USES OF PLASTER

LAND PLASTER FOR VARIOUS CROPS.

Meeting of Those Interested Will be Held As Soon As Quotations Are Received From Manufacturing Houses.

While no meeting was held Saturday, as expected, to consider the purchase of land plaster in bulk, on a cooperative basis, it is expected that the matter will be taken up just as soon as competitive per-ton prices are received from plaster houses. Thus far it appears that but one house has quoted prices.

The use of land plaster in increasing yields of all kinds of crops is becoming more and more prevalent. Excellent results have been secured in Central Oregon, particularly in the Laidlaw country, where much plaster was used last year, with remarkable returns.

Some directions for using, taken from good authority, are given herewith.

Land plaster is made available by moisture. It must either be applied before rains, or be cultivated into the soil.

CLOVER—The proper amount to use on clover or other forage plants and grasses is 100 lbs. per acre. Apply when the clover or grass begins to grow in the spring. The best results may be expected from applying half at that time and the other half when a growth of four or five inches has been made.

WHEAT, OATS, ETC.—On winter wheat one application of 50 lbs. to the acre in the fall, when the wheat is up, and an application of the same amount early in the spring is advisable. The spring application is the most useful. In the case of spring-sown grains an application of 50 to 100 lbs per acre as soon as the grain is up is recommended.

POTATOES, CORN, ETC.—The usual method is to put about a tablespoonful on each hill when the plants are fairly above the ground. It is best to apply it when the the plants are wet with dew or rain. About 100 lbs. will be required per acre.

NEW GAZETTEER OUT

R. L. Polk & Co's. Book For Oregon and Washington Received.

Commercial institutions of the city are receiving the biennial gazetteer of the R. L. Polk & Company, which is out for the states of Oregon and Washington. It is the most complete work of its kind ever issued in the Northwest. It contains an accurate business directory of Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane and every other city, town and village in the two states. It also contains the names and addresses of country merchants and professional men, lumbermen and others who are located in the smaller places.

There is a complete list of the Government officials, commissioners of deeds, state boards and statutory provisions and terms of courts, names of the postmasters and postoffices, express, telephone and telegraph offices, justices of the peace, a list of the daily and weekly newspapers, and a world of information carefully compiled. A short descriptive sketch of each town and much valued data is given.

An important feature of the publication is the classified business directory, which enables the seeker of information to ascertain at a glance names and addresses of all the different firms engaged in any given line of business. The directory has been compiled to meet the wants of the business community and has been thoroughly inspected for the discovery of any errors which might exist. No publication in this section will supply the exacting demands of business life like this one just from the press. It was only by the expenditure of a large sum of money that the facts were gathered in the form that they were. The data is absolutely reliable, so that it is perfectly safe for a concern to issue its list of circulars, daily letters and prove any address desired by referring or compiling such line as they wish from the book.

The official data with reference to the list of Government, state and county officials will be found to be especially valuable. It is corrected so that the results of the last election are all in and in consequence the book is thoroughly up to date. Adv.

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BIKES FOR LAND

RANGE RIDERS FIND FINE CATTLE.

Timber Wolves Will Be Hunted Down by Stockmen—Stock In Millican Country Come Through Winter in Good Shape.

MILLICAN, Ore., Feb. 20.—Late of an evening last week a belated land seeker, Arthur S. Hughes of Spokane, put in an appearance at the "Millican Inn," trundling a bicycle through the snow, his feet soaked and almost frozen and altogether in a bad way. He had tried bicycling from Powell Butte.

Henry Carlin, J. J. Rounberg and Wm. Ferguson, cattlemen of Bear Creek, together with Ed Kapper of Millican have ridden range in this vicinity, gathering up poor cattle. They gathered up a large bunch and left for Bear Creek, where they will be fed. Henry Carlin who has ridden the range for several years past says cattle are in better condition now, than he has ever seen them before at this time of the year. He thinks the stockmen will get through the winter without any serious loss.

Two large gray timber wolves have been seen recently on the range in the lava and timber adjacent to Horse Ridge. While riding after stock Guy Ritter saw them recently and found a horse that had been attacked by them. Some of the stockmen interested are raising a purse and will offer a reward for their capture.

O. C. Henkle the locater, came out recently with a crowd of Seattleites, friends of L. W. Nelson, who took up homesteads near Whittaker Hole.

Ferdinand Schuch and son Frank make regular trips through, hauling lumber and supplies.

Four Bulgarians, friends of Pete Jordan, a recent homesteader, came out recently with the intention of filing on homesteads.

F. M. Conner, in charge of a construction camp near Redmond, with B. N. Monett of Denver, Col., spent Monday night here.

A. E. Powers and S. C Turner of Nez Perce, Idaho, just returned from a trip up the "High Desert," where they were looking over land with a view to investment.

V. Schreder, postmaster of Rolyat, at Hampton Butte, came out from Prineville Monday with a heavy load of freight.

W. W. Orcutt and E. W. Richardson, representing the Commercial Club at Bend, passed through here last week. They are looking out a route for an auto road into Burns.

Chas. N. Clark, a prominent fruit grower and John Manch of White Salmon, Wash., are looking over the country.

M. J. Morrison of Bend has been running out lines in the neighborhood of

Estray Notic.

Came to this place during the summer, one bay horse, weight about 900 lbs., with white spot in forehead; branded CH on left stifle. Coming 4 year old.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Or.,
December 3, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that George P. Reams, of Prineville, Oregon, who, on October 29 1907, made Timber and Stone sworn statement No. 4405 (Serial No. 01844), for e½ ne¼, e½ se¼, Sec 31, T. 20 S., R. 21 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, County Clerk, at his office, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 10th day of February, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: William Ledford, George M. Cornett and Henry A. Foster of Prineville, Oregon, and J. H. Reams of Shaniko, Oregon.

40-49 C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles, Or.,
January 11, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that—

I, Ralph A. Dunn,

surviving husband of Tina Dunn, formerly Tina Shadduck, of Bend Oregon, who, on November 8th, 1905, made homestead entry No. 14769 (Serial No. 03742), for ne¼ sw¼, n½ se¼, Sec. 25, T. 18 S., R. 12 E., and lot 1, Sec 30, T. 18 S., R. 13 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Kilis, U. S Commissioner, at his office, at Bend, Oregon, on the 28th day of February, 1911

Claimant names as witnesses: Cora A. Brosterhous and Milo W. Wilson, both of Bend, Or.

26-30 C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Ore.
Feb. 7, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that—

Thomas Soukup,

of La Pine, Oregon, who, on May 13, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 01997, for w½ w½, sec. 32, township 21S., range 11 E., W. M., 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 30th day of March, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Lee C. Caldwell, Herbert G. Caldwell, Grover H. Caldwell and James T. Carter, all of La Pine, Ore.

49-53 ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

RELICS OF PAST

EXCAVATION REVEALS INDIAN IMPLEMENTS.

Carl Ladewig, Digging on Deschutes Lots, Unearths a Big Cache of Indian Knives and Spear Heads of Historic Interest.

While digging a cellar for new barn on lots 7 and 8 of Block 20 of Deschutes Addition, Carl Ladewig last Thursday unearthed a remarkable collection of Indian arrows, spearheads, and ancient cutting instruments cunningly fashioned out of stone by the original American inhabitants of Bend. In all there are 84 different pieces, all in perfect condition and a dozen more broken ones.

Mr. Ladewig says he found these about three feet below the surface of the ground, all lying together beside a buried rock, much as if they had been carefully concealed, perhaps hundreds of years ago, by some red skin dweller of the Deschutes.

With the stone relics was a piece of birch wood, decayed almost beyond recognition; evidently this was brought from a great distance as birch is unknown in this section.

The stone instruments are chipped out of the black glass-like rock found around Glass Butte, about 80 miles southeast of Bend.

An interesting feature of the relics is that practically no two of them are alike. They range from five inches in length down to one, and from 2 inches to ½ an inch in width. Most are shaped like a leaf or spear. All are sharply pointed; some sharp on one edge, some on both, many are curved and shaped in various manners, while on not a few there is a carefully fashioned depression apparently intended to accomodate the thumb of the holder. Certainly all are remarkably well fitted to the hand.

There seems a possibilty that the cache contained the outfit of some old medicine man, or that the implements were made for use as skinning and gutting knives for the hunters.

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CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 11, 1911.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Nina H. Triplett, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 02174, made Nov. 17, 1909, for nw¼, w½sw¼, ne¼sw¼, sec 22; se¼ se¼, sec 21, township 21 S., range 20 E., Willamette Meridian, by H. L. Van Meter Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Van Meter has wholly abandoned this land; has failed to comply with the law as to residence and cultivation; that he has never resided upon said tract, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar 16, 1911, before Commissioner H. C. Ellis, Bend, Oregon, (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar. 23 1911, before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Lakeview, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 11, 1911, 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 due and proper publication.

ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register
49-53 FRED P. CRONEMILLER, Receiver.

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office
Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 11, 1911.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Nina H Triplett, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 02846, made Dec. 15, 1909 for e½ section 15 township 22 S., range 21 E., Willamette Meridian, by George W Vining Contestee, in which it is alleged that said George W Vining has wholly abandoned this land; that he has failed to comply with the law as to residence and cultivation; that he has never resided upon said tract, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar 16, 1911, before Commissioner H. C. Ellis, Bend, Oregon (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 23, 1911, before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Lakeview, Oregon.

The said contestant having in a proper affidavit, filed January 11, 1911, 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.

49-53 ARTHUR W. ORTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Or.
Dec. 22, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Chester H. Markel, whose postoffice address is Three Forks, Montana, did, on the 21st day of November, 1910, file in this office sworn statement and application, No. 07752, to purchase the se¼ ne¼, Sec 30, T. 17 S., R. 12 E., W. M., and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and the acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, the timber estimated 100,000 board feet at $1.50 per M, and the land $50.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 15th day of March, 1911, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

44-53 C. W. MOORE, Register.

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