

RICH COLUMBIA CONCENTRATES.

Twenty Tons Worth \$50,000, Average Values.

Two of the most valuable carloads of ore ever brought to Baker City over the Sumpter Valley railway were those arriving here on Wednesday evening and shipped from the Columbia mine.

Frank S. Baillie, manager of the Columbia Mining company, accompanied the cars to this city and had the ore sampled by the Baker City Sampling works, which gave a return of over \$50,000.

Mr. Baillie, after the sampling in this city, forwarded the ore over the O. R. & N. to the smelter at Everett, Washington.

Ore of such value as this from the Columbia is truly wonderful and gives the fullest evidence of the wealth to be found in the eastern Oregon gold fields, the Cripple Creek of the Pacific Northwest.—Democrat.

This is a good newspaper item, all right, but it is inaccurate on two important points. In the first place, it was a shipment of concentrates, and not ore, as that term is usually used. The Columbia ships no ore, every pound from the mine being run through its mill, which saves a very large per cent of values.

The statement in the Republican, that this shipment was literally alive with the "yellow metal," was a combination of ignorance and dishonesty. It is not necessary to send free gold ore to a smelter for treatment.

The other point on which the Democrat was in error, is the impression conveyed that this was an unusually rich shipment. Manager Baillie says the concentrates from the Columbia mill averages about as this lot does, \$2,500 to the ton.

Speaking of this matter, a mining man well posted on the big properties in this district, stated to a MINER representative that the Columbia is the most valuable and best managed mine in the state.

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

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 28, 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,

ORLANDO C. KOONTZ of Hereford, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 735, for the purchase of the 1/4 SW 1/4 section No. 27, in township No. 11 south, range No. 28 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 Saturday, the 16th day of March, 1901.

He names as witnesses: Thomas Arvidson, E. H. Ware, James Fleetwood, Jr., Fred Perry, all of Hereford, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 16th day of March, 1901.

Jan 2-27 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, December 17, 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,

LINDEN D. STETLER, of Sumpter, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 730, for the purchase of the 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 35, and E 1/2 NW 1/4 of section No. 34, in township No. 10 S, range No. 37 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 Saturday, the 9th day of March, 1901.

He names as witnesses: D. S. McCoy, V. R. Mead, Clarke Snyder, and Irwin Gatewood, 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 9th day of March, 1901.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

To the honorable Board of County Commissioners of Baker County, Oregon.

We, the undersigned citizens of Bourne Precinct, Baker County, Oregon, humbly petition your honorable body to grant a license to Anderson & Marsh to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than one gallon, in the town of Bourne, for the period of three (3) months from February 1, 1901, and for such other petitioners will ever pray:

Thos McGuire, Frank McCann, John Connell, Thomas Ward, Frank Weir, E G White, Ph Holz, F F Johnson, H R Cadds, CH Cook, Tim Shea, Wm Flint, John T Ruak, SA Bowers, W M Francis, A H Steele, G N Taylor, Allen McPhee, I Anstead, Chas Engle, David Eveland, R D Warnock, T P Oakes, D G Branner, Pat Murry, Chas G North, John Reagan, Barney McKenna, A J Goldthorp, E C Brayford, W T Campbell, Henry Engle, Chas M Bostnum, Wm Blair, W J Evans, Alfred Casanbon, John Snor, Pat Verunda, C F Kear, A J R Dress, A J Tadlock, Ward O Groat, J C Post, IR McNamara, M W Beckwith, G W Rankin, John McGill, Geo G Hale, L L Day, L H Akins, I C White, J Neiderkorn, P Harkins, H H Wilson, Ed Rawson, W H Spencer, Chas C Hall, W S Bonner, R N Wall, W H Balesry, Ben G Ross.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the said Anderson & Marsh will apply to the said county court of Baker county for the granting of said license on the 31st day of January, 1901, or as soon thereafter as their petition can be heard.

ANDERSON & MARSH.

Petition for Liquor License.

TO THE HONORABLE COUNTY COURT, BAKER COUNTY OREGON

We, the undersigned voters of Baker County, Oregon, petition your honorable body to grant a license to G. W. Wiegand to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon, in Bourne, Baker County, Oregon, for the period of six months, dated this 30th day of January, 1901, and your petitioners will ever pray:

C F Kear, Wm Weigand, Gus Anderson, J F Mahoney, R D Warnock, P E VanBuren, D G Branner, U L Day, Frank Weir, Philip Weir Chas C Hall, F P Oakes, G Kerns, Charles Bluett, C H Cook, H P Main, E L Albro, C C Grimm, Fred Fuller, James Crawford, G T Turney, C H Banard, R D McNamara, George G Hall, William Flint, George Wilds, A H Steele, Dan Farry, Charles Haynes, Albert Casanbon, E Burke Sr, W J Evans, Ben G Ross, H R Ross, E Nordyke, Henry Mernott, W C Wales, C G Kinnerson, Florenz Rigg, R H Wall, W P Campbell, C H Turner.

Notice is hereby given that the said G W Weigand will apply to the said county court of Baker County, Oregon, for the granting of said license on March 1, 1901, or as soon thereafter as his petition can be heard.

G. W. WIEGAND.

[First publication Jan. 30, last Feb. 27, 1901]

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR BAKER COUNTY.

Minerva E. Dean, plaintiff, vs Geo. E. Dean, defendant.

To Geo. E. Dean, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause on or before the 28th day of February, 1901, which is the last day of time prescribed in the order made by the County Judge of Baker County, State of Oregon, for the publication of this summons. And if you fail so to appear and answer, a decree will be entered in said cause declaring the marriage now and heretofore existing between you and the plaintiff, Minerva E. Dean, annulled and set aside, and judgment will be entered against you for the costs and disbursements of this action and for such sum as the court may adjudge reasonable to allow the plaintiff as counsel fees herein and for alimony to be paid by you for her support and maintenance.

And you are hereby notified that on the 15th day of January, 1901, the Honorable W. W. Travillion, County Judge of Baker County, Oregon, made an order that service of summons in this action be made upon you by publication of summons, and that the first publication of this summons be made on January 16, 1901, and date of last publication thereof is February 27, 1901.

N. C. RICHARDS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF BAKER.

In the matter of the estate of James F. Gallagher, deceased.

The people of the State of Oregon to Minnie E. Looney, Clara McGrew, Jessie McCrary and Lizzie Schafer, greeting: By order of this court, you, the said Minnie E. Looney, Clara McGrew, Jessie McCrary and Lizzie Schafer, are hereby each of you cited to appear before the Honorable W. W. Travillion, Judge of the County Court of the County of Baker and State of Oregon, at the court house in Baker City in said county, on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, to show cause, if any, why the petition of Walter W. Looney, administrator of the estate of said James F. Gallagher, deceased, praying that an order be entered directing the sale of certain real estate belonging to said estate, to wit: Lots 2, 3, 4, and the southeast fourth of the northwest fourth of section 19, township 9 south, range 37 east of Willamette Meridian in Baker County, Oregon, and an undivided one half interest in and to the Princess, Doubtful and Lucky Bay Mare placer mining claims on Olive creek in Grant county, Oregon, should not be granted.

In testimony whereof I, Frank Geddes, clerk of the County Court aforesaid, do hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the said court this 15th day of January, 1901.

FRANK GEDDES, Clerk.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

To Steve Leyden and W. W. Thurmen: You are hereby notified that A. J. Tadlock, your co-owner in that certain mineral claim known as the Peacock, being situated on the McCully fork about four and a half miles northwest of Sumpter and near the Granite road in Baker county, has performed assessment work as required by law and you are required within 90 days from date hereof to pay your proportion of the expenditure upon said claim.

A. J. TADLOCK.

Sumpter, Oregon, December 19, 1900. First publication Dec 19, 1900, last March 20, 1901.

Notice of Forfeiture.

TO T. C. CULBERTSON: You are hereby notified that Gertrude L. Robertson, your co-owner in

that certain mineral claim, known as the Dixie, being situated in Olive mining district, south of Salmon creek, in Grant county, has performed assessment work as required by law, and you are required within 90 days from date hereof to pay your proportion of the expenditure upon said claim.

GERTRUDE L. ROBERTSON. Sumpter, Oregon, Jan. 22, 1901. [First publication Jan 23, last April 24, 1901]

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

TO WILLIAM LINDSAY AND O. E. MORAN: You are hereby notified that I, Fred Knuth, your co-owner in that certain mineral claim known as the Orleans, being situated on Silver creek in the Cracker Creek district, in Baker county, Oregon, and parallel with the Mountain Belle claim, has performed the assessment work as required by law and you are required within 90 days from date hereof to pay your proportion of the expenditure on said claim, together with expense of this advertisement.

FRED KNUTH.

Sumpter, Oregon, Jan. 21, 1901. [First publication, Jan 21—last, April 24, 1901.]

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

TO O. E. MORAN: You are hereby notified that I, Fred Knuth, your co-owner in that certain mineral claim known as the May Flower, adjoining the Orleans claim on the west, and situated on Silver creek in the Cracker Creek district, in Baker county, Oregon, has performed the assessment work as required by law, and you are required within 90 days from date hereof to pay your proportion of the expenditure on said claim, together with the expense of this advertisement.

FRED KNUTH.

Sumpter, Oregon, Jan. 21, 1901. [First publication, Jan. 21—last, April 24, 1901.]

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