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Once again the holidays are with us. Before another issue of The Echo has reached its numerous readers the New Year shall be with us. That it will be a happy one and full of prosperity for all, is our earnest wish.

Several senators and representatives from Eastern Oregon are reported to be in favor of passing a bill for appropriating \$100,000 for a government canal right-of-way. These fellows musn't like their jobs. Popular sentiment is not in favor of legislation at the special session other than upon tax matters. To spring some new matters at a short special session regardless of public opinion and without considering public opinion is a kind of star-chamber proceeding that won't be tolerated. The Oregonian began a series of articles on the subject of diverting the portage road appropriation to the purchase of a canal route. It didn't get very far on this track before it was excitedly explaining that it was the true friend of the portage road. This move for an appropriation now shows what the true intent of that paper was. The Eastern Oregon members are being used as catpaws for a political drag by the Scott-Moody combine. If there is any credit to be gained by the game, Scott and Moody will claim it. If on the other hand, there is any blame to assume, it will have to be borne by the legislators.

It is about time for the democrats to make their choice of men for candidates for president and vice-president. A tone of friendliness and reasonableness seems to pervade the party and its chances are improved thereby. As for candidates, there seems to be no dearth. Olney, the father of the American Navy, is a sterling and trustworthy man for the presidential nomination; Harrison, of Chicago, is another man who has high-class executive ability and is honest beyond question; Francis, of Missouri, is also a good man and Gorman of Maryland is an acute politician. For the position of vice-president Folk, of Missouri, would be the best selection. Although a man of late prominence, he has been the scourge of political dishonesty. Such a man would be needed about the government departments at Washington. The feeling now existing at the capital seems to be that honesty is a great drawback to success.

Just about the time that Hitchcock had made up his mind that all Oregonians were thieves, he was told by Senator Fulton that if he would investigate his own department he would find that it was the headquarters for timber reserve thefts. Now comes the information that an employee of the interior department has been found who furnished the information to the reservists. The wail of the secretary of the interior was to cover frauds, rather than discover them. If he thought that he could use the citizens of Oregon as scape-goats for his own delinquencies, he is now disillusioned.

Why doesn't some one take Scott's candidacy seriously? It must be disagreeable to a man to be a standing political joke. Since Uncle Harvey has entered

the domain of practical politics, and become an erect, but not stationary, candidate for the United States Senate, the change which has come over the Oregonian in its comments on state politics and politicians puts one in mind of the testimony of a witness in the late Thomson land-fraud case. Our old friend, R. Alexander, of Pendleton, was called to impeach the principal witness, Cunningham. "Would you believe him on oath," asked the attorney. "I couldn't say that I would and I don't like to say that I wouldn't" was the reply. Anything more delightfully indefinite were hard to imagine.—Portland Brieflet.

This place is daily hearing of new projects which tend toward city building. This week we chronicle a new telephone project and also a movement for a new bridge over Crooked river at Forest's place. The sale of city lots is going along briskly and THE Echo is receiving letters of inquiry from Eastern people in every mail.

The strikers in Chicago are refusing to permit the dead to be buried, lest they suffer thereby. When a cause demands such actions as these, it has all the evidences of the meanest and most inhumane self-huess; a greed that recognizes no limitations.

The Crook County Journal does not believe that the C. S. R. R. will ever reach this place. The Journal man seems to have exhausted his fund of hopefulness years ago and to have grown cynical.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
October 24, 1903.

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, Patrick Rowan, of Prineville, county of Crook, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2624, for the purchase of the se qr sw qr sec 5, n hf nw qr of sec 8, s. ne qr ne qr sec 7, n hf nw qr of sec 8, range No. 16 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 G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Thursday, the 4th day of February, 1904. His name as witness: William St. Thomas, Theodore St. Thomas, Charles H. Erickson, of Prineville, Oregon; George Schlecht, of Bend, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of February, 1904. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
October 16, 1903.

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, Charles Seelye, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2254, for the purchase of the n hf sw qr, nw qr ne qr, se qr sw qr of sec 28, tp 2 s, r 14 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 G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1904. His name as witness: Robert Patterson, F. M. Chrisman, Andrew Nelson, B. Cady, all of Silver Lake, 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 13th day of January, 1904. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
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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, the following named persons have on this day, filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit: Francis M. Roberts, Lima, (Rural delivery No. 2) county of Allen, state of Ohio. Sworn statement No. 2270, for the purchase of the se 1/4 sec 3, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w. m. Emil Nelson, of Seattle, county of King, state of Washington. Sworn statement No. 2271, for the purchase of the se 1/4 ne 1/4, ne 1/4, sec 14, sw 1/4, nw 1/4, qr sec 15, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w. m. That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Thursday, the 13th day of January, 1904. They name as witnesses: Charles H. Erickson, Henry A. Foster, of Prineville, Oregon; Emil Nelson, of Seattle, Washington; Ephraim F. Roberts, of Lima, Ohio. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 13th day of January, 1904. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
September 30, 1903.

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, the following named persons have on this day, filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit: George E. Marvin, of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1981, for the purchase of the se qr ne qr, w hf ne qr, nw qr se qr sec 27, tp 21 s, r 14 e, w. m. Julia E. Marvin, of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 1981, for the purchase of the ne qr sec 4, tp 21 s, r 15 e, w. m. That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1903. They name as witnesses: Louis Nelson, Ole Erickson, Gilbert Hagen, of Bend, Oregon; Charles Carlson, Julia Marvin, George Marvin, of Shaniko. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 30th day of December, 1903. E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
October 17, 1903.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
October 17, 1903.

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, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit: Henry L. Van Cleave of South Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2415, for the purchase of the ne qr sec 28, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Henry J. Schommer of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2416, for the purchase of the nw qr sec 28, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. James Mooney of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2417, for the purchase of the sw qr sec 28, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Harry E. Hopkins of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2418, for the purchase of the se qr sec 28, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Albert F. Chadwick of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2420, for the purchase of the nw qr sec 33, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Frank Nathan of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2421, for the purchase of the sw qr sec 33, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Theodor Olson of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon; sworn statement No. 2824, for the purchase of the se qr sec 17, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Frank R. Albright of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2825, for the purchase of the nw qr nw qr sec 21, n hf ne qr and sw qr ne qr sec 20, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Enoch R. Logne of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2826, for the purchase of the nw qr sec 32, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Charles O. Osterlund of Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2827, for the purchase of the ne qr sec 32, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Narcis A. Caron of Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2828, for the purchase of the se qr sec 32, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Robert D. McEwen of Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2829, for the purchase of the sw qr sec 32, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Herman A. Zaeban of Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2830, for the purchase of the ne qr sec 29, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. John P. Mahan of Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2831, for the purchase of the e hf nw qr and sw qr nw qr sec 29 and se qr sw qr sec 20, tp 22 s, r 11 e, w. m. Frank A. Hilger of West Superior, county of Douglas, state of Wisconsin; sworn statement No. 2832, for the purchase of Lots 12, 13, 14 and 15, sec 19, tp 23 s, r 11 e, w. m. That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Wednesday the 20th day of January, 1904. They name as witnesses: Henry Van Cleave, of South Superior, Wis; Henry J. Schommer, James Mooney, Harry E. Hopkins, Isidor Abraham, Albert F. Chadwick, Frank Nathan, Frank R. Albright, Enoch R. Logne, Frank A. Hilger, of West Superior, Wis. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 20th day of January, 1904. 631-j2 E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,  
October 2, 1903.

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, the following named persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit: Jonas A. Ostrom of Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois; sworn statement No. 2094, for the purchase of the n hf se qr and e hf sw qr sec 11, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w. m. Charles Carlson of Shaniko, county of Wasco, state of Oregon; sworn statement No. 2095, for the purchase of the nw qr ne qr, n hf nw qr and sw qr nw qr sec 14, tp 22 s, r 14 e, w. m. That they will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said land before G. B. Wardwell, U. S. Commissioner at Silver Lake, Oregon, on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1904. They name as witnesses: Louis Nelson, Ole Erickson, of Bend, Or; Charles Carlson, of Shaniko, Or; Annie Solberg, of Bemidji, Minn; Jonas A. Ostrom, of Chicago, Ill. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 5th day of January, 1904. 631-j2 E. M. BRATTAIN, Register.

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