

RECLAIMING OREGON LAND.

Probably the first arid land reclamation work by the government in Oregon will be done in the southeastern portion of the state, where a large body of land has recently been withdrawn. There do not seem to be many engineering difficulties in the Silves River project in Harney county. There is an adequate water supply, a natural reservoir site, and a large acreage of good land that can easily be covered by ditch. It is estimated that a successful construction of this system will add from 3,000 to 6,000 farms to that portion of Oregon, and will increase the population there at least 25,000 within a few years. A provision in the irrigation bill, inserted at the instance of the late Mr. Tongue, to which the GAZETTE has heretofore called attention, makes it necessary for more than half of the funds arising from the sale of public lands in any state to be expended in that state. As Oregon has the largest fund it is probable that another reclamation project can be undertaken soon, even though nearly half the money goes elsewhere.

The Agricultural Division of the United States census office will issue, toward the latter part of the year, a bulletin on irrigation in the United States for the year 1902. This will prove a valuable and interesting publication, as it will show the number of acres and number of farms irrigated from the several streams in each state, together with the number and cost of the irrigation systems. The figures for Oregon will be completed shortly and will be given to the press.

RETAINS HIS INFLUENCE.

However much those who bear a personal grudge against Senator Hanna may belittle his influence with the present administration, the fact remains that President Roosevelt is exceedingly anxious that the Ohioan shall continue at the head of the National Republican Committee. There never was any good reason for the popular prejudice against Mr. Hanna. He is greatly misunderstood by the people of the West, whose impression of the man has been gained from a portion of the press that has purposely maligned him. He is one of the country's great men, and he is admired and respected as such by President Roosevelt and the republican leaders.

It is known that the President recently urged Senator Hanna to manage the republican national campaign in 1904. At that time the President set at rest all talk of his desiring some one other than the senator to manage his campaign next year, by making a direct and earnest request of Senator Hanna that he continue in charge of the national committee.

It is expected that Senator Hanna will make his decision in the matter at an early date, in view of the President's anxiety to have the groundwork of the campaign outlined at once. There is much difference of opinion as to the probable decision of Mr. Hanna, the general sentiment being that he will yield to the pressure of party leaders and continue in the chairmanship at least until the organization for next year's fight has been completed. He may then retire, or at least turn the management of the campaign over to other hands, seeking relief from the drudgery of it.

Senator Hanna made no effort to conceal his feeling in the matter. He explained to the president that he had been through two national campaigns and fully understood the trying work required for the successful management of a presidential canvass. He explained that his personal preference would be to retire from the management of the committee's affairs with the holding of the next national convention. He said his health was not good and that he did not feel warranted in making any promise to undertake the onerous duties of the position again. He asked that he be given time to consider the matter fully and that this request was granted by the President.

Should Mr. Hanna decline to continue the chairmanship, it is understood that Gov. W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, will be selected as choice of President Roosevelt and Senator Lodge.

In any event, Gov. Crane will have an active part in the affairs of the committee, and will probably be made chairman of the finance committee if Mr. Hanna decides to remain as chairman.

Fred is a Rustler.

The Charter Oak Mill, under the management of F. J. Oberer, formerly of Corvallis, has developed into one of the substantial enterprises of this section of the state. The Dallas Observer devotes over a column to a write-up of the company's plant, from which it is seen that the mill is busy turning out orders and making a steady growth.

There are several cottages near the mill, all occupied by the families of men at work there or in the woods. A large comfortable bunk house for the single men is also located hard by. There is also a large barn on the premises, where 20 horses, four cows and hundreds of chickens or turkeys find shelter and fodder. Four big springs furnish an abundance of pure, cold water, and altogether the site is an ideal one in every particular for a saw mill. Under the circumstances it is not surprising that every one employed by the Charter Oak Mill Co. is happy or contented whether at work or play.

As the name of the company implies, oak logs of Oregon growth only are treated at this factory, and under the able management of Mr. Oberer is steadily gaining a national reputation through the character of the work turned out. There is a constant demand for Oregon oak timber and lumber and in a great measure the bustling manager of the Charter Oak Mill Co. is responsible for this state of affairs.

Real Estate Transfers.

J C Ingram & wf to C Wooley 2 1/2 a near Monroe; \$30.

Zilpha Hines to H M Wood et al, 40 a, T 12 S, R 7 W; \$1.

T L Charman (trustee) to H C Miller, 3 lots Bl. 11, Co. add; \$650.

J W Ingle & wf to W H & G Green, 160 a T 12 S, R 7 W; \$1,000.

Alonzo Rycraft & wf to Maria Allen, 120 a, Alsea; \$225.

G H Jackson & wf to Adah M Connell, 1/4 int 40 a, T 12 S, R 7 W; \$1.

Homer M Woods & wf to Adah M Connell, 1/4 int 40 a, T 12 S, R 7 W; \$100.

MAYOR OF ASHLAND HEARS.

For Six Years He Has Been Growing Deaf - Now He can Hear - All Through Dr. Darrin's Skill.

(Albany Democrat) Those who are disposed to doubt Dr. Darrin's cures will have their doubts shaken on reading the testimonial of Mayor R. P. Neil and Mr. Rhodes. There are no persons in this state whose word will go further to substantiate the doctor's skill in treating the afflicted. There can be no doubt or question of the curative power of electricity, judging from the extraordinary cases of cure performed by Dr. Darrin. The great advance of electro magnetic treatment is that it brings relief in a large number of cases confessedly beyond the reach of the ordinary remedies of the physicians, and Dr. Darrin has enforced a belief in the curative powers of electricity upon the public by his remarkable cures. It seems that the uses to which electricity is applied is not confined to the arts, but is destined to do what medical and surgical skill has failed to accomplish.

MAYOR NEIL'S CARD. To the Editor: Six years prior to consulting Dr. Darrin I had been deaf in both ears. One ear was badly affected. One month's electrical and medical treatment has radically cured me. I most emphatically commend Dr. Darrin's new mode of treatment to all similarly afflicted. Will gladly answer questions as to the treatment and cure.

R. P. NEIL, Mayor of Ashland. RHODES' GOOD LUCK.

Dr. Darrin: Your treatment for the past eight months has cured me of kidney trouble, inflammation at the neck of bladder and diabetes. For years I have been obliged to relieve my bladder many times a day and night, rendering sleep almost impossible. I now feel like a new man. I shall never fail to consult you when I need medical aid. The treatment you gave me for my debilitated condition from the effects of the grippe was entirely successful. I can be referred to at any time at Pendleton, Oregon.

ERNEST RHODES.

DR. DARRIN'S PLACE OF BUSINESS. Dr. Darrin is located at the Revere hotel until October 1st, and will give free examination to all from 10 to 5 or 7 to 8 daily. The poor free except medicine 10 to 11 daily, and those able to pay at the rate of \$5 a week or in that proportion of time the case may require. All chronic diseases of men and women a specialty. Eyes tested and glasses fitted at reasonable prices.

Reduced Excursion Rates to the Seaside and Mountain Resorts for the Summer.

The Southern Pacific Company has placed on sale at very low rate, round-trip tickets to the various resorts along the lines, and also, in connection with the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad, to Detroit and the seaside at Yaquina Bay, latter tickets good for return until October 10th.

Three day tickets to Yaquina Bay, good going Saturdays, returning Mondays, are on sale at greatly reduced rates from all points Eugene and north on both East and Westside lines, enabling people to spend Sunday at the seaside. Very low round trip rates are also made between Portland and the same points on the Southern Pacific, good going Saturdays and returning Sunday or Monday, allowing Portland people to spend Sunday in the country, and out of town people to have the day in Portland.

Tickets from Portland to Yaquina Bay good for return via Albany and East Side, or Corvallis and Westside, at the option of passenger. Baggage checked through to Newport. A new feature at Newport this year will be an up-to-date kindergarten in charge of an experienced Chicago teacher.

A beautifully illustrated booklet describing the seaside resorts on Yaquina Bay has been published by the Southern Pacific and Corvallis & Eastern Railroads, and can be secured from any of their agents, or by addressing W. E. Coman, G. P. A., S. P. Co., Portland, or Edwin Stone, Manager C. & E. R. R., Albany, Oregon.

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The Republic, St. Louis, Mo., S. W., \$1.00; 2.05. The American Farmer, Indianapolis, Ind., Live stock, farm and poultry journal, M., 50 cents; 1.95. Boston Cooking School Magazine, B. M., 50 cents; 1.90. Young People's Weekly, Chicago, Ill., W., 50 cents; \$1.50. Cincinnati Inquirer, Cincinnati, W., \$1.00; 2.05. The Fruit Growers' Journal, Cobden, Ill., M., 50 cents; \$1.75. Farm, Field and Fireside, Chicago, Ill., W., \$1.00; 2.10. St. Louis Globe-Democrat, St. Louis, Mo., no rival as a great modern newspaper, T. W., \$1.00; 2.15. The Weekly Inter-Ocean, Chicago, W., \$1.00; 1.90. The Cosmopolitan Magazine, New York, M., M., and Atlas of the World, bound in cloth, 50 pages of latest maps; 4-1-2.55. The Outlook Magazine, New York, M., \$3.00; 3.50. The Pacific Homestead, Salem, Or., W., \$1.00; 2.30. Table Talk, Philadelphia, M., \$1.00; 2.15. American Homes, Knoxville, Tenn., M., \$1.00; 2.30. McClure's Magazine, New York, M., \$1.00; 2.40. Two-Week Courier Journal, Louisville, Ky., one of the best papers from the great South, T. W., \$1.00; 2.05.

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DR. MAUD B. HOLT.

Mr. J. E. Sloper has returned to Corvallis, and parties having wells to dig will do well to secure his services. He makes a specialty of rock drilling. His address is Corvallis.

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United States Land Office, Oregon City, Or., May 16, 1903. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of lands owned by the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

WILLIAM H. LIVINGSTON, of Philomath, county of Benton, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 641, for the purchase of the S. E. 1/4 of Section No. 2, in Township No. 11 S., Range No. 6 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 county clerk of Benton Co., at Corvallis, on Friday, the 21st day of July, 1903. He names as witnesses M. G. Flynn, of Philomath, Oregon; A. L. Hester, of Norton, Oregon; Robert Jones, of Corvallis, Oregon; and J. E. Johnson, of Wren.

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Their joint in thanking the public for the liberal trade and patronage they have received at their hands, and express the confident hope that the business will continue to prosper in the future as it has in the past. Dated Corvallis, Oregon, July 1, 1903. R. H. HUSTON, WILLIAM BOGUE.

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To the Public. I have leased my truck for the period of one year to L. F. Wooster, who will engage in the truck business. I thank my patrons for past favors, and bespeak for my successor a liberal patronage. I have taken office in the Fisher brick, over the postoffice, and shall engage in the real estate, loan and insurance business. I shall be glad to have our list with me, property they have for sale, or houses they have to rent. G. A. ROBINSON, Corvallis, Or.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county, administrator of the estate of Wm. Ariens, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me personally verified as by law required at my office in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 16th day of July, 1903. W. E. YATES, Adm'r of the estate of Wm. Ariens, deceased.

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