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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Master Ronald Sellers was the proud host yesterday afternoon to a number of his boy and girl friends, the occasion being in honor of Ronald's sixth birthday. A handsome large cake with six sparkling candles made its appearance with other appropriate refreshments, at the proper time, to which the guests did ample justice. The guests, as well as the host, enjoyed themselves fully, and the little friends are always glad when Ronald has a birthday.

As is always the case during extremely cold weather, the turbulent old Deschutes has much ice frozen on its rocky and mossy bottom, while the surface remains open, except for the floating "mush ice." Through the crystal-clear water one may look down at the moss beds and behold a queer spectacle in the form of huge, oblong, semi-transparent ice formations, hanging to the ends of the numerous moss clumps, swaying to and fro and reminding one of an embryo of a huge sea serpent—and daily growing larger, while the cold weather lasts.

J. H. Wenandy has recently bought quite a "snag" of hay from ranchers hereabouts—84 tons from G. W. Wimer & Sons, 70 tons from I. J. Wimer, and 40 tons from R. D. Chesley near Redmond. In addition to this Cal Eaton and A. D. Morrill, of Powell Buttes, are now delivering at the barn hay which was purchased last fall. Bend is the leading market of this entire section for hay and all other kinds of farm produce. A farmer need never bring a load of produce to Bend and take it back with him. Instead he invariably returns home with an empty wagon but with money in his pocket.

A very pleasant social event of the Holiday season was that given last Wednesday evening by Mrs. H. E. Allen and Miss Cornelia Wilson at the home of Mrs. Allen. A number of games of various kinds and descriptions helped to pass the time most rapidly and enjoyably, certain prizes being offered by the hostesses for the most proficient of the contestants. In these contests Miss Nona Richardson succeeded in capturing the ladies' prize, while Mr. E. M. Lara and Mr. H. J. Overturf walked off with those for the gentlemen. Later in the evening refreshments were served. The guests present were Miss Richardson, Miss Wiest, the Misses Markel, Miss Johnston, Miss Reid, the Misses Horton, Miss Young, Mr. Coe, Mr. Steffa, Mr. May, Mr. Sylvester Staats, Mr. Prince Staats, Mr. Overturf, Mr. Lara, Mr. Rockfellow. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. James Boyd.

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Says Many Will Come.

Daniel Nordstrom of Alvarado, Minn., is in Bend this week with the intention of buying irrigated land. Mr. Nordstrom is very well pleased with what he finds here and is confident the Bend country is a good place in which to make investments. He came to Bend from Stanfield, Or., where he had purchased irrigated land, raw and unimproved, paying $250 an acre for it, and he said the price was to be advanced to $350 an acre after January 1. Hence irrigated land around Bend at $40 an acre looks especially good to him.

"A large number of people in Minnesota and the Dakotas are looking this way," said Mr. Nordstrom, "and next spring some 20 or 30 people that I know of are coming out from Fargo." Mr. Nordstrom was also well pleased with the Bend climate and says he intends to locate here.

Pleased with Article.

Office of Portland Union Stockyards Company, Portland, Or., December 30, 1909.—Editor The Bulletin, Bend, Or.—My dear sir: I am in receipt of clipping from your paper which gives the report of the Christmas cattle exhibition and sale at the Portland Union Stock Yards. This is one of the best write-ups of the sale that has appeared in any paper outside of Portland and individually, as well as on behalf of the Exchange, I desire to thank you for same.

I hope to see you at the Portland Union Stock Yards at some time when I will take pleasure in showing you what we are doing in the matter of building up a great livestock market in the Pacific Northwest. Yours very truly,

D. O. LIVELY,
General Agent.

Lumber Business Booming.

Loggers of the Columbia river expect the new year will see more raw material handled in their camps than ever before in the history of the industry within a similar period. The lumber trade is said to be booming and the present year promises great activity. Many mills are short of logs and camps will resume operations in February instead of waiting for spring. New mills in the Columbia river district have drawn heavily upon the usual log supply until it is less than usual at this season of the year. Mills are said to be filled up with orders that will keep them busy for the coming three months.

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15-j26 A. S. IRELAND, Supervisor.

CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Or.,
December 18, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by ELMER NISWONGER, contestant, against Entry No. 14668, made December 15, 1904, for N½NW¼, NW¼SW¼, SW¼NW¼ Section 27, Twp. 16 S., R. 14 E. Willamette Meridian, by THOMAS H. FAIR, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Thomas H. Fair has wholly abandoned said homestead for more than six months last past and has failed to improve and cultivate the same 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 hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 16, 1910, before H. C. Ellis, a U. S. Commissioner at his office in Bend, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 25, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 16, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

j1-f9 C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Or.,
December 22, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that—

ELMER J. MERRILL,

of Rosland, Oregon, who, on January 18th, 1909, made Homestead Entry No. 3361, Serial No. 01231, for Lots 1, 2, SE¼NE¼, NE¼SE¼ Section 1, Twp. 32 S., R. 9 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner, at Bend, Oregon, on the 15th day of February, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Wm. H. Hollinshead, Joseph Taggart, Chester Hollinshead, all of Rosland, Oregon; W. Ray Wilkinson of Bend, Oregon.

15-f9 ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
November 20, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Daisy E. Brown, contestant, against homestead entry, No. 13419, made December 1, 1906, for E½ SE¼ section 25, township 17 S., range 11 E., Willamette Meridian, by Emily Johnson, deceased, contestee, in which it is alleged that said entrywoman died on or about April 27, 1907; that she never established residence upon, cultivated or improved said tract prior to her death; that since her death her heirs have wholly failed to reside upon, cultivate or improve said tract or cause the same to be done; that if there are any heirs of said entrywoman they are unknown to affiant; that said alleged abandonment was not due to 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 January 5, 1910, before H. C. Ellis, a U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Bend, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 12, 1910, before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed November 15, 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.

d1-f5 C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon,
December 4th, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that

Andrew G. Anderson,

of Rosland, Oregon, who, on Dec. 28th, 1907, made Homestead Application No. 3072, Serial No. 01800, for the W½ NW¼, NE¼ NW¼ Sec. 23, SW¼ SW¼ Sec. 14, Twp. 31 S., Range 10 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Soldier's Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Ellis, U. S. Commissioner at Bend, Oregon, on the 17th day of January, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ralph Patterson of Bend, Oregon, Harry Everingham, Grover Caldwell and George Bogue of Rosland, Oregon.

d15-f19 ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
The Dalles, Oregon,
December 13, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon, has filed in this office its application, Serial No. 05681 to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress of August 14, 1848, and the Acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, the S½ SW¼ Sec. 1, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 2, NE¼ NE¼ Sec. 11, and N½ NW¼, NW¼ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼ of Sec 12, Twp. 20 S., R. 17 E., W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the first day of February, 1910.

d22-j26 C. W. MOORE, Register.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
December 14th, 1909.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Charles H. Erickson, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 12290, made March 17, 1905, for Lots 3, 4, S½ NW¼ Sec. 5, Twp. 18 S., R. 16 E., W. M., by Jens Bjorndal, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Jens Bjorndal has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months last past; that said abandonment was not due to his 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 January 21, 1910, before H. C. Ellis, a U. S. Commissioner at his office in Bend, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 28, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Dec. 1, 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.

d22-j14 C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon,
November 10th, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that the Northern Pacific Railway Company, whose postoffice address is St. Paul, Minnesota, did on the 20th day of October, 1909, file in this office its application to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898 (30 Stat. 597, 620) as extended by the Act of Congress, approved May 17th, 1906, the NE¼ SE¼, Sec. 20, Tp. 22 S. R. 11 East, NE¼ SW¼, SW¼ SW¼, Sec. 21, Tp. 22, S. R. 11 East, and E½ SE¼, Sec. 18, Tp. 24 S. R. 11 East, W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 10th day of January, 1910.

ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

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