Embree on the 28th day of April, 1896, and being unable to find any personal property in my county belonging to the said M. A. Embree, I did on the 1st day of February, 1897, levy on all of the right, title and interest of the said M. A. Embree in and to the hereinafter described real property, and in pursuance thereof, I, as said sheriff of Lincoln county, will on

Saturday, the 27th day of March, 1897,

at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court house door in the city of Toledo, in said Lincoln county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest of the said M. A. Embree, said defendant, in and to the following described real property, taken and levied upon as the property of, and belonging to the said M. A. Embree on the 28th day of April, 1896, to-wit: The south half of the southwest quarter, and the south half of the southeast quarter of section 24, township 10, south, of range 10, west of the Willamette meridian, situated in Lincoln county, Oregon, together with all the improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances, and all of the right, title and interest therein of the said M. A. Embree in and to the said real property, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy said judgment execution and the several amounts due thereon as above set forth with costs and accruing costs.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1897. GEO. A. LANDIS, Sheriff of Lincoln County, Oregon.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an execution and order of sale issued out of the circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Lincoln, bearing date of March 1st, 1897, and under the seal of said court, upon a decree and order of sale duly rendered and entered in said court on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1897, in and against ARTHUR ROCHESIER was plaintiff, and T. H. HORNING, M. F. HORNING and EDWARD BARWICK were defendants, in favor of Arthur Roehsler, plaintiff, and against said defendants, for the sum of Three Hundred and Eighty-two and 50/100 dollars, with costs, and interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 24th day of January, 1897, and \$50 attorney's fee, and \$19.10 costs and disbursements, and for the foreclosure of mortgage and sale of the hereinafter described real property to satisfy the several amounts above stated, which execution is to me directed and delivered and commands me to make the said sums of money, with costs and accruing costs, by sale of the real property hereinafter described, and in pursuance thereof, I, as sheriff of Lincoln county, Oregon, will on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1897,

at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court house door in the City of Toledo, in said Lincoln county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest of the said Arthur Roehsler, plaintiff, in and to the following described real property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the right bank of Yaquina Bay 28.50 chains south, and 11.55 chains east from the corner section corner between sections 15 and 18, township 11, south, range 10, west, containing the north 80 degrees east 19.21 chains, 1/2 x 1/2 bars between N. J. Vincent and T. T. Morgan; thence south 5.25 chains to the southeast corner of J. T. Vincent's land; thence north 89 degrees west to right bank of Yaquina Bay; thence north 25 1/2 degrees east 4.31 chains to place of beginning, containing six and 75/100 acres, more or less, situated in Lincoln county, Oregon, together with the improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances and all of the right, title, interest and estate of the said defendant, and all persons claiming through or under him, as set forth in the decree of said court, and in and to the same to satisfy the said decree, execution and order of sale and the several amounts due thereon as above set forth, with costs and accruing costs. Dated at Toledo, Oregon, March 2, 1897. GEO. A. LANDIS, Sheriff of Lincoln County, Oregon.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, January 21, 1897. 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 16, 1897, viz: WESLEY HINTON, on H. E. No. 7566, for the lots 2, 3 and 4, section 1, town 15 south, range 10 west, and southwest 1/4 of southwest 1/4, section 26, town 11 south, range 10 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Bennett Olsen, Martin Johnson, John Larson and Neise Larson, all of Fisher, Oregon. R. M. VEATCH, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, February 18, 1897. 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 County Clerk of Lincoln County, at Toledo, Oregon, on April 3, 1897, viz: ALEXANDER BURKHALTER, H. E. 11,886, for Lot No. 1, of section 30, town 11, south, range 9, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William E. Dobson and Dave W. Gay, of Lincoln, Oregon, and John C. Barnes, and William L. Tullock, of Waldport, Oregon. ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, January 21, 1897. 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 County Clerk of Lincoln County, at Toledo, Oregon, on March 8th, 1897, viz: JOHN O'CONNOR; H. E. 11,228, for the lots 1, 2, 3, and northeast 1/4 of southwest 1/4 of section 7, town 10, south, range 10, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William E. Dobson and Dave W. Gay, of Lincoln, Oregon, and John C. Barnes, and William L. Tullock, of Waldport, Oregon. ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

Administrator's Notice.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lincoln. In the matter of the estate of Dope Spencer, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lincoln, administrator of the estate of Dope Spencer, late of Lincoln County, Oregon, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, duly verified according to law, to me at Toledo, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof, or the same will not be allowed. Dated at Toledo, Oregon, Feb. 24, 1897. C. H. RUEL, Administrator of the estate of Dope Spencer, Deceased.