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*Yours truly,*
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Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,
July 1, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Cora B. Smith, formerly Cora B. Chapman, of Bend, Oregon, who, on June 27th, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 07393, for Lot 3 and S½NW¼ Section 2, and SW¼SW¼ Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 11 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Bend, Oregon, on the 14th day of August, 1909.

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United States Land Office,
The Dalles, Or., Nov. 15, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that on November 1st the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906, Public No. 303, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 7th day of July, 1909, next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit: SE¼ SW¼ Sec. 13, Twp. 21 S., R. 11 E. W. M.

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## CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office, The Dalles, Or.,
June 17, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Charles W. Barksdale, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 07393, made December 27, 1906, for Lots 3, 4, S½NW¼, Section 2, and SW¼SW¼ Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 11 East, Willamette Meridian, by Cora B. Smith, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Cora B. Smith has never established a residence on said land, but has wholly abandoned said land; that her absence therefrom is not due to her employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States in time of war.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on July 31, 1909, 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 July 31, 1909, before the Register and Receiver at the United States land office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed April 19, 1909, 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.

C. W. MOORE, Register.
10-15-29 LOUIS H. ARTHUR, Receiver.
C. E. KEENAN, Atty for Contestant.

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## RESTORATION TO ENTRY OF LANDS IN THE DESCHUTES RIVER.

Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing the entire, within the Deschutes National Forest, Oregon, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906 (34 Stat. at Large, 233), at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, on July 11, 1910. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1, 1908, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the application of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler complies and is entitled to make homestead entry and the preference right is exercised prior to July 11, 1910, on which date the lands will be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. The lands are as follows: The W½ of NE¼, the W½ of E½ of NE¼, the W½ of NW¼, the W½ of E½ of NW¼, the W½ of NE¼ of SW¼, the W½ of E½ of NW¼ of SW¼, the W½ of E½ of NW¼ of SW¼, Sec. 25, T. 21 S., R. 9 E., W. M., 125 acres, listed upon the application of C. B. Cranmer, of Bend, Oregon. Also the E½ of E½ of NW¼ of NE¼, the W½ of NE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, T. 21 S., R. 9 E., 75 acres, application of William H. Hollingshead, of Redmond, Oregon. FRED W. LEINNETT, Commissioner of the General Land Office. Approved May 15, 1909. FRANK PIERCE, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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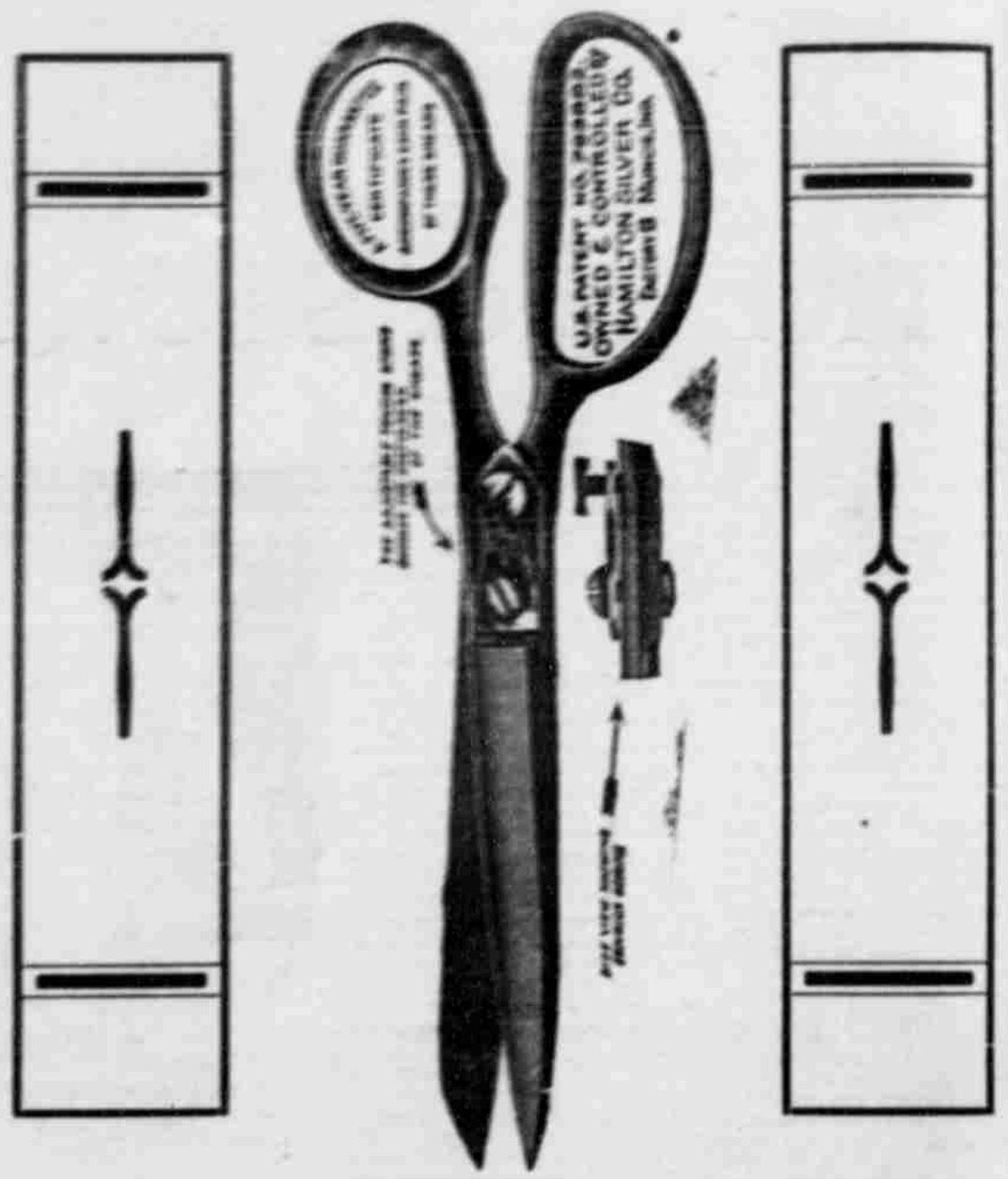


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