

CHEERING TO SETTLERS.

Three Years Allowed Settlers to Pay For Forfeited Lands.

Captain Lewis, Register of the United States land office at The Dalles, received the following telegram Friday:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10, '92. CAPTAIN JOHN W. LEWIS,

The Dalles, Or.

Just passed through the house the bill extending the time for three years to settlers for payment for forfeited lands. The act will become a law next week.

BINGER HERMANN.

To this the captain sent the following reply:

HON. B. HERMANN, Washington, D. C.—Your telegram announcing passage of the act extending for three years the time for payment on forfeited lands, just received. It will afford me great pleasure to give the news as speedy publication as possible, knowing as I do that it will lift a heavy load from many a weary back. This is only one more instance of the fruits of your untiring labor on behalf of the people of Oregon. Last Monday's vote shows their appreciation.

Very truly,

JOHN W. LEWIS.

The bill referred to was introduced in the senate some time ago by Senator Dolph, and passed that body. It has now, happily, and contrary to general expectation, passed the house. This law will be a great help and accommodation to thousands of poor settlers.

At the republican national convention held at Minneapolis last week, B. Harrison was nominated on the first ballot for president. Whitelaw Reid was nominated by acclamation for vice president. Jim Blaine's "fake" scheme to get the nomination failed to connect, and he received only 183 votes out of about 1000, which about sizes up the people's appreciation for him as a politician. We believe the nominations made meet with general approval among the republicans throughout the West. The democratic national convention will meet at Chicago next Tuesday, 21st. G. Cleveland will get the nomination without a struggle.

We are very careful to bolt our back door against China, but we leave the front door open to the ignorant, vicious and degraded classes of Europe. During the month of April, 64,565 steerage passengers were landed at New York alone. They were largely from Italy and the Slavonic provinces of Russia and Prussia. Steamship competition has reduced the fare to \$11. Those countries derive great advantage from getting rid of the least desirable of their people, and we suffer correspondingly. Will our country ever deal with this problem?—Oregonian.

The re-election of Hon. W. H. Wilson prosecuting attorney for this district by over 500 majority should be considered in the light of a compliment to that gentleman and a vindication of his capacity in the performance of the duties of the office during the past two years. He was elected the first time by a small majority; but this election has more than doubled the former figures.—Times-Mountaineer.

The next Oregon state legislature will stand: Senate—republicans 18, democrats 12; House—republicans 36; democrats 24.

The political issue of this state was on member of congress, and shows that the republicans have a majority of 9000.

Given His Time.

I hereby notify all persons that I will not be responsible for any debts or liabilities contracted by my son, Bert Crawford of Mayville. He has been given his time and is his own free agent. Dated May 29, '92. K. A. CRAWFORD.

Bert Crawford of Mayville breeds horses on the estate. Cattle, sheep on left; one mare, sign car cropped off and two upper bits on left.

Blaine, Blaine, Blaine of Maine, has fallen never to rise again. It may be truthfully said that Mr. Blaine was the architect of his own ruin. A clearer case of political hari-kari has never been known. He dug his own grave, then plunged into it. Yet the ruling passion was strong in death. He died as dramatically as he had lived. Blaine's public career is ended, and it is to be regretted that it has ended so miserably, we might almost say dishonorably. Blaine was always a shallow, tricky, "faking" politician, but it is pitiable that he should make so monumental a blunder at last, when there was no occasion for it, no excuse for it.—Portland Telegram.

Junction Jottings.

Walter Cason and family are visiting relatives in Grant county.

"Grain dry and brown; think we hear the farmers sighing all round."

School is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Ida Baker of Baker City.

Mrs. Cooke and daughter spent several days last week visiting friends on the John Day.

Assessor Mason is slowly recovering from injuries received by being thrown from a horse.

Miss Ora Vining of Ohio, who lately came out to make her home with her brother, has gone to Portland to visit her father.

TWIN.

1776.

A Good, Old-Fashioned, Family Celebration.

The people of Condon and vicinity have decided to have a basket picnic on July 4th, and will utilize the large new livery stable for shelter, which will answer the purpose just as well as a grove. There will be barbecued beef and mutton, and everything else that goes to make up a first-class celebration. The exercises during the day will consist of racing, dancing, singing, plug-nugles, and grand fireworks in the evening. At night there will be a grand ball, the proceeds of which will go to the school. Everybody cordially invited.

Jones—I tell you I caused a commotion among the fish in the creek to-day. Smith—Caught a few, did you? Jones—Thunder no, I fell in.

"Johnny, are you teaching that parrot to swear?" "No'm. I'm just telling it what it mustn't say."—Ex.

For Sale at a Bargain. A first-class Upright Piano. Cost \$500; will sell for \$350.

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NOTICE. I hereby respectfully request all persons indebted to me to settle by June 10, 1892, as I am building and must have my money. Prompt payment will save you extra cost and trouble.

Geo. Knox.

Treasurer's Notice. All county warrants registered prior to May 7, 1892, will be paid on presentation at my office. Interest ceases on and after this date. H. S. EWING, County Treasurer.

By HERBERT HALSTEAD, Deputy. Dated June 3, 1892.

Settle Up Notice. I hereby request all persons knowing themselves indebted to me to settle the same before June 10, 1892. I need all the money that is due me.

DR. J. NICKLIN.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Commuted Timber Culture Final Proof.

U. S. LAND OFFICE THE DALLES, OR., June 14, '92. Notice is hereby given that James A. Gordon has filed notice of intention to make final proof before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at his office in Condon, Oregon, on Saturday, the 20th day of July, 1892, on timber culture application No. 680, for the ne 1/4 sec 24 1/2 of r 20 e, under act March 3, 1891. He names as witnesses: Daniel B. Thomas, Samuel S. Thomas, Albert Miller and Alex. Gordon, all of Oles, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., June 10, '92. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Oregon, on July 28, 1892, viz:

AUGUSTUS N. S. COTTIN, Hd. 2595.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: C. N. Wilson, Jean N. LeBons, Geo. Hansen and Fred Monroe, all of Condon, Or.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., June 1, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Oregon, on August 4, 1892, viz:

JOHN MIKKALO, Hd. 2091.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. Wheeler, John A. Miller, Gilson Stoddard and W. E. Reed, all of Oles, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., April 29, '92. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on June 18, 1892, viz:

ANDREW J. LOVGREEN, D. S. 6732.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles Kepson, Jacob Young, J. W. Cradick, J. H. Inskeep, all of Eight Mile, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., May 12, '92. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Oregon, on June 27, 1892, viz:

EARNEST SEEKAMP, Hd. 2596.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Albert Miller of Oles, Chas. Wigan of Arlington, S. C. Clark of Alex, and August Summerfield, of Condon, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., May 12, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Or., on June 28, 1892, viz:

GEORGE H. C. EARHART, Hd. 2598.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: M. G. Clarke, J. H. Reed, Lone Rock, and A. Henshaw and E. E. Smith, of Condon, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., June 1, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Oregon, on August 4, 1892, viz:

JOHN A. MILLER, Hd. 2595.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. Wheeler, John Mikhalo, Gilson Stoddard and W. E. Reed, all of Oles, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE. U. S. LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., April 26, '92. Complaint having been entered at this office by J. C. Meek against E. Conrady for abandonment of his homestead entry No. 1468, dated January 1, 1884, upon the ne 1/4 sec 32 tp 3 s of r 20 e, in Gilliam county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 14th day of July, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and present testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. In default of appearance, the same will be taken to testify in this case at his office in Condon, Or., July 7, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m.

m13-13 JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Gilliam county, in an action entitled L. W. Darling vs George W. Stephens, and in me directed, and delivered, I did on the 17th day of May, 1892, levy upon and will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, on

June 18, 1892, at 2 o'clock,

p. m., of said day, at the court house door in Condon in said county, Oregon, the following described property, to-wit: Lots one, two, four and five, of section eighteen, in township three south, of range twenty, east of Williams Meridian, in Gilliam county, Oregon, and containing one hundred and sixty-four and ninety-three one hundredths acres; or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the sum of one hundred and fifty-six dollars and eighty-five cents (\$156.85) with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from April 15th, 1892. Taken and levied upon as the property of George W. Stephens to satisfy said sum of \$156.85 and costs accrued at 1884 and interest thereon in favor of L. W. Darling, together with costs and accruing costs. Witness my hand at Condon, Oregon, this 17th day of May, 1892. W. L. WILCOX, m13-13 Sheriff of Gilliam County, Or.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Gilliam, in and to the estate of Jesse Sprayer, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Jesse Sprayer, deceased. The heirs of said decedent and all persons interested in said estate, greeting: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the county court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Gilliam, at the court room thereof, at Condon in the county of Gilliam on Tuesday, the 5th day of July, 1892, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exists, why the administrator of said estate should not be ordered to sell the following-described real estate belonging to said estate, to-wit: The e 1/2 of the ne 1/4 and the e 1/2 of the se 1/4 sec 10 tp 4 s of r 21 e, W. M. WITNESS my hand and the seal of the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Gilliam with the seal of said court affixed, this 10th day of May, 1892. m13-13 ATTEST: JAY P. LUCAS, Clerk.

NOTICE—TIMBER CULTURE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., May 23, '92. Complaint having been entered at this office by John S. Topper against R. Nelson for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 248 upon the ne 1/4 sec 4 and ne 1/4 sec 4 of r 14 s of r 10 April 15th, 1892. Taken and levied upon as the property of R. Nelson, and the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of July, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. Jay P. Lucas, county clerk, is authorized to take testimony in this case at his office in Condon, Or., on the 14th day of July, 1892.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., May 26, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk, at Condon, Or., on July 11, 1892, viz:

FRANK M. FLITNER, Hd. 2520.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: S. D. Fletcher, Jas. Shields, J. E. Downer and J. A. Morris, all of Condon, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., April 30, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. P. Lucas, county clerk of Gilliam county, at Condon, Or., on June 18, 1892, viz:

STEPHEN D. FLETCHER, D. S. 6597.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: S. A. Thompson, Geo. Robinson, H. S. Tobey and Walter Gannell, all of Matney, Or.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Commuted Timber Culture Final Proof).

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., June 1, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of intention to make final proof before J. P. Lucas, county clerk, at his office in Condon, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 28th day of July, 1892, on timber culture application No. 112 for the ne 1/4 sec 28 tp 3 s of r 21 e, under Act March 3, 1891. He names as witnesses: Amos Hartman, A. Moore, G. G. Barman and H. C. Strickland, all of Condon, Oregon.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

To Whom It May Concern.

The public is hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Lucy Seekamp. HERMAN SEEKAMP.

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