

## CHANGE TO REPEAL OBNOXIOUS EDDY LAW

Let Mining Men Exert Their Influence in the Extra Session of The Legislature.

If the mining men of the state have any influence, now is the time for them to exert it and force the repeal of the obnoxious Eddy law. If members of the state legislature from the mining districts, especially those from eastern Oregon, know on which side their political bread is buttered, now is the time for them to stand pat and force this issue on the pumpkin pushing statesmen of the Willamette valley, who passed the oppressive measure and who are now clamoring for an extra session and an amendment to the tax levy law. The opportunity for reprisal is self-evident. Read the following press dispatch from Salem:

Governor Chamberlain has decided that he will not call an extra session of the legislature unless he is requested to do so by a majority of the members of both houses. On investigation he has learned that the state treasury will not suffer for lack of funds, owing to the fact that no levy can be made this year. The state finances are in good condition and the county and city finances of the state in general will not suffer materially if the tax levy is not made.

The governor says that he would not hesitate to call an extra session if the houses would meet and provide for the tax levy, then adjourn without further legislation or delay, but he is of the belief that if the special session be called a number of business measures would be forced on the legislature, and the expenses be greater than the loss to the state through the error in the tax law. The governor intimates that he is certain this cumbersome and extra business would be forced on the legislature.

### OFFICIAL RECORDS.

The following instruments were filed at the Baker county court house during the week ending Nov. 10, 1903.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

##### DEEDS.

Nov. 11—L. and I. Bourne to Sophia Smith, lot 1 and part 2 and 3, B. D. Bourne; \$450.

Nov. 6—Wm. H. Willey to Clark Snyder, SE ¼ Sec. 19, T. 11 R. 38 E.; \$1.

Aug. 7—Receiver to Henry H. Stoddard, 2 D-R to 320 acres in Sec. 12, 22, 26, 27 and 28 T. 10 R. 38 E.; \$600.

Aug. 7—Receiver to Jas. Stoddard, D.R. to 160 acres in Sec. 12 T. 10 R. 38 E.; \$400.

Nov. 6—O. O. Balsley and wife to O. C. Shelly, 140 acres in Sec. 5, T. 7 and Sec. 32 T. 6 R. 39 E.; \$3,500.

Sept. 11—F. S. Baillie to Geo. Stoddard, 320 acres in Sec. 6 and 7 T. 11 R. 38 E.; \$1,268.

June 24—Jas. Dunphy et al to C. M. McClaren, 1,000 in. W. Rt. South Rock creek; \$200.

Nov. 5—Emma Hartman estate to John Waterman, ½ interest in lot 6 and N ½ lot 7, B. 8, Boyd's adn; \$800.

Nov. 5—Mary M. Tracy and husband

to Annie M. Reid, lots 7 and 8, B. H. Place's adn; \$2,100

Oct. 2—F. L. Moore and wife to P. Basche, ½ interest in S. ½ lots 4 and 7, B. 2, B. City; \$2,000.

Oct. 24—B. S. Huntington and wife to C. A. Andrews, lot 11, B. 22, Huntington; \$40.

Jan. 15—H. J. Wise and wife to F. S. Thompson, 150x250 feet E. end Valley Ave., B. City; \$400.

Nov. 2—Gent Taliaferro and wife to N. L. Taliaferro, lot, 11 B. 4, Sumpter Hts.; \$100.

Sept. 27—D. C. Simmons and wife to M. Simmons, 12 acres in Sec. 14 and 15, T. 9, R. 45, E.; \$500.

April, 10 '02—N. H. Gray to O. M. Hand, 20 acres placer in Sec. 5, T. 9, R. 39 E.; \$850.

July 18, 1900—H. Colt to Mary B. Colt, SW ¼ Sec. 24 T. 12 R. 37 E.; \$1.

Sept. 25—A. C. Becker et al to Robert R. Siewing, lots 11 and 12 B. 2, Jenkins tract, B. City; \$170.

#### MINING MATTERS.

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Oct. 25—J. W. Mullen, et al to J. E. Reed, Auburn placer claim, 90 acres; \$1,500.

Oct. 15—C. G. Green and wife to A. S. Ainsworth, American Eagle and 2 quartz claims; \$1.

July 25—Geiser-Hendryx Investment Co. to Cracker Creek G. M. Co., Victor and four other quartz claims; \$1.

Oct. 31—Owen Hill and wife to E. F. Zinna, ½ interest in Wild Horse and six other quartz claims; \$1.

Nov. 2—Eastern G. M. Co. by sheriff to C. A. Johns, Elkhorn claims; \$4,000.

Oct. 20—Ira Lemmon et al to Wm. Peart, "Patside," "Oversight" quartz claims; \$1,000.

### NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice of sale of property for street assessment. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the City Recorder of the city of Sumpter on the 29th day of October, 1903, to me directed, commanding me to collect the assessment levied upon the lot or tract of land as hereinafter described and as hereinafter set forth for the improvement of Columbia street, I will at the front door of the city hall on Cracker street, in the city of Sumpter, Baker county, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., the 12th day of December, 1903, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described lot or parcel of land, upon which an assessment has been levied for the improvement of Columbia street, together with the costs and accruing costs of this sale, as declared by ordinance No. 203 of the City of Sumpter.

The following described lot will be sold for cash in hand, but no bid will be accepted less than the amount of the assessment levied thereon with costs and accruing costs of this action.

The following is the lot or tract of land that will be offered for sale with the name of the owner and amount assessed against the same:

Lot 3, Block 3, Sumpter Heights McEwen's addition to the town of Sumpter, Baker county, Oregon, as shown on the plat of said addition, of record in the office of the recorder of conveyances for Baker County, Oregon, assessed to John Gilille; amount due thereon, \$30.99 ½.

Witness my hand this 9th day of November, 1903. ED RANND, City Marshal of the City of Sumpter.

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