

EUGENE AND COURT HOUSE NEWS

Work Progressing on Eugene-Springfield Electric Road--Appraisers file Report--State University Vote

City Attorney L. E. Bean collected \$3500 from the county in favor of the city of Eugene on account of road tax wrongfully assessed against it some time since.

Judge Harris has handed down a decree declaring the marriage contract entered into between Carrie L. Hiltabiddle and Wm. Lane on August 1902, illegal, null and of no force and effect.

H. C. Veatch, Edgar King and C. W. Jackson, appraisers of the estate of Mary Ann Dillard, deceased, Tuesday filed with the probate court their inventory. They found property valued at \$2177.55.

E. A. Wheeler, A. D. Owens and M. F. Babcock, appraisers of the estate of N. Wheeler, deceased found property belonging to the estate valued at \$1700, according to their report, made to the probate court.

Miss Erminie Owen will arrive from Boise, where she has been attending high school for the past year, and her father Wils Owens, says he expects to take his usual Wild West aggregation to spend the summer at London Springs. The girls always have a fine time on these summer outings.

I. B. Cushman was in the city Monday getting up a petition signed by the county court and others asking permission of the war department to allow citizens of western Lane county to make some improvements to the Siuslaw harbor. The people there realize that it may take a year to get the permission required from the war department, and they know it must be secured before they go to work, so they are making a move in that direction now. They propose to bond West Lane county for \$100,000 to make this improvement. It seems a rather uncommon procedure.

PROSECUTOR GEO. M. BROWN ON THE SUNDAY CLOSING LAW

In answer to questions concerning Oregon's Sunday law, prosecuting Attorney Brown said in part: Oregon's Sunday closing law is much narrower in its application and scope than most of the Sunday laws of the different states of the union. This law has been on our statutes since December, 1865, but was amended in 1903 by excepting theatres from its operation and was also amended in 1901 by omitting barbers from its excepted class. I have been quoted as saying that the city should enforce its own Sunday law and I repeat that if the city fathers desire to enforce Sunday closing with exact justice to all, it will be necessary to pass an ordinance under its charter and if the charter is not broad enough it can be amended by the extraordinary power now invested in the city by the initiative and referendum. In order to illustrate the inequalities in the working of the state's Sunday closing law, I call your attention to the fact that Oregon's Sunday law does not make the traffic in or the selling of goods, wares and merchandise a crime, but simply makes it an offense to keep open certain enumerated places for the purpose of traffic or labor. Under the laws of the state of Oregon, it is not a crime to sell ice cream, soda water, tobacco or cigars, etc., upon Sunday, but it is a crime to keep open a store or shop upon that day for the purpose of traffic. In order to

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L. N. Roney has driven piling for about 2000 feet of the trestle on the Eugene-Springfield line of the Portland, Eugene and Eastern, and is making excellent progress with the work.

Geo. W. Breeding was let the contract for building the county bridge across Edward's slough in the vicinity of Junction. His bid was \$989.50. There was only one other bidder, Inman and Stryker, who bid \$1325.

Complete official returns from all counties in the state give the University appropriation bill a majority of 3516. The bill was defeated in Harney county by 54 votes, but carried Wheeler by 101. The total affirmative vote was 55,180, and the total negative 40,664.

W. B. Dillard, county superintendent, has been informed that the school house at Alma, in the southwest part of the county, was totally destroyed by fire. The district was a joint one, part of it lying in Douglas and part of it in Lane. School had closed for the year and it was not stated how the fire was started.

Eva Lynch, the young girl who has been under the care of the juvenile court since the trouble between her mother and a man at Cottage Grove, the charge being dismissed against him, was taken to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society at Portland by Probation officer John M. Williams Saturday.

The county court had to hold over until Monday to finish up its business, but adjourned Monday evening. The court will meet again Saturday to declare the vote for local option and to make the legal announcement in reference to the same. It will also probably also decide at that time on the paving of Park street, which we understand is pretty well agreed on.

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better illustrate my meaning I will say that in the Book & Art store there is a soda fountain and ice cream is served. Under the state law it would be an offense for it to keep open upon Sunday for the purpose of traffic although it sold no books and only sold ice cream and soda water, for the reason that such sale would be made in a place prohibited by the law. In the store of a Drug Co., there is also a soda fountain and ice cream is sold. Under our state law the Drug Company could sell ice cream and soda water upon the Sabbath and it would be no violation of the law, for the reason that the sale of the goods is not against the statute and a druggist has a right to keep open his drug store on Sunday. Cigars and tobacco could also be sold in drug stores upon Sunday and it would be no violation of the law. In order to further illustrate my meaning and reason for saying that there should be a city ordinance covering this matter, I will state that some of our hotels carry cigars for sale. Under the state law cigar stores must close on Sunday, but the hotel keeper can sell cigars on Sunday, and not violate any law of Oregon, for the reason that it is of no offense to sell tobacco and cigars upon Sunday, and hotels are lawfully open upon that day. In other words, the law applies to certain places of business enumerated in the statutes and not to the sale of commodities. There can be no misunderstanding of the construction of the law if a person will carefully read it, which is as follows:

"If any person shall keep open any store, shop or grocery, bowling alley, billiard room or tipping house, for the purpose of labor or traffic, or any place of amusement, on the first day of the week commonly called Sunday, or the Lord's day, such person upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not less than \$5 and not more than \$50: Provided, how-

ever, that the above provision shall not apply to theaters, the keepers of drug stores, doctor shops, undertakers, livery stable keepers, butchers and bakers; and all circumstances of necessity and mercy may be pleaded in defense which shall be treated as questions of fact for the jury to determine when the offense is tried by a jury."—News.

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A little headache at first. Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak. Urinary disorders quickly follow; Diabetes and finally Bright's disease. This is the downward course of kidney ills. Don't take this course. Follow the advice of a Cottage Grove citizen.

Mrs. Alice Coffman, living on the west side, Cottage Grove, Ore., says: "I was in a miserable condition caused by backache and I suffered for a long time, unable to shake off the disease. I was constantly weary and worn out. My general health became undermined and could not get relief. I became discouraged and none of the remedies I used gave me any relief. I happened to learn of Doan's Kidney pills about this time and decided to try them although I did not hope for much relief. I procured a box at Benson's pharmacy and took them carefully. Before I had finished all of the first box I could see that they were helping me. I continued with this remedy and by the time I had finished the third box the disease had completely left me. I am today without a sign of kidney disease and am very grateful to Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Lynx Hollow Items.

Mr. D. P. Sheridan is making an extended visit in Portland. Mr. Duncan Caldwell and family were in Cottage Grove Monday. Miss Winnie Dresser was visiting with relatives and friends in Eugene last week. We are glad to hear that Mr. Ed Lajoie came out best in his land contest trial. Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Sheridan were visiting with Mrs. Smith of Walker Saturday. Mr. Dale Guiley of Creswell has resumed his duties as engineer for the Briggs Lumber Co.

STEEL RANGE GIVEN AWAY

With every 50 cent can of "Blanch Baking Powders," every can guaranteed, your name is set down opposite a number and when 300 cans are sold a sealed number deposited in the First National bank will be opened and the person whose name appears on the list corresponding with the number at the bank, will receive absolutely free, a fine large six lid steel range. Call at our store and see it. METCALF & BRUND.

Best Cold and Grip Remedy. Give Cole's cough and consumption cure a trial. It cures when others fail. It will positively cure lung trouble in the first stages. For sale at leading drug stores of the country or of the manufacturer, Geo. E. Cole, Myrtle Creek, 4-87.

Gasoline Engine For Sale. A fine, almost new 3-horsepower Fairbanks & Morse gasoline engine, tanks and equipment for sale. Inquire at the Leader office.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 8, 1908. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with 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, of Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon, did on Sept 7, 1907, file in this office his sworn statement No. 9559, for the purchase of 3 1/2 SE 1/4 and 3 1/2 SW 1/4 of Section No. 2, in Township No. 19 south, range No. 1, east, 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 W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Tuesday the 25th day of August, 1908.

He names as witnesses: James E. Ostrander of Cottage Grove, Oregon; John W. Veatch of Cottage Grove, Oregon; James Simeral of Cottage Grove, Oregon; Thomas C. Wheeler of Cottage Grove, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the 25th day of August, 1908. %21 BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Lodge Directory.

REBEKAHS—Cottage Grove, No. 24, Meetings 1st, 3rd, and 5th, Friday of every month. ETTA BAKER, N. G. KATHI B. VEATCH, Sec.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Meet 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. MRS. MARY BAKER ORACLE, MRS. C. W. WALLACE, Rec.

Administratrix Notice

In the matter of the estate of W. N. Wheeler, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon, for Lane county, executrix of the estate of W. N. Wheeler, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to me properly verified as required by law, within six months from the date of this notice, at the office of A. H. King, Cottage Grove, Lane county, Oregon.

BERNARD H. LEE, Executrix. A. H. KING, Attorney for Administratrix. Dated this 25th day of May, 1908. 7-11

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Foresters of America—Meeting

First and Third Thursdays. EDWIN TULLAR, Chief Ranger. F. C. COFFMAN, Fin. Sec.

L. O. T. M.—Lady Lamson Hive, No. 42. Meets 2d and 4th Friday of each month. MRS. MARY SCHUMTZ, L. C. MISS LETA SANFORD, R. K.

K. of P.—Juventus Lodge No. 48

Meets every Wednesday night. J. E. OSTRANDER, C. C. CHAS. VANDENBERG, K. of R. & S.

O. E. S.—Cottage Grove Chapter No. 4. Meetings held on 2d and 4th Friday of each month. MRS. MAE THOMPSON, W. M. MRS. T. C. WHEELER, W. P. MRS. GRACE BRUND, Sec.

W. R. C.—Appomattox W. R. C. No. 12

Meets at 1 p. m. on the 2d and 4th Saturday of each month. MARY DICKEY, Pres. E. JENNIE WOODS, Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—Cottage Grove, No. 51

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month. T. C. WHEELER, W. M. L. F. WOOLEY, Sec.

Notice

Want to engage an experienced dam builder. Address J. T. HUNT, Willwood, Oregon.

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August 6, 7, 21, 22

REMEMBER THE DATES

For any further information call on J. M. ISHAM, Local Agent, or write W. M. McMURRAY, General Passenger Agent, PORTLAND, OREGON.

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

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, March 20, 1908. 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, of Cottage Grove, county of Lane, state of Oregon, has this day, April 5, 1907, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 9070 for the purchase of the 8 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, (being lot 2) of Section No. 2 in Township No. 22 South, Range No. 3 west, 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 W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Tuesday, 10th day of August, 1908.

He names as witnesses: William Van Gordon, Rufus Rollins, Orin Johnson, of Cottage Grove, Oregon; John Crowley, of Portland, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 18th day of August, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 7, 1908. 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, of Cottage Grove, county of Lane, State of Oregon, did on Feb. 11, 1908, file in this office his sworn statement No. 9552 for the purchase of the 3 1/2 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of Section No. 30, in Township No. 20 S., Range No. 2 W., 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 W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on Saturday, the 22d day of August, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Henry Fisher, Ed Jones, Dan Brumbaugh, H. Veatch of Cottage Grove, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 22d day of August, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 11th, 1908. Notice is hereby given that GEORGE KROLL of Lorane, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 1079, made June 13, 1901, for the W 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 20, Township 20 S. Range 4 West, W. M., and that said proof will be made before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 18th day of July, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Edward E. Farman of Lorane, Oregon; Ned J. Crow of Lorane, Oregon; W. H. Davis of Lorane, Oregon; Eliza H. Crow of Lorane, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 14th day of July, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Registration of Land Title.

In the circuit court of the State of Oregon for Lane county. In the matter of the application of William Van Gordon to register the title the north half of the north east quarter of section 2 in township 21 south of range 3 west of meridian; and also that part of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 35 in township 20 south of range 3 west of Willamette meridian, lying south of the river containing in all about 100 acres of land in Lane county, State of Oregon, to J. E. Danewood, Hiram K. Rawlings, the Oregon & Southern railroad, a corporation, Martin Montgomery and Samuel Knox and to all whom it may concern: Take notice.

That on the 5th day of May, 1908, an application was filed by said William Van Gordon, in the circuit court of Lane county, for initial registration of the land above described.

Now, unless you appear on or before the 27th day of June, 1908, and show cause why said application should not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

WILLIAM VAN GORDON, Applicant. J. E. YOUNG, His Attorney.

E. U. LEE, County Clerk. By C. D. LEE, Deputy.

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