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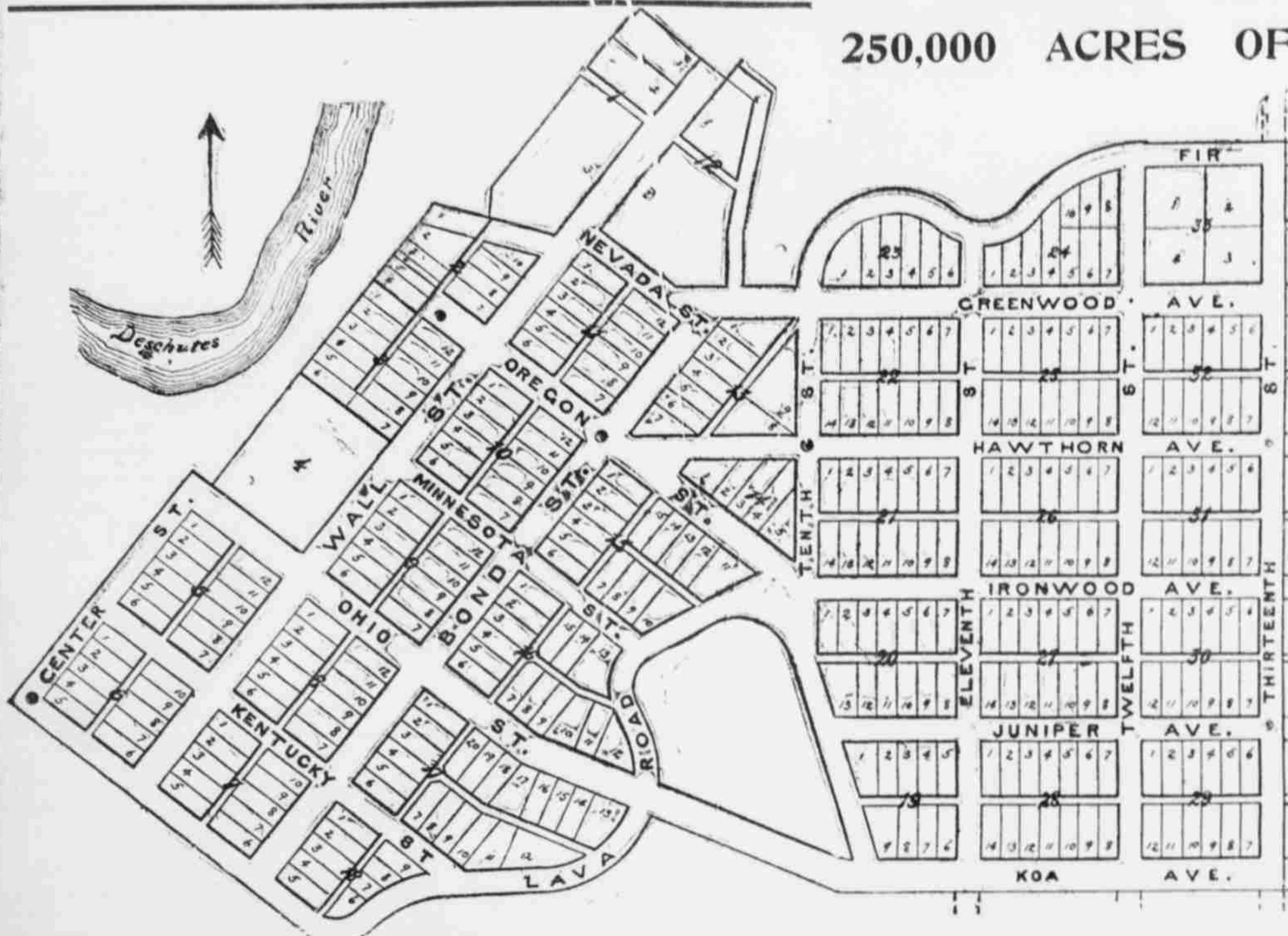
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## IT'S UP TO JUDGE BELL.

**Culver Taxpayers Want Graft Money Returned to County.**

The Madras Pioneer has an interesting letter in its last issue, voicing the sentiment of Culver taxpayers relative to county division matters. It also "touches up" the Rev. H. M. Street and adds to his present degree of fame. The article follows:

"Editor Pioneer: As several have been writing lately in regard to the new county, we of Culver wish to say a few words. All we have to say is that if the taxpayers of the proposed county want the division and are willing to shoulder the expense, whose business is it? We are surely capable of looking after our own affairs.

"And the people of Haystack precinct don't propose to be guided by the Rev. Homer Street. He is too well known hereabouts, having lived here at one time. The people here have not forgotten the donation work done on his ranch, when the neighbors gathered in and grubbed sagebrush and fenced and plowed his land. Then when the improvements were made he sold them and pocketed the cash. So his writings now have not much weight with us Haystackers.

"Judge Bell has acknowledged that the expenses of the delegation sent from Prineville two years ago to fight the creation of Stockman county were paid out of Crook county funds because some of the

citizens requested it, and that he was one of the parties that received part of the money. Inasmuch as Judge Bell says that if it was wrong (we are sorry we have a judge that doesn't understand the law) he would replace it, now we, the taxpayers of this community, propose that the money be returned to the county funds with interest, and if not, we propose that the expenses of the delegates sent from Madras and Bend to work for the new counties be paid out of the county funds. We help raise these funds and expect to see that we have fair play when we do happen to find out any of the 'graft.'

"Several of my friends have requested that I write this article for the Pioneer, and in doing so I have voiced the sentiments of a number of taxpayers of this community.

MRS. W. H. PECK,  
Culver, February 10, 1907.

## Did They Count Them?

George Millican came in from his Pine Mountain ranch the other day, says the Prineville Journal, and brings a story that is enough to make the heart of the hunter rejoice. A number of vaqueros were looking for cattle on the desert and ran across a band of 350 antelope about 12 miles from Mr. Millican's ranch. The cow boys ran into the band and stampeded them. They could strike the animals with their quirts. It is said that it is no unusual thing for large bands of antelope to make their way to the desert from the mountains after a heavy fall of snow. This year the snow is unusually heavy.

## Two Days Without Food.

Manford Nye had quite a thrilling experience a week or so ago, says the Prineville Journal. He left the ranch of George Millican to go to his home on Bear creek. The heavy fall of snow made everything look alike to Mr. Nye and consequently he lost his way. He wandered around on horseback for two days and nights before he ran across familiar landmarks. When he finally got his bearings he was 30 miles from home. During his exposure he was without food or shelter. He did not even have any matches with which to build a fire.

## Bend Teacher Honored.

At a meeting of the Crook county Educational Union held Monday the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Margaret Elkins, Prineville; vice-president, Miss Ruth Reed, of Bend; secretary, Miss Bertha White, Prineville; treasurer, Miss Cora Ferguson, Prineville. The votes for the different candidates were close, the successful ones winning by a small plurality. The Union will take up active work in outside localities as soon as the weather permits.—Journal.

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## Timber Land, Act of June 3, 1895, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, January 11, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1895, 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, 1896, the following persons have filed in this office their sworn statements, to-wit:

Elmer Niswonger, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 328, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 22, T. 14 S., R. 14 E., W. 11.

Josephine M. M. Weymouth, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 329, for the purchase of the E 1/2 sec 22, T. 14 S., R. 14 E., W. 11.

That they will offer proof to show that the lands sought are more valuable for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said lands before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his official place of business in Bend, Oregon, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1907.

They name as witnesses: Charles D. Brown, Charles M. Weymouth, Elmer Niswonger, Josephine M. M. Weymouth, all of Bend, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any of the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 15th day of April, 1907.

J. N. WATSON, Register.

**Land to Clear.**  
Parties engaged in clearing lands are invited to submit figures on cost of clearing 55 acres in S 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec. 22-17-12, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Bend, Oregon.—H. SPINING, Wilbur, Washington. 46-49



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James V. Whitsett, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 327 for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 22, T. 14 S., R. 14 E., W. 11.

Henry L. Whitsett, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 328 for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 22, T. 14 S., R. 14 E., W. 11.

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 lands before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his official place of business at Bend, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 13th day of March, 1907.

They name as witnesses: Anna E. Stirling, James V. Whitsett, Fred A. Shoup, Francis H. Morrison, Henry L. Whitsett, all 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 the said 13th day of March, 1907.

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Mary A. Monroe, of Spokane, county of Spokane, state of Washington, sworn statement No. 326, filed November 17, 1906, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 21, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., W. 11.

Ida Maguire, of Spokane, county of Spokane, state of Washington, sworn statement No. 327, filed November 17, 1906, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 21, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., W. 11.

Arthur M. Vassall, of Falls City, county of Polk, state of Oregon, sworn statement No. 324, filed December 24, 1906, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 20, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., W. 11.

That they will offer proof to show that the lands sought are more valuable for the timber or stone thereon than for agricultural purposes, and to establish their claims to said lands before the Register and Receiver, at The Dalles, Oregon, on March 30, 1907.

They name as witnesses: Ida Maguire and Mary A. Monroe of Spokane, Washington; B. J. Ahl of Howard, Oregon; Michael Morrison of Bend, Oregon; Clarence E. Dawson of The Dalles, Oregon; Arthur M. Vassall, Jennie Vasego; Emma Starbird of Monticello, Oregon.

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Charles M. Weymouth, of Bend, county of Crook, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 325 for the purchase of the NW 1/4 sec 21, T. 14 S., R. 14 E., W. 11.

He names as witnesses: Francis H. Morrison, of Ludlow, Oregon; Henry L. Whitsett, William Weerman, Bevert Debing, all of Bend, Oregon.

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## CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,  
January 11, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph M. Hoover, contestant, against homestead entry No. 2100, made December 4, 1904, for the NW 1/4, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., W. 11 by John C. Ellis, contestant, in which it is alleged that said John C. Ellis has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months last year, that said tract is not within upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, that said alleged absence was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are being notified to appear and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 4, 1907, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Bend, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 11, 1907, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 8, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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