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SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1908.

## SOCIALISM, AN INEVITABLE AND GROWING POWER.

**T**HERE are 1,000 Socialists in Crook county, and 5,000 in the  
central portion of Oregon; there are 25,000 Socialists in Ore-  
gon, and, to put it mildly, 1,000,000 in the United States. They  
are multiplying daily, as the world reads and learns.

Although politically in the minority as yet, the Socialists are a  
growing power. Almost unknown; aye, despised; 10 or 15 years  
ago, in the past 5 years they have made their influence felt in ev-  
ery nook and corner of this great nation. Five years hence, unless  
conditions improve—and they cannot under the present form of  
government—the Socialists will be a dominant factor in the polit-  
ical economy of America. No one can ignore this fact, pressing  
persistently, shall one say relentlessly, to the top. At anyrate, the  
tenets of Socialism are worth investigating.

To facilitate this end, and to give the Socialists of this part of  
the country an official organ and press champion through which to  
vent their thought and action, John Alden Seabury, editor of the  
Laidlaw (Oregon) Chronicle, will commence the publication on  
August 1 of the INTER-MOUNTAIN SOCIALIST, the subscription price  
of which will be (for a short time) 50 cents a year, \$2.00 for five  
years, or 5 cents the copy. It will be published monthly at first  
and weekly as soon as the business warrants it. Socialists are very  
patriotic, both to the nation, each other and their press; hence, the  
INTER-MOUNTAIN SOCIALIST assuredly WILL be published weekly  
and soon!

To insure its success from the start, and its entry as second  
class mail matter, let EVERY Socialist who reads these lines take  
IMMEDIATE action as follows:—

1. Subscribe yourself, for one year or five years!
2. Get ALL your friends and EVERY Socialist you know to do  
likewise.
3. Send the editor the names and addresses of persons in any  
part of the 46 States whom you know to be interested in Socialism

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon,  
May, 23d, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Edna G. Estes,  
Prineville, Oregon, who, on March 25th, 1908,  
made Timber Application, No. 494, for W $\frac{1}{2}$ -  
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 14,  
Township 14 South, Range 10 East, Willamette  
Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make  
Final Proof, to establish claim to the land  
above described, before the county Clerk  
at Prineville, Oregon, on the 29th day of July,  
1908.

#### Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert G. Smith, of Prineville, Oregon.  
William Combs, of Prineville, Oregon.  
Frisella E. Combs, of Prineville, Oregon.  
C. E. Person, of Sisters, Oregon.  
529 C. W. Moore, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
U. S. Land Office at  
The Dalles, Oregon, May 12, 1908

Notice is hereby that Frisella E. Combs,  
Prineville, Oregon, who, on March 25th, 1908,  
made Timber Application, No. 493, for SW-  
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 14,  
Township 14 South, Range 10 East, Willamette  
Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make  
Final Proof, to establish claim to the land  
above described, before the county Clerk, at  
Prineville, Oregon, on the 29th day of July,  
1908.

#### Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert G. Smith, of Prineville, Oregon.  
William Combs, of Prineville, Oregon.  
Edna G. Estes, of Prineville, Oregon.  
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