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George still works in the wagon-shop, but probably will go prospecting about Jan. 1.

As to the health of the people coming here, I can assure anyone that they take no more risk than changing from Oregon to California, or the Gulf States. My health is excellent.

In Memoriam.

The following lines were written by Mrs. L. A. Nash in memory of Miss Lucie Pernot and read at the memorial services recently held at the Reading Room:

She has passed the covered way,
Leading to a shining day.
All the mystery of life,
Good and evil's constant strife,
God is solving it up there;
But we miss her sorely here.

Miss the bright and genial smile,
Cheery words that could beguile
A weary hour or troubled mood;
With ease her warm heart under-
stood.
She'll have ministries up there;
While we miss them sorely here.

Born of life's activity,
Dreading mere passivity;
Apt to work, strong to lead;
Duty's sense her only need.
Death is but an onward there,
As her life was upwards here.

Not a long and weary fight,
In that vale's dark, shadowy blight.
An angel opened swift the door,
Of the "life forevermore."
Though we say "good night" down
here,
The angel bids "good morning" there.

Love would fain have breathed fare-
well,
Ere the mystic curtain fell—
Listened for a parting word,
Ere was broke the "silver chord."
But love's content to know her there,
Though it shed the tender tear.
—L. A. N.

Something New.

Just published by the Southern Pacific Company is a pamphlet upon the resources of Western Oregon, which includes an excellent map of the state, and contains information on climate, lands, education, etc., existing industries and their capabilities.

Attention is also directed to such new fields for energy or capital as promise fair return.

This publication fills a need long experienced by Oregonians, in replying to inquiries of Eastern friends.

Copies may be had of local agent of the Southern Pacific Company, or from C. H. MARKHAM, G. P. A., Portland, Oregon.

Alsea honey at Zierolf's.

ANNUAL SALE

Our Annual Reduction Sale of Winter Merchandise will begin on Saturday, December 29th. Every article in our extensive stock will be sold at sweeping reductions. Our winter stock must be closed out at once. Price is not the consideration. Everything must move.

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Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Oregon City, Oregon, Nov. 14, 1900. 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.

CLAYTON T. BLACKMAN, Of Salem, county of Marion, state of Oregon, has this day died in this office his sworn statement No. 5215, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 24, in Township No. 12 S., Range No. 7 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1901. He names as witnesses: Deville M. Wilson, Robert A. Wilson, and E. V. Spencer, all of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, and Ben V. Spencer of Alsea, Benton County, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of January, 1901.

CLAS. R. MOORE, Register.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Oregon City, Oregon, Dec. 10, 1900. 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.

CHARLES D. TICE, Of Fall City, county of Polk, State of Oregon, has this day died in this office his sworn statement No. 5215, for the purchase of the N. 1/4 of Section No. 24, in Township No. 12 S., Range No. 7 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1901. He names as witnesses: Michael Flynn, Freeman Robinson, Peter Miller and Alvin Robinson, all of Fall City, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of January, 1901.

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Full City, county of Polk, State of Oregon, has this day died in this office his sworn statement No. 5215, for the purchase of the S. 1/4 of Section No. 24, in Township No. 12 S., Range No. 7 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1901. He names as witnesses: Freeman W. Robinson, Lester M. Robinson, Michael Flynn and Albert N. Robinson, all of Fall City, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of January, 1901.

Referee's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to a decree and order of sale heretofore made and entered of record for the county of Benton, on the 9th day of November A. D. 1900, in a suit in equity for a partition of real property wherein A. H. Gibson and Edith Gibson were plaintiffs, and May M. Gibson and Homer Gibson, a minor, were defendants, and which said suit was heard and decided by the court, to-wit: Let one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven lots in Block No. one, and Lots one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven and twelve lots in Block No. two, of the following described premises, to-wit: Beginning 24.43 chains east of the northwest corner of section 5, township 10 south range 4 west of the 11th meridian, thence north 2 degrees east 14.00 chains to a stake 30 feet east of the center of the railroad track, thence north 2 degrees east 14.00 chains to the place of beginning, containing 11.45 acres, situate in Polk county, Oregon, and last by the court, house door in the city of Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon, said at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the real property above described and all the right, title and interest of the above named plaintiffs and defendants therein. Said sale to be made subject to the confirmation of said court.

Dated December 6, 1900.

FURBERSON AVERY, Referee.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Susan Gibson, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate in the county court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county, and Monday, the 7th day of January, 1901, at the hour of 2 P. M., of said day, at the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon, is the day and place set for hearing objections, if any, to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1900.

E. E. GIBSON, Admin'r of the Estate Susan Gibson, Dec'd.

Notice of Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale and license from the county court of Clackamas county, state of Oregon, made and entered of record on the 23rd day of December, 1900, to-wit: on the 23rd day of December, 1900, I will offer for sale at public auction, to-wit: Let one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven lots in Block No. one, and Lots one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten and twelve lots in Block No. two, of the following described premises, to-wit: Beginning 24.43 chains east of the northwest corner of section 5, township 10 south range 4 west of the 11th meridian, thence north 2 degrees east 14.00 chains to a stake 30 feet east of the center of the railroad track, thence north 2 degrees east 14.00 chains to the place of beginning, containing 11.45 acres, situate in Polk county, Oregon, and last by the court, house door in the city of Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon, said at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the real property above described and all the right, title and interest of the above named plaintiffs and defendants therein. Said sale to be made subject to the confirmation of said court.

Dated December 21, 1900.

MINNIE COOK, Guardian of Said Minor.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OREGON, December 15, 1900. 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 Benton County, at Corvallis, Oregon, on February 4th, 1901, to-wit:

IRVING E. GLEASON, Father of Parson C. Gleason, deceased, H. E. No. 11,620 for the NE 1/4 Section 20, T. 12 S., R. 6 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: T. A. Lemaster and W. H. Parish, of Ina-valle, Benjamine P. Ireland and Geo. W. Armstrong, of Fern, Oregon.

CLAS. R. MOORE, Register.

Executrix' Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the estate of Hanson A. Belknap and Mahala Belknap, deceased, and all creditors of said estates are required to present their claims as per law required, with proper vouchers, to said undersigned at his residence near Menlo, Benton county, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Corvallis, Or., this 2nd day of Nov., 1900.

PAULINA KLEBE, Executrix.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Hanson A. Belknap and Mahala Belknap, deceased, and all creditors of said estates are required to present their claims as per law required, with proper vouchers, to said undersigned at his residence near Menlo, Benton county, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Corvallis, Or., October 31, 1900.

W. C. DRYDEN, Admin'r of the Estate of Hanson A. Belknap and Mahala Belknap, deceased.

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CLAS. R. MOORE, Register.

Estray.

A small bay pony, with white stripe on face, and left hind foot white; mane and tail cropped, has been at my place for some time. Owner may have same by claiming property and paying for said notice.

Corvallis, Or., Dec. 7, 1900.

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Ar Sacramento.....5:00 p.m. 4:35 a.m.
Ar San Francisco.....7:45 p.m. 9:30 a.m.

Ar Ogden.....5:45 p.m. 11:45 a.m.
Ar Denver.....9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.
Ar Kansas City.....7:25 a.m. 7:25 a.m.
Ar Chicago.....7:55 a.m. 9:30 a.m.

Ar Los Angeles.....1:20 p.m. 7:00 a.m.
Ar El Paso.....6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Ar Fort Worth.....6:30 a.m. 6:30 a.m.
Ar City of Mexico.....9:55 a.m. 4:30 a.m.
Ar Houston.....4:50 a.m. 4:30 a.m.
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