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NOTICE.

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Wasco, Or., Nov. 17, 1899.
V. C. BROCK,
Cashier

THURSDAY - DEC. 28, 1899

The "smallpox" scare in Moro and at Sink's this week has caused considerable alarm in this city, and the most stringent quarantine measures have been in effect. There are 21 cases of this strange complication of diseases at the county seat. It is not a smallpox, it is said, for there is no odor from the patient; nor yet is it a varioloid, but according to some, a complication of these two, if such a thing were possible, and chickenpox. Still others say it is the "Manila disease. The letter from Wm. Holder, which was communicated to this office Wednesday over the telephone, and printed elsewhere in this issue, will no doubt have the desired effect of toning down the rumors afloat.

There will be no resisting the claims of the soldiers in the late war for pensions, says the Telegram. Already 25,000 of them have been filed, and the number, including the widows and orphans of future years, will grow into 100,000, and perhaps 150,000, or half of all those who enlisted. So we may expect a large increase in the pension burden, and no end of it for a century, even if we have no more wars. Of course, congress, being composed of politicians, will not possess the courage to do the right thing and grant pensions only in cases of disability caused by actual service, and consequent impecuniosity.

The Christmas Telegram is a perfect peach. It is the best thing ever gotten out in Portland of its kind, brimful of beautiful half-tones and every letter in it showing as clean as copperplate. If the Oregonian's New Year's number is equal to the Christmas Telegram, it will be well worth the fourteen cents to be charged for it.

The town council of Fossil has passed an ordinance providing for an election submitting an ordinance to be voted upon by the people on Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1900. The ordinance to be voted on provides for the issuance of $12,000 five per cent bonds to procure money for a gravity system of water works for the town of Fossil. —Journal.

Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise was sprung on M. A. Murchie last night at the residence of W. A. Murchie west of the city. 'Cell was toted off over there early in the evening, totally unsuspecting, and at about nine o'clock the surprisers burst in on him and immediately settled down to the purpose of making things pleasant for him. And although it was only a small party they succeeded quite well.

The amusements consisted of music and games, which were kept up till a late hour; this was followed by an elegant luncheon, after which the former amusements were resumed. We don't know how long these were kept up, as all are somewhat reticent when questioned about it; but we heard some familiar voices at 2:30 this morning, and suppose that was the merry crowd returning home. The following were present:

Mr and Mrs W A Murchie, Mr and Mrs J A Ellis, Mr and Mrs H T Murchie; Misses Addie Lucas, Virgilia and Vleda Dunlap; Messrs M A Murchie, Bob Lucas and E D McKee.

Creditors of Sherman County Bank,

Please take notice, That a meeting of creditors of said bank was held at the office of C. J. Bright Dec. 20, 1899, for the purpose of taking the necessary steps to effect a voluntary adjustment of the affairs of said bank. At such meeting L. Clark, W. S. Barzee and C. J. Bright were appointed a committee to procure a list of creditors and to prepare and circulate among them an agreement for voluntary settlement and report the result as early as possible.

All creditors therefore other than derositors are requested to present statement of their respective claims to said committee at the office of C. J. Bright in Wasco, Oregon, without delay.

COMMITTEE.

At Hymen's Altar.

Sunday evening, Dec. 24, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leslie, Mr. J. F. Watson and Miss Maud E. Rust were the happy principals in a marriage ceremony pronounced by Rev. Beightol. They were married in the alcove, which was handsomely decorated with ivy and smilax. Congratulations were offered; their friends wished them peace, happiness, prosperity, through life's journey.

They were then invited to the dining room, where an elegant wedding repast was served. When the dinner hour was over the guests were invited to inspect the presents, where the happy couple once more received congratulations. Those present and their offerings were:

Glass center set, Mr and Mrs Lot M Rust; photo album, Mr and Mrs Lot W Rust; picture, throw and basket, Mr and Mrs M A Leslie; a handsomely decorated China tea set, Coleman, Kauffman, Short and Porter; glass fruit dish, Miss Siscel; salt and pepper set, Miss Maie Rust; handkerchief, Mr Sellick. Those not present: Mr Buffum, silver knives and forks; Mr Potter, silver teaspoons; Miss Cooper, linen set; Mrs Ruby Rust, chair rest; Mr and Mrs A Erskine, handsome card receiver; Mr McKee, beautiful hand painted marriage certificate.

Notice.

Whereas, The undersigned, county judge of Sherman County, State of Oregon, has been reliably informed that smallpox or some similar contagious disease is prevalent in Moro, the county seat of said county in said state, to the extent trat it may be considered epidemic and pestilential, and that it would be dangerous to the public safety and to the public health to hold the January, 1900, term of said court at said county seat,

Therefore, it is hereby ordered that said court be held at Wasco, in said county and state, at the time appointed by law.

It is further considered and announced that no business will be transacted except to adjourn to some future date to be fixed by the court to suit the convenience of parties and without danger to the public health.

Done at the chambers of said court December 28th, 1899.

JOHN FULTON,
County Judge.

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

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A few miles from Ningpang-po, a town of northern China, is a large village composed of graves. It is a deserted burial ground, which has been taken advantage of by a clan of beggars and thieves, who eat, sleep and make merry in their grewsome surroundings. There are several similar towns in the Celestial empire.

In New Guinea the village of Tupuselei is most remarkable. The houses are all supported on piles and stand out in the ocean a considerable distance from shore. This is to protect the villagers from the attacks of the dreaded headhunters always looking out for victims. Other villages in this queer land are perched up in trees for the same reason.

There is a town without a name on Lake Huron. It is composed of 500 huts. During the summer the dwellings are hidden away in the brush tenantless, but when winter comes their owners appear, move them out on the ice, cut a hole through the floor and the ice and proceed to fish.

Athos, on the coast of Macedonia, is the most curious town in the world. The peninsula is known as the Mountain of Monks. A score or so of monasteries dot the land and bodies of ascetics, kind to travelers, but eccentric to a degree, occupy them. There is not a woman to be seen anywhere in the shops of the town. As a residence for bashful bachelors Athos is cordially recommended.

TIMELY HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To keep away roaches take green cucumber parings and strew them around the kitchen tables and cupboards and see how quickly the roaches will disappear.

Before putting carpets and rugs away for the summer shake thoroughly to free them from dust, then sprinkle with a powder composed of gum camphor and powdered tobacco. Roll tight and hang them away in clean flour sacks.

In closing the house for summer clean gilded frames with sweet oil, and to prevent flies from getting on the frames rub them with oil of lavender. Wrap books in newspapers and put them back in the bookcase with a number of pieces of gum camphor.

To remove stains from mattresses make a thick paste by wetting starch with cold water; spread this on the stain, first putting the mattress in the sun. Rub this off after an hour or so and if the ticking is not clear try the process again. Two applications will make it so without fail.

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Head in Name Only.

"Is the head of the family in?" inquired the census enumerator.

"The man who calls himself the head of the family is in," replied the determined looking woman who had opened the door, "but you can't see him. He is hiding under the bed and is afraid to come out."—N. Y. Journal.

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"I wasn't thinking of golf," answered Miss Cayenne. "He isn't big enough to be a real live cad, and I thought I ought to use a diminutive." —Washington Star.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 18, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Wm. Henrichs, county clerk, at Moro, Oregon, on Saturday, February 17, 1900, viz:

LOUISA COLEMAN, of Gorman, Oregon.

H E No 6751, for Lots 5, 6 and 7, sec 2, tp 1 s, r 19 e, W M

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John Freeberg, Bernhart Rimmele and Mary Coleman, all of Moro, Oregon, and Thomas McGinnis, of Moro, Oregon.

d21-9-t15 JAY P. LUCAS, Register.

From a Pastor

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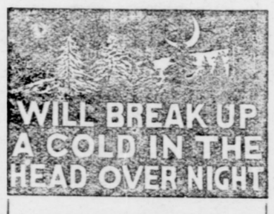

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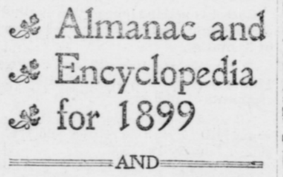

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Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, Nov 7, 1899.

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 Wm Henrichs, county clerk, at Moro, Oregon, on Friday, December 22, 1899, viz:

WILLIAM OEHMAN, of Rufus, Oregon;

H E No 4450, for the e½ se¼, ne¼ se¼, and se½ ne¼ sec 22, tp 3, n r 17 e, W M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

W H Fowler, Wm Tutt, John C Ates and John Foister, all of Rufus, Or.

n9-7-d21 JAY P. LUCAS, Register.

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Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 11, 1899.

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 S. A. D. Gurley, U. S. Commissioner, at Arlington, Oregon, on Monday, February 5, 1900, viz:

JOHN J. BASH, of Croy, Oregon;

H E No 3361, for the ne¼ nw¼ and w½ ne¼ sec 23, and se¼ sw¼ sec 14 tp 1 n r 19 e, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

John C Sweet, of Arlington, Or, and J E David, Lafayette H Wiseman, and Frank Bash, of Croy, Oregon.

d14-7-j25 JAY P. LUCAS, Register.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the administratrix de bonis non of the estate of S. E. Koontz, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Sherman County, State of Oregon, her final report and account of the said estate. And by order of said Court Tuesday, the 24 day of January, 1900, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day has been appointed the time, and the County Court room in Moro in said County and state the place for the hearing of said final report and account, the objections thereto if any, and the settlement thereof.

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L. A. KOONTZ,
n16-7-d28 Administratrix De Bonis Non.

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