

# The Lane County News

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## A DEFECT OF THE PRIMARY

As the time for holding the primary election is approaching we will again call attention, as we have done several times during the past few years, to one of the glaring weaknesses of the direct primary law of this state. The effect is to give the centers of population—the large cities—control of the offices and bring about the election of men from those cities for the positions. Through that law Portland controls the political affairs of the state and Eugene controls the political affairs of Lane County. Since the direct primary law went into effect ten years ago, you can count on your fingers the men from outside of Eugene who have been elected to office in this county. Does this show that Eugene men were better qualified or more competent to perform the duties of those offices than were the men from outside that city? By no means. It is simply because Eugene has the votes and puts her men there, thus "hogging it all" without considering the rest of the county. A similar condition exists in other counties of the state. Under the old convention system this was not done. While there often were complaints of the influence of the larger cities in political affairs, there was far more a distribution of the offices to the different parts of the county. When the delegates from the various districts met in the convention to choose candidates for the different offices,

efforts were made to give places on the ticket to different localities as far as could be done, and at the same time nominate the strongest and best man for the office. In this way each part of the county had a chance to elect a resident thereof to some position, and thus exert some influence in public affairs. Under the present system the country districts have very little to say in these matters. An effort was made by the Republicans in this county in 1910 to overcome this defect in the direct primary law by holding an assembly of the representative Republicans from all parts of the county to select candidates for the different offices and have the choice of the assembly ratified by the voters at the primary election. This movement was received with so much disfavor by the voters, however, that with but one exception, where there were opposing candidates, the anti-assembly men won out in the primary election. We believe, however, that further experience is convincing the voters of the weakness of the direct primary law and that before long efforts will be made to remedy some of its defects. In some of the other counties of the state, leading men are advocating the holding of an assembly to choose the candidates for the county offices, and the result of the agitation will be watched with interest by politicians everywhere—Florence West.

It is just as well that the petitions for a road bond election will not be filed, for the people of Lane county are not now ready to go to the expense of half a million or more to put a hard surface on roads that already are far better than the average main highway of the state. A program of road maintenance with the addition year by year of a few miles at a time of hard surface, will be far more acceptable. What is really needed is a system of roads feeding the railroads, rather than roads paralleling the railroads.

There is such a conflict of testimony as to the value of the crusher and city rock plant, it would seem the part of wisdom to leave the final disposition up to the council. The city officials are elected for the purpose of looking after the interest of the city. If they have looked into the matter from mlagla NETOINA the matter from all angles, and have taken counsel of the citizens generally, the decision they make ought to be final. Nothing is to be gained by a family quarrel—not while the railroad is spending a hundred thousand in Eugene and letting Springfield projects wait.

A beautifully illustrated folder "Four Gateways to the Pacific Coast" has just been issued by the Passenger Department of the Southern Pacific. This folder gives a general description of the Southern Pacific routes to the Pacific Coast through Portland, Ogdon, El Paso, and New Orleans.

A prominent feature of this folder is a two color map with illustrated inserts which shows at a glance the many scenic attractions of the Western states, and fittingly bearing out the Southern Pacific's new slogan "All the Pacific Coast is a show place."

The new folder is printed in orange and black. Its whole arrangement and design should make a strong appeal to the tourist, and should result in beneficial results to the Pacific Northwest. The publication is to be given wide distribution throughout the East. Copies can be obtained by addressing Mr. John M. Scott, General Passenger Agent, Southern Pacific, Portland, Oregon.

**Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.**

Of The Lane County News, published at Springfield, Oregon, for April 1, 1916.  
Before me a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. A. Dill, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and manager of the Lane County News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a legal paper, the circulation) etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:  
1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:  
Publisher, Lane County Publishing Association, Springfield, Oregon.  
Editor, W. A. Dill, Springfield, Oregon.

Business Managers, W. A. Dill, Springfield, Oregon.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and its names and addresses of stockholders owning 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.) J. F. Smith, Tonasket, Wash.; R. W. Smith, M. Fenwick, J. H. Bower, Charles L. Scott, W. H. Pollard, R. L. Kirk, B. E. Lansberry, E. E. Brattain, J. T. Green, John Mason, J. E. Richmond, Jennie W. Dill, and W. A. Dill, all of Springfield, Ore., and Margaret Herd, Alton, Kans.

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W. A. DILL, (Signature of editor and business manager)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 day of April 1916.

HERBERT E. WALKER, (My commission expires Mar. 1, 1920.)

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.  
Stewart McKay, Plaintiff, vs O. M. Larson and Emma Larson, husband and wife, Defendants.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the 22 day of May 1916 the said date being the time specified by the Court in the order of publication as the time for you to appear and answer, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to said Court for relief demanded in said complaint on file herein and for the whole thereof.

The relief demanded is the foreclosure of a certain mortgage executed by you and for judgment against you for the sum of \$150.00 and interest thereon at 10 per cent per annum from the 4th day of July 1913 and \$35.19 taxes paid and interest thereon, and \$25.00 as plaintiff's attorney fee and the costs and disbursements of the suit, and for a decree ordering the sale of Lot 16 in Block 22 and lot 6 in block 23, all in Emerald Heights addition to Springfield, Oregon, the same being the premises covered by plaintiff's mortgage, and applying the proceeds of said sale to the payment of said judgment, and barring and forever losing you and from all right, title interest and equity of redemption in and to said premises.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. H. L. Bown, County Judge of Lane County, Oregon, dated April 10th, 1916.

FRANK A. DEPUE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.  
Stewart McKay, Plaintiff, vs Jorgen Holm, 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 Court and cause on or before the 22nd day of May 1916 the said date being the time specified by the Court in the order of publication as the time for you to appear and answer, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to said Court for relief demanded in said complaint on file herein and for the whole thereof.

The relief demanded is the foreclosure of a certain mortgage executed by you, and for judgment against you for the sum of \$100.00 and interest thereon at 9 per cent per annum from the 17th day of July, 1913, and \$7.68 taxes paid and interest thereon, and \$25.00 as plaintiff's attorney fee and the costs and disbursements of the suit, and for a decree ordering the sale of the lot numbered 12 in block numbered 2 in the High School addition to Springfield, Oregon, the same being the premises covered by plaintiff's mortgage, and applying the proceeds of said sale to the payment of said judgment, and barring and forever losing you, and from all right, title interest and equity of redemption in and to said premises.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. H. L. Bown, County Judge of Lane County, Oregon, dated April 10th, 1916.

FRANK A. DEPUE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 3, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer E. Eggleston, of Vida, Oregon, who on June 9, 1905, made homestead entry, Serial No. 05159, for SW 1/4, Section 34, Township 16S, Range 2E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 15th day of May, 1916.

ter E. Post, of Vida, Oregon; William F. Beyerlin, of Vida, Oregon; Cary W. Thomson, of Vida, Oregon; Carl Swanson, of Vida, Oregon.

J. M. UPTON, Register.  
Apr. 6-May 11.

## NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County, on the 1st day of March, 1916, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 25th day of February, 1916, in a suit wherein Margaret More, as executrix of last will and testament of William M. Moore, deceased, and Margaret Moore were Plaintiff and R. H. Pierce and Elizabeth Pierce his wife, R. P. Diehnel and Celestia Diehnel, his wife and John Cheseem were Defendants, in which said suit the said Plaintiff recovered judgment against the Defendants R. H. Pierce and Elizabeth Pierce for the sum of Fifty Eight Hundred and no 100 (\$5800.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 6th day of December, 1914 at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars attorneys fees, and the further sum of Sixteen and no 100 (\$16.00) Dollars costs, which said judgment was enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said County on the 25th day of February, 1916, and said Execution to me directed commanding me in the name of the State of Oregon, in order to satisfy said judgment, Attorney's fees, costs, and accruing costs to sell the following described real property to-wit:

Beginning at a point 26.46 chains North 26.50 chains West of the Southeast corner of the James R. Fisher D. L. C. No. 39, Township 19, South Range 2 West of Willamette Meridian, and running thence North 25.51 chains to the center of County Road No. 95, thence North 73 degrees 30 min. West along the center of said County Road No. 95 to the East line of the E. Elliott D. L. C. No. 40 Township 19 South Range 2 West Willamette Meridian, thence North 45 degrees, 30 min. West along the center of the said County Road No. 95 to the North line of Section 2 Township 19, South Range 2 West Willamette Meridian, thence West on the said Section line 24.96 chains to the East line of the Abel Russell D. L. C. No. 41, Township 19 South Range 2 West Willamette Meridian thence South 37.26 chains to the Southeast corner of said D. L. C. No. 41, thence East 43.74 chains more or less to the place of beginning, containing 146 acres of land, more or less in Lane County, Oregon.

Now, therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon, and in compliance with said Execution and Order of Sale, I will on Saturday the 22nd day of April, 1916, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. to-wit: at one o'clock P. M. on said day at the southwest door of the County Court House in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash subject to redemption, all the right, title and interest of said Defendants and each of them in and to the above described real property.

JAMES C. PARKER, Sheriff of Lane County, Oregon.  
By D. A. ELKINS, Deputy

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 18, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Julius Beck, of Vida, Oregon, who on October 25, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 06692, for Lots 1 and 2 and NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 17S, Range 2E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 11th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walden H. Pendell, of Vida, Oregon; John F. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; Ben F. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; William Schornig, of Vida, Oregon.

J. M. UPTON, Register.  
Mar. 20-Apr. 24.

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, February 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Eliza E. Dowett, of Vida, Oregon, who on May 1, 1909, made Additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 04952, for the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 22, Township 16 S, Range 2 E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 28th day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Carey W. Tomson, of Vida, Oregon; John P. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; Carl E. Swanson, of Vida, Oregon; Herbert K. Baldwin, of Vida, Oregon.

J. M. UPTON, Register.  
Mar. 20-Apr. 24.

## CITATION TO HEIRS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel D. Weaver, deceased.  
To Mrs. Hattie Ege, Miss Ella Martin, Gust Martin, Charles Martin, F. V. Weaver, Rachel Weaver, Frank E. Weaver, Mrs. Charles Link, Mrs. May Freese, Clark Weaver, Russell Weaver, Fern Weaver, Samuel Weaver, William Wesco, Edna Mand, Russell Mattix, Theodore Mattix, Anna Hauger, John C. Weaver, Ferdinand Edger, Mrs. C. W. Lehman, and Willie Weaver.



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decident without notice where the inventory and appraisement of the estate shows that all the property within the jurisdiction of the Court does not exceed \$350.00.

This citation is issued pursuant to an order of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, in the above entitled estate dated March 31st, 1916.

The property described in the petition for the order to sell and which will be sold if the order is granted, is described as follows:

Commencing at a point South 20 degrees 26 min. 1/2 East a distance of 21.5 feet from a point which is North 88 degrees 34 minutes East 171.3 feet from center of section 18 township 20 South Range 2 East Willamette meridian; thence S. 48 deg. 19 min. W. 255.4 feet; thence South 35 deg. 26 min. East 255 feet; thence South 78 deg. 15 min. East 219.9 feet; thence North 20 deg. 36 min. 39 W. 464.3 feet to place of beginning, containing 1.89 acres, more or less, in Lane County, Oregon.

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Witness the Honorable H. L. Bown, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, Lane County, and the seal of said Court hereto affixed this 31st day of March, 1916.

The date of the first publication of this citation is April 3, 1916.

Attest  
STACY M. RUSSELL,  
(Seal County Court) County Clerk

See  
Edwards & Brattain  
For Farm and City Property  
Exchanges a Specialty  
Springfield Oregon  
Phone 30

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION  
Department of the Interior.  
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 8, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Walden H. Pendell of Vida, Oregon, who on January 25, 1911, made Second Homestead Entry, Serial No. 05694, for the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 4, Township 17 S, Range 2 E, Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon, on the 11th day of May, 1916.

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Claimant names as witnesses: Julius Beck of Vida, Oregon; John F. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; Benjamin F. Minney of Vida, Oregon; William Schornig of Vida, Oregon.

J. M. UPTON, Register.  
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