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Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County, In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Gustav Hodas, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Benton County, Oregon, the executor of the last will and testament of Gustav Hodas, deceased, and all creditors of the estate of Gustav Hodas must present their claims, with the proper vouchers, to her at her home in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from this date. Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, January 7, 1904. MISSIE L. DENMAN, Executrix of the Estate of Gustav Hodas, deceased.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Or., January 25, 1904. 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 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, Philip H. Johnson of Monmouth, county of Polk, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 122, for the purchase of the E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Section No. 18 in Township No. 15 South Range No. 6 West, with other proof to show that the land sought is suitable for the timber or stone thereon, for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Victor P. Moses, Clerk of Benton County, Oregon, at Corvallis, Oregon, on Friday, the 29th day of April, 1904. He names as witnesses: Charles Newman of Inay, Oregon; Hiram Newman, Fred Huber and John Newman, all of Inay, Oregon.

Registration of Land Title.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County, In the Matter of the Application of John B. McLennan, Plaintiff, to Register the Title to Lots No. 4, 9, 10 and 11, in Block No. 18, in Corvallis, (formerly Marysville), Benton County, Oregon. To Ellen Elizabeth Weiss, William Weiss, Emma Amelia Hawley, W. A. Wells, Mary J. Wells, Clara M. Harding, Gustav Harding, Claid T. Rice, Alice Rice, Edward Taylor, Henry Powell, and Benton County, Oregon, and all whom it may concern, Defendants. In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint and application of plaintiff in the above entitled matter and Court, filed with the Clerk of said Court on the 12th day of February, 1904, on or before the 29th day of March, 1904, said day being the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons made by the County Judge of Benton County, Oregon (which said order is heretofore referred to), to wit, on or before six weeks from the day of first publication hereof. And you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint and application as herein required for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief demanded in said complaint and application, namely for a decree declaring and determining and adjudging that the defendants and each of them have no estate, right, title or interest, in said Lots 4, 9, 10 and 11 and north half of Lot No. 3 in Block 18, in City of Corvallis (formerly Marysville) in Benton County, Oregon, at law or in equity, in possession, expectancy, reversion or remainder and that you and each of you be forever enjoined and declared trust asserting any claim whatsoever in or to said real property adverse to the plaintiff and applicant; that the title to said real property shall be and remain the title of interest of the applicant in said real property and decree the same as in the application stated; and order the register of titles to register the same and for general relief. This summons is published in the Corvallis Gazette once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of February 15th, 1904, in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Watters, County Judge of Benton County, Oregon, dated February 10th, 1904. YATES & YATES, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Fire at Sea Blockaded!

Four Men Burned

Fourteen Lives are Lost

On Steamer Queen!

Fourteen people lost their lives as a result of the fire on the Pacific Coast Company's steamer Queen, from San Francisco to Seattle, early Sunday morning. The origin of the fire is yet unknown. It started in the social hall of the vessel at about 4:30 in the morning and raged for three hours before it was got under control. Three men, waiters on the vessel, were suffocated before they could reach the outer air in safety from their bulks in the glory hole in the after part of the ship, and one woman died from exposure.

Launch The Life Boats!

When Captain Cousins, commander of the vessel, discovered the extent of the fire, which embraced practically all the rear portion of the vessel, he immediately ordered the lifeboats to be launched.

Four boats filled with women and children and sufficient men to man them were dropped from the windward of the vessel, each containing about 16 people.

The first boat capsized almost as soon as it touched the water by getting under the stern of the ship. All the passengers in this were rescued by the other small boats, with the exception of a Miss Steiner, a first-class passenger, who was drawn under the ship when the boat capsized.

The second boat capsized while being lowered. There were no passengers in this at the time, but the crew of four men was spilled out and lost.

A third boat filled about half a mile from the Queen and all but four of its passengers and crew were rescued by the other small craft in the vicinity.

Four Burned to Death

While searching through the charred timbers the eyes of searchers met a horrible sight, for, although it was known that some had been drowned, no one anticipated that fire had marked the accident. Four unfortunates were found, the bodies being partly incinerated. Upon this discovery a muster of passengers and crew was forthwith ordered, with the result of finding that 14 had sacrificed their lives in the accident. Of these the four burned were pantrymen.

Practically the entire aft of the ship is in ruins. The intense heat of the flames has bent and twisted the interior iron work into a shapeless mass, and sailors viewing the ruins today state that they do not understand how it was found possible to get control of the flames. Were it not for the fact that the captain, crew and passengers behaved with the utmost coolness, the vessel would have undoubtedly been destroyed and the loss of life enormous. The vessel carried more than 200 passengers.

Never growl because a newspaper fails to give every scrap of news, so long as you take no pains to give the editor information. We have heard of readers who are much put out because no note was made of friends visiting them, or of social affairs, or of heaven sent babies that arrived in the night. The average newspaper man is not a medium or a timid reader. He wants the news and gets all he can but if you shut up like a clam whenever he comes in sight you cannot expect to see much news regarding yourself and family in the paper.—Ex.

Vladivostok Port Closed

Vladivostok has been blockaded by a Japanese fleet since Thursday.

The Japanese landing at Posiet Bay was for the purpose of establishing a base near at hand to a Russian port.

Wireless signal stations have been established there.

Japs have been landing horses and supplies in Corea. Very few troops have been in motion during the last few days. No action has yet taken place.

Oak Grove.

Born to the wife of Arthur Lawrenson Feb. 23, 1904, a son.

Rev Jones, of Albany, filled the pulpit at Oak Grove Sunday.

Mrs. Doby Johnston is confined to her home quite seriously indisposed.

Robert Bailey and wife spent Monday with their old friend and neighbor, Lewis Wentz.

Mr. Charles Easton, of Albany, was out looking at the M. K. Lewis farm with the intention of buying if pleased with the place.

Isaac Knapp, who has been traveling in the interest of a Portland jewelry house for some time, has concluded to quit the road and take up farming again.

Dick Moore, Clyde Williams and Will Abraham returned to the county seat Monday to take up their work at the O. A. C.

H. J. Moore and Mr. Hasal have been quite busy of late boxing and packing apples preparatory to hauling to Albany, where they receive 50 cts. per bushel net.

Mr. Brogall who came to Oregon last fall and bought a small fruit farm of N. M. Newport is not overjoyed with the fruit business. He thinks one has to give too much labor for the money received and is now looking for a more lucrative business to launch out in.

The voters of Fairmount precinct seem to be very negligent in regard to registering here as elsewhere. The judicial officer of the precinct has only filled out 32 applications for registration so far and two months of the five are passed and gone.

The old maxim, "Consistency thou art a jewel" ought to be applicable to the county affairs as to other things. The average tax payer is almost dumb-founded when he glances over the tax list and notices that his tax has not decreased, but has increased with leaps and bounds and with little to show for the money expended. The people of Fairmount precinct alone pay to the tax collector about \$5028.73. Besides we have something like 120 voters of whom the most are subject to a \$3 poll tax to be credited to the road fund of the district. Where all this money goes to is only to be known by the wisecracks who seem to spend it with a lavish hand as though it cost no one anything, and I suppose it will take eternity itself to solve some of the mysteries which the finite world is not able to penetrate.

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Miss Rose Wing, of Lewisville, is the guest of Mrs. G. W. Denman.

The Willamette Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, which met at Cottage Grove recently, concluded its work by adopting a resolution denouncing state appropriations for universities and normal schools where saloons are licensed and liquors are sold. The Presbytery will meet at Lebanon June 16.

Want Exhibit From Benton.

An official invitation is hereby extended to the county of Benton, to make a special exhibit, either in its own behalf or in connection with some other body, municipal or otherwise, at the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition to be held in Portland in 1905. It is the purpose of the Exposition to encourage comprehensive exhibits by counties and by chambers of commerce, boards of trade and other commercial organizations. For exhibits of this character, illustrating the resources, industries and progress of communities, the following regulations have been provided:

First—The preparing and installing of exhibits by counties or organizations will be left to the counties or organizations in whose name or under whose authority the exhibits are made. Counties or organizations may erect separate buildings, or may install their exhibits in the State buildings of the State in which the county or organization is located. Space will be provided on the Exposition grounds for all buildings erected by counties or organizations and no charge will be made therefore. Plans and specifications for such buildings shall be submitted to the Director-General for his approval. Second—All collective exhibits made by counties and trade organizations will be permitted to participate in the general competition; that is, be both collective and competitive.

I desire to enlist your cooperation and support in this movement, and respectfully to urge early consideration of this invitation so that, if favorable action is taken, we may allot the necessary space and give you ample time to proceed with preparations for your exhibit. Whatever may be the decision upon our invitation, I am satisfied we can shape our plans so as to harmonize all efforts to the end that your exhibit may be highly creditable, not only to your progressive community and state, but to the Exposition as well.

We feel confident that the arrangement we propose will offer to counties an exceptional opportunity of demonstrating their potentialities at the Lewis and Clark Exposition of 1905, and that the result of exhibits made in this way will be beneficial to all.

Very Respectfully, HENRY E. REED, Director of Exploitation.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, February 29, 1904. 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, Benton County, Or., at Corvallis, Or., on April 9, 1904, viz: John C. Olson; H. F. No. 12,136, for the S. W. 1/4 Sec. 32, T. 9 S., R. 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas C. Boyer and Edward D. Baker, of Albany, Oregon; John S. Miller and Frank L. Miller, of Kings Valley, Or. ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

Summons.

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