

**Spirited Defense of Normal**

I was quite interested in an article Mr. E. A. Easton had in the last paper concerning the Normal School. Mr. Easton stated that the chief reason for attending Normal is to avoid being examined for a teacher's certificate. If this is the case, most people make uphill work of avoiding teacher's examinations. It requires one year's work at the Normal to get an elementary certificate and two years to get a five year paper. It seems to me that the most stupid person could prepare for the teacher's examinations in a great deal less time and with far less expense than it takes to go to Normal.

I would further like to state that rather than avoiding examinations, one is getting into them by going to Normal. For after taking a subject, it is compulsory that one pass a creditable examination in the same before he is granted credit for it. The examinations occur the latter part of each twelve weeks' term and there being three such terms in a year, one comes in contact with examinations quite frequently. A student carries five subjects each term, so that he is examined in fifteen subjects in a year and over thirty in the full Normal course. So my advice to anyone, who is going to Normal to avoid examinations is, "Stay away, it is the wrong place for you."

I would like to ask Mr. Easton if people go to Normal to avoid examinations, why do we see so many attending these each summer, who have life certificates and the fear of an examination never enters their minds?

Mr. Easton also stated that the one Normal school that exists in Oregon "cannot entice enough flies to keep its web full." Here I wish to remind Mr. Easton of the fact that it was necessary since Christmas to open a new dormitory, as there was not room for the students in the spacious dormitory, cottage and halls, besides other buildings in town that have been fitted up just for students, as well as the many homes in Montmouth where students are kept. It was also necessary recently to add a wing to the Normal building to give more class room space and a larger chapel.

The Normal further enlarged its "web" last fall by increasing its faculty several members. Yes, Mr. Easton, the "web" is full and has to be enlarged constantly to meet the increasing enrollment. I feel convinced that if Mr. Easton ever had the pleasure of visiting the Normal School and seeing the splendid work done there and then to visit the Montmouth and Independence public schools and the three rural schools conducted by the Normal that he would be of the same opinion as the many others who have visited there. "That the Normal is certainly doing a grand and noble work for Oregon." It is here that the teachers receive the training that makes them persons worthy to teach the boys and girls of Oregon.

Every man and woman can be justly proud of our one Normal school and should be glad to stand by such a school and make Oregon's Normal one of the best normals in the United States. Everyone boost for the Oregon Normal School and give your co-operation and it will do even greater things in the future than it has done in the past.—Teressa Devereux.

**Nature Provides Material**

An extensive deposit of silica and iron, said to be the best material for road construction found in the Coast range in Oregon, has been uncovered in western Lane county, near Hecata lighthouse. The silica and iron are soft and can be easily worked, but when mixed with sand and rolled they served as a binder and make a hard surface of excellent wearing qualities. The deposit is close to the ocean beach and on the line of the proposed Roosevelt highway. It has been traced for a distance of 1,000 feet and is covered by about a foot of soil.

**Chops Off Finger**

The eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox suffered the loss of an index finger. He was endeavoring to chop wood when the axe slipped and caught his finger, severing it completely.—Bandon World.

The Sentinel and the Oregon Farmer can still be obtained for \$2.15 for one year.

**Catarrah Cannot Be Cured**

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**Bandon Has Epidemic**

At a special meeting of the Bandon city council Thursday, January 14, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, an epidemic of diphtheria seems to exist in the City of Bandon and public health is in danger, it is therefore

"Resolved by the City of Bandon that all public places and gatherings, including house parties, churches, Sunday schools, lodges, dances, basketball games, card games and pool games, be and is hereby ordered closed in strict compliance with the health law.

"This order to take effect immediately and to continue until further notice, and that parents be requested to keep their children off the streets and at home as much as possible."

The school board also closed the schools on the same day.

Speaking of the diphtheria epidemic the World says:

"The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schmitt, who has been ill for a week, passed away at the family home of diphtheria. The little one was ill several days before the nature of his ailment was determined.

"Little Robert Perry Zentner, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Zentner, is quite sick suffering from an attack of diphtheria. The little fellow has been sick but a few days and the parents are at a loss to know where he could have been exposed."

**Model Farm for Coos**

It is expected that formal announcement will be made at Salem or Portland this week of the establishment of a model farm in Coos county by the Oregon Settlement and Land Reclamation Commission, says the Coos Bay Times. Prof. Scudder, who was here last week, stated that he would recommend that the one in Coos be located on the tract at the junction of Coos river and Catching Inlet, recently reclaimed by Messrs. Damsert, Adelsperger and Conrad.

If the selection is approved, thirty or forty acres will be taken and the buildings erected next spring and by another year, the model farm will be in full operation. Model buildings of all kinds, necessary equipment, thoroughbred stock and poultry, will be placed on it by the state. The tract will then be sold on easy terms to a man capable of handling it according to state direction and on condition that it be operated according to the state commission's wishes for a period of five years as a demonstration farm.

Ten such farms will be established in Oregon by the commission.

**Sailors' Wages Cut**

Sailors on the steam schooner Yellowstone are working for \$50 a month now, whereas before the first of the year they were getting \$90. The cut came in connection with other lowering of wages. The situation in shipping is such that sailors are fortunate to have any work at all, so far as the coasting traffic is concerned. So many boats are laid off there are thousands of sailors idle, and the ones who are supplied with berths are feeling the slackness in business very keenly, as a reduction of \$40 a month shows.—Marshfield News.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, as the administrator of the estate of Edward Laswell, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified that they are required to present the same with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at the law offices of J. J. Stanley in the First National Bank Building, in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published this 21st day of January, 1921.  
Ralph Lasswell,  
Administrator of the Estate of Edward Laswell, Deceased. 115

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

Beaver Slough Dredging Projects Nos. 2 and 3.

Notice is hereby given that not later than 10 o'clock a. m., January 26, 1921, the County Court will receive bids for Beaver Slough Dredging Projects Nos. 2 and 3 as follows:

Bids may be made upon Projects Nos. 1, 2 or 3 separately, or Projects 2 and 3 may be joined, but bids upon Project No. 1 shall be made separately. Project No. 2 shall consist of a dike approximately one-half mile in length across Beaver Slough in a general east and west direction on the newly acquired right of way secured for the North Bank Road, and bids therefor shall be by the yard. Project No. 3 will be a dike one-fourth of a mile more or less in length across what is

known as "Pitt Marsh," running in a general north and south direction, and is located on the right of way acquired by the County, or the road known as the North Bank Road, the successful bidder to provide his own access of approach for his machinery to this piece of work. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bids shall be by the yard, and the throwing of the dike shall be under the supervision of the County Court or its duly authorized agents, width and height to be specified as the work progresses. A certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany each bid.

The County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated January 5, 1921.  
I. F. Bunch, County Clerk,  
By R. E. Caughron, Deputy.

**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final report in the matter of the Estate of Elbridge Haskins, deceased, and the County Judge of Coos County, Oregon, has appointed Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the Court House at Coquille City, Coos County, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final report and the settlement of said estate.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1921.  
Bessie Bridges,  
Administratrix of the estate of Elbridge Haskins, deceased.

**SUMMONS**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, In and For the County of Coos  
J. W. Parry, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Edward Winkle, Malvina G. Simons, formerly Malvina G. Winkle; Mary Phipps, formerly Mary Flournoy; Sadie Sheridan, formerly Sadie Flournoy; and Alexander Flournoy; and all heirs, or persons claiming to be heirs at law, of Edward Winkle or of Rowland Flournoy; and any and all other persons claiming or having any estate, right, title or interest, in law or equity, in or to the hereinafter described real estate, or any portion thereof, Defendants.

Suit in Equity to Quiet Title. To Edward Winkle and Alexander Flournoy; and all heirs or persons claiming to be heirs at law, of Edward Winkle or of Rowland Flournoy; and any and all other persons claiming or having any estate, right, title or interest, in law or equity, in or to the hereinafter described real estate, or any portion thereof, Defendants.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the Complaint of the above named Plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause, in the office of the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this Summons, namely within six weeks from the 10th day of December, 1920, the same being January 21st, 1921, and the same being the last day of the time prescribed in the Order of Publication of Summons herein, for the Defendants to answer the Plaintiff's Complaint, and if you fail so to appear and answer said Complaint, for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief demanded in his said Complaint, of which the following is a succinct statement, viz: That you, said Defendants, be ordered to produce all claims which any of you have or make upon the whole or any part of the real property involved in this suit; that this Court determine said claims to be invalid and of no effect and perpetually restrain you from asserting them thereafter; that all such claims be quieted and that Plaintiff, Volney Huntley, be declared to be the owner in fee and of right in the possession of all the real property described in the Complaint of Plaintiff on file herein, namely:

Beginning at a point on the section line between sections 10 and 11 in township 29 South, of Range 12 West, of the Willamette Meridian, 40 rods South of the Northeast corner of said section 10, and running thence west to the right bank of the North Fork of the Coquille River; thence down said river along said right hand bank to the section line between sections 2 and 3; thence south on said section line to the place of beginning, containing 63 acres of land, more or less, said real property being situated in Coos County, Oregon; and that Plaintiff have such other relief as to the Court may seem equitable.

This summons is served upon said Defendants by publication thereof for the period of six weeks successively, by virtue of an order of publication made by Hon. C. R. Wade, County Judge of Coos County, Oregon, dated December 9th, 1920. The date of the first publication of this Summons is December 10th, 1920.

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any estate, right, title or interest, in law or equity, in or to the hereinafter described real estate, or any portion thereof, Defendants.  
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Beginning on the East bank of the North Fork of the Coquille River at the Southwest corner of Lot numbered 2, in Section 10, Township 29 South, of Range 12 West, of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence East to the Southeast corner of said Lot 2; thence North 120 rods; thence West to said North Fork of the Coquille River; thence up stream to the place of beginning; and that Plaintiff have such other relief as to the Court may seem equitable.  
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