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It is easy to criticise and find fault with others—to see outside imperfections—but a broad mind will recognize the fact that life is a school—and all is growth—and that even faults and imperfections are good and necessary in the Cosmic scheme. We learn by mistake, and we learn other things by success. Our character is rounded out by a succession of varied experiences.

If you want your town to improve, improve it. Don't go to sleep, but get in and work for it. Push, Get in. Advertise it. Talk about it, and talk favorably. If you have any property, improve it. Clean up your back-yards and make your surroundings pleasant, and you will feel better and your property will be worth dollars in the market. If you are doing reasonably well, advise your far away friends to come and invest near you. Work steadily for your home place and home interests. Trade at home and help your home dealers. Keep your money at home as much as possible, and it is likely to help you in return. The successful towns of the state have been made successful by the property owners pulling together. Public improvement is an investment that pays. Don't waste your time over some dirty neighborhood quarrel, and hold back your aid from some good object through spite, but work for some good, and you will find yourself benefitted. Get at it. Wake up. Rustle. There is no time to be lost, and every little helps. Toot your trumpet and toot it loud.

The coming session of the legislature of Oregon should devise some legislation calculated to more fully protect timber of the state from serious conflagrations, says the Timberman. A suggestion has been made that a bill be framed with a view of instituting a fire patrol under the direction of the sheriff of each county, the tax to maintain the patrol to be levied by a special tax on each district where the patrol is desired. The owners of timber lands would generally be very willing to pay a tax of this nature. If it were practicable to pass a bill restricting the time for lawfully burning a "slashing" from the month of October to 1st of May, much danger of destroying the green timber would be averted. While the farmer comes in for a considerable share of criticism in causing conflagrations, it is well to keep in mind that many loggers are almost criminally careless in their methods, and many serious fires are attributable to their direct negligence. The farmers in the burned sections of Oregon and Washington have probably in the aggregate been the heaviest losers by the recent conflagrations, hence their assistance in urging the legislature to pass remedial fire legislation should be easily secured.

To Improve Snake River.

A party of government engineers will reach Lewiston this week and will leave immediately for the upper Snake river to make a survey of that stream between Lewiston and Pittsburg Landing, says the

Lewiston Tribune. The survey, which will embrace detail soundings, will be made preliminary to inauguration of the improvement work on the river, \$25,000 having been appropriated by the last congress for that purpose. Pittsburg Landing is 10 miles above Imnaha and 70 miles from Lewiston.

A GROWING CITY.

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Enterprise, the Trade Center and Headquarters for the Leading Business Concerns of the County.

The town of Enterprise has reached a point in her career as the metropolis of Wallowa County when her population and business houses are increasing by leaps and bounds. She has always enjoyed a steady, healthy growth, but the fall of 1902 finds her forging ahead at a rapid rate as a result of the solid and substantial foundation that has been previously laid. Five new buildings were erected when the town was first started thirteen years ago and others have been added from time to time until now Enterprise has more stone and brick buildings than any other town this side of LaGrande. Three more stone business houses are now in course of construction, namely, the big hotel, the Calvin & Snyder barbershop and the Chieftain office; and W. J. Funk & Sons will have the stone on the ground this fall and winter for the erection of a fine large fire proof building next Spring. New firms and mercantile stocks are also being added to the business fraternity. New general merchandise stores are being put in by J. C. Rice, of this city and the F. D. McCullum Co., prominent merchants of Joseph and Lostine. The people of Wallowa county will now be able to come to the county seat and know that at some of the firms they can procure any kind or class of goods ever required in ordinary life.

The following is a directory of the present business houses in Enterprise: E. M. & M. Co., General Merchandise. John Calvin, General Merchandise. F. D. McCullum Co., General Merchandise. J. C. Rice, General Merchandise. E. J. Forsythe, Drug Store. J. T. Wasson, Confectionery. Wallowa National Bank, General Banking business. R. L. Day, Meat Market. L. Berland, Harness and Saddlery. Calvin & Snyder, Barber Shop. Mrs. D. Brusha, Millinery. G. L. Ratcliff, Furniture. S. C. Smith, Photographer. E. M. & M. Co., Flour Mill. Stacey & Zurcher, Electric Light Plant.

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Carl Roe, Wallowa Chieftain. Ott Bros., Brewery. Ott Bros., Saloon. Jacob Bauer, Saloon. Mrs. Clara Montgomery, Hotel. Mrs. R. E. Lewis, Hotel. Mrs. L. W. Wiley, Hotel. Mrs. Ellen Boswell, Hotel. Mrs. Mary Reavis, Hotel. J. M. Conner, Telephone Office.

Enterprise has also a good representation in the professions as follows: D. W. Sheahan, Attorney-at-Law. Smith & Hodgin, Attorneys-at-Law. DePue & Cook, Attorneys-at-Law. Burleigh & Burleigh, Attorneys-at-Law.

C. A. Ault, Physician & Surgeon. I. U. Temple, Physician & Surgeon. E. A. Fosner, Dentist.

The future of the city is assured and her population will double in the next two years and the present property owners are to be congratulated that they are in on the ground floor and that the foundation was well laid by the founders for a substantial city. Besides being well built, Enterprise is tributary as a trading point to the Alder Slope, Prairie Creek, and the North End and Whiskey Creek, the leading farming sections of the county. Imnaha, Cheamis, Crow Creek, Swamp Creek and Trout creek, the stock raising sections as well as the copper mines on Lower Imnaha. All these advantages taken into consideration makes the way clear for rapid and immediate growth of the town. Watch its growth.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, Sept. 12, 1902.

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. James S. Magill of Lostine, county of Wallowa, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1475 for the purchase of the SE^{1/4} of Section No. 10 in Township No. 2 S. Range No. 43 E. W. M. 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 J. F. Burleigh U. S. Commissioner at Lostine, Oregon on Monday the 8th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Frank L. Foster, E. O. Foster, E. W. Hinable and F. Mayall of Lostine, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of December, 1902.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Land Office at LaGrande, Oregon.

August 27, 1902. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Grace J. Pratt, testatrix, against homestead entry No. 573, made July 6, 1883, for SE^{1/4}, Section 1, Township 1 S., Range 43 E. W. M. by Jakob John Constance, in which it is alleged that said Jakob John has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six years past since making said entry; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law and has never been improved or cultivated by him, except the building of a small house immediately after filing of said land, that his absence from said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy, or marine corps of the United States, either as a private soldier or officer, during the late war with Spain, or any other war in which the United States may have been engaged.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 20, 1902, before A. C. Smith, U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on October 25, 1902, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in LaGrande, Oregon. The said contestants having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 15, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, Sept. 16, 1902.

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. Elmer J. Forsythe, of Enterprise, county of Wallowa, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1476 for the purchase of the NW^{1/4} of SE^{1/4} of Section No. 32 in Township No. 2 N., Range No. 45 E. W. M. 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 J. F. Burleigh U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon on Saturday the 20th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Joseph P. Avrill and Ella Roberts, of Joseph, Oregon and George R. Miller and Jessie Matheny, of Enterprise, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of December, 1902.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

PUBLIC LAND SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2435 U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the Act of Congress approved February 24, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 23rd day of October next, at 10 a. m., at this office, the following tract of land, to wit:

SW^{1/4}, SE^{1/4}, Sec. 30, twp. 1 S., R. 44 E. W. M., containing 40 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise said lands will be forfeited.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Dated August 26, 1902.

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