

NOTICE. The Globe invites correspondence from all sections of Gilliam county. It also is making this paper the journal news medium of the county and invites our readers to assist in its maintenance by the news of their respective localities. Correspondence must be signed by the writer, not necessarily for publication, but to an extent of good faith, and the editor assumes no responsibility for opinions expressed by correspondents.

THE IRRIGATION PROBLEM.

The action taken by the city council last week in regard to a rigid enforcement of the regulation restricting the use of water for irrigation purposes is said by the Annex to have "caused a feeling of dissatisfaction to spring up all over the city."

Why is this? When the water works were first talked of the primary object of the undertaking was to furnish protection against fire and the sale of water to citizens for either domestic use or irrigation purposes was a secondary consideration decided upon by the council after it was ascertained that the water supply was sufficient to afford water for these purposes without encroaching on the supply which it was deemed necessary to keep on hand for protection against fire. The city entered into an agreement with all persons desiring water for irrigation purposes to furnish it for one hour a day at a stipulated price (\$12 for the season) and everybody in Condon understood the conditions of that agreement. The city made a mistake in not providing a penalty for the breach of that agreement by consumers, at the time the regulation was adopted, and it was not until the contract had been openly, flagrantly and repeatedly violated and the efficiency of our fire protection seriously threatened that they did take steps to provide a penalty for offenders.

And now comes our newly fledged "moulder of public opinion" with a lot of unsolicited advice to the city council asking them, in effect to allow this irrigation "ordnance" (great guns!) to remain a dead letter and to wink at its violation; to allow customers to pay for the use of water one hour a day and use it from three to twelve hours; to jeopardize every dollar's worth of property in the town in order that a few people may be allowed to do as they please about sprinkling their lawns or watering their driving horses.

This free advice is followed by an implied threat that if the city is not "lenient to its patrons" "a half-dozen" of them will dig wells and put in their own water works. Suppose they do. Every citizen has that privilege and has had it since Condon was a town. The city can far better afford to lose their patronage than to retain it at the cost of an empty tank and no fire protection.

It looks, in this case, as though some fellow who wants more water than he is paying for has accepted the invitation to "dictate what he wants to see inserted in its columns."

That world wide war which has been so long predicted may be nearly at hand. Some high authorities now believe that the present trouble in China will bring it about, and a late dispatch from London states that grave fears are entertained in England that France is preparing to invade the British Isles next November. This fear is grounded on the fact that France has lately made a secret survey of the English channel and coast, and that she is laying in an enormous stock of coal and other things which would be needed in time of war. Should such an invasion occur it would no doubt lead to a general breaking out of hostilities and would mean the end of some of the greatest governments. The final outcome of such a war is impossible to foresee, but it is almost certain that it would result either in a long stride forward along the path of civilization and progress, a vast bettering of conditions as they now exist, or a retrograde movement which would again plunge the world into the darkness of semi-civilization. It is well for the people to watch the game the nations are playing, pretty closely just now.

Spanish officials in Cuba, under the old regime, no doubt outclassed the American officials, now directing affairs in that island, in cruelty to natives, torture of political prisoners, and general fiendishness, but when it comes to plain, every

day stealing of postal funds, etc., we doubt if the Don should begin to compare with the present outfit.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

The panic of 1893 and subsequent depression swept down hundreds of savings banks throughout the United States. In this city, for example, not a savings bank weathered the financial tempest. These failures fell with crushing force upon the poor and persons of moderate means. They brought destitution and despair to many. They drove men and women to the poor house and to suicide; and they left an ugly influence on the moral force of the nation, because many, who otherwise would be disposed to save and invest their earnings, feel now that self-denial and thrift have no assurance of reward. "We may save and pinch for five, ten or a dozen years," they say, "only to see our savings swept away in the next financial panic. We shall take the good of things as we go through life."

Postal savings banks are needed to overcome this dangerous feeling. Deposits in such banks are as safe as government bonds, and as sound as national bank currency, which rests upon government bonds. The thrifty working men and women could place their savings therein with absolute assurance that the bank would never break, and if not drawn out by the depositors themselves, the deposits would be there in safety, 20 or even 50 years from now. The system should carry a provision like that of the British system, under which a depositor, upon reaching the maximum of deposits, could, if he desired, invest his savings in a government bond.

England was the first country to adopt the postal savings bank. In 1861, largely through the advocacy of Mr. Gladstone, the bill entitled "an act to grant additional facilities for depositing small savings at interest with the security of the government for payment thereof," became a law. During the first year of operation deposits amounted to £2,000,000. In 1896 they aggregated more than £106,000,000.

Other progressive countries fell in line, until now the United States, Germany and Switzerland are the only enlightened countries without postal savings banks, and in Germany and Switzerland municipal and cantonal banks meet, in part, the demand for postal savings banks. The system is not an experiment. It can be established without risk to the government or the people. It has been urged before congress by four postmasters general. Why is congress persistently oblivious to the best interests of the working classes?—Spokane Review.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., July 28, 1900. 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 Sam E. Van Vactor, U. S. Commissioner, at Condon, Oregon, on Saturday, September 8, 1900, viz:

JAMES BRASSFIELD, of Oreg. Co., H. E. No. 6999, for the N 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec 14, Tp 2 S., R. 22 E., W. 3. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Wilkins and Charles Wilkins, of Oreg. Co.; T. A. Brassfield and George Brassfield, of Oreg. Co. JAY F. LUCAS, Register.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Gilliam. Shurte & Weir Company's Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. C. J. Oberreither, and S. D. Ollis, Defendants. To the above named defendants, C. J. Oberreither and S. D. Ollis: In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before Thursday, the 15th day of September, A. D., 1900, (the same being six weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice), and that if you fail to so appear and answer the said complaint, or to do so within the time therein specified, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein prayed for, which is for judgment against you and each of you, for the sum of \$21 74, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the first day of August, A. D., 1900, and for the further sum of \$127.20, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the fifteenth day of August, A. D., 1900; the sum of fifteen dollars paid November 21, 1898, and the sum of nine dollars paid November 23, 1899, and for the further sum of thirty-five dollars attorney fees, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements in said action. This summons is served on you and each of you by publication thereof in the CONDON GLOBE for the period of six consecutive weeks, seven issues, commencing with the issue of Thursday, August 7, 1900, by virtue of an order filed in the above entitled Court and bearing date July 17, 1900. Given under my hand and dated this 1st day of August, A. D., 1900. SAM E. VAN VACTOR, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Gilliam. W. R. Boyer, Plaintiff, vs. Charles Oberreither, Defendant. To the above named defendant, Charles Oberreither: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before Thursday, September 14, 1900, (the same being six weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice), and that if you fail to so appear and answer the said complaint, or otherwise plead thereto within said time, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein prayed for, which is for judgment against you for the sum of one hundred and eight dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1898, and for plaintiff's costs and disbursements in said action. This summons is served on you by publication thereof in the CONDON GLOBE for the period of six consecutive weeks, seven issues, commencing with the issue of August 2nd, A. D., 1900, by virtue of an order filed in the above entitled Court and bearing date the 17th day of July, A. D., 1900. Given under my hand and dated this 1st day of August, A. D., 1900. SAM E. VAN VACTOR, Attorney for Plaintiff.

WANTED SEVERAL PERSONS FOR DISGRACEFUL OFFENSES IN THIS STATE TO RESIDE IN THEIR OWN SUDOROUS COTTAGES, willing to pay yearly \$500, payable weekly. High employment with unusual opportunities. References exchanged. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. S. A. Park, 220 Caxton Building, Chicago.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2453, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 29th day of Aug., next, at 10 o'clock a. m., at this office, the following tract of land to wit:

N 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 4, Tp. 4 S., R. 22 E., W. M. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day stated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited. J. F. LUCAS, Register. Otis PATTERSON, Receiver. U. S. Land Office, at The Dalles Oregon July 12, 1900.

CONTEST NOTICE. U. S. LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., June 13, 1900. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Henry W. Weber, contestant, against homestead entry No. 722, made May 8, 1900, for lots 3 and 4 and 8 1/2, S W 1/4 of sec. 3, Tp. 4 S range 19 E by Frank A. Beaton, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Frank A. Beaton has wholly abandoned said tract, that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry and that he is not in the military or naval service of the United States, said parties are hereby notified to appear and answer and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 4, 1900, before H. N. Frazer, county clerk, at his office at Condon, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Aug. 12, 1900 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 13, 1900, 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. JAY F. LUCAS, Register. 4945

Notice of Sale of Real Estate by Administrator. Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order of the Hon. County Court of Gilliam county, Oregon, made and entered on Tuesday, the eighth day of May, A. D., 1900, the undersigned administrator of the estate of John A. Linn, deceased, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate, situate in Gilliam county, state of Oregon, to wit:

The north-east quarter of the north-west quarter, the north half of the north-east quarter, and the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section thirty-four, township-four south, twenty-one east. Willamette Meridian, and containing one hundred and sixty acres, according to U. S. Government survey. The said sale will take place at the Courtroom door, Gilliam County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 25th day of August, A. D., 1900, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day. H. N. STEPHENSON, Administrator of the estate of John A. Linn, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of J. F. Grisham, deceased, has filed in the county court of Gilliam county, state of Oregon, his final account as such administrator of said estate and that Tuesday, September 4, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing objections to said report and the settlement thereof. R. K. SEABY, Administrator of the Estate of J. F. Grisham, dec.

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