

Lincoln County Leader.

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Primary Law Needs Fixing.

A very important election reform is to be inaugurated at the next session of the Legislature, doing away with voting by affidavit, allowing no one to vote who is not registered, and requiring the voter to be a resident of the precinct in which he lives. Surprising as it may seem, this movement originates with Multnomah county and grows out of the Stevens-Word election contest recently, showing that over 1,000 votes were cast by affidavit and among these being many illegal votes.

This is a move in the right direction. There is too much laxness about the Australian ballot law in this state. It needs revision badly. There are too many loopholes for illegal voting and the system should be perfected along the line obtaining in other states.

The affidavit method of voting was adopted through patriotic motives which sought to grant every man the right of franchise, whether registered or not. The motive was good, but good intentions are often taken advantage of. The affidavit furnishes the floating plank and the scheming class with an excuse for not registering, holding themselves in readiness to the candidate most in need of help. It also gives the illegal voter a chance to vote when he would otherwise be barred. More than that, the liberal spirit of freeholders in signing such affidavits without (sometimes) knowing the party or of being certain whether or not he is entitled to vote is another bad feature of the affidavit business. If a man is registered, that should be a guarantee of the right to vote and makes his vote legal without question.

Another requirement of registered voters should be that where they are registered in one precinct and move to another before election day they should be required to transfer registration to the precinct in which they live in order to entitle them to cast a legal ballot.

There is another weak spot in Oregon's election law which, however, has many supporters. This is the provision for blank lines on the ballot to permit of writing the name of a voter's choice who may not be a regular nominee.

This is not only useless, but it gives a voter all the opportunity he needs to tip off his ballot to all whom it may concern. On one of these blank lines he may write a name agreed upon, and with which no other voter is familiar, and thus place a "distinguishing mark" upon his ballot which cannot be proven. A man who is not satisfied with the candidates whose names are printed upon the ballot is too particular for this world. Cut out the blank lines.

All railroads lead to and through Oregon.

Every good citizen is a law-abiding citizen. If you don't like the laws, don't break 'em. Tell your troubles to Mr. U'Ren.

Knowing ones continue to predict that President Roosevelt will be "forced" to make the run again. THE LEADER is not one of the "knowing ones."

The assertion is now made that the Government searchlight has caught the Standard Oil Company right in the act, and that successful prosecution will surely follow. Important if true.

Way down south in Georgia the Democrats are yelling for Jerome and Folk as the Democratic standard-bearers in 1908. This is about the first discovery in Mr. Bryan's soup.

A few newspapers continue to worry over and discuss the question: "What to publish and what not to publish." We believe the wise editor will not decide until he has carefully sized up the publisher.

Reports from Washington indicate that Secretary Hitchcock is real mad at Senator Fulton and will endeavor to have him indicted for something. When Senator Fulton ventured the opinion that Hitchcock is in his denage, he let the latter down easy. Some men have said worse things than that about the pompous chief of the Interior Department. Give Hitchcock whatever credit he may deserve, but the people of Oregon—that is, a majority—will continue to believe he is cut on the bias.

INHERITED INDIAN LAND FOR SALE AT SILETZ, OREGON

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That bids will be received for the sale of the following described inherited Indian lands, situated and being in Lincoln County, Oregon, as per schedule herein set forth, to-wit:

HEIRS	SUB-DIVISIONS	Sec.	Twp.	R.	Acres	Date Listed	Date Bid Opened
Eliza Albert	1/2 sec. 27	27	12	9	80	July 2, 1906	Oct. 1, 1906
Eliza Albert	1/2 sec. 28	28	12	9	80	"	"
Eliza Albert	1/2 sec. 29	29	12	9	80	"	"
John Logston	lots 4 and 5	18	8	10	77.20	"	"
John Hill	lots 6, 7 and 8	24	8	11	77.50	"	"
Henry Johnson	lots 9, 10, 11 and 12	8	9	10	80.50	"	"
Shasta Costa Sam	lots 13, 14 and 15	21	9	9	80	"	"
Achie Johnson	lots 16, 17 and 18	31	9	9	80	"	"
John Albert	lot 19 and 20	17	8	10	78.10	"	"
John Albert	lots 21 and 22	16	8	10	80.40	"	"
John Albert	lot 23	28	8	10	80.40	"	"
William McCall	lot 24, 25 and 26	11	8	10	81.80	"	"
William Aves	lots 27, 28 and 29	2	7	11	81.40	"	"
Robert Felix, guardian	lots 30 and 31	26	6	11	73.60	"	"
Jesse Cook, et al.	lots 32, 33 and 34	22	9	9	80	"	"
Louie Fuller	lots 35, 36 and 37	2	10	11	72.50	"	"
Louie Fuller	lots 38, 39 and 40	26	6	11	80	"	"
Charles Fairchild	lot 41, lot 42, 1/2 sec. 27	1	9	11	24.10	"	"
Lilly Pinner	lots 43 and 44	20	9	9	80	"	"
Annie Arden	lot 45, lots 46 and 47	19	8	10	74.20	"	"
Annie Arden	lots 48, 49 and 50	19	8	10	80.20	"	"
Nellie White et al.	lots 51 and 52 section 2	2	10	9	80	May 21, 1906	Aug. 20, 1906
Nellie White et al.	lots 53 and 54	5	10	9	80	"	"
Nellie White et al.	lots 55 and 56	1	10	9	80	"	"
Robert Felix	lot 57	13	9	10	80	"	"
Robert Felix	lot 58	8	10	10	80	"	"
Ida Bessell	lot 59	24	6	10	80	"	"
Wm. Emata	lots 60, 61 and 62	11	10	10	80	"	"
Baxter Fairchild	lots 63, 64 and 65	9	9	10	80	"	"
Baldwin Fairchild	lots 66, 67 and 68	9	9	10	65.74	"	"
Nellie West et al.	lots 69 and 70	20	9	9	80	"	"
Martha Johnson	lot 71	26	9	9	80	"	"
Martha Johnson	lot 72	28	9	9	80	"	"
Martha Johnson	lots 73, 74 and 75	28	9	9	80	"	"
Sarah Captain	lots 76, 77 and 78	4	10	9	80	"	"
Kitty Evans	lots 79 and 80	27	9	9	80	"	"
Kitty Evans	lots 81 and 82 section 23	34	9	9	80	"	"
William Klamath	lots 83 and 84	7	10	9	80.10	"	"
Catherine Fairchild	lots 85 and 86	32	9	11	80.67	"	"
May Dick et al.	lots 87 and 88	28	6	10	80	"	"

Said bids will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, of the various days upon which they are listed to be opened in above schedule, and must be enclosed in sealed envelopes directed to Knott C. Egbert, Superintendent, Siletz, Oregon. Envelopes containing such bids should not have noted thereon the description of the lands to which the bids relate, but there shall be noted on such envelopes the date upon which the bid is to be opened. Bidders should submit a draft on some Portland bank; otherwise remit enough to cover exchange on outside banks.

KNOTT C. EGBERT,
Supt. and Special Disbursing Agent, in Charge of Siletz Agency, Oregon.

Same Old Story.

There is a great scarcity of laborers in Drain. It is impossible to get men to work at common labor, although the wages are nearly 50 per cent higher than ever before paid here. It appears like there are plenty of idle men about town, but they won't work.—Drain Nonpareil.

The above is a familiar story. By the way, much of the howling about corporate greed, foreign emigration and coolie labor comes from high-headed Americans who "won't work."

Esther Mitchell who killed her brother George in Seattle a few days ago, indignantly denies the allegation that she is crazy. This being the case, the young woman is guilty of a cold blooded murder, without justification, and Mrs. Creffield, widow of the Holy Roller leader, is equally guilty. If the Holy Rollers are not crazy, then they are ripe subjects for the pen or the gallows. They have boosted the limit of "religious liberty" away beyond reason and decency, and should be rounded up and suppressed without further ceremony, without regard for sex or mental condition. Mrs. Creffield is reported to have remarked recently that she now regards some of her late husband's teachings as "funny." This is encouraging. Perhaps she later on will admit they were degrading and disgusting.

The monster drydock Dewey has at last reached the Philippines and will soon be ready for business at the Olongapo Naval Station. The Dewey will always be the most famous drydock in the world, chiefly on account of its blunder-burdened and graft-laden history. Its construction on the Atlantic coast and tortuous and expensive voyage therefrom to its destination will not soon be forgotten by residents of the Pacific coast, who are touchy enough to resent a little foolish and partial act of that kind.

When you see a self-styled "independent newspaper" preaching free trade, you may know it is independent for revenue only, and that its editor is a dyed-in-the-wool-born-that-way Democrat.

A lemon famine has been causing more or less disappointment in Oregon recently—especially in the dry counties. Some of the old timers say lemonade would be fine if it would only make 'em as drunk as they used to be.

A Cincinnati (O) physician will endeavor to father a state law compelling chronic drunkards to take a "jag" cure. Just about as much sense in the idea as there is in sending a crazy man to the hoghouse.

Don't Be Backward.

Do not hesitate to ask for a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. We are glad to give them to anyone who is troubled with biliousness, constipation, or any disorder of the stomach. Many have been permanently cured by their use. O. O. Krogstad.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
U. S. Land Office, Portland, Oregon.
May 1, 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 Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Chas. F. Willis of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5917 for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of section 27, SW 1/4 of section 35, NW 1/4 of section 35 in township 12 south, range 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 County Clerk of Lincoln County, at Toledo, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 18th day of July, 1906.

He names as witnesses:
George Hodges, James Hodges, Joseph Parks all of Salado, Oregon; Charles Smith, of Mt. Tabor, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 18th day of July, 1906.

ALGERSON S. DRESSER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
U. S. Land Office, Portland, Oregon.
April 17, 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 Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Denis L. Van de Wille, of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6885, for the purchase of the NE 1/4 of section No. 11 in township No. 13 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 at Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of July, 1906.

He names as witnesses:
James Hodges, of Salado, Oregon; Henry Tillman, Frank G. Tillman, of Portland, Oregon; Charles Smith of Mount Tabor, Oregon.

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

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
U. S. Land Office, Portland, Oregon.
May 4, 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 Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Mary Kallman of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 6297 for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of section 23 in township 12 S., range 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 her claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Portland, Oregon, on Monday, the 30th day of July, 1906.

She names as witnesses:
Ellen Paulson, John Norberg, of Portland, Or.; George Hodges, James Hodges, of Salado, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 30th day of July, 1906.

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