

THE GAZETTE.

HEPPNER THURSDAY, DEC. 13, 1883.

RAILROAD LANDS.

A Step Towards Restoring Unclear Odd Sections to the People.

GOOD NEWS FOR SETTLERS IN THE HEPPNER HILLS.

At last there is some stir beginning to be made in regard to who owns or is to own the immense area of lands in Eastern Oregon which have been for years erroneously termed "railroad lands."

Twenty years ago the odd sections for 20 miles on this side of the Columbia river were conditionally granted to the Northern Pacific Co., and 20 more miles of odd sections back towards the Blue mountains were reserved to indemnify the company for what odd sections had been already taken by settlers in the first 20 miles.

At Renton, W. T., three men have been arrested for cutting timber on government land, and in default of bail, were put in jail until the April term of court.

In Tonquin last Friday night a Chinese attack on Hai Phong was frustrated by the French. The Chinese advanced close to Phong and burned a village.

At Walla Walla the money to purchase and equip the new fair grounds and race course has all been made up, the land bought, and before the end of next summer there will be a grand fair.

An unusually important case has been recently decided by Judge McCreary in the United States Circuit Court of Colorado. The United States brought suit to cancel 61 patents to lands held by the Colorado Coal and Iron Co. and others, in Las Animas county.

NEWS NOTES.

The McKenzie Cattle Co., of Montana, has incorporated with a capital of \$150,000.

At Portland last Monday a little daughter of H. A. Wiggins fell into the river and was drowned.

Thirty-two Hereford cows recently sold at auction in England at an average of \$431 per head.

The vote on speaker of the house of representatives was: Carlisle 191; Keifer 112; Robinson 2; scattering 6.

At Portland last Sunday night, Edward Ryan, a steamboat man, slipped from a gang-plank and was drowned.

On the 8th the Mexican veterans called at the White house, in a body, and paid their respects to the president.

Edmunds has resigned the pro tem. presidency of the Senate, and it is supposed that Anthony will be his successor.

At Waitsburg, while Simon Taylor was doing some carpenter work, a nail flew into his right eye, completely destroying the sight.

There are three sheep to every four acres of land in England, and it is said that but for sheep the fertility of the soil could not be kept up.

At Sauvie Island last Thursday, Old Man Cloninger fatally shot a young man named Frank Pierce on account of some trouble about a dairy lease.

A fatal accident occurred last week at a Hood river sawmill, by which a young man named David Davis was caught in a belt and instantly crushed.

An Albany man has arrived from the East with three young Short-horns purchased at Kansas City, Mo. They cost him five cents per pound as freight.

At Portland last Friday night a cultus coward named Frank Johnson shot, probably fatally, a woman who had been acting as his wife for some time past.

At Cedar Rapids, Iowa, she went east with the pioneers' excursion, was taken ill at Cedar Rapids, and could proceed no further.

At Bisbee, Arizona, last Saturday evening, a party of desperadoes rode into town, murdered G. C. Tappener, D. T. Smith, J. N. Nolly and Mrs. Roberts, robbed a store of \$1200, and then fled.

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In Egypt on the 9th a great force of hill tribes attacked five companies of Egyptian troops, who were reconnoitering outside of Suakem. Severe fighting ensued, in which the Egyptians were completely annihilated, and their artillery captured.

At Leavenworth the Missouri river is forsaking the path of rectitude—which leads close by the town—and turn to the path of error which it is constructing for itself at some distance from the town.

A rumor is current that the Union Pacific people have leased the Baker City branch of the O. R. & N. line for a long term of years, to be used as a link in the extension of the Oregon Short Line to the Sound, via the Yakima country, and that work on the project, which is to start from Walla, will be begun in the spring.

The people of lower Willow creek, Wells Springs and throughout that section can now obtain all the lumber they want from Messrs. Daniels & Herren, who have opened a yard at Castle Rock. See the advertisement of this new and enterprising firm.

An opportunity is now offered for somebody to get a valuable W. W. Kimball Organ for almost nothing. It will be raffled off on Christmas at the Belvedere Saloon, Heppner. There are 115 chances, at only \$2 a chance.

CASTLE ROCK.

A Lively Letter from a Lively Writer. Several new buildings will shortly be erected here.

The school-house matter is being pushed as fast as possible. Daniels & Herren have lately received a large and complete stock of first-class lumber.

Messrs. W. H. Herren, J. H. Forsyth, I. B. Shippey and others report trade as particularly flattering.

Upwards of 200,000 pounds of merchandise were received at the station during the month of November.

Mr. J. D. Lockman, the gentlemanly proprietor of "The Arcade," received this week a fine invoice of wines and liquors.

Thanksgiving was properly observed by all. A supply of turkeys was brought into town by some enterprising farmer, and the city rejoiced.

Heppner, or other suburbs desiring an invoice of tramps, jerries, bums or others of that ilk, can procure a large supply by sending requisitions through the proper channels.

Capt. Lombard, of the P. & N. Land Ice Co., was here last week with a view of erecting a large ice-house and establishing an ice-depot at this place. This will give employment to a large number of workmen.

The first marriage ceremony performed in our town took place last week. Mr. Ebo. Martin and Miss Ida Carley, both of Coyote, were the contracting parties. A long and happy life of wedded bliss is conceded to them.

Boom! bang!! The boom has struck our town. Business is rushing, the river has risen two feet, Shippey has battered his house, and Castle Rock, rising suddenly from among her fallen and bankrupt sister towns, comes proudly to the front.

The citizens of this place recently graded a substantial road from the mouth of Island Canyon to a point opposite that town, on the Territory side of the river. They now talk of "brushing" the Heppner road with sage brush and grease wood.

A real live St. Louis "Slim," the new lady-dar term applied to the now nearly extinct race of "dudes," passed through our hamlet on Saturday last. He claimed to be direct from Milwaukee, and he felt rather slim; coming west for his health. Said he subsisted on the gum of the new two-cent postage stamps, which had been his only food for seven months. Had a bad attack of Peck's Milwaukee Sun. BUCKEYE.

Ayer's Newspaper Annual. The above book has been received here, and there is no other single publication within our knowledge which contains so much information of such varied use and value for general business purposes. Complete in all its departments, thorough in its details, giving just the information needed, and only that, simply arranged, easily referred to, carefully compiled, it is, in fact, a model work of its kind.

A new postoffice has been established on Butler creek, 15 miles from Echo. It will be known as Atwood, and Mr. H. C. Thompson, a genial and enterprising citizen, who can raise the biggest and best watermelons in the country, has kindly consented to perform the thankless duties of postmaster. Temporary package service has been put on from Foster.

Foster's New Schoolhouse. There has just been finished at Foster a handsome school building 24x16 feet. In its construction 25,000 feet of lumber was used, which was purchased from mills near Portland. Lumber costs delivered in Foster \$23 per thousand feet. The people of school district No. 61 deserve much credit for their interest shown in school matters. The entire structure and furniture will cost about \$2,000.

Married. In Heppner, Dec. 11, at the residence of the bride's parents, Bill Garrigues and Miss Emma Cowen.

In Heppner by A. Mallory, Esq., E. V. Harbin and Mrs. John Hinton.

Notice—Dentistry. Dr. J. E. Adkins, dentist, will be in Heppner December 1st, and remain ten days to practice his profession.

Heppner Nursery. The great demand for home-grown trees adapted to this dry climate has induced me to establish a nursery here. I have been in nursery and tree planting business for 22 years, and hope to succeed in raising trees to sell at moderate prices. I will be able to supply orders for next spring delivery—apple, pear and cherry, Oregon grown, small fruit and ornamental Eastern stock, next fall I can furnish chiefly of home-grown stock. Also large to have forest trees grown without irrigation, and very cheap in large quantities. Five hundred boxes of tree seeds for timber culture, warranted this year's growth, to arrive about Nov. 10. Price list sent to applicants. CHAS. E. FELL.

CITY HOTEL BAR, Corner Wines, Liquors & Cigars. MINOR & HALL Prop's.

LUMBER!! Castle Rock Lumber Co. All kinds of ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER, SHINGLES, ETC., kept constantly on hand.

We have recently received a large and complete stock of FIRST-CLASS LUMBER, SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS, ETC., Which we will sell at lowest possible figures.

Give us a call. DANIELS & HERREN, Castle Rock.

Duty on Wool.

Representative Converse of Ohio has introduced a bill providing restoration of the duty on clothing wools, combing wools and carpet and other similar wools to what they were prior to the enactment of the present tariff law. The wool growing industry, he said, is closely allied to agriculture, and the farming class are interested in the restoration of the old rates on wool, and this circumstance will give the bill strength before the representatives of the people. His state had suffered most severely from the reduction made in the present tariff law. There were in 45,000 wool growers, and their loss on sales of wools of the last annual clipping amounted to more than a million dollars. The first reduction of the tariff on the wool product has been felt so keenly in Ohio that both political parties there have pledged themselves to work for the restoration of the old rates.

While Wm. McKate was butchering a hog last Monday, he made a quick upward stroke, and the meat being very tender and the knife very sharp, the force of the movement was not checked until the blade came in contact with Mr. McKate's face near the right eye, making a very severe cut. The eye itself is not injured, but it had a very close call.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of James Currier, deceased, has this day filed with the county court of Umatilla county, State of Oregon, his final account as administrator of said estate, and that Friday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1884, the same being during the next regular session of said court, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the court house in Pendleton, has been appointed by the Judge of said court as the time and place for hearing objections to said account, and for the showing of cause, if any there be, why an order be not made, discharging said administrator from further duty as such, and resuming his duties from further liability on their undertaking. ELLIS MINOR, Administrator. PHILIP L. PAINE, Attorney. Heppner, Oregon, Dec. 8, 1883. 25-41

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has this day been appointed administrator of the estate of Edward B. Waite, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same in writing to me, or to my attorney P. L. Paine, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. CHAS. S. WAITE, Administrator. Heppner, Or., Dec. 6, 1883.

ALKA LI LADIES, ATTENTION! I have on hand a Choice Line of MILLINERY, And am Constantly receiving New and Fashionable Goods, which I am prepared to sell at San Francisco Prices, As the greater part of my goods are Direct from the East.

Please give me a call, and I will guarantee prices satisfactory. MRS. J. E. HASKIN, Alkali, Oregon.

A new stock of overcoats and clothing of all kinds at L. Morrow & Son's.

NOTICE—TIMBER CULTURE. U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., November 10, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by David J. Kelley against S. F. Sharp for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 59, dated Oct. 29, 1881, upon the NE 1/4 Sec. 18, Tp 2 North, Range 26 E., in Umatilla county, Or., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; respondent alleging that said S. F. Sharp has failed to plow or plant any part of said tract from date of entry to the present time, as required by law. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of T. E. Bramel, Notary at Elk, Or., on the 22nd day of December, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. E. L. SMITH, Register. C. N. THORNBURY, Receiver. 25-42

MINOR & DODSON, Grocery and Variety Store, MAIN STREET, HEPPNER, OREGON.

We Keep in Stock a Full Line of Groceries, Provisions, Stationery, Fancy Goods, French and American Candies, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas and other Fruits in season, Nuts, Cigars and Tobacco, Meerschaum Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Holders, Cutlery, Fishing Tackle, Guns, Pistols and Cartridges.

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A full supply of Fresh Candies, Nuts Canned Goods, etc., constantly on hand.

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Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Glass and Putty. AND ALL VARIETIES OF Druggists' Sundries.

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R. B. HOOD, Prop'r. Horses Bought and Sold on Commission. THE BEST ATTENTION GIVEN TO HORSES LEFT IN MY CHARGE. Terms Reasonable. Stock Shipped to any part of the Country as Ordered. NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will meet the tax-payers at a usual voting place of the several precincts of Umatilla county, Oregon, on the days hereinafter mentioned, for the purpose of collecting State and County taxes, for the year 1883. Grayswood, Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 5 and 6, 1883. Juniper, Wednesday, Nov. 7, 1883. Vandyke, Thursday, Nov. 8, 1883. Milton, Friday, Saturday and Monday, Nov. 9, 10 and 11, 1883. Cottonwood, Tuesday, Nov. 13, 1883. Timmerly, Wednesday, Nov. 14, 1883. Mountain, Friday, Nov. 16, 1883. Weston, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 17, 18 and 19, 1883. Centerville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 21, 22 and 23, 1883. Pendleton, from and to Nov. 24, 1883. Alta, Wednesday, Nov. 28, 1883. Willow Springs, Thursday, Nov. 29, 1883. Canas, Saturday, Dec. 1, 1883. Upper Butte, Creek, Monday, Dec. 3, 1883. Lena, Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1883. Heppner, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 6, 7 and 8, 1883. Willow Creek, (Geinger's), Monday, Dec. 10, 1883. Willow Creek, (Leck's), Tuesday, Dec. 11, 1883. Wells Springs, Wednesday, Dec. 12, 1883. Lower Butte, Creek, Friday, Dec. 14, 1883. Measles, Saturday, Dec. 15, 1883. Umatilla, Monday, Dec. 17, 1883.

All persons who have not been assessed for the year last are requested to attend to same time and place, and give in their assessment. Times for attending to business each day: From 9 a. m. till 4 p. m. Wm. MARTIN, Sheriff of Umatilla County. Dated October 19, 1883.

NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at La Grande, Or., Nov. 2, '83. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Judge of Umatilla Co., at Pendleton, Or., on Dec. 21, 1883, viz: Edward Brister, Homestead No. 204, for the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 10, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 11, Tp 4 S, R 21 E, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: J. H. Clifford, Wm. Howard, Peter Jorgensen, J. P. Velschock, all of Albi, Or. H. W. DWIGHT, Register.

NOTICE—TIMBER LAND. Land Office at La Grande, Or., Nov. 13, '83. Notice is hereby given that Edwin H. Bishop, has this day made application to purchase under the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled an Act for the sale of timber and stone lands in California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory, for the SE 1/4 Sec. 18, Tp 2 S, R 27 E, W. M., containing 160 acres. Final proof herein will be made after sixty days publication, and within ninety days of said publication, viz: 25-44 H. W. DWIGHT, Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., Nov. 18, '83. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Philip L. Paine, Notary at Heppner, Or., on Dec. 22, 1883, viz: James Hughes, Pre-emption No. 241, for the SE 1/4 Sec. 3, Tp 2 S, R 22 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Stephen Laland, A. J. Breeding, Solomon Mayfield, all of Heppner, Or. E. L. SMITH, Register. 25-40

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NOTICE—TIMBER CULTURE. U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Or., November 22, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Clinton N. Peck against James Luckman, for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 57, dated March 11, 1882, upon the NW 1/4 Sec. 4, Tp 2 S, R 25 E., in Umatilla county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; respondent alleging that James Luckman has failed to plow or plant any part of said tract from date of entry to the present time, as required by law. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of G. W. Bishop, Notary at Heppner, on the 25th day of January, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. E. L. SMITH, Register. C. N. THORNBURY, Receiver. 25-42

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NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., Nov. 24, '83. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before H. C. Condon, Notary at Alkali, Or., on Jan. 10, 1884, viz: James B. Titus, Pre-emption No. 241, for the S 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 8, Tp 3 S, R 23 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: W. B. Ogleby, H. Skinner, of E. J. Wasco Co., Or. John Lantz, J. C. Baird, of Alkali, Wasco Co., Or. E. L. SMITH, Register. 25-41

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