

NOTICE.

Basche Hardware Company's New Cash System.

We desire to call the attention of the general public to our new cash system, which we will inaugurate from today, August 1st, 1900. Hereafter no goods will be sold on credit and we ask everyone knowing themselves to be indebted to us, to call and make settlement at once. We realize that better prices can be given our customers by the cash system, which will be strictly adhered to after this date.

Thanking the general public for their liberal patronage in the past, and assuring them that we can advance their interests by trading with us in the future.

Respectfully,
BASCHE HARDWARE CO.
 Sumpter, Oregon, August 1, 1900.

Will Develop the Excelsior.

The stockholders of the Excelsior Gold Mining and Milling company held an annual meeting at the office of W. S. Bowers, at Baker City, Monday evening, and elected the following directors for the ensuing year: E. E. Cleaver, Dr. Cleaver, John Ward, W. S. Bowers and A. H. Gunnell. Subsequently the directors elected E. E. Cleaver as president and W. S. Bowers as secretary and treasurer. The property adjoins the Red Boy and is developed by a strong vein that will average \$10 per ton. Provision was made to dispose of sufficient stock to sink the shaft 50 to 75 feet deeper and work will be commenced at once.

LOW RATE VIA UNION PACIFIC

To G. A. R. Encampment, Chicago, Ill., August 27 to September 1, 1900.

For the above occasion, the Union Pacific Railroad will make a special rate of \$71.50 to Chicago and return. Tickets on sale August 21st and 22nd.

For further details concerning this cheap rate, call on

H. C. BOWERS,
 Agent O. R. & N. Co., Baker City, Or.
 Or address,

J. H. LOTHROP,
 Gen'l Agent, 135 Third St. Portland, Or.

Removal Notice.

My office has been removed from the Goss bank building to the Gleason building, corner Granite and Center streets.
 DR. J. J. FISHER.

Miners Wanted.

I will employ six thorough miners and pay \$1.50 per day to practical men. Apply to me at the scamp mill, Quartsburg district, Comer postoffice, Oregon.

SAM H. HAYS.

The Columbia beer, brewed in Sumpter, is today as good as any made.

The City Green house, at Baker City, furnishes choice cut flowers.

For Sale.—A ten light arc dynamo, in first class condition. Very cheap. Apply to Seymour H. Bell at office Sumpter Light and Power Co.

Handsome lot of Dicken's vest chains for men at F. C. Brodie's jewelry store, Opera House block.

Quartz and placer location blanks of the most approved form for sale at THE MINER office.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
 La Grande, Oregon, July 10, 1900.
 Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

JAMES K. PARDEE
 of Sumpter, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 627, for the purchase of the e 1/2 ne 1/4 and e 1/2 se 1/4 of sec 29, tp 10 s r. No. 17 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 27th day of October, 1900.

He names as witnesses: W. C. Calder, Mrs. N. C. Richards, Charles O. Morrell, David H. Wilson, all of Sumpter, Oregon.
 Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of October 1900.
 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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MAIDIA L. RICHARDS
 of Sumpter, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 628, for the purchase of the n 1/2 ne 1/4, se 1/4 ne 1/4 and ne 1/4 se 1/4 of section No. 18 in township No. 10 south, range No. 17 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 27th day of October, 1900.

She names as witnesses: James H. Pardee, W. C. Calder, David H. Wilson, Charles O. Morrell, all of Sumpter, Oregon.
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CHARLES O. MORRELL
 of Sumpter, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 629, for the purchase of the lots 1 and 2, e 1/2 sw 1/4 of section No. 18, in township No. 10 south, range No. 17 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 27th day of October, 1900.

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Some others, too, no doubt, will need furniture for their new homes. We are ready to serve them. We have already supplied satisfactory furniture for hundreds of new homes; we can do as well for hundreds more. Our stock allows easy selection at all times. There is always plenty here for every room in the house. All our goods are priced on a cash basis and it will pay you to give us a call.

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