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The only law requiring the publication of notice of intention to make final proof is the act of congress approved March 3d, 1879 (20 Stat., 472), and applies exclusively to homestead and pre-emption entries.

Departmental regulations have been promulgated requiring such publication in desert-land and timber culture entries. I believe that there is no direct statutory authority for the institution of such regulation in respect to such entries, but that it is claimed that the authority is found in the general provisions of law relating to the making of regulations necessary to carrying into effect the laws governing disposals of public lands.

Under the law requiring the publication of notice in pre-emption and homestead cases provision is made that the "register shall publish a notice," etc., and in the regulations relating to said law it is provided that "the filing of such notice must be accompanied by a deposit of sufficient money to pay the cost of publishing the notice to be given by the register. In such cases there can be no question but that the register is legally responsible to the publisher for the amount of publication fee. As the affidavit of the publisher or foreman of the newspapers is necessary to show that the law has been complied with, publishers may usually enforce payment of their charges by refusing to furnish such affidavit until payment has been made for advertising. Occasionally, however, register's fail to require the deposit mentioned, and order the advertising as usual; then the entryman fails to make proof—abandon his claim perhaps—and the register declines to pay the publisher. In such case a judgement could no doubt be secured against the officer in the proper court of the locality. In fact I am of opinion that a register of a land office, is, like other people, amenable to the laws, and liable for the amounts of contracts entered into by him, and when he orders advertising, without specially stating that in making such order he is merely acting as the agent of another, the giving by him and execution by the publisher of such order constitutes a contract under which payment of the usual advertising charge may be enforced by legal process provided, of course, that the register has property subject to execution.

Certain publications are required by law in other classes of entry. Under the Stone and Timber Act, applicable to the Oregon, California, Nevada, and Washington territory, publication is required in advance of entry. Under this law the district land officers have nothing to do with the publication of notice, further than to furnish a copy of the same to applicant to be published at his own expense in the newspaper published nearest the location of the land. Of course, register's may, as a matter of accommodation to the applicant, forward the notice to the publisher, but he is not required to do so by the statute, and such action by him without disclosing the fact that he is merely acting as the agent of the entryman, would render him legally liable for the amount of the publication fees. The publishers can protect themselves in these cases, where the applicants are in good faith, by demanding their advertising fees before furnishing the evidence of publication, whether the order be given by the register or by the applicant.

The remarks relative to the legal liability of registers in the matters mentioned, are based on general business principles, and will be modified, of course, by the usages of the localities in which cases arise. If publishers have been accepting orders for publication in Timber and Stone entries from register's and looking to applicants for compensation, and it has been long understood that in giving such orders the officer has acted as agent for applicants, of course, the officer would not be liable for the amount of publisher's fees.

This letter is called out by complaints and inquiries recently received from publishers, indicating that the questions herein discussed are imperfectly understood by many publishers.

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ENSILAGE.

How Farmers Should Prepare Feed for Stock.

BY A. W. THORNTON.

What is Ensilage good for, anyhow? To answer this question intelligently I will make a few extracts from the second Ensilage Congress, which was held in New York in 1883, in which session practical farmers gave their actual experience. Mr. Reed planted four acres in corn and obtained 55 tons of Ensilage, or 16 tons to the acre, and as 50 pounds of Ensilage is a full days ration for a cow, it was sufficient to feed nine head for a whole year—over two cows to one acre of ground. Again the question was put whether any gentleman had met with a failure? Mr. Roberts, of Poughkeepsie, answered, yes, before I had a silo, I could only keep six cows, I can now keep 20 on the same land. Dr. Orniston, of New York, said, "The cost of harvesting my crop in the field and getting it into the silo was \$1.20 per ton." Mr. W. Strong, of Gold-Enbridge, New York, said: "Allowing \$2.50 per day for a team my Ensilage has cost me \$1.20 per ton. My silo was a wooden one. I am feeding horses, pigs and milk cows, and commenced feeding December 30th. I was then milking 14 cows that gave three cans, of 40 quarts each, per day; they have increased their milk from the Ensilage feed so that I send away four cans a day now. Their feed costs me 2 1/2 cents per day for each cow's 10 lbs. Another farmer says: "This year I have 15 head of cattle in my stable and they have had nothing to eat but Ensilage, the young stock eating not over 30 pounds a day." Mr. W. Smith, of Smith and Rowell Syracuse, the great Holstein cattle trader says: "I have a silo; I feed my cattle on Ensilage, and they like it and look well. I have sold my animals for very high prices, and I do not hesitate to trust their lives to Ensilage." The following is the result of a test case: Ninety short horn grade cattle were purchased and divided into three lots. One lot was treated as the average New England farmer treats his cattle during the winter. They were let run in a yard, with open sheds for shelter, and fed 20 pounds of chopped hay and three pounds of grain. The second lot were kept in stanchions and fed 20 pounds of chopped hay, one peck of mangles and three pounds of grain. The third lot were also kept in stanchions and fed 80 pounds of Ensilage and three pounds of grain. The food was measured or weighed daily, and each lot of cattle were weighed each month. The result of the winter was as follows: Hay costing \$11 per ton the relative cost of feeding the three lots for six months was: First lot \$19.20; second lot, \$23.40; third lot, \$14.10: The Ensilage being counted at \$2 per ton or eight cents per day, the economy of Ensilage over hay was \$4.80, or 25 per cent. Over hay and roots, \$9, or 85 per cent. The gain in weight was, yarded lot 5 per cent; animals fed on roots, 9 1/2 per cent; those fed on Ensilage, 11 1/2 per cent. The two lots fed in stanchions were sold for six cents per pound, while those yarded only sold for five cents. The gain therefor, upon Ensilage feeding in cost, weight and condition was 5 1/2 per cent. By feeding Ensilage in summer one gets 20 per cent more milk than from the best pasture. Cattle turned out to pasture on the 7th of June from Ensilage to June grass fell off 20 per cent in milk, and did not regain it till they were put on Ensilage again in the stalls. A number of poor wethers were put on Ensilage as a test. They weighed 75 pounds when put up in the fall and in March weighed 92 pounds. It was also fed to pigs with equal success. A large bear was outgrowing his usefulness and to reduce him he was fed on Ensilage, but instead of reducing he gained, at the end of a week, one pound a day; since which time it has been adopted as a food to fatten hogs with, only breaking off with a little rye. In the process of "Ensilage" green fodder, whether corn, rye, clover or peas, it is brought in every respect into the condition of "Iowa Krout," and the fermentive process having proceeded to a certain stage is arrested by the deprivation of air, but the fodder is rendered more easily digestible, and thus less vital effort of the animal is expended in assimilating the nutritive ingredients, which not being required for that purpose, are available in a greater degree for the production of animal meat, fat, milk, butter, wool, etc., and we therefore, get something out of the silo we do not put into it. We put in green fodder and take out condition or digestibility. In my next I will consider what to make Ensilage of and how to do it.

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