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"THE WHOLE DARN SHOW."

They tell us in Chicago
That some who got inside
Objected to the circus
And felt dissatisfied.
The harmony was perfect,
The spirit apropos,
But they thought that Mr. Roosevelt was
"The whole darn show."

But wait until St. Louis
Blows gaily to the front,
With twenty "leading actors"
And each his novel stunt.
There'll be no dearth of acting,
No lack of touch and go,
With no one in particular
"The whole darn show."

The "barker" will be Bryan,
Who'll spiel for everything;
And Hill the great ringmaster,
Will occupy the ring.
The fearless rider, Gorman,
Will make his dark horse go,
Though none may take the credit of
"The whole darn show."

The "silent strong man," Parker,
Will multitudes attract,
And Hearst, the "yellow juggler,"
Will do his "barrel act."
McClelland with his "Tiger,"
And Cleveland with his "No,"
Though drawing cards, are none of them
"The whole darn show."

But in that lively circus—
It's wonderfully queer—
The Leading Man's problem
This Presidential year.
They'd trade their star performers
And tightrope stunts forego,
If they could find a man to be
"The whole darn show."

—Wallace Irwin in the New York Globe.

THE TRANSPORTATION QUESTION.

One of the most important problems of the day to the people of this community is that of adequate and reasonably expeditious transportation of both passengers and freight. We are reliably advised that at this time there is a Railroad known as the "Weed Road" now built and in operation to a point distant from Lower Klamath Lake not more than 29 miles with a level country intervening, over which a good hard clay road, suitable for automobileing, or heavy freighting can be made practicable during the entire year, hence, if our people are desirous of being brought into communication with the outside world they now have the opportunity so long wished for. A well equipped Steamboat plying on the Lake Ewauna and Lower Klamath, capable of carrying both passengers and freight would enable persons leaving here in the morning to reach San Francisco the following morning without stop or inconvenience, and without the burden of a heavy BONUS. Such a boat could be constructed or placed on the lake at an expense not exceeding $10.000, which besides affording speedy and comfortable passenger transportation would enable us to get freight at a reduced rate and in less time. Of course this line would connect us with San Francisco direct, but as our commercial relations are already with that city it would make no radical change in that particular, and should Portland at any time desire a portion of our trade it would then devolve on that city to provide us equal transportation facilities. It's an old adage that "Providence helps those who help themselves," this being a truism, there is not a particle of sentiment in the consideration, it is simply a matter of business, If our merchants can save 10 cents per hundred pounds on freight, the consumer gets the benefit of it, this amount on two hundred thousand pounds per month would soon repay the entire cost of the necessary outlay for boats, besides the saving of time in travel allowing at least one day each way, would in the course of a single year repay all the additional expense of boats and automobiles, say nothing of the added comfort to the traveling public, it must of necessity greatly increase the travel to our town and county.

NOT SETTLED YET.

State of Oregon Still Fighting for the Big Klamath Marsh Lands.

Washington, July 2.—The State of Oregon, through its attorney, William B. Matthews, of this City has asked the Secretary of the Interior to review and reverse his recent decision canceling Oregon swamp land list 82, which embraces some ninety-odd thousand acres of land in the Klamath Indian Reservation. In support of this motion, Mr. Matthews has submitted an elaborate brief of 43 printed pages, in which he points out the error of the former decision, and cites precedents without number sustaining his contention. He asks that the formor ruling be set aside, and the lands patented to the state under the swamp land act.

The Secretary, in his decision, admits the swampy character of the lands in controversy, but holds that the Indian title to the lands was converted under the territorial act of 1848, and was later confirmed by treaty with the Klamath Indians in 1864. In his brief, Judge Matthews contends that these lands being swampy at the date of the swamp land grant, in 1860, unquestionably became the property of the state under that act. He denied that the territorial act can properly be held to convey title to the Indians, and that the treaty of 1864 did not operate to withdraw the lands in question from the operation of the swamp grant made in 1860, but, after the attachment of the swamp land grant to these lands in 1860, the state's title could not be diverted and recalled by any subsequent act of the United States. Mr. Matthews will probably be given an oral hearing in this case, and will use every means at his command to induce the Department to abandon its original ruling.

SEEING THE FAIR.

Two Klamath County Boys who are Seeing the Sights at the St. Louis Exposition.

Jesse and Holly Seimens who made the trip from here to St. Louis alone write some very interesting letters of their experience. They describe one day's trip through the Exposition grounds. Starting in the morning at the State building entrance they went down Commercial Avenue visiting the state buildings of Arizona, New Jersey, Mississippi, Iowa, Minnesota, Massachusetts, New York, Ohio and Wisconsin. They say: We saw the U. S. Bird exhibit, Government building and U. S. Fisheries. The fish building has the fish all over the sides of the wall and we saw them through thick glass. The water was lighted up with lights and they were very beautiful and of all kinds and descriptions. We went through the U. S. Mint and saw how gold and silver were coined and plenty of other things. We then went through the Liberal Arts, Manufacturers, Varied Industries and Machinery Hall. Then we started for the Philippine exhibit. This seems to be one of the best attractions at the Fair and nearly everyone is sure to visit it. We crossed Arrow head lake and went through the Walled City. We witnessed the Philippino soldiers drill and saw their camps and straw houses.

On the return we passed the transportation building and went down the Pike and saw all kinds of things, such as shows, and Indians, Arabs and Italians. The Italians are all pulling you every way and stick everything in your pockets and then want money for it and tell you everything to make you buy, and if you do it is a fake and no good. After leaving the Pike we saw the Louisana monument and passed the Grand basin and went out at the Lindell Boulevard entrance near the plaza.

We did not find the Oregon building at all and only saw about half of the buildings we went through but we saw as much as anyone did in one day. We were all tired out when we got home late at night but had a good time and plenty of fun.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

Town Ordinance to be Enforced in Regard to the Running of Saloons.

Most of the session of the town board Tuesday night was taken up in the discussion of the new rock cursher and street making outfit. The plant has arrived at Ager and Engineer Clyde Nickerson has been sent there with a crew to move the plant to Klamath Falls.

The weight of the entire outfit is 47,000 pounds and the freight alone amounts to $1041.91. A warrant was ordered drawn for the amount and President Alex Martin Jr. was given authority to act in all matters in the paying of the freight and other matters incidental to the moving of the plant from Ager to Klamath Falls.

Near the close of the meeting Rev. W. G. Smith, who was present during the evening, asked permission to make a few remarks. He asked the Board if they were cognizant of the fact that a number of the saloons were openly violating the law in regard to gambling and allowing minors in the saloons. He wished to know if the Board were favorable to the enforcement of these laws and if not, he stated that he would consider it his duty to try and create public sentiment in favor of their enforcement and if the saloons were not properly regulated, he would use his influence to take advantage of the Local Option law, which he felt confident would carry if brought to a vote in the entire county. He also drew attention to the fact that the much prosecuted Grimmett, had not learned his lesson, and was still brazenly defying the laws of the town.

Walter Lennox, the marshall, was asked by the Council if he knew of any violation and he stated that he had evidence against two of the saloons. In one case where three young boys were seen gambling and in another where five minors were allowed to loaf around the bar. In the Grimmett case he said that he knew that two girls had been staying there for the past five days and that on the night of the Fourth, the front entrance had been thrown open and that men were going in and out all night. No charges had been prefered against these places as he had been awaiting the return of City Attorney Rutenic, who was absent from the city at this time. On his return the necessary evidence would be forthcoming. All of the Board present expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the strict enforcement of these laws and promised that there would be something doing on the return of their legal advisor.

NEW HOMESTEAD LAW.

Synopsis of Act Passed at Late Session of Congress Will Benefit Settlers.

A circular letter from the Department of the Interior has been received by the Register and Receiver of land offices, which conveys information of much importance to homesteaders. The circular, which is issued under the direction of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, is for the purpose of calling attention to the provisions of an act of Congress, approved April 28, 1904, providing for second and additional homestead entries.

The first section of the act allows any person who has heretofore made a homestead entry and was unable to perfect the same on account of some unavoidable complication of his personal or business affairs, or on account of an honest mistake as to the character of the land, to make a second entry, providing it is shown to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of the General Land Office that he made a bona fide effort to comply with the homestead law, and that he did not relinquish his entry or abandon his claim for a consideration. Any person applying to make entry under this section will be required to file an application for a specific tract of land on the regular homestead blanks, modified so as to show that the entry is made under the provisions of this act, and to furnish a description of his former entry by section, township and range, and the land office where it was made. He will also be required to furnish an affidavit duly corroborated, setting forth in full the complications of his personal or business affairs that prevented his perfecting title to the land covered by his first entry; or where the failure to perfect title was caused by mistake as to the character of the land entered, the manner in which such mistake occurred, and the specific reasons that rendered the land worthless for agricultural purposes must be fully set forth. The affidavit must also show whether the applicant had ever resided upon, improved or cultivated the land embraced in his former entry, and if so, to what extent, and that he did not abandon his claim or relinquish his entry for a consideration.

The second section of the act is substantially a re-enactment of section 5 of the act of March 2, 1899, so modified as to apply to entries for less than 160 acres made after the date of the present act, as well as those made before, and provides for an additional entry of land, which shall be contiguous to the original entry, for which the final proof of residence and cultivation made on the original entry shall be sufficient. Applicants for additional entries under this section will be required to produce evidence that they own and occupy the land embraced in the original entry; and which must be described by legal subdivisions and by reference to the number and date of the original entry. The evidence may consist of their own affidavits corroborated by the affidavits of disinterested witnesses. The commutation of entries under this act is prohibited.

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Notice—All persons indebted to us whose notes and accounts are overdue will please make prompt settlement. Unless special arrangement is made lumber will be sold only for cash or on approved written order. C. S. & R. S. Moore.

WHISKEY.

Just arrived at Klamath Bar from Old Stoney Fort Distilling Co., Kentucky, 10 barrels whiskey. This whiskey we will guarantee to be the best ever offered in Klamath County. Sample free.

BIEBN BROS.

Wanted—A girl to do dining room work. Apply at the Central Cafe.

Wanted—To sell 2000 tons of hay in field; also crew to cut and stack on contract. Address, Ralston & Co, Langell Valley, Ore.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an 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, John M. Anderson, of Dairy, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2880 for the purchase of the N½NE¼, SE¼NE¼, NE¼SE¼, Sec 15, Tp 37 S, R 11 E, W M and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Geo. T. Baldwin, County Judge of Klamath County, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Thursday, the 1st day of September, 1904. He names as witnesses: C H McCumber and Joseph Hettinger of Dairy, Oregon, Jasper Bennett and Fred Buesing of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 1st day of September, 1904.

J. N. WATSON, Register.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., May 17, 1904. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids addressed to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and marked Case No. 12, will be received by the Receiver of Public Moneys at the U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, up to, and including the 4th day of August, 1904, for the purchase of 200,000 feet B. M. saw timber and 100 cords of cordwood to be cut from green and dry timber sound enough and suitable for the purpose specified, and the cordwood from the tops and tops thereof, from pine and white fir. Location of the timber on a tract of land in the SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 24, Twp. 36 S, R. 6 E. W. Mer., all within the Cascade Range Forest Reserve (Southern Division) Oregon. No bids of less than $1.00 per M feet B. M. and $.40 per cord for cordwood, for both dead and living timber, will be considered. A deposit of $100.00 must accompany each bid, and payment in full must be made to the Receiver within 30 days of the date of notice of award, or may, if the bidder so elect at the time of making bid, be made in three equal payments in 30, 60 and 90 days from said date. The purchaser will be required to utilize all of the dead timber on the tract which is suitable for the purpose specified, and only so much of the living timber will be cut as may be necessary to make, with the dead, the amount purchased. No green pine timber of a smaller diameter than eighteen inches, or green white fir of a smaller diameter than twelve inches at the base, must be cut. Prospective bidders are advised to call upon the Forest Supervisor, who will inform them of the rules and requirements which will govern this sale. Timber on valid mining and other claims exempt from sale. Timber unsold may be purchased within one year without further advertisement, on petition for sale of such unsold portions. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

W. A. RICHARDS, Commissioner.

THE RAILROAD.

Trestle Completed--Track Being Laid--Mr. Idol Visits Weed.

[From Our Special Correspondent.]

WEED, Cal., July 3.—As I promised last week to write, will say that the trestle is completed and the construction train is hauling iron and ties over it and track laying toward the Webb place is being pushed as fast as possible. Mr. Ambrose, with his corps of engineers, is in the field surveying the road to the timber holdings on the east side of the mountain, where this company own about 70,000 acres of pine. From their timber most of the way is a sage brush plain, a very easy road to build to Klamath Falls. Mr. Brook, the secretary of the company, has returned from the Board of Directors meeting at San Francisco. Mr. Idol, of the Western Stage Company, has been here to try and arrange for stage and freight from the terminus of the railroad to Lower Klamath Lake, then by boats to Klamath Falls, but no contract was made. The company are quietly building the railroad and saying little. I have no doubt but by October they will be shipping cattle from the Boyce ranch and the road could be built from that point to Klamath Falls in from six to eight months, as it passes over a level plain most of the way. Will keep you posted as matters develop.

KILLED.

Arthur D. Carrick is Killed by Lightening Last Evening While Returning From His Barn.

Last evening about 7:30 while returning from his barn, back of the Klamath Stables, Arthur D. Carrick, a pioneer resident and blacksmith of this city was struck by lightening and instantly killed. Mr. Carrick had left his house after his cow, which was out in the storm, and was just returning home from the barn when he was seen by several campers and others to fall to the ground. The witnesses rushed to his assistance but he was found to be beyond help as he never moved after falling to the ground. The body was taken to the Klamath Stables and after notifying the family, was later removed to his his home. The lightening struck the unfortunate man on the top of the head and passed entirely through the body, burning places in the clothing and shoes.

The funeral services were held this afternoon from the Opera House, under the auspices of the Masonic and A. O. U. W. Lodges, of which he was a member in good standing. The deceased was insured for $2000 in the latter lodge.

Arthur D. Carrick was born at Yreka, California in 1848. He was married in 1878 to Miss Mollie George. Later he removed to Red Bluff and about 25 years ago came to Klamath Falls, where he engaged in the blacksmith business, making his home here ever since.

The deceased leaves a wife and daughter, Mrs. Will Humphrey, and three children. His Father and Mother and brother, Myron Carrick, and sister, Mrs. Bailey, live at Yreka.

BIG TRACT SOLD.

Bush Ranch Containing Over 4,500 Acres Sold to California Capitalists.

The big Bush ranch or as more commonly known "the old Miller ranch" containing 4550 acres has been sold to J. T. Prewitt and associates. Mr. Prewitt is heavily interested in the new canal. He returned Monday from Salem where he completed the deal. He states that the canal company has no interest in the tract as it was bought by himself and others for a stock ranch. It is their intention to put the greater portion of this land in alfalfa. They will form a company to engage in the stock business on a large scale. Nearly all of the land will be covered by the new canal. Mr. Prewitt would not state what was paid for the land but it is believed to have been about $40,000. The abstract of title is expected to be delivered this week.

FOR SALE—I have another bunch of Missouri short-horns. 21 heifers and 4 bulls. 7 roans and the balance reds. Can see them at Klamath Falls.

W. R. BROWN.

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Klamath Falls, Or.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, June 28, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by State of Oregon, contestant, against Fred Flock entry No. 3262, made September 28, 1903, for Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 8, section 9, township 40 S, range 8 E W M, by Fred Flock, contestee, in which it is alleged that said land is now, and was at the time said homestead entry was made by said Entryman, and was on the 12th day of March, 1860, swamp and overflowed land, and is not now and was not on either of said dates, agricultural land; but that the same is susceptable of reclamation, etc, and that said homestead entry of Fred Flock be canceled and forfeited to the U. S and the title to said land be declared to have passed from th U. S to the State of Oregon, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 19th, 1904, before Geo. T. Baldwin, County Judge of Klamath Co, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 27, 1904, before) the Register and Receiver at the United State Land Office in Lakeview, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 28 1904, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

J. N. Watson, Register.
C. U. Snyder, Receiver.

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United States Land Office,
Lakeview, Oregon, June 3, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of 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, Charity E. Leadfahl of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No 2876 for the purchase of the SW¼ of NW¼, N½ of SW¼, SE¼ of SW¼, Sec 33, Tp 37 S, R 9 E, W M, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before Geo T Baldwin, Co Judge of Klamath Co, Or, at Klamath Falls, Or, on Saturday the 20th day of August, 1904. She names as witnesses; A M Jamison, M A Roberts, Mark L Burns, E E Jamison, all of Klamath Falls, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of August, 1904.

J. N. Watson, Register.

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Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of 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, Lillian S. Moore of Klamath Falls, county of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2885 for the purchase of the SE¼ of SW¼, Sec 5, and E½ of NW¼ and NW¼ of NE¼, Sec 8, Tp 38 S, R 9 E, W M, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish her claim to said before Geo T Baldwin, Co Judge of Klamath Co, Or, at Klamath Falls, Or, on Saturday, the 20th day of August, 1904. She names as witnesses: Z Russell, H V Mitchell, C R DeLap, E C Wilson, all of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

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J. N. Watson, Register.

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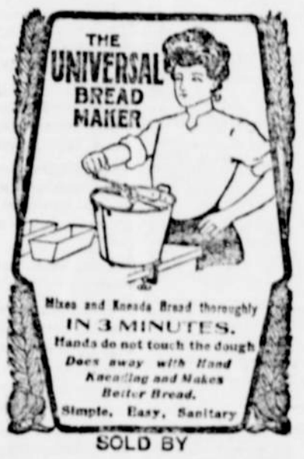

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