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WILLIAM BYRD

WHERE IS HARRIMAN?

Where is Mr. Harriman? Where is the Deschutes railroad? What of the promises that the line would be built as soon as right of way could be secured?

The seasons come and go and the flowers bloom and fade. We have official assurance from the reclamation service that it offers no objection to the Deschutes line. We have the further assurance that it wants the line into central Oregon.

But the arid sections of the state have no railroads. The Deschutes line is neither built nor building. Without railroads the cost of transporting materials for reclamation projects is beyond reach.

Lack of transportation seems to be the only drawback to this section. This is the key-note to the whole situation. According to Mr. Newell and is all that prevents the government from undertaking large irrigation projects in the interior.

LATER—If the location of the Dry Demonstration Farm is left to the board of regents of the O. A. C. without recommendation from the committee which made the examination of the various counties, Harney county will get it.

Well, Well! a letter from the "boss" says he would really like to come home and get warm. Talk about our spring being cold and backward. Vegetation is really farther advanced here than in portions of the Willamette valley.

The law provides that the board of regents shall locate the station and some of the members of that board are not going to be dictated to or allow any interference with their prerogative.

Vale is to have a fine new depot. The Oregon Short Line Company have just notified the State Railroad Commission that they would commence building a depot at Vale at once.

The "boss" spent the fore part of this week at the Agricultural College town—Corvallis. He had the pleasure of meeting President Kerr and discuss our prospects for the Dry Demonstration Farm.

UP TO REGENTS NEXT MONDAY.

who were asking for the station therefore he was not in a position to go over the various data. However, had he been in possession of the report it is not likely he would have expressed himself. He said it was possible the report would go to the board of regents without recommendation, but this is not likely.

In talking of the matter with Prof. Scudder it was found that he would take quite an active part. Prof. Scudder says it is the desire to place it where it will do the most good—not necessarily the densely settled districts, nor either the largest area—other features and conditions would enter into consideration.

Harney county students at the O. A. C. are taking a high rank in the school both in their studies and in athletics. All our boys are well, Mason Smith having just recovered from an attack of measles.

Neil Smith graduates this year in the electrical engineering department. Mervin Horton and Roswell Hamilton in pharmacy. The other boys have one, two and three years yet.

A track meet was a feature last Monday between the O. A. C. and University of Idaho. Oregon won by a good margin, but Idaho had some good athletes.

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There has been eight sections taken from the southwest corner of School district No. 19 and added to the Weaver Springs district. This includes Mr. Newell's place.

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GOWAN GOES. W. A. Gowan, the clerk of the J. S. Land Office, has been appointed a special agent for the Government Land Department in the Salt Lake District.

It is also rumored Register J. N. Watson has resigned his office to take effect about the same time Mr. Gowan leaves.—Lakeview Herald.

NOTES FROM SUNSET. Alex Banon returned home Monday. He spent the winter in Payette, Idaho.

Rev. Holloman of Burns preached at our school house Sunday. A good sized crowd attended.

It was decided Sunday to hold Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock p. m. hereafter instead of 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Hodder and Mrs. Connor went to Mr. Cheaney's place, north of Burns, Saturday to visit with Miss Neva Hodder.

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Mr. Riggs, of Narrows, agent for Milton nurseries stopped at Mr. Hodder's place Saturday night.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, May 20, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas J. Allen, of Burns, Oregon, who, on March 18, 1909, made Pre-emption declaration statement No. 2502, Lakeview series, serial No. 0259, for 2000 Acres, 20 1/2 Sec. 24 and 25 1/2 Sec. 26, Township 25 South, Range 25 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on the 31st day of July, 1909.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Burns, Oregon, May 20, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Wilson, of Burns, Oregon, who, on June 19, 1905 made Homestead Entry No. 1909, serial No. 0371, for 2000 Acres, 20 1/2 Sec. 24 and 25 1/2 Sec. 26, Township 25 South, Range 25 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Burns, Oregon, on the 31st day of June, 1909.

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Harney.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Harney County, State of Oregon, made by said Court and entered in the Journal thereon on the 8th day of April 1909, in Circuit Court Journal B page 245, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Samuel B. Parker et al were plaintiffs and John W. McCue et al were defendants, said decree being for a sale of the real property therein described by the undersigned Referee and for a report of his proceedings thereunder at the next regular term of said Court as set forth in said Decree and in the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law made and filed by the Court in said Cause, Now therefore, I, Sam Mothershead, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Referee in the above entitled cause, will on Monday, the 14th day of June, 1909 at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House in Burns, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to confirmation by said Court, the following described real property, situated in Harney County, Oregon, to-wit: The West half of the West half of Section Sixteen in Township Twenty-five South, Range Thirty-two and one-half East of the Willamette Meridian, containing 100 acres.

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TWELFTH NIGHT, No. 41906 Trial 3, 2:12 3-4 Sired by Onward 2:26 1/2, the sire of 198 in the list—more than any other horse ever foaled. Grand Sire, George Wilkes 2:22. Dam, Miss Rita 2:08 1/2; her sire J. J. Audubon, sired by Aleyone, he by George Wilkes, giving Twelfth Night a double cross of Wilkes and one of the strongest bred trotters living. Individually, he is a chestnut 15 5-10 hands high, weight 1200 lbs. He has clean, flat limbs and his gut shows well. A number of his undeveloped 2-year-old colts sold at Auction in Chicago averaging \$224 each. TWELFTH NIGHT will stand the season of 1909 at The Fair Grounds in Burns, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays Lawen on Fridays and Saturdays FEES \$25.00 to INSURE For further particulars call on or address H. DENMAN, Harriman, Ore. J. L. CRAWFORD, Burns Ore.

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