

**THE COLD WATER ORDEAL.**

**It Was One Important Test of Guilt or Innocence.**

The cold water ordeal was one of the most important tests of guilt or innocence a few hundred years ago. If the accused floated, he was guilty; if he sank, he was innocent. In the twelfth century some altar vessels were stolen from the cathedral of Laon, and the learned Anselm proposed that a child from each parish and then a child from each household should be put to the test and so on until the guilty one was found. The proposition raised a great outcry, and the people clamored that those who had easiest access to the church be the first to undergo the ordeal.

This looked reasonable enough. So the bishop ordered the six priests of the cathedral to prepare for the test. In the meanwhile Anselm thought to try the experiment himself as a preliminary test. So he was bound and placed in a tub of water. To his great satisfaction as well as discomfort he promptly sank. The day arrived and with it an immense crowd to see the trial. The first priest sank, the second floated, the third sank, the fourth floated, the fifth sank, and then Anselm himself—wonder in spite of experiments and protested innocence floated around with the buoyancy of an air bubble. While he was feeling his sentence in prison Anselm found the time to write a learned treatise on the "Inexpediency of the Water Ordeal and Its Failure in Many Cases."

**New Zealand Mocking Birds.**

The Poo honey eater is one of the commonest and at the same time handsomest of the New Zealand birds. The neck is ornamented with a frill of curly feathers of a greenish color with white centers, and the throat is adorned with a tuft of white feathers, which has gained for it the popular name of "parson bird," an appellation appropriate not only because of its decoration, but because of the resemblance of its peculiar attitudes when singing to the gesticulations indulged in by exuberant lecturers when wishing to drive home their points. The bird is an excellent mimic and can be taught to repeat short sentences with extraordinary clearness and also to whistle short songs quite as well as a parrot.

**Queen Bess' Giant.**

Queen Elizabeth had a Flemish porter who was over eight feet high and of great strength, and he was an extremely good natured man. Whenever he met any one who was abnormally tall he used to patronize him in a friendly sort of way, and on one occasion when he met at an inn two soldiers who were over six feet in height he said, "Come under my arms, my little fellows." And, taking them up, he walked down the room with them under his arms as if they had been children, much to their disgust.

**Willing to Oblige.**

Uncle (to little Bertie, aged five, who is being taken off to bed)—Good night, Bertie. Of course you always remember your uncles and uncles in your prayers? Bertie—Oh, yes, Uncle Felix! Shall I tell you what I say? I say, "God bless Auntie Kitty and make her thin, and God bless Uncle James and make him fat, and God bless Uncle Felix and"—which do you want to be, fat or thin?—Punch.

**Contest Notice**

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, January 25, 1907.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by W. A. Winn, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3213 made Feb. 19, 1904, for NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 35, T. 37 S., R. 9 E., by E. G. Stallcop, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said E. G. Stallcop has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that the said E. G. Stallcop left and abandoned said lands and has been absent therefrom for more than six months last past and has wholly abandoned the same, and that his absence therefrom is not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, either as an officer, soldier or sailor in any war in which the United States may have been engaged, and said parties are hereby notified to appear and respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock, a. m., on March 14, 1907, before Geo. Chastain, County Clerk of Klamath Co., at Klamath Falls, Oregon, and final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock, a. m., March 21, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Lakeview, Oregon.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 7, 1907, 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 due and proper publication.  
1-31-3-14 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication**

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1907.  
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, Estella Macauley, of Thrall, county of Siskiyou State of California, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3430, for the purchase of the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3, SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3, and NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 10, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April, 1907.  
She names as witnesses:  
F. L. Baldwin and Edward Bagby of Klamath Falls, M. E. Cook, of Klamath Co., Calif., and T. W. M. Macauley of Pokagona, Ore.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3rd day of April, 1907.  
1-24-3-28 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice For Publication.**

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 15, 1907.  
Notice is hereby given that Alfonso Frain of Beswick, Cal., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2311 made March 15, 1900, for the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 14, T. 40 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of Klamath county, Ore., at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on 4th day of March, 1907.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:  
Lena Anderson, M. E. Spencer and Valentine Griffith all of Keno, Oregon, and Roderick M. Frain of Beswick, California.  
1-24-2-28 J. N. Watson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1907.  
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, Emma R. Grigsby, of Klamath Falls, county of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3555, for the purchase of the E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 4, and 5 of Sec. 19, in T. 30 S., R. 10 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Tuesday the 2nd day of April, 1907.  
She names as witnesses:  
William O. Webb, W. H. Webb, C. N. Snow and Wm. Snow, all of Klamath Falls, Ore.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 2nd day of April, 1907.  
1-17-3-21 J. N. Watson, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

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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, Mary C. Hogue, of Klamath Falls, county of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3598, for the purchase of the W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 4 and NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 10, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Tuesday the 2nd day of April, 1907.  
She names as witnesses:  
Wm. Lashua, Ed Echtenaw, Ray Hubbard and John Britt all 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 2nd day of April, 1907.  
1-17-3-21 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication**

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 4, 1907.  
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, Frank Johnston, of Dalry, county of Klamath State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3347, for the purchase of the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Sec. 12, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the county clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, on Monday, the 1st day of April, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
Mark P. Howard, Roy F. Whitney, Jesse Gravens and Harry Crawford all of Dalry, 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 April, 1907.  
1-24-3-28 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication**

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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, Thomas W. M. Macauley, of Pokagona, county of Klamath State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3429, for the purchase of the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3, SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3 and SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 10, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Wednesday the 3rd day of April, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
Mary Cook of Klamath, Cal., Estella Macauley of Thrall, Cal., T. Edwin Bagby and F. L. Baldwin 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 3rd day of April, 1907.  
1-24-3-28 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, Mary Ellen Cook, of Klamath, county of Siskiyou State of California, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3430, for the purchase of the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3, SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 3, SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 10, and E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Sec. No. 12, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April, 1907.  
She names as witnesses:  
Estella Macauley of Thrall, Cal., T. W. M. Macauley of Pokagona, Ore., Edward Bagby and F. L. Baldwin 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 3rd day of April, 1907.  
1-24-3-28 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, Ruby A. Hubbard, of Klamath Falls, county of Klamath, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3222, for the purchase of the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Sec. No. 21, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Monday the 1st day of April, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
Mary R. Hogue, Charles C. Hogue, Ed. Echtenaw and Wm. Lashua all 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 April, 1907.  
1-10-3-14 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication.**

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Jan. 4, 1907.  
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, Thaddeus G. McHatten, of Kenn Creek, county of Jackson State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3345, for the purchase of the W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 2 and NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. No. 3, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Monday the 1st day of April, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
J. C. Smith, H. P. Cranner, Allen Sloan and Chas. Hamaker, all 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 April, 1907.  
1-10-3-14 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication**

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Feb. 2, 1907.  
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, Everett E. Kerkendall, of Klamath Falls, county of Klamath State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3322, for the purchase of the NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Sec. No. 23, in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 the clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Tuesday the 2nd day of April, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
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1-27-4-1 J. N. Watson, Register.

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He names as witnesses:  
J. C. Smith of Klamath Falls, Oregon, H. P. Cranner of Klamath Falls, Oregon, W. J. Biederick of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and H. M. M. of Klamath Falls, Oregon.  
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1-27-4-1 J. N. Watson, Register.

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She names as witnesses:  
Archie Johnson of Klamath Falls, Oregon, Wm. Mendenhall of Klamath Falls, Oregon, Fred Applegate of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and J. C. Smith 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 May, 1907.  
1-27-4-11 J. N. Watson, Register.

**Notice for Publication.**

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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 state of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Earl S. Riddell of Salem, county of Morrow, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3386, for the purchase of the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. No. 22 in T. 37 S., R. 9 E. W. 3, 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 clerk of Klamath county at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1907.  
He names as witnesses:  
J. C. Smith of Klamath Falls, Oregon, H. P. Cranner of Klamath Falls, Oregon, W. J. Biederick of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and H. M. M. of Klamath Falls, Oregon.  
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1-27-4-11 J. N. Watson, Register.

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