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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Ore., June 2, 1904.
Notice is hereby given that the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.
ARCHIE A. JOHNSON,
of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 262, for the purchase of the n/4 of section 9, n/4 of sec. 10, n/4 of sec. 11, Range 10, E. 1, East, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before George T. Baldwin, County Judge of Klamath County, Oregon, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Friday, the 19th day of August, 1904.
He names as witnesses: John Driscoll, J. C. Jarvis, and George Morris, of Bonanza, Oregon; Thos. Shorman, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adverse to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of August, 1904.
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EVENTS OF THE DAY

GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE TWO HEMISPHERES.

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in Condensed Form, Most Likely to Prove Interesting to Our Many Readers.

Paul Morton has assumed the office of secretary of the navy.

There is a colony of over 200 deportees from Cripple Creek miners in Denver.

The Russian, Vladivostok squadron has appeared at Genzan, Corea, and fired on the town.

The acting land commissioner has decided that a corporation has the same right to file on desert land as a citizen.

The secretary of commerce and labor has ordered that all passenger carrying steamboats in the New York harbor be re-inspected.

A Russian submarine boat sank at her moorings at the Baltic shipbuilding yards through inexperienced handling and 21 lives were lost.

Germany has ordered a gunboat to Hayti to assist upon the punishment of the guards who assaulted the French and German ministers.

The Japanese second army is reported to have effected a juncture with the first army and that the whole force now has a fighting front of 120 miles.

Forty-three firemen, four of whom will probably die, were overcome by gas and smoke at a fire in New York. The breaking of a gas main was the cause.

Thirty-six more Colorado miners have been deported.

Knox and Cortelyou have given up their places in the cabinet.

A tornado in Nebraska wrecked many homes, causing two deaths and injuries to six others.

General Oku is close to the heels of Kuropatkin, who is withdrawing toward the north.

The Port Arthur fleet is reported to have given battle to the Japanese and proceeded to sea.

H. J. Middleton, an Associated Press correspondent with the Russian army, has died of dysentery.

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ARMY DRIVEN OUT.

Russians Lose Three of Outer Defenses of Port Arthur.

Tokio, July 2.—The Japanese arms have been victorious at Port Arthur. Possession has been secured of Chikwan-shan, Chitansan and Sochoctan pits, which form a part of the defenses of the beleaguered fortress. Particulars of the fighting are slow in arriving. General Oku withholding has official account until the complete plans are carried out. From unofficial accounts, however, it is learned that the battle lasted from an early hour in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and even after the Russians had been driven out of their works, they reformed and attempted to retake the positions.

The Japanese had been preparing for the attack for a week, and their scouts had penetrated to the very edges of the forts so that accurate maps of

JEERS MOVED NAVY.

Port Arthur Troops are Said to Have Driven Fleet to Sea.

Chicago, July 2.—A special from Chefoo to the Chicago Daily News says: Eight refugees who left Port Arthur in a Chinese junk were picked up this morning. They belonged to the upper class. The information they gave seems reliable. They stated that the Russian fleet now consists of the following ships in good condition: The Carevitch, Retzian, Pobieda, Peresviet, Poltava, Diana, Bayan, Novik and 20 torpedo craft and steamer boats. The torpedo transport Amur is damaged and the battleship Sevastopol slightly damaged, but they can soon be repaired. There are 12,000 sailors and 4,000 soldiers in the fortress. Women are largely employed as nurses. There are 250 artisans and 2,000 citizens. These 2,000 have been drafted into the army and are now drilling daily. There is plenty of food, but the government is controlling prices in order to prevent

HAPPENINGS HERE IN OREGON

POWER FROM WATER WORKS.

Morgan Lake Will Serve Double Purpose at La Grande.

La Grande.—The Morgan lake water power scheme, which is situated three miles south of La Grande, on the summit of the Blue mountains, and which is being constructed by the La Grande water storage company, has been practically completed, by which the storage company will furnish the city of La Grande 75,000,000 gallons of water per month for distribution through the city water mains. The elevation of the lake above the city of La Grande is 1,450 feet, in a distance of three miles. A lake 120 acres in extent and now 12 feet deep has been formed, with a possibility of increasing the depth to 30 feet by building a few hundred feet of levee. Surveys have been made for 11,175 feet of pipe line, leading to the La Grande city reservoir. Steel pipe two feet in diameter will be used to conduct the water down the mountain canyon to the power plant about one mile from the lake, where 1,000 horsepower will be developed at first, with the possibility of increasing the power to 10,000 horsepower when needed.

Railroad Asks for Terminus.

The Dalles.—At the instance of several business men and property owners of this city a meeting was held last week to consider the feasibility of bringing the line of the Great Southern railway into this city, together with the cost of right of way and terminal grounds for the same. The request of the Great Southern officials was for three city blocks situated in the extreme east end of the town for depot grounds, and a right of way from the mouth of Five Mile creek, where the line has been surveyed, to the city. It is understood that the right of way and this terminal site asked for can be had for \$5,500. A committee was appointed to canvas the city to acquire the necessary funds to acquire this property.

Removal of Land Office.

Oregon City.—A remonstrance against the proposed removal of the land office from Oregon City to Portland, and addressed to the president and secretary of the interior, has been circulated among the business men and citizens here. The remonstrance cites the fact that this is known as the Oregon City land district, that Oregon City is centrally located with reference to the district, being accessible by rail and boat; that there is no demand on the part of settlers or the people at large for the removal of the office.

Grasshoppers in Grain.

Pendleton.—The army of grasshoppers struck the alkali wheat raising district, about 20 miles southwest of this city, a few days ago, and has wrought much damage to grain. Monrad Fix is the heaviest loser, grasshoppers having eaten down 500 acres to such an extent that the grain is scarcely fit for hay. Other crops in that vicinity have been more or less damaged. A visit of grasshoppers in this county is unusual. This is the first year the insects have done any damage to grain.

Looking for Big Run.

Astoria.—The salmon pack up to the present time is far from satisfactory, but while the prospects for the balance of the season are purely speculative, there is every confidence that the immense run will come later. The pack of the canned product is full 25 per cent short of what it was at the corresponding time last year, and then the season was considered a failure, but the big run that came the latter part of July brought the pack up to nearly the average figures.

Valley Hops in Need of Rain.

Salem.—Farmers and hop growers in this section of the Valley are very much alarmed over the continuance of the long dry spell, and say that great and irreparable damage has already been done. Farmers from the Waldo hills and from Mission bottom said that grain and hay will not yield more than half crops. Hop growers say that the yield of hops has already been lessened, and that, unless a good rain is had next week, the loss will be considerable.

Grant County's Heavy Frost.

Pendleton.—Severe damage was done by frost in Grant county last week, orchards in many of the foothill portions having nearly the entire crop cut down. The frost lasted several successive nights, and will materially reduce the yield in peaches, pears, prunes and other less hardy varieties. In the John Day valley the leading fruit district of the county, the damage was not great. Vegetables and garden stuff suffered severely also.

Harvest Begins.

Pendleton.—Wheat harvest has commenced in the Cold Springs country north of Pendleton. Wheat matures earlier in this section than elsewhere. Results so far are very satisfactory, some grain going as high as 40 bushels to the acre.

STAMPEDE TO GOLD FIND.

Ledge on Thompson Creek is Over 4,500 Feet Long.

Medford.—A. L. Morris has just returned from the strike of gold on the headwaters of Thompson creek, near Grayback mountain. He brought with him over \$75 in gold taken from the ledge, which shows on the surface over 4,500 feet long. The Briggs boys have taken out \$18,000 and have as much more in sight.

Most of the people going in leave Medford and go by way of Jacksonville, crossing the divide at the head of Williams creek. This route is only 50 miles from Medford. Hundreds of people are leaving, and the town is in great excitement. Claims are being staked and placer locations filed.

H. E. King washed \$160 from four pans of placer dirt on his location 800 feet from the Briggs find. The ledge is 450 feet on the Oregon side of the California line.

A townsie has been located and tents are being pitched. Not since the days of Gold Hill or Steamboat Springs has so much interest been manifested in a gold discovery. It is claimed that the ledge is the same as the Steamboat strike, but the values are much higher and the ledge larger.

Prize Products of Polk.

Dallas.—Polk county will be among the first counties in Oregon to apply for space in the big horticultural building now in course of construction at Portland. Mrs. F. A. Wolfe, of Falls City, has begun the preparation of an exhibit that is expected to take first rank among the county displays at the 1905 fair. Mrs. Wolfe has had charge of all the prize-winning displays from Polk county at the Oregon state fair for many years past, and takes a great interest in the work.

Road to Santiam Mines.

Salem.—With a view to opening a road leading to the Quartzville mines, the members of the Marion county court will go over the route. The Quartzville mines are about 16 miles north of Gates on the Corvallis & Eastern railroad. A wagon road extends about half the distance. Considerable work is being done at the mines, but all supplies and machinery must be taken in on horses. Machinery for a sawmill and a quartz stamp was transported to the mines in that way.

Should Make Full Exhibit.

Salem.—In answer to a question from President Jefferson Myers, Attorney General Crawford has rendered an opinion in which he holds that the Lewis and Clark commission should make a full and complete exhibit of the resources