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Southern Pacific Improvements.

That the Southern Pacific railway has no fear of financial depression as a result of the change in administration, is indicated by the formal statement filed with the California railway commission, setting forth in detail the improvements proposed for the years 1913 and 1914.
The company asks for permission to issue bonds in the sum of \$30,000,000 for the electrification of the lines operated in the Willamette valley, the reconstruction of the Corvallis & Eastern and other extensive improvements in railroads operated by the Southern Pacific in Oregon.
When a great railroad company like the Southern Pacific sees no dark clouds on the financial horizon, it is a fairly good indication that the money pulse of the country is normal.
The Southern Pacific, or no other great railroad company will expend any considerable sum of money in extensions or improvements unless they feel certain that business conditions are favorable. They are not in the transportation business for their health and will never spend a dollar for improvements unless there is a reasonable chance of obtaining an immediate return on their investment.

Good Roads Convention

There is no subject of more vital concern to the residents of Linn county than that of good roads. The business men and the farmer are equally interested in the maintenance of first class highways from the rural districts to the more populous centers. They have a community of interest in this subject.
The Democrat suggests that a date be fixed for a Linn county good roads convention, at which representatives from the various commercial clubs and granges could outline a county campaign for better highways. The meeting could be called at Albany or at some other convenient point and every section of the county should be invited to send representatives. Some uniform plan of improving the roads should be adopted and a convention of this character is the sensible way in which to take the initial step.
The Baker Democrat makes the following editorial comment upon the encouragement of manufacturing enterprises:
"Towns in the southern part of the state have started a movement to encourage the establishment of factories and thereby create payrolls. It is such a movement to which all energy should be directed for nothing carries with such guarantee of community prosperity.
Home industries are what Oregon needs and until the money sent away for many conceivable things is kept at home Oregon people will continue to labor to the upbuilding of other states and to her own impoverishment."
"Roosevelt is coming West," says a press dispatch. Look out for strong westerly winds.
According to a Salem dispatch, 100 applicants for admission to the bar were granted certificates yesterday. If the members of this profession should shoulder the musket they could conquer the world.
It takes nerve to run a bluff on a 'air of fours unless your contribution to the stakes consists of a choice assortment of counterfeit coin.
It's a crime to be a dog, or to own one in Albany.

SUMMONS.

In the circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn.
Mary E. Wilson and G. W. Wilson, her husband, F. B. Powell, and S. M. Powell, Plaintiffs,
vs.
Martha Marrs and John Marrs, her husband, Horace M. Propst and June Doe Propst, his wife, Alvis L. Propst, his wife, and Mary Roe Propst, his wife, Nina P. Propst and Dale D. Propst, defendants.
To Horace M. Propst, Jane Doe Propst, Alvis L. Propst and Mary Roe Propst, four of the above named defendants and all persons unknown having or claiming an interest or estate in the property described in plaintiff's complaint:
In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs on file with the clerk of the above entitled court on or before the 1st day of August, 1913, same being the date of the last publication of this summons as prescribed by order therefor duly made in the cause herein by the Honorable P. R. Kelly, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff's will apply to the court for the relief demanded in plaintiff's complaint on file herein: for a decree that the plaintiffs, Mary E. Wilson, F. B. Powell and S. M. Powell and the defendants, Martha Marrs, Horace M. Propst, Alvis L. Propst, Nina P. Propst and Dale D. Propst, are the owners in fee simple of the following described real property, to-wit:
Beginning at a point that is five chains west of the northeast corner of the Donation Land Claim of Samuel Simpson Not. No. 1862 in Township No. 11 South, Range No. 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, thence being the northeast corner of the tract of land heretofore set apart to Rebecca Powell by decree of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, made and entered on the 16th day of November, 1904 and running from thence west 120 rods; thence south 66 2/3 rods; thence east 120 rods; thence north 66 2/3 rods to the place of beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less, all in Linn County, State of Oregon. And for a decree that said real property and defendants last herein named be partitioned among the plaintiffs and defendants last herein named according to their respective rights, equity and quality relatively considered, except the portion belonging to the defendants, Horace M. Propst, Alvis L. Propst, Nina P. Propst and Dale D. Propst, and for a decree that the interest of the defendants last herein named be sold and the proceeds arising therefrom, after paying the costs of this suit, be paid to the said Horace M. Propst, Alvis L. Propst, Nina P. Propst and Dale D. Propst, according to their respective rights and that the costs and expenses of this suit be paid pro rata by the several parties, plaintiffs and defendants, interested herein according to their several interests and that said costs and expenses be a lien upon the several interests of the parties, plaintiffs and defendants, in and to the above described real property, until paid, and for such other and further relief as shall seem meet in equity.
The date of the first publication is the 20th day of June, 1913, and the date of the last publication is August 1st, 1913. This summons is published in the Semi-Weekly Democrat, by order of the Hon. P. R. Kelly, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn, made and dated the 18th day of June, 1913.
Dated this 18th day of June, 1913.
L. M. CURT,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
Fri. w. Jun 20-27; July 4-11-18-25 Aug 1-8-15-22.

SUMMONS.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified that C. H. Cummings, the plaintiff herein, is the holder of certificate of delinquency number 141, issued by the Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon, on the 30th day of December, 1908, for the sum of \$2.50, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for the taxes for the year 1907, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon real property situated in Linn county, Oregon, which is assessed to Chris. Hardman Estate, and of which the estate of Chris. Hardman is the owner of the legal title as appears of record, and which is particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the corner of Block 21 in Sumner's Addition to the Town of Solaville, Linn County, Oregon, and running thence South to the Southeast corner of Block 16, in Said Sumners Addition; thence West 3 chains; thence South 11 rods, more or less, to the north line of M. M. Bashor's land; thence East 8 chains, more or less, to the East line of the D. I. C. No. 70; thence North to a point East of the place of beginning, thence West 5 chains to beginning, containing 5 acres, more or less.
You are further notified that the plaintiff has paid taxes on said premises for subsequent years as follows, all of which payments, together with the certificate of delinquency, bear interest at the rate of fifteen per cent per annum from the date of the several payments:
Yes. Date Paid. Amt. Rate of Interest
1908 Mar. 23, 1909 \$2.01 15 per cent.
1909 Mar. 24, 1910 \$2.75 15 per cent.
1910 Mar. 22, 1911 \$3.36 15 per cent.
1911 Mar. 23, 1912 \$3.73 15 per cent.
1912 May 15, 1913 \$3.42 15 per cent.
Total amount paid since the issuance of the certificate of delinquency, \$16.17.
You are hereby further notified that the plaintiff will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and included in said certificate of delinquency; and you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days from the date of the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of the first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest; and in case of your failure to do so a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above described.
This summons is published by order of the Honorable P. R. Kelly, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Linn, made and dated June 16, 1913, and which requires that this summons be published once each week for nine consecutive weeks. The date of the first publication of this summons is June 20, 1913.
All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon Gale S. Hill, residing within the State of Oregon at the address hereafter mentioned.
Gale S. Hill,
District Attorney.
Address: Albany, Oregon.
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C. H. Cummings, Plaintiff,
vs.
W. C. Stearns, and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, defendants.
To W. C. Stearns, and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, defendants:
In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby notified that C. H. Cummings, the plaintiff herein, is the holder of certificate of delinquency number 116, issued by the Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon, on the 7th day of December, 1908, for the sum of \$3.21, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for the taxes for the year 1907, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon, upon real property situated in Linn County, Oregon, which is assessed to the defendant W. C. Stearns and of which he is the owner of the legal title as appears of record, and which is particularly described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section Four (4), in Township Eleven (11) South of Range Seven (7) East of Willamette Meridian, in Linn County, Oregon.
You are further notified that the plaintiff has paid taxes on said premises for subsequent years as follows, all of which payments, together with the certificate of delinquency, bear interest at the rate of fifteen per cent per annum from the date of the several payments:
Yes. Date Paid. Amt. Rate of Interest
1908 Mar. 23, 1909 \$4.95 15 per cent.
1909 Mar. 24, 1910 \$5.24 15 per cent.
1910 Mar. 22, 1911 \$6.21 15 per cent.
1911 Mar. 23, 1912 \$5.82 15 per cent.
1912 May 15, 1913 \$6.40 15 per cent.
Total amount paid since the issuance of the certificate of delinquency, \$28.62.
You are hereby further notified that the plaintiff will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, duly appointed executors of the last will and testament of John A. McBrine, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned, at the office of Harvey M. McBride, in the City of Albany, in said county and State, within a reasonable time, and date of this notice.
Dated June 6, 1913.
FRANK B. MURPHY,
WM. HARVEY MURPHY,
REWITT & SON,
Executors.

MISS SAVAGE ISSUES HER OWN LICENSE

Charming Deputy in County Clerk Mark's Office Performs Task Bravely.

WILL BE MARRIED TO TRUMAN D. BABB TONIGHT

County Clerk Marks and Deputy Russel Compel License Issuance.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator, will, from and after the 30th day of June, 1913, proceed to sell at private sale the following described real property of the above described estate, to-wit:
The Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 34, Township 9 South, Range 2 East of the Willamette Meridian, in Linn County, Oregon, containing 160 acres.
The foregoing sale will be made under and by virtue of an order duly made and entered by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, on the 3rd day of May, 1913.
Terms of sale cash.
LLOYD G. ANDERSON,
Administrator.
Post Office address and Residence
Lyons, Oregon.
Gale S. Hill,
Attorney for Administrator.
W. M30-J-6-13-20-27

Notice of Sale for Delinquent Assessments.

Western Oregon Land Company, location of principal place of business, Albany, Oregon.
Notice is hereby given that there is delinquent upon the following stock, on account of assessments levied on the 29th day of May, 1911, and on the 28th day of May, 1912, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders as follows:
James D. Prentice, the sum of \$378.78, and in accordance with the law, and an order of the board of directors made on the 17th day of March, 1913, one share of such stock, or as many as may be necessary, shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Albany, Linn County, Oregon, on the 26th day of June, 1913, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, to pay the assessments due thereon, together with the expenses of advertising and sale.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1913 at Albany, Oregon.
Wm. BAIN,
Secretary.

BANKERS LOUD IN PRAISE OF ALBANY HOSPITALITY

Declaring that Albany is one of the best cities on the Pacific coast and expressing their thanks for the courteous treatment at the hands of the Albany bankers, delegates to the bankers' convention which convened yesterday at Corvallis were loud in their praise of the hospitality shown to them by the people of both Linn and Benton counties.
A large number of the delegates were yesterday conveyed to Corvallis by local business men and many of them spent last night at the New Hammett hotel.

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To John D. Walton, and also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, defendants:
In the name of the state of Oregon: You are hereby notified that C. H. Cummings, the plaintiff herein, is the holder of certificate of delinquency number 131, issued by the Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon, on the 7th day of December, 1908, for the sum of \$3.74, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for the taxes for the year 1907, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon, upon real property situated in Linn County, Oregon, which is assessed to J. D. Walton, and of which the defendant John D. Walton is the owner of the legal title as appears of record, and which is particularly described as follows, to-wit: The North half of the Southwest quarter of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Thirteen (13) South, Range Four (4) East of Willamette Meridian, Linn County, Oregon.
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1909 Mar. 24, 1910 \$2.80 15 per cent.
1910 Mar. 22, 1911 \$6.55 15 per cent.
1911 Mar. 23, 1912 \$7.28 15 per cent.
1912 May 15, 1913 \$8.25 15 per cent.
Total amount paid since the issuance of the certificate of delinquency, \$28.37.
You are hereby further notified that the plaintiff will apply to the Circuit Court of the county and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described and included in said certificate of delinquency; and you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of the first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest; and in case of your failure to do so a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above described.
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WIDELY KNOWN PIONEER DIES

John W. Pugh Died at His Home This Morning After Lingering Illness.

HE BECAME RESIDENT AT AGE OF ONE YEAR

Funeral Services Will Be Held Tomorrow Afternoon at Shedd.

John W. Pugh, a well and favorably known pioneer of Linn county, died this morning at his home near Shedd, after a lingering illness.
Crossing the plains by ox team with his parents from Iowa, the deceased became a resident of Washington county, Oregon at the age of one year. Later the family removed to Linn county and settled on a large donation land claim. Upon reaching manhood, the late Mr. Pugh was content to make his future home in the section where he lived during his early boyhood, and has since resided on a farm 1-12 miles from Shedd; where he had been engaged in general farming and dairying. Industry and energy, governed by intellect, numbered him among the leading and successful agriculturists of the county.
John W. Pugh was educated in the county school near his father's home and in 1865 he was married to Frances E. Thompson, a member of an early pioneer family. Two children were the result of this union who are Mrs. Mary E. Caldwell, of Bend, and Geo. B. of Brownsville. Mrs. Pugh died in 1870 and some years later Mr. Pugh married Nancy E. Walker, a daughter of another pioneer family. Nine children were born to this union who are Mrs. Estelle Taylor, of Seattle, Ernest G. of Portland, Mrs. Nellie J. Satchell, of Portland, Charles A. of Shedd, Mrs. Laura Malson, of Shedd, Harvey G. of Shedd, Mrs. Edith J. Ficklin, of Canada, John McKinley, of Shedd and Effie, deceased. In 1898 Mr. Pugh was again left alone by the death of his second wife.
The late Mr. Pugh was an energetic worker for the community in which he lived and an active member of the Methodist church. For 25 years he served as superintendent of the Sunday school. He was one of the county's prominent crammers and was a member of the Woodmen of the World. For four years prior to 1906 he served the county faithfully and efficiently as a county commissioner. He was held in high esteem by a host of friends throughout the county and was perhaps one of the best known residents. His family is ranked among the most estimable families of Oregon.
Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at Shedd with interment in the cemetery at that place.

MAN SEEKS HIS WIFE WHO IS UNTRUE TO HIM

Peculiar Circumstances Involve Case Concerning San Jose Couple.

Believing that his alleged wife, whom it is understood has been here visiting for several days, has been untrue to him, a man by the name of Jensen arrived in the city Sunday and conducted a quiet investigation here and in Corvallis, in an effort to substantiate his belief that his supposed wardward spouse has been living with a man by the name of Savage.
Peculiar circumstances involve the case, in that Jensen avows that the woman is his wife but asserted that he was of the opinion that she had married Savage. He said that she had continually written to him at their home in San Jose, Calif., for money which he had supplied her with since she has been here.
At Corvallis he got track of the woman and secured a warrant for her arrest but before the arrival of officers, she had fled. Local police who have conducted an investigation of the case are of the opinion that the woman is not Jensen's wife but that she has been living with him and that he became riled when he found out that he had been furnishing her with money, while she was living with another man. Last night Jensen decided to give up his investigation and left for his home in San Jose.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the estate of Rosa E. Young, deceased, has filed her final account with the County Clerk of Linn County, Oregon, and the County Judge has set the 21st day of July, 1913, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and the county court room of said county as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account, if any, and the settlement thereof.
INA M. THOMAS,
Executrix.
L. L. SWAN,
Atty.
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